

Financial Statements as of December 31, 2021 Together with independent auditors' reports and Supervisory Committee's reports on the Financial Statements



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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

To the Chairman and Directors of Banco Hipotecario S.A. Registered office: Reconquista 151 Autonomous City of Buenos Aires

Taxpayer identification number [CUIT]: 30-50001107-2

#### Report on the financial statements

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of Banco Hipotecario S.A. (hereinafter, the "Entity") and its subsidiaries, comprising the consolidated statement of financial position as of December 31, 2021, the consolidated statements of income, changes in shareholders' equity and cash flows for the year then ended, as well as their related schedules and selected explanatory notes.

#### Board of Directors' and Management's Responsibility

The Entity's Board of Directors and Management are responsible for the preparation of the accompanying consolidated financial statements in accordance with the financial reporting framework established by the Argentine Central Bank ("BCRA"), which, as described in Note 3 to the accompanying consolidated financial statements, is based on the International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as approved by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB"), and adopted by the Argentine Federation of Professional Councils of Economic Sciences ("FACPCE"), with the exceptions referred to in said Note 3. The Entity's Board of Directors and Management are also responsible for the design, implementation and maintenance of such internal control as Management might deem appropriate to ensure that the consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatements, due to fraud or error.

#### Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the accompanying consolidated financial statements based on our audit. We performed such audit in accordance with the applicable audit standards set out in Technical Resolution No. 37 of FACPCE and with the "Minimum Standards for External Audits" issued by the BCRA. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement. An audit involves performing procedures, on a selective test basis, to obtain audit evidence on the financial disclosures included in the financial statements. The selected procedures depend on our professional judgment, including the assessment of the risk of material misstatements in the financial statements. In performing such risk assessment, we have considered the Entity's existing internal control on the preparation and presentation of the financial statements in order to select the appropriate audit procedures in light of the circumstances, but not in order to render an opinion on the effectiveness of such internal control. An audit also involves assessing the accounting criteria used by the Entity, the material estimates made by the Board of Directors, and the presentation of the financial statements as a whole. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.



#### Opinion

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements fairly represent, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of Banco Hipotecario S.A. as of December 31, 2021, as well as its consolidated results of operations, changes in equity and consolidated cash flows for the year then ended, in conformity with the BCRA financial reporting framework.

#### Emphasis Paragraph

Without modifying our opinion, we draw users' attention to the disclosures in Note 3.1 of the accompanying consolidated financial statements which states that such financial statements were prepared by the Entity's Board of Directors and Management in accordance with the BCRA financial reporting framework. This framework differs from the IFRS in certain aspects described in said note.

#### Other matters

The figures and other information for fiscal year ended December 31, 2020, which are presented for comparative purposes restated as indicated in Note 3.2, arise from the consolidated financial statements examined by other auditors who issued their audit report on February 25, 2021 expressing an unqualified opinion on such financial statements.

#### Information required by other legal and regulatory standards

In compliance with applicable provisions, we hereby report that:

- a) the accompanying consolidated financial statements have not yet been transcribed into the Financial Statements for Reporting Purposes book;
- the figures disclosed in the accompanying consolidated financial statements arise from applying the consolidation procedures set forth under the BCRA financial reporting framework, based on the separate financial statements of the business group's companies, which are detailed in Note 3.7 to the accompanying consolidated financial statements;
- c) as of December 31, 2021, as described in Note 28.4 to the accompanying consolidated financial statements, the Entity's shareholders' equity and minimum cash contra-account in eligible assets exceed the respective minimum requirements established in applicable standards issued by the CNV;
- d) we have read the sections "Capital Structure", "Profit & Loss Structure," "Cash Flow Structure," "Statistical Data" and "Ratios" of the review of operations required by the CNV, in respect of which, as it relates to our area of responsibility, we have no significant observations to make. The accounting information included in the review of operations for the year ended December 31, 2020 and previous years was covered by other auditors in their auditor's report dated February 25, 2021. Reference is made to such auditor's report, which should be read together with this report;
- e) As of December 31, 2021, based on the Entity's accounting records, accrued liabilities in respect of taxes and contributions owing to the Argentine Integrated Retirement and Pensions System amount to ARS 183,572,004.14, there being no due and payable debts as of such date, and



f) During the year ended December 31, 2021, our fees for audit services billed to the Entity account for 96% of the total comprehensive amount billed to Entity, 53% of total fees for audit services billed to the Entity and its subsidiaries, and 50% of the total comprehensive amount billed to the Entity and its subsidiaries.

Autonomous City of Buenos Aires, March 2, 2022

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON SEPARATE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

To the Chairman and Directors of Banco Hipotecario S.A. Registered office: Reconquista 151 Autonomous City of Buenos Aires

Taxpayer identification number [CUIT]: 30-50001107-2

#### Report on the financial statements

We have audited the accompanying separate financial statements of Banco Hipotecario S.A. (hereinafter, the "Entity"), comprising the separate statement of financial position as of December 31, 2021, the separate statements of income, changes in shareholders' equity and cash flows for the year then ended, as well as their related schedules and selected explanatory notes.

#### Board of Directors' and Management's Responsibility

The Entity's Board of Directors and Management are responsible for the preparation of the accompanying separate financial statements in accordance with the financial reporting framework established by the Argentine Central Bank ("BCRA"), which, as described in Note 3.1 to the accompanying separate financial statements, is based on the International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as approved by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB"), and adopted by the Argentine Federation of Professional Councils of Economic Sciences ("FACPCE"), with the exceptions referred to in said Note 3. The Entity's Board of Directors and Management are also responsible for the design, implementation and maintenance of such internal control as Management might deem appropriate to ensure that the separate financial statements are free from material misstatements, due to fraud or error.

#### Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the accompanying separate financial statements based on our audit. We performed such audit in accordance with the applicable audit standards set out in Technical Resolution No. 37 of FACPCE and with the "Minimum Standards for External Audits" issued by the BCRA. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance that the financial statements are free from material misstatement. An audit involves performing procedures, on a selective test basis, to obtain audit evidence on the financial disclosures included in the financial statements. The selected procedures depend on our professional judgment, including the assessment of the risk of material misstatements in the financial statements. In performing such risk assessment, we have considered the Entity's existing internal control on the preparation and presentation of the financial statements in order to select the appropriate audit procedures in light of the circumstances, but not in order to render an opinion on the effectiveness of such internal control. An audit also involves assessing the accounting criteria used by the Entity, the material estimates made by the Board of Directors, and the presentation of the financial statements as a whole. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.



#### Opinion

In our opinion, the accompanying separate financial statements fairly represent, in all material respects, the separate financial position of Banco Hipotecario S.A. as of December 31, 2021, as well as its separate results of operations, changes in equity and consolidated cash flows for the year then ended, in conformity with the BCRA financial reporting framework.

#### Emphasis Paragraph

Without modifying our opinion, we draw users' attention to the disclosures in Note 3.1 of the accompanying separate financial statements which states that such financial statements were prepared by the Entity's Board of Directors and Management in accordance with the BCRA financial reporting framework. This framework differs from the IFRS in certain aspects described in said note.

#### Other matters

The figures and other information for fiscal year ended December 31, 2020, which are presented for comparative purposes restated as indicated in note 3.2, arise from the separate financial statements examined by other auditors who issued their audit report on February 25, 2021 expressing an unqualified opinion on such financial statements.

#### Information required by other legal and regulatory standards

In compliance with applicable provisions, we hereby report that:

- the accompanying separate financial statements have not yet been transcribed into the Financial Statements for Reporting Purposes book; and arise from accounting records also pending transcription into the Ledger Book;
- as of December 31, 2021, as described in Note 28.4 to the accompanying separate financial statements, the Entity's shareholders' equity and minimum cash contra-account in eligible assets exceed the respective minimum requirements established in applicable standards issued by the CNV;
- c) As of December 31, 2021, based on the Entity's accounting records, accrued liabilities in respect of taxes and contributions owing to the Argentine Integrated Retirement and Pensions System amount to ARS 174,069,226.71, there being no due and payable debts as of such date, and



d) During the year ended December 31, 2021, our fees for audit services billed to the Entity account for 96% of the total comprehensive amount billed to Entity, 53% of total fees for audit services billed to the Entity and its subsidiaries, and 50% of the total comprehensive amount billed to the Entity and its subsidiaries.

Autonomous City of Buenos Aires, March 2, 2022

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#### **BANCO HIPOTECARIO S.A.**

Reconquista 151 - City of Buenos Aires - Argentine Registered office:

Republic

Banking Main activity:

Taxpayer's Identification Number (CUIT): 30-50001107-2

By-laws' date of registration with the

Public Registry of Commerce:

September 28, 1997

Date of registration of the latest

amendment to the by-laws:

January 23, 2019 (No. 1643 of Stock Corporations

Book 93)

Expiration date of the by-laws:

99 years from the date of incorporation (September 28,

Capital structure as of 12/31/2021									
	5	Shares							
					Subscribed	Paid-in			
Number	Number I Type	Nominal No. of votes value per share	No. of votes	Class	·				
			per share		(In thousan	ds of ARS)			
664,376,845	0	1	1	Α	664,377	664,377			
57,009,279	Common	1	1	В	57,009	57,009			
75,000,000	registered shares	1	1	С	75,000	75,000			
703,613,876		1	3	D	703,614	703,614			
1,500,000,000					1,500,000	1,500,000			



#### **CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION**

As of 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020

In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

ITEM	NOTES	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
ASSETS			
Cash and bank deposits (Schedule P)	5 and 6	18,111,369	20,260,577
Cash		4,955,950	4,912,373
Financial institutions and correspondents		13,155,419	15,348,204
- Argentine Central Bank (B.C.R.A.)		12,717,141	13,559,581
- Other domestic and foreign institutions		438,278	1,788,623
Debt securities at fair value through profit or loss	6		
(Schedule P)	0	27,565,985	46,337,359
Derivative instruments (Schedule P)	6 and 8	290,208	11,856
Repo transactions (Schedule P)	6	193,209,922	37,570,797
Other financial assets (Schedule P)	6 and 9	4,618,451	3,803,408
Loans and other financing arrangements (Schedules	6 and 7		
B, C, D, P)	o and r	52,411,120	65,569,868
Non-financial public sector		4	47
Other financial institutions		481,532	460,957
Non-financial private sector and foreign residents		51,929,584	65,108,864
Other debt securities (Schedules B, C, D, P)	6	28,954,132	8,397,514
Financial assets pledged as collateral (Schedule P)	6 and		
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Current income tax assets	12	960,240	517,156
Investments in equity instruments (Schedule P)	6	496,791	396,378
Property, plant and equipment (Schedule F)	11	7,176,358	7,588,978
Intangible assets (Schedule G)	11	383,772	517,264
Deferred income tax assets	12	1,982,702	1,307,645
Other non-financial assets	11	1,546,863	2,395,178
Non-current assets held for sale	11	8,209,405	10,509,076
TOTAL ASSETS		350,667,235	207,608,051

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#### **CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION**

As of 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

ITEM	NOTES	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
LIABILITIES			
Deposits (Schedules H, I, P)	6	289,291,646	134,083,245
Non-financial public sector		72,259,034	14,122,803
Financial sector		613	1,314
Non-financial private sector and foreign residents		217,031,999	119,959,128
Liabilities at fair value through profit or loss (Schedules I, P)	6	597,075	80,301
Derivative instruments (Schedules I, P)	6 and 8	17,330	67
Repo transactions (Schedules I, P)		28,471	
Other financial liabilities (Schedules I, P)	6 and 9	9,998,970	10,524,704
Loans from the B.C.R.A. and other financial	6	2,222,2	
institutions (Schedules I. P)	6	286,916	127,670
Negotiable obligations issued (Schedules I, P)	6 and		
	13	20,332,960	29,413,488
Current income tax liabilities		424,911	258,010
Provisions	14	383,693	676,730
Other non-financial liabilities	11	6,484,813	5,353,512
TOTAL LIABILITIES	1	327,846,785	180,517,727
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY			
Capital stock	15	1,500,000	1,500,000
Non-capitalized contributions		1,500,000	88,676
Capital adjustments		24,918,822	76,533,611
Retained earnings		24,910,022	26,575,680
Unappropriated retained earnings/ (losses)		_	(79,662,543)
(Loss) / Income for the year		(4,201,275)	1,383,398
(Loos) / moonie for the year		(4,201,273)	1,303,390
Shareholders' equity attributable to parent's			
shareholders		22,217,547	26,418,822
Shareholders' equity attributable to non-			
controlling interests		602,903	671,502
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY		22,820,450	27,090,324
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	Y	350,667,235	207,608,051

Notes and schedules are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

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#### **CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF INCOME**

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2021 and as of 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

Item	Note	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Interest income and adjustments (Schedule Q)	16	46,412,724	29,856,856
Interest expense and adjustments (Schedule Q)	17	(46,273,749)	(29,957,560)
Net interest income (loss)		138,975	(100,704)
Fee and commission income (Schedule Q)	16	6,575,934	9,239,840
Fee and commission expense (Schedule Q)		(385,784)	(377,244)
Net fee and commission income		6,190,150	8,862,596
Net income from measurement of financial			
instruments at fair value through profit or loss		15,063,059	15,110,187
(Schedule Q)	18		
Income (loss) from assets write-off at amortized cost		1,775	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Gold and foreign currency exchange differences	19	(736,014)	(912,417)
Other operating income	20	9,233,626	10,041,796
Loan loss		(2,668,209)	(3,071,400)
Net operating income		27,223,362	29,930,058
Employee benefits	22	(10,734,657)	(10,301,681)
Administrative expenses	21	(5,482,649)	(6,308,886)
Depreciation and impairment of assets		(1,080,908)	(1,270,463)
Other operating expenses	20	(11,971,981)	(9,302,355)
Operating income (loss)		(2,046,833)	2,746,673
Gain (loss) on net monetary position		(2,306,359)	(56,220)
Income (loss) before tax		(4,353,192)	2,690,453
Income tax	12	95,525	(1,225,396)
NET INCOME (LOSS) FOR THE YEAR		(4,257,667)	1,465,057
Net income (loss) for the year attributable to parent shareholders	(4,201,275)	1,383,398	
Net income (loss) for the year attributable to non-		(56,392)	81,659
controlling interests		(50,592)	61,039

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#### **CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF INCOME**

For the fiscal period ended 12/31/2021 and as of 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

Earnings per Share	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
NUMERATOR		
Income (loss) attributable to parent's shareholders	(4,201,275)	1,383,398
Income (loss) attributable to parent's shareholders adjusted to reflect the effect of dilution	(4,201,275)	1,383,398
DENOMINATOR		
Weighted average of outstanding common shares for the fiscal year	1,471,352	1,470,414
Weighted average of outstanding common		
shares for the fiscal year adjusted to reflect the effects of dilution	1,471,352	1,470,414
EARNINGS (LOSS) PER BASIC SHARE	(2.855)	0.941
EARNINGS (LOSS) PER DILUTED SHARE	(2.855)	0.941

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#### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2021 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

	Capital S	itock		pitalized butions		R	etained earnings			Total	Total Sharehold	
Changes	Outstanding	To be delivered	Share premium	Stock- based payments	Capital adjustments	Legal reserve	Stock-based payments	Others (*)	Unappropriated retained earnings/ (losses)	Shareholders' equity controlling interests 12/31/2021	ers' equity non- controlling interests 12/31/2021	Total as of 12/31/2021
Balances at beginning												
of year	1,470,685	29,315	834	87,842	76,533,611	6,384,405	1,149,902	19,041,373	(78,279,145)	26,418,822	671,502	27,090,324
Absorption of unappropriated retained earnings / (losses) — Approved by the Shareholders' Meeting held on 03/30/2021 (**) Stock-based payments under compensation	-	-	(834)	(87,842)	(51,614,789)	(6,384,405)	(1,149,902)	(19,041,373)	78,279,145	-	-	-
plan	1,525	(1,525)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Distribution of subsidiary dividends Net income (loss) for the year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(4,201,275)	(4,201,275)	(12,207) (56,392)	(12,207) (4,257,667)
Balances at year-end	1,472,210	27,790	-	-	24,918,822	-	-	-	(4,201,275)	22,217,547	602,903	22,820,450

Notes and schedules are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

(\*) Optional reserve for future dividend distributions.

(\*\*) See Note 3.4.

**Lorena C. Morchón**General Accounting Manager

Manuel J.L. Herrera Grazioli General Manager Signed for identification purposes with our report dated March 2, 2022

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#### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

	Capital S	Stock		apitalized ibutions		R	etained earning	ıs		Total Shareholders'	Shareholders' Total	
Changes	Outstanding	To be delivered	Share premium	Stock- based payments	Capital adjustments	Legal reserve	Stock- based payments	Others (*)	Unappropriated retained earnings / (losses)	equity controlling interests 12/31/2020	Shareholders' equity non- controlling interests 12/31/2020	Total as of 12/31/2020
Balances at beginning	4 400 004	00.000	004	70 700	70 500 004	F 000 040	4 400 040	45 007 400	(75.057.007)	05 005 404	505 700	05 004 400
of year	1,469,931	30,069	834	78,789	76,526,224	5,623,342	1,166,342	15,997,120	(75,857,227)	25,035,424	595,769	25,631,193
Distribution of retained												
earnings/ (losses)												
approved by the												
Shareholders' Meeting												
dated 05/06/2020												
<ul> <li>Legal reserve</li> </ul>	-	-	-	-	-	761,063	-	-	(761,063)	-	-	-
<ul> <li>Other reserves</li> </ul>	_	_	_	_	-	-	-	3,044,253	(3,044,253)	_	_	-
Stock-based payments								0,011,200	(0,011,200)			
under compensation plan	754	(754)	_	9,053	7,387	_	(16,440)	_	_	_	_	-
Distribution of subsidiary		( ,		0,000	.,		(10,110)					
dividends	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	_	-	(5,926)	(5,926)
Net income for the year	-	_	-	-	-	_	-	-	1,383,398	1,383,398	81,659	1,465,057
Balances at year-end	1,470,685	29,315	834	87,842	76,533,611	6,384,405	1,149,902	19,041,373	(78,279,145)	26,418,822	671,502	27,090,324

Notes and schedules are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

(\*) Optional reserve for future dividend distributions.

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(Partner)
Public Accountant (UBA)

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#### **CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS**

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

ITEM	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Net income (loss) for the year before income tax Gain on net monetary position	<b>(4,353,192)</b> 2,306,359	<b>2,690,453</b> 56,221
Adjustments to obtain cash flows from operating		
activities Depreciation and impairment of assets	1,080,908	1,270,464
Loan loss, net of reversed allowances	2,536,368	2,765,371
Provision for loan losses, net of reversed provisions	331,497	280,522
Net interest income (expense)	(138,975)	100,705
Net income (loss) from financial instruments	(100,010)	100,700
measured at fair value through profit or loss Profit (loss) from sale of property, plant and	(14,998,119)	(15,086,746)
equipment/Changes in the fair value of investment property and non-current assets held for sale	2,108,303	95,342
Net increase /(net decrease) from operating assets		
Debt securities at fair value through profit or loss	24,449,363	(20,271,031)
Derivative instruments	(280,748)	(5,487)
Repo transactions	(137,971,727)	(24,184,659)
Loans and other financing arrangements	, , ,	( , , ,
Non-financial public sector	34	9
Financial sector	289,582	(53,445)
Non-financial private sector and foreign		
residents	13,198,025	11,287,868
Other debt securities	(17,823,444)	759,670
Financial assets pledged as collateral	(2,814,940)	2,471,671
Investments in equity instruments	(180,509)	230,658
Other assets	(2,158,191)	(4,161,222)
Net increase / (net decrease) from operating		
<u>liabilities</u>		
Deposits		0.500.040
Non-financial public sector	60,990,033	8,529,013
Financial sector	(435)	856
Non-financial private sector and foreign residents	82,191,664	53,452,944
Liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	533,000	(823,879)
Derivative instruments	(26,008)	14,105
Repo transactions	22,467	(1,701,379)
Other liabilities	(682,218)	1,169,251
Income tax paid	(114,403)	(132,850)
Total cash flows from operating activities	8,494,694	18,754,425

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#### **CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS**

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

ITEM	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Cash flows from investing activities		
Payments		
Purchase of property, plant and equipment, intangible		
assets and other assets	(299,093)	(293,225)
Collections		
Sale of property, plant and equipment and other assets	27,553	388,189
Total cash flows (used in) / arising from investing		
activities	(271,540)	94,964
Cash flows from financing activities		
Payments		
Dividends	(12,208)	(5,885)
Unsubordinated negotiable obligations	(7,508,377)	(41,008,342)
Loans from domestic financial institutions	(5,499,906)	(37,666,620)
Other payments related to financing activities	(650,720)	(832,906)
Collections		
Unsubordinated negotiable obligations	1,210,000	7,733,949
Loans to domestic financial institutions	4,893,400	37,660,962
Total cash flows used in financing activities	(7,567,811)	(34,118,842)
Effect of exchange rate variations	1,289,515	7,634,398
Effect of gain (loss) on net monetary position of cash	(4,094,066)	(10,081,645)
Casii	(4,094,000)	(10,061,043)
TOTAL VARIATION IN CASH FLOWS		
Net decrease for the year	(2,149,208)	(17,716,700)
Cash at beginning of year	20,260,577	37,977,277
Cash at year end	18,111,369	20,260,577

Notes and schedules are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

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#### 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

Banco Hipotecario S.A. (hereinafter, the "Bank") is a financial institution subject to Financial Institutions Law No. 21526.

The Bank is the result of the privatization of the then Banco Hipotecario Nacional (an institution established in 1886), pursuant to Law No. 24855 passed on July 2, 1997 and enacted by the National Executive Branch (PEN) through Decree No. 677 dated July 22, 1997, and regulatory Decree No. 924/97, whereby Banco Hipotecario Nacional was declared "subject to privatization" under the terms of Law No. 23696 and transformed into a corporation ("sociedad anónima"). The new entity arising from this transformation does business under the denomination of "Banco Hipotecario Sociedad Anónima", and as a commercial bank in accordance with Law No. 21526. The Bank provides retail and corporate banking services. In addition, through its subsidiaries, it provides life and personal accident insurance.

These consolidated financial statements as of and for the year ended December 31, 2021 include the Bank and its subsidiaries, that is, companies and structured entities controlled by the Bank (collectively, the "Group").

The companies controlled by the Bank include:

- BACS Banco de Crédito y Securitización S.A. (BACS): An investment bank engaged in designing financial solutions for businesses, including securitizations and credit portfolio management. The Bank owns a 62.28% stake in BACS' capital stock and votes.
- BHN Sociedad de Inversión S.A.: The holding entity of BHN Vida S.A. and BHN Seguros Generales S.A.
  The Bank directly and indirectly owns a 100% stake in BHN Sociedad de Inversión S.A.'s capital stock and
  votes.

The structured entities controlled by the Bank include:

CHA Financial Trusts Series IX to XIV

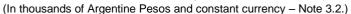
#### 2. ECONOMIC CONTEXT

The Group operates amidst a challenging economic environment, whose main variables have shown substantial volatility as a consequence of political and economic events, including substantial depreciation of the local currency, persistently rising inflation, higher-than-usual country risk levels, and declining economic activity, as a result of the recession that began in previous years and was deepened during the mandatory lockdown described below.

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Against this backdrop, on December 21, 2019, the "Social Solidarity and Production Reactivation Law within the framework of the Public Emergency" (the "Economic Emergency Law") was passed into law by the Argentine Congress, declaring Argentina in economic, financial, administrative, social security, energy, public health and social emergency until December 31, 2020, extended by Decree No. 1042/2020 until December 31, 2021 and subsequently extended until December 31, 2022 under Decree No. 12/2022 dated January 11, 2022.

The Economic Emergency Law also suspended until December 31, 2021 the reduction of the income tax rate and the 2017 Fiscal Covenant, which established a gradual decrease in turnover tax until December 31, 2020 (See Note 12).

In particular, and concerning financial assets, the following measures were taken as regards the extension of maturities and/or restructuring of government securities:

- On August 28, 2019, the Argentine Government enacted Decree No. 598/2019, extending the maturity of short-term securities (Letes, Lecap, Lecer, and Lelink). Furthermore, by means of Decree No. 49/2019, issued on December 19, 2019, the Argentine Government extended the maturity of USdollar denominated Treasury Bills until August 31, 2020.
- Decree No. 141/2020 dated February 11, 2020 rolled over the repayment of Argentina's dual currency bonds due in 2020 ("Bonos de la Nación Argentina en Moneda Dual Vencimiento 2020") to September 30, 2020, while interrupting the accrual of interest on such instruments.
- Decree No. 346/2020 dated April 5, 2020 required the deferral of principal and interest payments on Argentina's sovereign debt in the form of US dollar-denominated securities issued under Argentine law until December 31, 2020, or until such other earlier date as the Ministry of Economy may determine from time to time, considering the progress made against and the execution of the process to restore Argentina's public debt sustainability.
- Decree No. 391/2020 dated April 21, 2020 provided for the restructuring of Argentine Government Securities issued under foreign law by means of an exchange offer originally good through May 8. After extending the offer term by means of Resolutions Nos. 221/2020 and 350/2020 issued by the Ministry of Economy, and approving an amendment to the offer dated April 21, 2020 through Decree No. 582/2020 dated July 7, 2020, the results of the restructuring of debt securities issued under foreign law were finally announced on August 31, 2020, achieving 99.01% acceptance of all eligible securities.
- On September 4, 2020, the Ministry of Economy announced the results of the exchange offer of debt securities issued under Argentine law. The local debt exchange offer involved 29 securities (including Letes, Bonar, Par, Discount, Lelink, Dual Bonds, Bontes), whose holders were offered new securities, including US dollar-denominated and CER-adjusted Argentine peso-denominated bonds. Holders of instruments denominated and payable in US dollars (such as Letes, Bonars, Par and Discount) could exchange them for new US dollar-denominated step-up securities under Argentine law, due in 2030, 2035, 2038 and 2041, pursuant to the terms of the offer.
- On November 4, 2020, through Resolution No. 540/2020, the Ministry of Economy established the
  procedure for eligible securities not included in the restructuring of government securities denominated

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- in foreign currency issued under Argentine law as of September 2020 to participate in the exchange. On July 30, 2021, the results of this restructuring were announced, achieving 99.65% acceptance of all eligible securities.
- On June 16, 2021, a new call for bids of Argentine Treasury Bills (Ledes, Lepase and Lecer) and the conversion of Boncer 2021 (TC21) for a basket of CER securities maturing in 2022 and 2023 was announced.
- On October 13, 2021, through Resolution No. 646/2021, the Ministry of Economy approved a new procedure for eligible securities not included in the debt restructuring operation under Argentine law, to be carried out in the local market, for those holders that had not adhered to the swaps set forth in Resolutions No. 381 of August 17, 2020 and No. 540 of November 4, 2020. Likewise, the authorization to trade the eligible securities as from December 1, 2021 in the Argentine stock exchanges and markets was cancelled.

As of December 31, 2021, the Group records public sector debt instruments affected by these measures in the amount of 5,089,644.

In terms of exchange aspects, on September 1, 2019, the Argentine Government published Executive Decree No. 609/2019 setting forth extraordinary and interim exchange guidelines. Additionally, the BCRA issued Communication "A" 6770, as amended, whereby, among other measures, it provided that up to and including December 31, 2019, the BCRA's previous consent was required to access the foreign exchange market for the remittance of profits and dividends, payment of services to foreign affiliates, and early payment of financial debts (principal and interest) over three business days before maturity. Then, on December 30, 2019, the BCRA issued Communication "A" 6856, establishing that the preceding provisions would remain in force on and after December 31, 2019. As of the date of these financial statements, the BCRA imposed further restrictions to access the exchange market. In this respect, Communication "A" 7405 dated November 25, 2021 provided that, effective December 1, 2021, the cash position established under the rules on "Total net position in foreign currency" may not exceed an amount equal to 0% of the Regulatory Capital (*Responsabilidad Patrimonial Computable*) for the respective preceding month.

Interest rates have remained steady in recent months as a result of the BCRA's regulation.

Volatility and uncertainty still prevail as of the date of these financial statements.

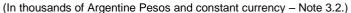
The Group's Management permanently monitors the development of the variables affecting its business to define courses of action and identity potential impacts on its financial position. The Group's financial statements should be read in the light of these circumstances.

#### 2.1 Impact of COVID-19 on the Group's operations

On March 11, 2020, the World Health Organization designated the Coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak as a

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pandemic, due to its fast proliferation across more than 150 countries. Most governments took restrictive measures to contain the spread, including, without limitation, social distancing, confinement, lockdowns and restrictions on circulation, closure of government and private facilities, other than those deemed essential (i.e., health, food, fuel and communication facilities), border closures, and drastic reductions in transportation by air, sea, railroad and land.

As for Argentina, where the Group conducts business, on March 12, 2020, the National Executive Branch issued Decree No. 260/2020, as amended, declaring the country in health emergency in order to cope with the crisis brought about by the COVID-19. Finally, on March 19, 2020, the National Executive Branch issued Decree No. 297/2020, mandating social distancing measures, effective from March 20, 2020 until November 8, 2020, pursuant to successive extensions established by subsequent Decrees published in the Official Gazette. By means of Decree No. 875/2020 dated November 7, 2020, the National Executive Branch established mandatory social distancing measures, subsequently extended until April 9, 2021 for people residing in or moving around urban agglomerations and the districts or provinces, to the extent they comply with all established epidemiological and health criteria therein. Likewise, by means of Decree No. 235/2021, the National Executive Branch established a series of general prevention measures and local and targeted containment measures to mitigate the spread of the virus, which came into force on April 10, 2021 and was extended by subsequent Decrees. In particular, Decree No. 287/21 established intensive and geographically focused prevention measures based on epidemiological and sanitary risk indicators in each area of the country in order to contain the second wave of Covid-19. This measure was extended by Decrees No. 455/2021 and No. 494/2021 until October 1, 2021. On October 1, 2021, Decree No. 678/2021 was published, which establishes new general prevention measures for Covid-19 and regulates the performance of the activities with the highest epidemiological and sanitary risk, which were in force up to and including December 31, 2021 and were extended until December 31, 2022 under Decree No. 867/2021 dated December 24, 2021.

The measures adopted by the National Executive Branch originally led to the slowdown or suspension of most non-essential activities carried out by individuals and, as such, had a significant impact on the local economy, due to the disruption or slowdown of supply chains, coupled with rising economic uncertainty, as evidenced by an increase in volatility of asset prices, exchange rates, and interest rates. Then, due to the epidemiological evolution in different regions of the country, the restrictive measures were progressively eased, allowing to gradually resume economic and personal activities.

In an effort to address the challenges brought about by the pandemic, the BCRA took several measures primarily aimed at facilitating credit access by economic players, including, without limitation:

- Eased calculation of days in arrears and suspension of certain mandatory reclassification provisions for purposes of the financial system's debtors classification and allowance assessment, according to the BCRA's rules and regulations gradually in force until May 31, 2021;
- b) Restrictions on positions held by entities in Bills issued by the BCRA (LELIQ);
- c) Credit facilities to micro, small and medium enterprises (MSMEs) at an annual nominal interest rate of 24% to cover working capital requirements or to pay for wages;

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- d) Automatic extension of the payment term for credit card outstanding balances during September 2020 to be refinanced in 9 installments, at an interest rate of up to 40% and with a 3-month grace period;
- e) Suspended hikes in the installments of mortgage and pledge loans adjustable by UVA subject to Executive Decrees Nos. 319/2020 and 767/2020 until January 2021. In addition, the Argentine Government established an 18-month convergence period commencing in February 2021 until the amount of contractually agreed-upon installments is reached. The difference between the amount of such contractually agreed-upon installments and the amount resulting from the aforementioned suspension will be payable in installments at the end of the contract;
- f) Suspended hikes in fees and commissions (related to savings accounts, credit cards, checking accounts and safety boxes) from February 19, 2020, for a term of 180 days; and hikes from November 5, 2020 with maximum percentages allowed by the BCRA. Such percentages shall be communicated to the BCRA at least 30 days prior to the date scheduled to notify users, and shall only be applied 60 days after users have been duly notified;
- g) Ceiling rates on credit card financing arrangements and floor rates on time deposits;
- h) New credit facilities at a regulated interest rate of 24%, including a special tranche for the acquisition of Argentine-source capital goods, subject to minimum requirements for companies which had no access to bank loans and healthcare providers;
- i) Implementation of corporate loans at regulated interest rates under the Employment and Production Emergency Assistance Program, to be determined on the basis of the year-on-year changes in the company's turnover;
- j) As part of the aforementioned program, extension of zero-interest rate credit facilities (with 15% of the rate to be subsidized by the Argentine Productive Development Fund – FONDEP) in pesos to taxpayers under the simplified tax regime and self-employed workers engaged in cultural activities; and
- k) A new financing line for MSMEs' productive investments that financial institutions will be required to hold from October 16, 2020 to March 31, 2021 (2020 Quota) and from April 1, 2021 to September 30, 2021 (2021 Quota) and from October 1, 2021 to March 31, 2022 (2021-2022 Quota) for the financing of investment projects, working capital and discount of deferred checks and other documents, and other special cases with maximum rates of up to 30%-35%, and maximum terms of up to 24-36 months, depending on the use of the proceeds.
- I) For customers who are employers covered by the Productive Recovery Program II (REPRO II), financial institutions shall include unpaid installments relating to maturities as from May 14, 2021 in the month following the end of the loan term, considering only the accrual of compensatory interest at the contractual rate.

In addition, the distribution of dividends by financial institutions was suspended until December 31, 2021. However, Communication "A" 7427 dated December 23, 2021 provided that, effective from January 1, 2022 up to December 31, 2022, financial institutions will be able to distribute dividends for up to 20% of the amount that would have been otherwise distributed if the applicable regulations in force had been applied. Effective from that date, financial institutions that have secured the BCRA's previous consent will be required to make such distribution in 12 equal, monthly and consecutive instalments.

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The events described in this note affect the Group's operations, as well as the calculation of expected losses under IFRS 9 and the valuation of public sector debt instruments, by reducing financial margins and restricting its ability to charge fees and commissions on certain activities.

As of December 31, 2021, minimum capital and minimum cash surpass the minimum thresholds established by the BCRA, with no deficiencies in these ratios being expected to occur in the following twelve months.

As of the date of these financial statements, and as a consequence of the successive social distancing measures the Argentine Government has required since March 20, 2020 in the wake of the global pandemic unleashed by the COVID-19 described in this note, these financial statements are pending transcription into the Inventory and Financial Statements book.

As of the date of these financial statements, these events have not had a significant impact on the Group's financial position, results of operations and/or cash flows. Management is closely monitoring the situation and taking all possible actions to preserve human life and operations. Management does not expect any future significant impact either, to the extent activity remains, at least, at current levels.

#### 3. ACCOUNTING STANDARDS AND BASIS FOR PREPARATION

Banco Hipotecario S.A. is a financial institution subject to Financial Institutions Law No. 21526 and, as such, is also required to comply with the regulations established by the Argentine Central Bank ("BCRA") in its capacity as Regulator of Financial Institutions. The Bank is also required to comply with the regulations set by the Argentine Securities Commission ("CNV"), in accordance with Law No. 26831.

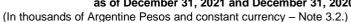
These consolidated financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors at a virtual meeting held on March 2, 2022.

#### 3.1. Basis of presentation of financial statements

These consolidated financial statements have been prepared pursuant to the financial reporting framework established by the BCRA. Under such reporting framework, entities subject to the BCRA's supervision are required to submit financial statements prepared in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB), with the following deviations (the "financial reporting framework set forth by the BCRA"):

the temporary waiver of the application of the impairment model set forth in paragraph 5.5 "Impairment" of IFRS 9 "Financial Instruments" for debt securities issued by the non-financial public sector established in Communication "A" 6847. If the Group had applied the impairment model to these instruments, its

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shareholders' equity as of December 31, 2021 and 2020 would have decreased by 1,516,006 and 526,033, respectively.

- the deferral until January 1, 2023 of the application of the impairment model set forth in paragraph 5.5
   "Impairment" of IFRS 9 "Financial Instruments" for Group "C" financial institutions, that are neither
   branches nor subsidiaries of foreign banks classified as systemically important, as it is the case of BACS,
   according to Communication "A" 7427. Had it not been for the deferral established by the BCRA in such
   communication, the Group's shareholders' equity would have increased by 4,653 and 17,687 as of
   December 31, 2021 and 2020, respectively;
- the measurement of public sector debt securities received in exchange for other securities which, according to Communication "A" 7014, were recognized at the carrying amount of the instruments delivered in replacement, while under IFRS, instruments received should be carried at fair value, with the difference in respect of the carrying amount of the securities delivered being recognized in profit or loss. Had the accounting criteria established by IFRS been applied, the Group's shareholders' equity would have decreased by 491,070 and 656,838 as of December 31, 2021 and 2020, respectively: and
- the valuation of the building "Edificio del Plata" recognized in "Non-current assets held for sale" which, as of December 31, 2021, has been valued in accordance with the accounting treatment established by the BCRA by means of a note issued on July 27, 2021, which note instructed to interrupt the building's periodical revaluations projected as from June 2021 onwards. Had the accounting criteria established by IFRS been applied, the Group's shareholders' equity would have increased by 969,362 as of December 31, 2021.

Furthermore, the BCRA, through Communications "A" 6323 and 6324, set forth guidelines for the preparation and presentation of financial institutions' financial statements, including additional reporting requirements as well as the disclosure of certain information in the form of Schedules.

The Bank's management has concluded that these consolidated financial statements fairly present its financial position, financial performance and cash flows.

In preparing financial statements, the Bank is required to make estimates and assessments affecting the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingencies, as well as the reported amounts of income and expenses during the year. In this sense, estimates are made, for instance, to calculate the allowance for credit risk, the useful life of property, plant & equipment, depreciation and amortization, the recoverable value of assets, the income tax expense, some labor-related costs, and the provisions for contingencies and labor, civil and commercial lawsuits and the fair value of certain financial instruments. Future actual results may differ from the estimates and assessments made as of the date these consolidated financial statements were prepared.

The areas involving a higher degree of judgment or complexity or the areas in which the assumptions and estimates are material for these consolidated financial statements are described in note 4.

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As of the date of these financial statements, they are pending transcription to the Inventory and Balances Book.

#### 3.2. Functional and presentation currency

All of the Group's entities consider the Argentine Peso as functional and presentation currency. All amounts are stated in thousands of pesos, unless otherwise specified.

International Accounting Standard No. 29 "Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies" ("IAS 29") requires that the financial statements of an entity whose functional currency is that of a hyperinflationary economy be stated in terms of the current measurement unit at the end of the reporting period.

The standard sets out a number of factors that should be considered to conclude that an economy is hyperinflationary under IAS 29, including a cumulative inflation rate for three consecutive years close to, or in excess of, 100%. Therefore, pursuant to IAS 29, the Argentine peso is considered a currency of a hyperinflationary economy as from July 1, 2018.

By means of Communication "A" 6778, the BCRA required the adoption of IAS 29 for reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2020. Entities should rely on the following price indexes for such purposes:

- For items subsequent to December 2016: Consumer Price Index (CPI) compiled by the Argentine Institute
  of Statistics and Census ("INDEC"); and
- For items prior to December 2016: The price index released by the Argentine Federation of Professional Councils in Economic Sciences (FACPCE), based on the Wholesale Domestic Price Index (IPIM, for its Spanish acronym) compiled by INDEC.

Under IAS 29, assets and liabilities that are not stated in the measuring unit current at the end of the reporting period should be adjusted by applying the relevant price index. The adjusted value of a non-monetary item is written down if it exceeds its recoverable value.

All items of the statement of income are restated into the measuring unit current at the end of the reporting period. The gain or loss on net monetary position is recognized in the statement of income.

In applying IAS 29 to the consolidated statement of financial position, the Group has relied on the following methodology and criteria:

- Non-monetary assets were restated applying the price index. The restated amounts were written down to their recoverable values, by applying the relevant IFRS, where appropriate.
- Monetary assets were not restated.
- Assets and liabilities contractually related to changes in prices, such as index-linked securities and loans, were measured on the basis of the relevant contract.
- Deferred income tax assets and liabilities were recalculated on the basis of the restated amounts.
- As of January 1, 2019, all shareholders' equity items, other than Unappropriated retained earnings/ losses,
  were restated by applying the relevant price index, as from the date of contribution or origination. In
  subsequent periods, all shareholders' equity items were restated by applying the relevant price index as
  from the beginning of the year or the contribution date, if later.

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In applying IAS 29 to the consolidated statements of income and cash flows, the Group has relied on the following methodology and criteria:

- All items of the consolidated statements of income and cash flows were restated into the measuring unit current at the reporting period-end.
- The gain or loss on net monetary position is recognized in the consolidated statement of income.
- Gains or losses on cash are disclosed in the statement of cash flows separately from cash flows from
  operating, investing, and financing activities, as a reconciling item between cash at the beginning of the
  period and at period-end.

Concerning the previous year's figures and for comparative purposes, the reported information was subject to certain reclassifications to ensure consistency. Changes to comparative information do not imply changes to any decision made in reliance thereof.

Comparative information was restated into the measuring unit current at December 31, 2021.

#### 3.3. Going Concern

As of the date of issuance of these consolidated financial statements, there are no uncertainties with respect to events or conditions that may raise doubts on the possibility that the Group continues to operate normally as a going concern.

#### 3.4. Absorption of Unappropriated retained losses

On March 30, 2021, the Shareholders' Meeting resolved to fully absorb unappropriated retained losses accumulated as of December 31, 2020 against several accounts, including optional reserves, legal reserve, reserve for share-based payments, share premiums, share-based payment premiums, and a portion of the capital adjustment account balance. It should be noted that the aforementioned unappropriated retained losses resulted from the retroactive adoption of the expected credit loss model established by the BCRA's rules, and from the restatement of financial statements for inflation pursuant to IAS 29. The absorption was carried out following the order of precedence established by applicable BCRA's rules.

#### 3.5. Comparative information

The information contained in these consolidated financial statements and in their respective notes as of December 31, 2020, which was prepared in accordance with applicable standards in force in fiscal year 2020, is presented for comparative purposes only with the information as of December 31, 2021.

#### 3.6. IFRS issued but not yet effective

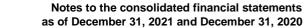
Pursuant to Communication "A" 6114 issued by the BCRA, as the new IFRS are approved, or the current IFRS are modified or repealed and, once such changes are adopted by the Argentine Federation of Professional Councils of Economic Sciences (FACPCE) by means of Notices of Adoption, the BCRA shall issue a statement announcing its

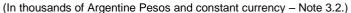
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approval for financial institutions. In general, early adoption of an IFRS shall not be allowed, unless specifically admitted when adopted.

Below is a detail of the new standards, amendments and interpretations published but not yet effective. The Group will adopt these standards, if applicable, once they are effective:

Amendments to IAS 37 "Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets" – Onerous Contracts – Costs of fulfilling a contract: the IASB issued amendments to IAS 37 specifying the costs an entity should include when assessing whether a contract is onerous or loss-making. This amendment applies a "direct cost approach". Direct costs related to a contract for the provision of goods or services include both incremental costs as well as an allocation of costs that directly relate to fulfilling contracts. The impact of these amendments on entities that have previously applied the incremental cost approach relies in that their provisions will be increased to show the inclusion of costs that directly relate to fulfilling contracts, while entities that have previously recognized contract loss provisions using the guidance of IAS 11 "Construction Contracts" (not effective) shall exclude the allocation of indirect costs from their provisions. This standard is effective from January 1, 2022. The Group considers that the adoption of these amendments will not have a significant impact on its financial statements.

Annual improvement cycle (2018-2020): the following is a summary of the amendments arising from this cycle:

- IFRS 1 "First-time Adoption of International Financial Reporting Standards Subsidiary as a first-time adopter: the amendment allows a subsidiary that elects to apply paragraph D16(a) of IFRS 1 to measure cumulative translation differences using the amounts reported by the parent, based on the parent's date of transition to IFRS. This amendment also applies to an associate or joint venture that elects to apply paragraph D16(a) of IFRS 1. This amendment is applicable from January 1, 2022.
- IFRS 9 "Financial Instruments" Fees in the '10 per cent' test for derecognition of financial liabilities: the amendment clarifies the fees that an entity includes when assessing whether the terms of a new or modified financial liability are substantially different from the terms of the original financial liability. These fees include only those paid or received between the borrower and the lender, including fees paid or received by either the borrower or lender on the other's behalf. This amendment is applicable from January 1, 2022.
- IFRS 16 "Leases" Illustrative examples Lease incentives: the amendment removes the example 13 accompanying IFRS 16 on payments from the lessor relating to leasehold improvements. This removes potential confusion regarding the treatment of lease incentives when applying IFRS 16.

The Group considers that the adoption of these amendments will not have a significant impact on its financial statements.

Amendments to IAS 16 "Property, Plant and Equipment" (PPE): proceeds before intended use. The amendment prevents entities from deducting from the cost of an item of PPE, any proceeds from the sale of these items while bringing that asset to the location and condition necessary for it to be capable of operating in the manner intended by management. Instead, an Entity recognizes the proceeds from selling such items, and the costs of producing them in profit or loss. This amendment is applicable from January 1, 2022. The Group considers that the adoption of these amendments will not have a significant impact on its financial statements.

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Amendments to IFRS 3 "Combinations of Business" – Reference to the Conceptual Framework: the amendments are intended to replace a reference to the previous version of the IASB Conceptual Framework with the references to the current version thereof issued in March 2018, without significantly changing its requirements. The amendment requires entities to apply the criteria of IAS 37 or IFRIC 21, instead of the Conceptual Framework in order to determine whether a present obligation exists at the acquisition date. Furthermore, a new paragraph is added in IFRS 3, which clarifies that contingent assets do not qualify for recognition at the acquisition date. This standard is effective from January 1, 2022. The Group considers that the adoption of these amendments will not have a significant impact on its financial statements.

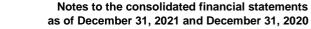
Amendment to IAS 1 "Presentation of Financial Statements" – Classification of liabilities as current or non-current: Such amendment: a) clarifies that the classification of liabilities as current or non-current should be based on rights that are in existence at the end of the reporting period; b) clarifies that classification is unaffected by expectations about whether an entity will exercise its right to defer settlement of a liability; and c) makes clear that settlement refers to the transfer to the counterparty of cash, equity instruments and other assets or services. This standard is effective for fiscal years beginning on or after January 1, 2023. The Group considers that the adoption of this amendment will not have a significant impact on its financial statements

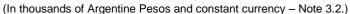
**IFRS 17 "Insurance Contracts":** On May 18, 2017, the IASB published IFRS 17 "Insurance Contracts", which replaced IFRS 4. This standard requires a current measurement model where estimates are remeasured in each reporting period. Contracts are measured using the probability-weighted discounted cash flow components, an explicit risk adjustment and a contractual service margin representing the non-cumulative (accrued) gain on the contract that is recognized in the statement of income during the coverage period. This standard will be effective for fiscal years beginning as from January 1, 2023. The Group is assessing the impact of adopting this new standard.

Amendment to IAS 8 "Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors" – Definition of Accounting Estimates: these amendments clarify the distinction between changes in accounting estimates and changes in accounting policies and correction of errors. They also clarify how an entity uses valuation techniques and inputs to develop accounting estimates. The amendment to this standard clarifies that the effect on an accounting estimate due to a change in an input or a change in a valuation technique are changes in accounting estimates if they do not arise from the correction of a prior period error. This standard is effective from January 1, 2023. The Group considers that the adoption of this amendment will not have a significant impact on its financial statements

Amendment to IAS 1 "Presentation of Financial Statements" and IFRS Practice Statement 2 "Making Materiality Judgments" – Disclosure of Accounting Policies: These amendments require an entity to disclose its material accounting policies rather than its significant accounting policies. In addition, the amendments include explanations on how an entity can identify a material accounting policy along with examples of when an accounting policy may be material. For this purpose, a guide with explanations and examples has been developed called "the four-step materiality process" described in Practice Statement 2. This standard is effective from January 1, 2023.

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The Group considers that the adoption of this amendment will not have a significant impact on its financial statements

Amendment to IAS 1 "Presentation of Financial Statements", IFRS Practice Statement 2 "Making Materiality Judgments" and IAS 8 "Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors": The IASB amended IAS 1, which requires to disclose accounting policy information that is "material" rather than significant accounting policies. The accounting policy information is considered to be material or of relative importance if its omission would affect the understanding of users of financial statements. The Board also amended IFRS Practice Statement 2 on materiality to provide guidance on how to apply the concept of materiality to accounting policy disclosures.

The amendment to IAS 8 helps to distinguish between changes in accounting policies and changes in accounting estimates. This distinction is important since changes in accounting estimates are applied prospectively to future transactions and other events, whilst changes in accounting policies are generally applied retrospectively to past transactions and other events, as well as to the current period.

These amendments are applicable to annual periods beginning as from January 1, 2023 and early adoption is permitted. The amendments are applied prospectively. The Group considers that the adoption of these amendments will not have a significant impact on its financial statements

#### 3.7. Consolidation

Subsidiaries are entities (or investees), including structured entities, over which the Group has control because (i) it has the power to direct the investee's relevant activities substantially affecting its returns, (ii) it has exposure to, or rights in, variable returns by reason of its equity interest in the investee, and (iii) it has the ability to use its power over the investee to affect the amount of the investor's returns. The existence and effect of substantive rights, including potential substantive voting rights, is taken into account when assessing whether the Group has influence on another entity. In order for a right to be substantive, it must be exercisable by its holder when decisions about the direction of the entity's relevant activities need to be made. The Group may have control over an entity, even if it is entitled to less than a majority of voting rights.

In addition, other investors' protective rights, such as those related to substantive changes to the investee's activities or only applicable under exceptional circumstances, do not prevent the Group from having power over an investee. Subsidiaries are consolidated since the date control is transferred to the Group, and are removed from consolidation since the date on which control ceases.

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The following table shows the Group's controlled entities and subsidiaries that are consolidated:

			PERCENTAGE INTEREST				
			12/3	1/2021	12/3	1/2020	
Company	Principal Line of Business	Closing Date	Direct	Direct and Indirect	Direct	Direct and Indirect	
BACS Banco de Crédito y Securitización S.A. (a)	Financial Institution.	Dec-31	62.28%	62.28%	62.28%	62.28%	
BHN Sociedad de Inversión S.A. (b)	Investment in companies engaged in the insurance or any other business.	Dec-31	99.99%	100.00%	99.99%	100.00%	
Financial Trusts CHA Series IX to XIV		Dec-31	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	

All companies are based in Argentina and their local and functional currency is the Argentine Peso.

- (a) As of December 31, 2021 and 2020, BACS consolidates its financial statements with: BACS Administradora de Activos S.A. S.G.F.C.I. and it owns 0.01% of BHN Sociedad de Inversión Sociedad Anónima.
- (b) BHN Sociedad de Inversión Sociedad Anónima owns a 99.99% interest in BHN Vida S.A. and BHN Seguros Generales S.A.

For purposes of the consolidation, the Group relied on the subsidiaries' financial statements for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2021, which encompass the same period of time as the Bank's financial statements. Said financial statements have been adjusted in order for them to reflect identical criteria as those applied by the Bank in preparing its consolidated financial statements. These adjustments and reconciliations were subject to management's monitoring and confirmation mechanisms encompassing all significant items with differing treatment in the applied standards, mainly including deferred tax, lease reporting and actuarial reserves.

Accounts receivable and payable and gains (losses) from inter-company transactions were eliminated from the consolidated financial statements.

A non-controlling interest is a subsidiary's share of net income (loss) and shareholders' equity attributable to interests which are not owned by the Bank, either directly or indirectly. The non-controlling interest is disclosed as a separate item of the Group's shareholders' equity.

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#### 3.8. Transactions with the non-controlling interest

The Group considers transactions with the non-controlling interest as if they were transactions with the Group's shareholders. When acquiring a non-controlling interest, the difference between the price paid and the respective interest in the carrying amount of the subsidiary's net assets acquired is recognized in shareholders' equity. The gains and losses on the disposal of equity interests are also recognized in shareholders' equity, to the extent control is maintained. The non-controlling interest constitutes an item separate from the Group's equity and results.

#### 3.9. Segment reporting

An operating segment is a component of an entity (a) that engages in business activities from which it may earn revenues and incur expenses (including revenues and expenses relating to transactions with other components of the same entity), (b) whose operating results are regularly reviewed by Management to make decisions about resources to be allocated to the segment and assess its performance, and (c) for which confidential financial information is available.

Operating segments are reported consistently with the internal reports submitted to:

- (i) Key management personnel, the utmost authority in charge of making operating decisions and allocating resources and assessing the performance of the operating segments; and
- (ii) The Board of Directors, responsible for making the Group's strategic decisions.

#### 3.10. Foreign currency

Transactions in foreign currency are translated to functional currency at the exchange rates prevailing on the transaction or valuation dates when items are measured at closing. Gains and losses in foreign currency on the settlement of these transactions and on the translation of monetary assets and liabilities to foreign currency at the exchange rates prevailing at closing are recognized in the statement of comprehensive income under "Gold and foreign currency quotation differences," except when deferred in equity as in the case of qualifying cash flow hedges, where applicable.

Balances are valued at the US Dollar reference exchange rate defined by the BCRA at the closing of the last business day of each month.

Foreign currencies other than US Dollars have been converted to US Dollars at the rates reported by the BCRA.

#### 3.11. Cash and bank deposits

The item Cash and bank deposits includes cash available, unrestricted deposits held in banks.

#### 3.12. Financial instruments

#### Initial recognition

The Group recognizes a financial asset or liability in its consolidated financial statements, as the case may be, when it becomes a party to the financial instrument contract.

Purchases and sales of financial instruments with delivery of the assets within the term generally set forth by market regulations and conditions, are recognized on the transaction's trading date on which the Group commits to buy or sell the asset.

These financial assets are initially recognized at fair value, plus incremental transaction costs directly attributable.

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Where the fair value differs from the transaction cost, the Group recognizes the difference as follows:

- When fair value is consistent with the financial asset or liability market value, or is based on a valuation method relying on market values only, the difference between the fair value upon initial recognition and the transaction cost is recognized as profit or loss, as the case may be.
- In other cases, the difference is deferred as a profit or loss only to the extent there is a change in any factor (including time) that the market participants would consider when determining the price of the asset or liability.

#### Financial assets

#### a - Debt instruments

The Group classifies as debt instruments such instruments that are considered financial liabilities for the issuer, including loans, government and corporate securities, bonds, and accounts receivable from customers under non-recourse arrangements.

#### Classification

As set out in IFRS 9, the Group classifies financial assets as subsequently measured at amortized cost, at fair value through other comprehensive income or at fair value through profit or loss, on the basis of:

- a) the Group's business model to manage financial assets; and
- b) the characteristics of contractual cash flows of the financial asset.

#### Business model

The business model is the manner in which the Group manages a set of financial assets to achieve a specific business goal. It represents the manner in which the Group maintains instruments for cash generation.

The Group may follow several business models, whose objective is:

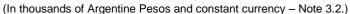
- Holding instruments until maturity in order to obtain contractual cash flows;
- Holding instruments in portfolio to collect contractual cash flows and, in turn, sell them if deemed convenient; or
- Holding instruments for trading.

The Group's business model does not depend on management's intended purposes for an individual instrument. Accordingly, this condition is not a classification approach of instruments on an individual basis. Instead, such classification is determined at a higher level of aggregation.

The Group only reclassifies an instrument if and when the business model for managing financial assets has changed.

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#### Characteristics of cash flows

The Group assesses whether the return on cash flows from the aggregated instruments does not substantially differ from the contribution it would receive as principal and interest; otherwise, such instruments should be measured at fair value through profit or loss.

Based on the aforementioned, financial assets are classified into three categories:

i) Financial assets measured at amortized cost:

Financial assets are measured at amortized cost when:

- (a) the financial asset is held within a business model whose objective is to maintain financial assets to collect contractual cash flows; and
- (b) the contractual conditions of the financial asset give rise, on certain specified dates, to cash flows which are only principal and interest payments on the outstanding principal.

These financial instruments are initially recognized at fair value plus the incremental and directly attributable transaction costs, and are subsequently measured at amortized cost.

The amortized cost of a financial asset is equal to its acquisition cost, net of accumulated amortization plus accrued interest (calculated applying the effective rate method), net of impairment losses, if any.

ii) Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income:

Financial assets are measured at fair value through other comprehensive income when:

- (a) the financial asset is held within a business model whose objective is achieved by both collecting contractual cash flows and selling financial assets; and
- (b) the contractual conditions of the financial asset give rise, on certain specified dates, to cash flows which are only principal and interest payments on the outstanding principal.

These financial instruments are initially recognized at fair value plus the incremental and directly attributable transaction costs, and are subsequently measured at fair value through other comprehensive income. Impairment losses or reversals, interest income, and exchange gains and losses are charged to income. The rest of the changes in fair value are included in other comprehensive income under a separate equity item. Upon the sale or disposal of the instrument, the accumulated gains or losses previously recognized in other comprehensive income are reclassified from equity to the income statement.

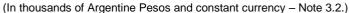
iii) Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss:

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss include:

- Instruments held for trading;
- Instruments specifically designated at fair value through profit or loss; and

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 Instruments whose contractual terms do not represent cash flows but rather principal or interest payments only on outstanding principal.

These financial instruments are initially recognized at fair value and any subsequent change in the fair value is recognized in the statement of income.

The Group classifies a financial instrument as held for trading if such instrument is acquired for the main purpose of selling or repurchasing it in the short term, or if it is part of a portfolio of financial instruments which are managed jointly and for which there is evidence of short-term profits.

In addition, financial assets may be designated at fair value through profit or loss when, in doing so, the Group eliminates or substantially reduces a measurement or recognition inconsistency.

#### **b** - Equity instruments

Equity instruments are those agreements that evidence a residual interest in the assets of an entity after deducting all its liabilities.

Such instruments are measured at fair value through profit or loss, except where management has availed, at the time of their initial recognition, of the irrevocable option to measure them at fair value through other comprehensive income. This method may only be applied when instruments are not held for trading and changes in the fair value are recognized in Other Comprehensive Income (OCI), with no reclassification being allowed after results. Dividends receivable from such instrument will be charged to income only at the time the Group becomes entitled to receive payment.

<u>Financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss</u>: The Group may, upon initial recognition, avail of the irrevocable option to designate an asset at fair value through profit or loss, if and only if exercising such option results in improved financial reporting because:

- the Group eliminates or substantially reduces measurement or recognition inconsistencies which would otherwise be revealed in valuation;
- if financial assets and liabilities are managed and performance is assessed on a fair value basis, according to a documented investment or risk management strategy; or
- if a host contract contains one or more embedded derivatives.

#### Derecognition of financial assets

The Group derecognizes a financial asset only if any of the following conditions is met:

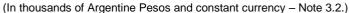
- Upon termination of the Group's interests in the cash flows generated by the financial asset: or
- 2. Upon the transfer of the financial asset pursuant to the requirements in Section 3.2.4 of IFRS 9.

The Group derecognizes financial assets that had been transferred only if the following conditions are met:

- 1. When the Group has transferred its contractual rights to collect future cash flows;
- 2. When the Group retains the contractual rights to collect cash flows, but assumes a repurchase obligation

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upon satisfaction of the following three requirements:

- a. The Group is not required to pay any amount without receiving cash flows from the transfer of the asset: and
- b. The Group is not allowed to sell the financial asset; and
- c. The Group is required to submit the cash flows it has committed to.

#### **Financial liabilities**

#### Classification

The Group classifies its financial liabilities, other than derivative financial instruments, guarantees issued and loan commitments as measured at amortized cost:

- Derivative financial instruments are measured at fair value through profit or loss;

Financial guarantees are contracts pursuant to which the Group is required to make specified payments to reimburse the holder for a loss incurred by reason of a specified debtor's failure to honor its payment obligations in accordance with the contractual terms of a debt instrument.

The liability arising from financial guarantees issued is initially recognized at fair value. Such liability is subsequently measured at the higher of the amortized amount and the present value of any expected payment to settle the liability when such payment is deemed probable.

#### Derecognition of financial liabilities

The Group derecognizes financial liabilities upon settlement; that is, when the financial liability has been canceled or paid off, or the contract has expired.

#### 3.13. Derivative instruments

Derivative instruments are carried at fair value.

All derivative instruments are accounted for as assets when fair value is positive and as liabilities when fair value is negative, relative to the agreed-upon price. Changes in the fair value of derivative instruments are charged to income for the year.

The Group does not use hedge accounting.

#### 3.14. Repo transactions

#### Repos

According to the derecognition criteria set out in IFRS 9, repos qualify as secured financing arrangements since the risk has not been transferred to the counterparty.

Financing arrangements granted in the form of repos are booked under "Repo Transactions", and are classified by counterparty into financial borrowers, BCRA and non-financial borrowers, considering the asset received as collateral. As of the end of each month, accrued interest receivable is charged to "Repo Transactions" with its related contra-account in "Interest Income."

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The underlying assets received in exchange for repos are booked under Off-Balance Sheet Accounts. These accounts reflect, at each month-end, the notional amount of current transactions measured at fair value and translated into its equivalent in Argentine Pesos, where applicable. The assets received which have been sold by the entity are not deducted, but rather derecognized at the end of the repo transaction, with an in-kind liability being accounted for to reflect the obligation of delivering the security sold.

#### Reverse Repos

Financing arrangements received in the form of reverse repos are booked under "Repo Transactions", and are classified by counterparty into financial creditors, BCRA and non-financial creditors, considering the asset delivered as collateral.

In these transactions, when the recipient of the underlying asset becomes entitled to sell it or pledge it as collateral, the asset involved is reclassified to "Financial assets pledged as collateral". At the end of each month, these assets are measured according to the category in which they were classified before the repo transaction, with the resulting gains or losses being recognized in the applicable accounts, according to the type of asset involved.

As of the end of each month, accrued interest payable is charged to "Repo Transactions" with its related contraaccount in "Interest Expense."

#### 3.15. Impairment losses on loans and advances

The Group assesses expected credit losses (ECL) on the basis of a forward-looking approach to the credit risk associated with financial assets measured at amortized cost, debt instruments measured at fair value through other comprehensive income, receivables from lease arrangements, and commitments and pledged collateral not measured at fair value, except for non-financial public sector's debt instruments which were temporarily waived from the scope of IFRS 9.

By means of Communication "A" 7427, the BCRA postponed the adoption of paragraph 5.5 of IFRS 9 until January 1, 2023 for Group "C" financial institutions, that are neither branches nor subsidiaries of foreign banks classified as systemically important, as it is the case of the subsidiary BACS Banco de Crédito y Securitización S.A. Therefore, BACS' allowances for loan losses are calculated in accordance with the Central Bank's "Minimum allowances for loan losses" guidelines set forth in Section VIII of the Liquidity and Solvency (LISOL) standards, as detailed below:

Entities are required to apply the following guidelines on minimum allowances for loan losses in respect of total debts owing by their customers:

	Consumer portfolio or consumer comparable commercial portfolio		Without Preferred Guarantees
Normal situation	Normal situation	1%	1%
Under observation	Low risk	3%	5%
Under negotiation or refinancing agreements	N/A	6%	12%
Troubled	Mid risk	12%	25%
High risk of Insolvency	High risk	25%	50%

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Uncollectible			Uncollectible	50%	100%
Uncollectible	for	technical	Uncollectible for technical reasons	100%	100%
reasons					

The aforementioned categories of borrowers are broken down as follows:

- Commercial portfolio: It encompasses all kinds of financing arrangements, other than consumer and mortgage loans and consumer comparable commercial loans.
- Consumer comparable commercial portfolio: It encompasses loans for up to the equivalent of the reference value set out in Section 3.7 of the standard
- Consumer portfolio: It includes all loans excluded from the preceding item.

On the other hand, the status assigned to each borrower within the commercial portfolio is determined, in first place, by reference to the borrower's repayment capacity and, in second place, on the basis of the liquidation of its assets, while the status assigned to borrowers within the consumer and consumer comparable portfolio is assigned on the basis of days in arrears.

Among other specific provisions, BACS has availed of the option granted by the Argentine Central Bank of discontinuing the accrual of interest on customers with over 90 days' arrears, in lieu of writing them off.

#### **Expected Credit Losses**

The Group takes a forward-looking approach in assessing the expected credit losses ("ECL") associated with financial assets measured at amortized cost or at fair value through other comprehensive income, and the exposure from loan commitments and financial guarantee contracts, within the scope set out under Communication "A" 6847, as amended, handed down by the BCRA.

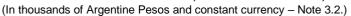
The Group measures the ECLs from a financial instrument in a manner that reflects:

- (a) an unbiased probability-weighed amount which is determined by assessing a range of possible outcomes:
- (b) the time value of money; and
- (c) reasonable and supportable information that is available without undue cost or effort on the reporting date, about past events, current conditions and forecasts of future economic conditions.

IFRS 9 describes a "three-stage" model for impairment based on changes in credit quality since initial recognition, as summarized below:

- The Group will classify a financial instrument in "Stage 1" if, at the reporting date, such instrument has not experienced a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition.
- Stage 2 includes financial instruments that have had a significant increase in credit risk ("SICR") since initial recognition, but that do not have objective evidence of impairment.
- If there is objective evidence of impairment (default), the financial instrument is moved to "Stage 3."
- For financial instruments in "Stage 1", the Group will measure ECLs at an amount equal to the portion of expected credit losses resulting from default events that are possible within the following 12 months. For financial instruments in "Stage 2" and "Stage 3," the Group measures the ECLs resulting from default

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events during the asset lifetime.

- A common approach in ECL measurement under IFRS 9 is the use of forward-looking information.
- Purchased or originated credit-impaired (POCI) financial assets are financial assets which are credit impaired at initial recognition. ECLs from these financial instruments are always measured during the asset lifetime ("Stage 3).
- Financial assets in "Stage 1" and "Stage 2" accrue interest at the effective interest rate on their gross book amount. Financial assets in "Stage 3" accrue interest at the effective interest rate adjusted for credit quality as from the time such assets are moved to that stage.

The following chart summarizes impairment criteria under IFRS 9 (for financial assets other than purchased or originated credit-impaired financial assets):

# Stage 1 Stage 2 Stage 3 (initial recognition) Stage 2 Stage 3 (significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition) ECLs for the 12 months after the reporting date ECLs during the financial instrument lifetime

Below is a description of the key judgments and assumptions the Group has relied for ECL measurement purposes:

### Significant increase in credit risk

In determining whether a financial instrument has experienced a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition, the Group performs several analysis for retail and corporate banking customers (commercial portfolio or consumer comparable commercial portfolio).

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The analysis also relies on several criteria, depending on the product at issue. For instance, for the most representative products within the retail portfolio—consumer loans and credit cards—a substantial increase in credit risk is deemed to exist if debtor meets one or both of the following conditions:

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- Contractual payments are over 30 days past due, based on the rebuttable presumption of the standard, which has been verified on the basis of the historical behavior of the Group's portfolio through the analysis of the evolution of transactions that have reached this stage, leading to default situations,
- the product expected loss has increased significantly relative to initial recognition, which increase surpasses the thresholds previously defined over the relevant default probabilities.

In order to define such thresholds, a statistical estimate methodology has been implemented on the basis of historical information of the behavior of the Group's retail loans. This methodology is based on a quantitative analysis of the historical variation of the probability of default (PD) of loans with respect to the moment of origination, identifying those combinations of absolute and relative thresholds per product and segment representing a significant increase of the risk, even without considering days past due at the time of observation. Such thresholds have been set in line with the current PD model and the risk segmentation previously defined for these products.

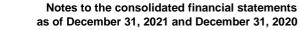
PD Threshold for initial recognition	Minimum increase in PD as of the reporting date that is considered significant
<b>Product Credit Cards</b>	
<= 0.19%	161 bps
> 0.19% and < 0.6%	510 bps
> 0.6% and < 1.79%	1530 bps
> 1.79% and < 5.23%	4467 bps
> 5.23% and < 5.43%	4638 bps
<b>Product Consumer Loa</b>	ans
<= 3%	1161 bps
> 3% and < 6%	2323 bps
> 6% and < 9%	3484 bps
> 9% and < 12%	4646 bps
> 12% and < 15%	5807 bps
Product Mortgage Loai	ns
<= 1%	1150 bps
> 1% and < 3%	3450 bps
> 3% and < 5%	5750 bps
> 5% and < 7%	8050 bps
> 7% and < 8%	9200 bps

As regards the commercial portfolio, a significant increase in credit risk is deemed to exist if debtor's contractual payments are over 30 days past due, based on the rebuttable presumption of the standard, which has been verified

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on the basis of the historical behavior of the Group's portfolio through the analysis of the evolution of transactions that have reached this stage, leading to default situations.

In line with the requirements of IFRS 9, in applying those thresholds, the risk of default on the transaction at the reporting date is compared against such risk at the date of initial recognition, and both absolute and relative thresholds should be surpassed simultaneously.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, generally, for the retail and wholesale portfolios, the Group considers that a financial instrument has experienced a significant increase in credit risk when contractual payments are over 30 days past due.

#### Individual and collective assessment basis

ECLs are estimated on an individual as well on a collective basis. In estimating ECLs on an individual basis, the Group seeks to calculate expected losses for significant impaired risks or risks classified in Stage 2. In these cases, credit losses are calculated as the difference between expected future cash flows discounted at the effective interest rate of the transaction and the book value of the instrument.

In estimating ECLs of the retail portfolio, instruments are classified into groups of assets based on their inherent risk characteristics. Exposures within each group are segmented on the basis of similar credit risk characteristics, which are indicative of debtor's payment ability, according to applicable contractual conditions. Credit risk characteristics may encompass the following factors, among others:

- Type of transaction,
- · Customer's credit scoring (rating),
- · Time in arrears.
- Segment based on financial asset aging and/or purchase or origination modality.

The Group's Decision Management team periodically monitors and reviews that financial instruments are adequately pooled.

In estimating ECLs for the commercial portfolio, each transaction is assessed on an individual basis.

The portfolio is segmented in two categories—SMEs Portfolio and Corporate Portfolio. In turn, each segment has its own Probability of Default ("PD") and Loss Given Default ("LGD") parameters, which are calculated on a collective basis.

Each customer level is assigned a PD based on that customer's Credit Rating and segment. On the other hand, the LGD parameter is related to the transaction based on the segment and collateral quality.

The correct segmentation of the commercial portfolio financial instruments is monitored and reviewed periodically by the Wholesale Banking Credit Risk team.

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#### Definition of default and impaired credit

For financial instruments within the retail portfolio, the Group considers default has occurred when contractual payments are over 90 days past due, except for mortgage loan products, in which case default is deemed to have occurred when contractual payments are over 180 days overdue.

In addition, if a Refinancing is originated on debt associated with Default products, it receives POCI treatment and is assigned to Stage 3, with PD=100% during its entire lifetime, regardless of whether it was in arrears or not.

Below is a description of the grounds on which the Bank rebuts the presumption of default after 90 days' arrears set out under IFRS 9 for mortgage loans.

Mortgage loans have an associated arrears dynamics which differs from other financial instruments. This is noticeable by means of a transition analysis between tranches of arrears related to the Group's mortgage loan transactions. The following is a transition matrix specific to this product:

Año	#Obs.	Atraso t / Atraso t+1	0	1-30	31-60	61-90	91-120	121-150	151-180	+ de 180	Mejoran	Empeoran
	1,478,381	0	93.92%	6.05%	0.02%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	93.92%	6.08%
	184,823	1-30	41.32%	47.02%	11.63%	0.03%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	88.33%	11.67%
_	26,962	31-60	20.40%	32.42%	20.01%	27.08%	0.09%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	72.83%	27.17%
rica	8,101	61-90	12.87%	15.65%	15.58%	13.43%	42.32%	0.12%	0.00%	0.02%	57.54%	42.46%
isté	3,775	91-120	7.42%	7.79%	6.68%	9.09%	9.88%	59.02%	0.11%	0.03%	40.85%	59.15%
_	2,150	121-150	6.93%	5.16%	3.58%	4.05%	6.33%	6.33%	67.30%	0.33%	32.37%	67.63%
	955	151-180	4.92%	3.46%	2.51%	1.57%	5.03%	5.97%	5.76%	70.79%	29.21%	70.79%
	259,419	+ de 180	0.05%	0.01%	0.00%	0.00%	0.01%	0.01%	0.01%	99.91%	0.09%	99.91%

### Average transition matrix for Mortgage Loans

Despite the fact that, as from the time a loan enters the +90 days' arrears tranche, the worsening probability seems more likely than the improvement probability, it is only upon the +180 days' arrears tranche that the worsening probability becomes substantially more significant than the improvement probability.

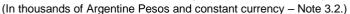
For financial instruments within the commercial portfolio, the Group considers a default has occurred when one or more of the following conditions are met:

- Financial instruments over 90 days past due under their respective contractual terms;
- Escalation of collection proceedings to the Collections department (commencement of recovery efforts); and
- Default on payment (for debt securities within the investment portfolio).

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The aforementioned criteria are consistently applied to all financial instruments and are in line with the definition of default used by the Group for credit risk management purposes. Besides, such definition is consistently applied for PD, Exposure at Default ("EAD") and LGD modelling purposes.

### Measurement of expected credit losses (ECL) - Inputs, assumptions and calculation methods explained

ECLs are measured over a 12-month period or during the instrument lifetime, depending on whether a significant increase in credit risk has occurred since initial recognition or if an asset is deemed credit impaired. ECLs are the discounted product of the PD, EAD and LGD, defined as follows:

- PD represents the probability of a debtor's defaulting on a financial liability (as per the foregoing "Definition of default and credit impairment"), whether over the following 12 months or the financial asset remaining life ("Lifetime PD").
- EAD is based on the amounts the Group expects to be overdue at the time of the default, during the subsequent 12 months, or otherwise during the financial asset remaining life ("Lifetime EAD"). For instance, for revolving commitments, the Group includes the current drawn down balance, plus any additional amount expected to be drawn down, up to the current contractual limit at the time of default, if finally occurring.
- LGD represents the Group's expected loss on any given exposure at default. LGD will vary depending on the type of counterparty, nature and aging of the claim, and also depending on the availability of collateral or other form of credit enhancement. LGD is stated as a percentage of loss per EAD unit, and is calculated over a 12-month base period or throughout the instrument lifetime, where the 12-month LGD is the percentage of loss expected to be incurred, if default occurs within the next 12 months, while lifetime LGD is the percentage of loss expected to be incurred if default occurs during the financial instrument lifetime.

ECLs are determined by forecasting the PD, LGD and EAD for each future month, and for each individual exposure or collective segment. These three components are multiplied and adjusted for the survival probability (i.e., no early payment or no default has occurred on the exposure in a previous month). This formula results in an ECL for each future month, which is then discounted at the reporting date and aggregated. The discount rate used in the ECL calculation is the original effective interest rate or other similar rate.

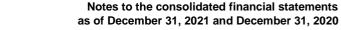
Lifetime PD is developed by applying a maturity profile to the current 12-month PD. The maturity profile analyzes how defaults occur within a portfolio since initial recognition and throughout the lifetime of the borrowings. The maturity profile is based on observed historical data and is supposed to be the same across all assets within a portfolio and within a credit rating band.

12-month EAD and Lifetime EAD are determined on the basis of the expected payment profile, which varies according to the type of product:

- For non-revolving products, EAD is based on contractual payments owing by borrower during a 12-month period or throughout Lifetime.
- For revolving products, EAD is calculated considering the drawn down balance (used up limit) and adding a "credit conversion factor" to calculate the extent to which borrower's outstanding debt will increase upon default.

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12-month LGD and Lifetime LGD are determined on the basis of factors affecting post-default recoveries, with product type and the current days in arrears band remaining constant. LGD is influenced by the entity's collection strategy, including sales and indebtedness cost.

Under the model used for the Commercial Portfolio, the recovery rate is defined on the basis of the collateral/instrument associated with the transaction. In determining the coverage ratio associated with each collateral, recovery ratio schedules have been developed on the basis of collateral quality.

If a customer identified as a "relevant exposure" under the Risk Management Policy is moved to stages 2 or 3, LGD could be calculated individually, relying on information available to the Group at the time of the analysis, which allows to estimate expected recovery on such exposure.

The Group includes forward-looking economic information in the calculation of 12-month PD and Lifetime PD.

# Forward-looking information considered in expected credit loss models

The Group's ECL model incorporates macroeconomic forward-looking information in determining the default probabilities. To that effect, the Group carried out certain historical regression analyses and identified the key economic variables affecting credit risk and expected credit losses for each portfolio segment, including:

- GDP
- Inflation
- BADLAR
- Monetary policy rate
- US-dollar exchange rate

These economic variables and their associated impact on PD vary, according to the segment in question. On a monthly basis, the Group's Strategic and Commercial Planning team makes available forecasts of these economic variables ("baseline economic scenario"), which depict the best estimate of how the economy will look like over the next years. The impact of these variables on default probabilities has been determined based on econometric regression models calibrated with the Group's own information. Models are reviewed and recalibrated, at least, on a monthly basis, or more frequently if performance ceases to be in line with the portfolio behavior. The process encompasses identifying observable quantitative variables the absolute, relative or modified extent of which could explain customers' credit behavior; calibrating as many regression models as potential combinations of variables exist and, finally, selecting the model with best predictive power, subject to the fulfillment of minimum statistical requirements ensuring robustness, as well as the economic sense of the stated ratios.

Apart from the afore-mentioned baseline economic scenario, the Group's Strategic and Commercial Planning team also develops other potential scenarios, together with their respective probabilities of occurrence. The number of scenarios used and their attributes are established on an annual based on an analysis of the main products to ensure that the linearity effect between the future economic scenario and its associated ECLs is captured. Scenario

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weightings are determined by a combination of statistical analyses and expert judgment, taking into account the range of possible outcomes best represented by each selected scenario. Like in any other economic forecast, projections and probabilities of occurrence are subject to a high degree of intrinsic uncertainty. As such, actual results may substantially differ from these forecasts.

As of December 31, 2021, ECLs recognized in the financial statements reflected the effects of 3 potential scenarios, duly capturing nonlinearities. The Group considers that these forecasts represent its best estimate of possible outcomes, and has assessed non-lineal and asymmetric impacts within the Group's several portfolios to determine that the chosen scenarios are representative of the range of potential scenarios. Below is a detail of the macroeconomic variables of the scenarios used and their weightings:

Variable	Scenario	∆ <b>2021</b>	∆ <b>2022</b>	
	Baseline	2.00%	2.00%	
GDP <sup>1</sup>	Best case	3.02%	3.02%	
	Worst case	-1.06 %	-1.06 %	
	Baseline	50.81 %	43.69 %	
Inflation <sup>2</sup>	Best case	41.93 %	36.18 %	
	Worst case	60.21 %	51.57 %	
	Baseline	14.29 %	-10.26 %	
BADLAR <sup>3</sup>	Best case	3.62 %	-13.43 %	
	Worst case	37.79 %	1.13 %	
Monetary policy rate <sup>4</sup>	Baseline	13.16%	-9.30 %	
	Best case	6.97 %	-12.51 %	
	Worst case	35.16 %	2.20 %	
	Baseline	53.75 %	42.77 %	
Exchange rate <sup>5</sup>	Best case	45.54 %	38.40 %	
	Worst case	61.95 %	46.69 %	

YoY variation - Based on historical data and forecasts

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<sup>1</sup> YoY variation GDP methodology

<sup>2</sup> CPI Indec General Level National Total 3 Badlar Private banks Monthly Series BCRA

<sup>4</sup> Monetary policy rate: LELIQ rate (average in n.a.) 5 Comm. A3500 TCNPM



	Baseline	Best case	Worst case
Weighting	60%	20%	20%

#### Sensitivity analysis

Below is a detail of the changes in ECLs as of December 31, 2021, that would result in reasonably likely changes in the parameters:

ECL by Scenario	Total Portfolio
Favorable impact	7,393,104
Intermediate impact	7,424,060
Significant impact	7,493,408

Coverage ratio	Total Portfolio
Favorable impact	90.6 %
Intermediate impact	91.0 %
Significant impact	91.9 %

#### Changes to financial assets

Sometimes the Group makes changes to the contractual terms of loans granted to customers due to commercial renegotiations, or for distressed loans, with a view to maximizing recovery.

Such restructuring activities include extended payment term arrangements, grace periods and payment forgiveness. Restructuring policies and practices are based on indicators or criteria which, in management's judgment, indicate that payment will most likely continue. These policies are constantly monitored.

The risk of default of such assets after the change is assessed at the reporting date and compared to the risk under the original terms upon initial recognition. When the change is material, it results in the derecognition of the original asset and in the recognition of a new asset as a "refinanced" asset. The Group monitors the subsequent performance of refinanced assets separately from other assets.

# 3.16. Financial Assets and Liabilities Offsetting

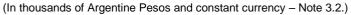
Financial assets and liabilities are offset by reporting the net amount in the consolidated statement of financial position only to the extent the entity currently has a legally enforceable right of set-off, and intends to settle on a net basis, or realize the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

## 3.17. Leases

At the beginning of the contract, the Group assesses if the contract is, or contains a lease. A contract is or contains a lease if it grants the right to control the use of an identified asset during a period in exchange for a consideration.

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### The Group acting as lessee

At the initial measurement, the Group will recognize an asset for the right of use and lease liabilities. The asset for the right of use is measured at cost, and includes the following items:

- The amount of the initial measurement of lease liabilities;
- lease payments made before or as of the commencement date, minus lease incentives received;
- initial direct costs; and
- estimated restoration costs.

At the beginning of the contract, liabilities are measured at current value of lease payments not paid as of that date. Lease payments shall be discounted using the interest rate implied in the lease, if that rate can be easily determined. If this rate cannot be easily determined, the Group's incremental rate for loans shall be used. Lease payments included in the measurement of liabilities include:

- fixed payments (including payments that are fixed in essence), minus any lease incentive receivables;
- variable lease payments which depend on an index or rate;
- amounts the lessee expects to pay as residual value guarantees;
- the price to exercise a purchase option if the lessee is reasonably sure that the option will be exercised; and
- penalty payments for termination of the lease, if the term of the lease reflects that the lessee will exercise an option to terminate the lease.

Afterwards, the Group measures its assets for the right of use at its restated cost (note 3.2), less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment (if any). Depreciations are calculated on a straight line basis, during the term of the useful life and the full term of the lease, whichever is less. Lease liabilities are recorded at amortized cost.

Payments related to short term leases and leases of low-value assets are charged on a straight line basis as counterparty expenses through profit or loss. Short term leases include contracts for 12 months or less.

#### The Group acting as lessor

When the Group acts as lessor, it determines whether the contract is a finance or an operating lease at the beginning.

To classify each lease, the Group assesses whether the lease transfers substantially all of the risks and rewards incidental to the ownership of the underlying asset. If so, the lease is classified as a finance lease. Otherwise, it is classified as an operating lease. As part of the assessment, the Group considers certain indicators such as whether the lease term spans for most of the asset useful life. The Group applies the derecognition and impairment requirements set out under IFRS 9 to the net investment in the lease.

The Group recognizes the payments received under an operating lease in the consolidated income statement under the line "Other operating income" on a straight line basis.

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# 3.18. Property, plant and equipment

These assets are measured at restated cost, following the guidelines of note 3.2., net of accumulated depreciation and/or accumulated impairment losses, if any. The cost includes expenses directly attributable to the acquisition or construction of these items.

Subsequent costs are included in the value of the asset or are recognized as a separate asset, as the case may be, if and only if future economic benefits are expected to flow to the Group and its cost can be measured reasonably. The carrying amount of the asset being replaced is derecognized, and the new asset is depreciated over its remaining useful life at the time of the improvement.

Repair and maintenance expenses are recognized in the consolidated statement of income for the year in which such expenses were incurred.

Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis, using annual rates sufficient to extinguish the value of the assets at the end of their estimated useful life. Land and works in progress are not depreciated.

Below is a detail of the useful life of each of the items under Property, Plant and Equipment:

Item	Useful life (in years)
- Real property	50
- Furniture and fixtures	10
Machinery and equipment	Machinery: 5
- Machinery and equipment	Equipment: 3
- Vehicles	5
- Miscellaneous assets	5

Property, plant and equipment residual values, useful lives and depreciation methods are reviewed and adjusted, as needed, as of each year-end or when indicators of impairment exist.

The carrying amount of property, plant and equipment is immediately reduced to its recoverable value when the carrying amount exceeds the estimated recoverable value.

Gains and losses from the disposal of items of property, plant and equipment are calculated by comparing the proceeds from the disposal to the carrying amount of the respective asset and are recognized in the consolidated statement of income.

# 3.19. Investment property

Investment property is made up of real estate (including land or buildings, or part of a building, or both) held by the Group to derive income, for capital appreciation purposes, or both, rather than for use in the production of

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goods and services or for administrative purposes.

They are accounted for at fair value, and changes in fair value are recognized in other operating income or expenses, as applicable. Investment properties are not depreciated. Fair value is based on appraisals carried out by renowned and experienced independent experts in the area and category of the investment properties.

#### 3.20. Intangible assets

### (a) Licenses

Licenses are measured at its restated cost (Note 3.2.), net of accumulated depreciation and/or accumulated impairment losses, if any. Depreciation is calculated on the basis of the straight-line method during the term of the license, which does not exceed 5 years.

#### (b) Software

Development, acquisition and deployment costs, unique and identifiable and directly attributable to the design and testing of software controlled by the Group, are recognized as assets and are measured at its restated cost (Note 3.2), net of accumulated depreciation, and they are calculated on a straight-line basis during the estimated useful life, within a term not to exceed five years.

Costs related to the maintenance of software are recognized as expense when they are incurred.

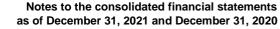
#### 3.21. Non-current assets held for sale

Non-current assets, or groups of non-current assets (assets with a useful life exceeding one year), classified as held for sale in accordance with the provisions in IFRS 5 "Non-current assets held for sale and discontinued operations" are presented separately from other assets. Non-current assets are classified as held for sale if the book value will be mainly recovered through a sale transaction, rather than continued use, within one year of classification as held for sale and if they met the following conditions:

- available for immediate sale in the current conditions;
- 2) management is committed to a plan to sell and has a program in place to find a buyer and complete the plan;
- 3) the asset is being actively marketed for sale at a sales price reasonable in relation to its current fair value;
- 4) the sale is highly probable, within 12 months of classification as held for sale;
- 5) actions required to complete the plan indicate that it is unlikely that plan will be significantly changed or withdrawn

Non-current assets or disposal groups that are classified as held for sale are measured at the lower of carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell at year-end. The assets in this classification are not depreciated as long as they are classified as held for sale, or so long as they are part of a group of assets for disposal classified as held for sale. However, both interest and other expenses attributable to selling expenses of a group of assets already classified as held for sale will continue to be recognized.

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When an item of property, plant and equipment is classified as "non-current assets held for sale", depreciation ceases.

In the particular case of Edificio del Plata, see note 11.4.

#### 3.22. Impairment of non-financial assets

Non-financial assets with indefinite useful life are not amortized, but are rather tested for impairment on an annual basis or when there is any indication of impairment, whichever occurs first. while those with a defined useful life, are tested for impairment when events or circumstances occur indicating that their carrying amounts may not be recoverable.

For purposes of the impairment test, assets are grouped at the lowest level for which identifiable cash flows are generated (cash-generating units or CGU). If the carrying amount of an asset (or CGU) is higher than its recoverable value, the carrying amount of the asset (or CGU) is written down to its recoverable value and the difference is charged to income. Goodwill impairment may not be reserved. For other assets, an impairment loss is reversed only to the extent the carrying amount of the assets does not exceed the value they would otherwise have had if the impairment had not been recognized.

#### 3.23. Trust assets

Assets held by the Group in its capacity as trustee are not reported in the consolidated statement of financial position. Commissions and fees earned on trust activities are disclosed in the caption Fee and commission income.

### 3.24. Loans from the Argentine Central Bank and other financial institutions

The amounts owing to other financial institutions are recorded at the time the bank at issue disburses the proceeds to the business group and are measured at amortized cost. Where the Group buys back its own debt, such debt is derecognized from its consolidated financial statements and the difference between the residual value of the financial liability and the amount paid will be recognized as financial income or expense, as the case may be.

# 3.25. Provisions and Contingencies

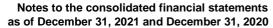
The group recognizes a provision when:

- a- an entity has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event;
- b- it is probable (i.e., there is a probability of occurrence higher than 50%) that the Group suffers an outflow of resources embodying future economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation; and
- c- a reliable estimate can be made of the obligation amount.

The Group is deemed to have a constructive obligation where the entity has assumed certain responsibilities as a consequence of past practices or public policies, and as a result, the entity has created valid expectations in third parties that it will discharge those responsibilities.

The Group recognizes the following provisions:

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For labor, civil and commercial lawsuits: These provisions are calculated on the basis of attorneys' reports about the status of the proceedings and the estimate about the potential losses the Group may sustain, as well as on the basis of past experience in proceedings of these kinds.

For miscellaneous risks: These provisions are set up to address contingencies that may trigger obligations for the Group. In estimating the provision amounts, the Group evaluates the likelihood of realization taking into consideration the opinion of its legal and professional advisors.

Contingencies (the probability of occurrence of which is lower than 50%) are not recognized.

# 3.26. Other non-financial liabilities

Miscellaneous accounts payable are accrued when the counterparty has discharged its contractual obligations and are measured at amortized cost.

Liabilities for the customer loyalty program are measured at estimated reasonable value, considering an expected redemption rate determined on the basis of statistics, considering historical information available.

#### 3.27. Negotiable obligations issued

The negotiable obligations issued by the Group are measured at amortized cost. Where the Group buys back its own negotiable obligations, such negotiable obligations are derecognized from its consolidated financial statements and the difference between the residual value of the financial liability and the amount paid will be recognized in the statement of income, as income from early debt repayment.

#### 3.28. Capital stock and capital adjustments

Shareholders' equity accounts have been restated following the guidelines detailed in note 3.2., except for the caption "Capital stock", which is carried at face value. The restatement adjustment is included in "Equity adjustments".

Common shares are classified in shareholders' equity and accounted for at their fair value.

#### 3.29. Reserves

According to the regulations set forth by the Argentine Central Bank, 20% of net income for the fiscal year, net of previous years' adjustments, if any, is required to be appropriated to the legal reserve. However, for the distribution of profits, entities shall comply with the provisions set forth by the BCRA in the amended and restated version of the regulation on the distribution of profits of Financial Institutions as detailed in Note 28.7 "Restrictions on the distribution of profits".

#### 3.30. Distribution of dividends

The distribution of dividends to the Group's shareholders and its subsidiaries is recognized as a liability in the consolidated financial statements for the fiscal year in which dividends are approved by the Group's Shareholders' Meeting, to the extent the Argentine Central Bank's consent is not required for such distribution.

# 3.31. Revenue recognition

Financial income and expense is recognized in respect of all debt instruments in accordance with the effective rate method, pursuant to which all gains and losses which are an integral part of the transaction effective rate are deferred.

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Gains or losses included in the effective rate embrace disbursements or receipts relating to the origination or acquisition of a financial asset or liability, such as payments received for the analysis of the customer's financial position, negotiation of the instrument terms, preparation and processing of the documents required to consummate the transaction, and payments received for the extension of credit facilities expected to be used by the customer.

Fees and commissions earned by the Group on the origination of syndicated loans are not part of the product effective rate, and are recognized in the Statement of Income at the time the service is delivered, to the extent the Group does not retain a portion of the same, or such effective rate is maintained under the same conditions as the other participants. Commissions and fees earned by the Group on negotiations in third parties' transactions are not part of the effective rate either, and are recognized at the time the transactions are executed.

The Bank has a customer loyalty program in place under which customers earn points on their credit and debit card purchases which may be subsequently redeemed for products. The Bank recognizes the expense associated with its customer loyalty program as a decrease in commission income, for it considers it as a component of such income. The customer loyalty program obligation is measured at fair value at each reporting period end and is recognized under the caption "Other non-financial liabilities."

The Bank estimates the fair value of the points awarded to customers using statistical techniques. The data used for models include assumptions regarding exchange percentages, the combination of products that would be available for exchange in the future and customer preferences.

#### 3.32. Capitalization of financial costs

Financial costs directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or long-term production of an asset are part of the cost of such asset. Pursuant to IAS 23, financial costs include foreign exchange differences from foreign currency loans as long as they are deemed financial costs adjustments. The other financial costs are charged to profit or loss for the year in which they are accrued, based on the effective rate method.

The Group first capitalizes such financial costs which, being attributable to qualified assets, would not had been incurred if such qualified assets had not existed. Financial costs are capitalized at the time the following conditions are fulfilled:

- a- The Group incurs in expenses for the qualified asset;
- b- The Group incurs in financial costs; and
- c- The activities required for the asset to be suitable for use or sale, as applicable, are carried out.

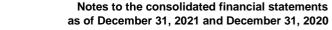
To allocate financial costs to qualified assets, but not specifically financed, the procedure shall be as follows:

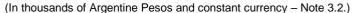
- a- debts specifically allocated to financed assets and financial costs already allocated shall be excluded from the total of debts;
- b- a monthly average rate of the financial costs for the debts in the preceding paragraph shall be calculated;
- c- the monthly average amounts for the assets in production, construction, installation or completion, excluding those receiving financial costs for specific financing shall be assessed; and
- d- the capitalization rate stated in paragraph b shall be applied to the accounting measurements of the assets referred to in paragraph c.

# 3.33. Employee benefits

Short-term employee benefits are charged to income when the employee delivers the related service. A provision is recognized if the Group has a legal or implied obligation to do so, as a result of past services provided by the employee, to pay an amount that can be reliably estimated.

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Obligations related to contributions to defined contribution plans are charged to income as the employee provides the related service and are charged to Social security charges.

Employment termination benefits are recognized when the Group can no longer withdraw the offer related to such benefits.

#### 3.34. Income tax and minimum notional income tax

#### Income tax

The income tax expense for the year includes current and deferred tax. Income tax is recognized in the consolidated statement of income, except for items required to be recognized directly in other comprehensive income or directly in equity.

The current income tax expense is calculated on the basis of the tax laws enacted as of the balance sheet date in Argentina. The Group periodically assesses the position assumed in tax returns in connection with circumstances in which the tax laws are subject to interpretation.

Deferred income tax recognizes the tax effect of temporary differences arising from the carrying amount of assets and liabilities and their tax base. Deferred tax is determined using tax rates (and laws) enacted as of the balance sheet date and that are expected to be applicable when the deferred tax assets are realized or the deferred tax liabilities are settled.

Deferred tax liabilities are recognized for the tax effect of all taxable temporary differences.

A deferred tax asset is recognized for the tax effect of deductible temporary differences and unrestricted tax loss carryforwards to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which they can be utilized.

The Group recognizes deferred tax liabilities for taxable temporary differences related to investments in subsidiaries and affiliates, except if the following two conditions are met:

- (i) the Group controls when temporary differences will be reversed;
- (ii) there is a probability that said temporary differences will not be reversed at any foreseeable time in the future.

The balances of deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when a legal right exists to offset current tax assets against current tax liabilities and to the extent such balances are related to the same tax authority of the Group or its subsidiaries, where tax balances are intended to be, and may be, settled on a net basis.

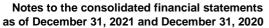
## Minimum notional income tax

Until and including fiscal year ended December 31, 2018, the Group determined the minimum notional income tax at the effective rate of 1% on taxable assets at each fiscal year-end. For entities governed by the Financial Institutions Law, the Minimum Notional Income Tax Law set forth that they should consider 20% of their taxable assets as taxable base, after deducting non-taxable assets. This tax was supplementary to income tax. The Group's tax liability was equal to the higher of both taxes. However, if the minimum notional income tax exceed income tax in a given fiscal year, such excess could be creditable against the income tax liability that could be generated in

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any of the following ten fiscal years. According to section 76 of Law No. 27,260, the minimum notional income tax law was repealed for fiscal years beginning on or after January 1, 2019.

The minimum notional income tax credit disclosed under the caption "Current Income Tax Assets" is the portion the Group expects to offset against the income tax in excess of minimum notional income tax to be generated in the following fiscal years.

#### 3.35. Assets and liabilities from insurance contracts

The valuation and registration of the Group's assets and liabilities related to insurance contracts is carried out pursuant to the criteria set forth in IFRS 4 "Insurance contracts".

#### Insurance contracts

An insurance contract is a contract under which the Group (the insurer) has accepted insurance risk from another party (the policyholder) by agreeing to compensate the policyholder if a specified uncertain future event (the insured event) adversely affects the policyholder. Once the contract has been classified as an insurance contract, it shall be considered an insurance contract for the remainder of its term, even if the insurance risk is significantly reduced during that period, unless all rights and obligations terminate or expire. Insurance contracts offered by the Group include property insurance providing coverage for fire, combined family insurance, theft and similar risks, property damage, personal accidents, life insurance, among other risks. The total of premiums is recognized as income during the term of the contract, which is also the period of coverage and risk. The carrying value of insurance accounts receivable are tested for impairment, provided the events of circumstances indicate that the carrying value may not be recovered. Impairment losses are recorded in the income statement.

#### Reinsurers and coinsurers

The Group mitigates the risk for some of its insurance businesses through active and passive coinsurance or reinsurance in other companies. In the case of coinsurance, the company partners with another company to cover a risk assuming only a percentage of that risk and, therefore, only a percentage of the premium. In passive reinsurance, the risk is transferred to another insurance company on a pro rata basis (as a percentage of the risk) as non-proportional (covers the excess loss over a certain limit). The assigned reinsurance contracts do not release the Group from its responsibilities to the policy holders, therefore, upon the occurrence of a loss, liabilities are recognized with the insured and assets are recognized with the reinsurer.

# Debt to policy holders

Reserves for insurance claims represent debts to policy holders for claims reported to the insurance company and an estimate of the claims already incurred but not reported to the company to date (IBNR). Reported claims are adjusted based on technical reports received from independent appraisers.

# Debts with producers

They account for liabilities with substitute agents originating in commissions for insurance operations they originate for the Group's companies. Balances of current accounts with those entities are also included.

# Technical commitments

Technical reserves include reserves for future benefits based on their life and accident insurance policies. Reserves for unearned premiums of the aforementioned property insurances are also included.

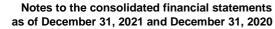
The Group performs an insurance liability adequacy test at the end of the reporting period for recognized insurance,

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using current estimates of future cash flows from its insurance contracts. If the test shows that the carrying amount of its insurance contracts liabilities (minus acquisition costs does not apply, considering estimated future cash flows, the total amount of the deficiency will be recognized in profit and loss. The Group performs on an annual basis the adequacy liability test required under IFRS 4.

### 3.36. Earnings per share

Basic earnings per share are calculated as income (loss) for the year attributable to the Group's ordinary shareholders, divided by average common shares outstanding during the current year.

Diluted earnings per share are calculated by adjusting both income (loss) for the year attributable to shareholders and average common shares outstanding for the effects of the potential conversion into equity instruments of all convertible securities held by the Group at year-end.

During the fiscal years ended December 31, 2021 and 2020, the Group did not maintain dilutive financial instruments; accordingly, basic earnings per share and diluted earnings per share are the same.

### 4. AREAS OF HIGHER PROFESSIONAL JUDGMENT AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES

In preparing these financial statements, Management applies its professional judgment and makes estimates that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported balances of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The underlying estimates and assumptions are continuously under review. The effect of the review of accounting estimates is recognized prospectively.

# 4.1. Judgments

Information about judgments made in applying accounting policies that have the most significant impact on the amounts recognized in the consolidated financial statements includes impairment of financial assets. The measurement of expected credit losses requires the use of complex models and significant assumptions about future economic conditions and credit behavior of a customer or group of customers. See note 6.3.

#### 4.2. Assumptions and estimates on uncertainties

The following notes contain information about assumptions and estimates on uncertainties at a significant risk of resulting in a material adjustment to these consolidated financial statements:

- Note 6 Financial instruments, concerning the fair value measurement of Level 2 and 3 financial assets.
- Note 7 Impairment of financial assets, concerning the measurement of expected credit losses.
- Notes 11.3 and 11.4 Investment property and Non-current assets held for sale, concerning the measurement of their respective fair values.
- Note 12 Income tax, concerning the availability of future taxable profit against which deferred tax assets could be used
- Note 14 Provisions, particularly concerning the calculation of the provision for lawsuits.

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#### 4.3. Fair value measurement

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date.

When available, the Group measures the fair value of a financial instrument using the quoted price in an active market. A market is considered active if transactions take place with sufficient frequency and in sufficient volumes to provide pricing information on an ongoing basis.

If there is no quoted price in an active market, then the Group uses valuation techniques maximizing the use of relevant market inputs and minimizing the use of unobservable inputs. The election of a valuation technique encompasses all factors market participants would take into consideration for the purposes of setting the transaction price.

Fair values are categorized into different levels in the fair value hierarchy based on the inputs used in the measurement techniques, as follows:

- Level 1: quoted prices in active markets (unadjusted) for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2: valuation models using observable market data as significant inputs.
- Level 3: valuation models using unobservable market data as significant inputs.

### 5. STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

The table below shows a breakdown of items comprising cash:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Cash	4,955,950	4,912,373
Financial institutions and correspondents	13,155,419	15,348,204
Total Cash	18,111,369	20,260,577

Below is the reconciliation of financing activities as of December 31, 2021 and 2020:

	Balance as	Cash flows		Other non-	Balance as
	12/31/2020	Collections	Payments	cash changes	of 12/31/2021
Negotiable obligations issued	29,413,488	1,210,000	(7,508,377)	(2,782,151)	20,332,960
Loans from the BCRA and other					
financial institutions	127,670	4,893,400	(5,499,906)	765,752	286,916
Total	29,541,158	6,103,400	(13,008,283)	(2,016,399)	20,619,876

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	Balance as	Cash flows		Other non-	Balance as
	of 12/31/2019	Collections	Payments	cash changes	of 12/31/2020
Negotiable obligations issued	59,666,569	7,733,949	(41,008,342)	3,021,312	29,413,488
Loans from the BCRA and other					
financial institutions	312,182	37,660,962	(37,666,620)	(178,854)	127,670
Total	59.978.751	45.394.911	(78.674.962)	2.842.458	29.541.158

#### 6. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

#### 6.1. Repo transactions

Pursuant to the derecognition guidelines set forth under IFRS 9, these transactions are regarded as secured financing arrangements and, therefore, are accounted for as follows:

### Repo transactions

Financing granted in the form of repos are carried in assets under the line "Repo transactions," plus accrued interest receivable. The underlying assets received as part of a repo transaction are booked in off-balance sheet accounts. These accounts reflect the notional value of current transactions measured at fair value, at each month-end.

#### Reverse repo transactions

Financing received in the form of reverse repos are carried in liabilities under the line "Repo transactions," plus accrued interest payable. As part of these transactions, when the recipient of the underlying asset becomes entitled to sell it or pledge it, the asset will be reclassified into "Financial assets pledged as collateral." At each month-end, these assets are measured according to the category they were classified into before the repo transaction, and the resulting gain or loss will be carried in the applicable accounts, based on the type of asset.

The items "Repo transactions" carried in assets or liabilities show the originally agreed-upon amounts plus accrued premiums from repos and reverse repos, respectively. The notional values of securities tied to repo transactions are as follows:

Assets	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Repo transactions (a)	215,107,114	41,698,429
Reverse repo transactions (b)	31,863	-

- (a) Recognized in Off-balance sheet accounts.
- (b) Recognized under "Financial assets pledged as collateral". See note 28.2.

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#### 6.2. Fair value of financial instruments

# Fair value of financial instruments measured at fair value

The fair value hierarchy of assets and liabilities measured at fair value ("FV") as of December 31, 2021 and 2020 is detailed below:

Instrument portfolio as of 12/31/2021	Balance	Level 1 FV	Level 2 FV	Level 3 FV
Assets	30,115,316	5,411,170	24,704,146	-
Debt securities at fair value through profit or loss	27,565,985	3,204,762	24,361,223	-
Derivatives	290,208	ı	290,208	-
Other financial assets	1,762,332	1,762,332	-	-
Investments in equity instruments	496,791	444,076	52,715	-
Liabilities	(614,405)	(597,075)	(17,330)	-
Liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	(597,075)	(597,075)	-	-
Derivatives	(17,330)	-	(17,330)	-

Instrument portfolio as of 12/31/2020	Balance	Level 1 FV	Level 2 FV	Level 3 FV
Assets	48,774,283	37,268,457	11,505,826	-
Debt securities at fair value through profit or loss	46,337,359	34,915,265	11,422,094	-
Derivatives	11,856	1	11,856	-
Other financial assets	1,631,715	1,616,630	15,085	-
Financial assets pledged as collateral	396,975	396,975	-	-
Investments in equity instruments	396,378	339,587	56,791	-
Liabilities	(80,368)	(80,301)	(67)	-
Liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	(80,301)	(80,301)	-	-
Derivatives	(67)	-	(67)	-

The Group monitors the availability of market information in order to evaluate the classification of financial instruments at the different fair value levels, as well as the resulting determination of inter-level transfers at each reporting period end.

As of December 31, 2021 and 2020, the Group has not recorded any inter-level transfers.

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### Fair value of financial instruments not measured at fair value

Below is a detail of the difference between the carrying amount and the fair value of the main assets and liabilities carried at amortized cost.

Instrument portfolio as of 12/31/2021	Balance	Total FV	Level 1 FV	Level 2 FV	Level 3 FV
Assets					
Cash and bank deposits	18,111,369	(*)	-	-	-
Repo transactions	193,209,922	(*)	-	-	-
Other financial assets	2,856,119	(*)	-	-	-
Loans and other financing arrangements	52,411,120	51,440,638		51,440,638	-
Other debt securities	28,954,132	27,933,482	1,052,789	26,880,693	-
Financial assets pledged as collateral	4,749,917	5,483,853	5,483,853	-	-
Liabilities					
Deposits	(289,291,646)	(288,171,602)		(288,171,602)	
Repo transactions	(28,471)	(*)	-	-	
Other financial liabilities	(9,998,970)	(10,351,868)	-	(10,351,868)	
Financing received from BCRA	(286,916)	(*)	-	-	
Negotiable obligations issued	(20,332,960)	(19,022,425)	-	(19,022,425)	-

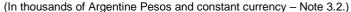
<sup>(\*)</sup> It is considered that the fair value of instruments is similar to their book value.

Instrument portfolio as of 12/31/2020	Balance	Total FV	Level 1 FV	Level 2 FV	Level 3 FV
Assets					
Cash and bank deposits	20,260,577	(*)	-	-	-
Repo transactions	37,570,797	(*)	-	-	-
Other financial assets	2,171,693	(*)	-	-	-
Loans and other financing arrangements	65,569,868	64,386,946	-	64,386,946	-
Other debt securities	8,397,514	6,116,307	3,597,799	2,518,508	-
Financial assets pledged as collateral	2,028,022	(*)	-	-	-
Liabilities					
Deposits	(134,083,245)	(131,096,815)	-	(131,096,815)	-
Other financial liabilities	(10,524,704)	(10,229,119)	-	(10,229,119)	•
Financing received from BCRA	(127,670)	(*)	-	-	-
Negotiable obligations issued	(29,413,488)	(28,490,777)	-	(28,490,777)	-

<sup>(\*)</sup> It is considered that the fair value of instruments is similar to their book value.

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# Notes to the consolidated financial statements as of December 31, 2021 and December 31, 2020





#### **Valuation Techniques**

The techniques used by the Entity to measure the fair value of financial instruments subject to IFRS 13 maximize the use of observable and available information at the measurement date, in order to obtain the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date, regardless of whether that price is directly observable or was estimated using a different valuation technique.

When measuring the fair value of a specific asset or liability, an entity takes into account the specific characteristics of the asset or liability being measured that a market participant would take into account when pricing the asset or liability at issuance date, including:

- The conditions and location of the asset or liability
- The principal (or most advantageous) market for the asset or liability
- Any restrictions on the sale and use of the asset or liability

Fair value is not be adjusted for transaction costs, for such costs are not an intrinsic characteristic of the asset or liability, but are rather specific to each transaction and the means by which it was completed.

The techniques used to measure the fair value of the securities recognized in the financial statements as of December 31, 2021 are summarized below:

- Valuation at the market price for identical assets or liabilities observable at the measurement date, or up to 5 previous rounds in a representative market.
- Valuation at the market price of an asset or liability with similar characteristics, observable at the measurement date, or up to 5 previous rounds in a representative market.
- Valuation as per model based on the current value of the asset or liability projected cash flows based on contractual conditions, by reference to implied interest rates or yield curves of assets and liabilities with similar characteristics, observable at the measurement date, or up to 5 previous rounds in a representative market.

Based on the valuation model inputs, fair values will be classified into the following levels:

- Level 1: Fair values estimated on the basis of quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets that the entity can access at the measurement date, considering that such prices provide the most reliable evidence of fair value. Even if the market's normal daily trading volume is not sufficient to absorb the quantity held and placing orders to sell the position in a single transaction might affect the quoted price.
- Level 2: Fair values estimated on the basis of inputs other than the quoted market prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly. Level 2 inputs may include:
  - Quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in markets that are or are not active.
  - Inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability, for example:
    - Observable interest rates and yield curves
    - Implied volatilities
    - Credit spreads

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Market-corroborated inputs

The models currently used by the Group are oriented to place reliance on the yield curves of benchmark instruments grouped by currency and issuer's quality, which are used to discount the cash flows from the securities that require Level 2 fair value measurement.

As of December 31, 2021, the Entity has built 2 yield curves: one for peso-denominated sovereign securities and another one for CER-linked sovereign securities (real rate curve). The securities taken as a benchmark proved to have frequent quoted prices in recent months, leading to conclude that they reasonably reflect market participants' expectations.

In addition, the Entity has relied on the monetary policy rate to measure Argentine Central Bank bills without a benchmark quoted price at the measurement date, and an average rate for privately issued U.S. dollar-denominated securities to measure privately issued dollar-linked assets.

• Level 3: Fair values measured on the basis of unobservable inputs in active and representative markets.

#### 6.3. Allowance for expected credit losses

Below is a detail of the changes in the allowances for loan losses during the reporting period:

	12/31/2021
Balance at beginning of period	8,615,542
Loan loss BHSA (*)	2,648,530
Loan loss BACS (**)	19,679
Reversed allowances (Note 20)	(131,841)
Write-offs	(999,810)
Loss on net monetary position	(2,907,679)
Other variations	290,345
Balance at period-end (Schedule R)	7,534,766

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# Maximum exposure to credit risk

Below is a detail of the credit risk exposure of financial instruments in respect of which the Group has recognized expected credit loss allowances. The gross book value of the financial assets included in the table represents the maximum credit risk exposure associated with such assets.

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<sup>(\*\*)</sup> BACS' loan loss is calculated in accordance with the Central Bank's "Minimum allowances for loan losses" guidelines set forth in Section VIII of the Liquidity and Solvency (LISOL) standards, as described in note 3.15.



			12/31/2021		
Consumer Portfolio – Total active	Stage 1 12 months	Stage 2 Lifetime	Stage 3 Lifetime	Purchased or originated impaired credits	Total
Days in arrears					
Mortgage loans					10,185,140
0	9,165,907	131,495	-	-	9,297,402
1 - 30	532,616	17,539	-	-	550,155
31 - 90	-	115,135	-	-	115,135
91 +	-	63,253	-	-	63,253
Default	•	-	159,195	-	159,195
Consumer loans					4,481,792
0	2,844,290	2,121	-	597,547	3,443,958
1 – 30	239,868	195,137	-	125,479	560,484
31 – 90	-	102,354	-	61,364	163,718
Default	-	-	313,632	-	313,632
Credit cards					21,138,962
0	20,290,332	142,318	-	-	20,432,650
1 – 30	183,237	191,640	-	-	374,877
31 – 90	-	96,990	-	-	96,990
Default	-	-	234,445	-	234,445
Other					30,555,478
0	30,159,440	368,001	250	-	30,527,691
1 – 30	3,694	1,432	-	-	5,126
31 – 90	-	14,529	-	-	14,529
Default	-	101	8,031	-	8,132
Total financial instruments	63,419,384	1,442,045	715,553	784,390	66,361,372
Allowance for loan losses	(536,422)	(259,308)	(524,290)	(190,607)	(1,510,627)
Financial instruments, net	62,882,962	1,182,737	191,263	593,783	64,850,745

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Corporate Portfolio (*) – Total active	Stage 1 12 months	Stage 2 Lifetime	Stage 3 Lifetime	Purchased or originated impaired credits	Total
Days in arrears					
0	41,453,934	-	215,066	-	41,669,000
1 - 30	37,339	-	9	-	37,348
31 - 90	-	34,511	-	-	34,511
91 +	24	-	6,795,126	-	6,795,150
Total financial instruments	41,491,297	34,511	7,010,201	-	48,536,009
Allowance for loan losses	(116,766)	(17,233)	(5,819,544)	-	(5,953,543)
Financial instruments, net	41,374,531	17,278	1,190,657	-	42,582,466

<sup>(\*)</sup> It includes overdraft facilities, promissory notes, mortgage loans, pledge loans, finance leases and other.

			12/31/202	1	
SMEs Portfolio- Total active	Stage 1 12 months	Stage 2 Lifetime	Stage 3 Lifetime	Purchased or originated impaired credits	Total
Days in arrears					
0	7,831,690	350	14,663	-	7,846,703
1 – 30	241,383	-	1,627	-	243,010
31 – 90	-	3,005	68	-	3,073
91 +	-	-	48,500	-	48,500
Total financial instruments	8,073,073	3,355	64,858	-	8,141,286
Allowance for loan losses	(28,549)	(4)	(42,043)	-	(70,596)
Financial instruments, net	8,044,524	3,351	22,815	-	8,070,690

#### Collateral and other credit enhancements

Collateral is an instrument by which a borrower (a Group's customer) or a third party agrees to make a payment, upon default of an assumed obligation. The Group accepts collateral as further assurance of payment when a customer applies for a loan or is granted a product that requires a high credit rating, which the customer does not have.

According to the compiled text of the BCRA's guidelines on "Collateral", the Group's collateral is classified into the following categories:

- Preferred "A" (self-liquidating);
- Preferred "B" (mortgages and pledges);
- Other collateral (sureties and guarantees).

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The Group has a dedicated collateral management area, tasked with reviewing legal compliance and the appropriate delivery of collateral, including wording, signatures and powers, as well as collateral registration in internal systems. The main assets admitted by the Group as collateral include real estate, vehicles, sureties, guarantees, liquid funds, stand-by letters of credit, and reciprocal guarantee companies. Depending on the type of collateral, guarantors may be individuals or legal entities (for mortgages, pledges, sureties, guarantees and liquid funds) and top-tier international financial institutions (for stand-by letters of credit).

The Group monitors collateral related to financial assets deemed credit-impaired, since foreclosure of such collateral is more probable to mitigate potential credit losses.

Below is a detail of the book value and fair value of the Group's collateral as of December 31, 2021:

Impaired credit Gross Allowance for loan exposure losses		Impaired credit		Collateral fair value
Overdraft facilities	6,878	5,824	1,054	-
Promissory notes	938	750	188	-
Mortgage loans	290,059	143,522	146,537	927,820
Consumer loans	1,100,446	436,044	664,402	· -
Credit cards	234,693	143,686	91,007	-
Finance leases	177	18	159	38
Call to companies	4,440,377	4,421,421	18,956	-
Prefinancing of exports	1,264,355	1,264,355	· <u>-</u>	-
Others	1,237,079	160,865	1,076,214	4,274,763
Total impaired credit	8,575,002	6,576,485	1,998,517	5,202,621

#### Allowance for credit risk

The allowance for credit risk recognized for the period is affected by several factors, which may be classified into two major groups:

Changes in exposure within each Stage:

- Due to the origination of new financial instruments, as well as financial instruments derecognized during
  the year (credit repayment and checking account and card attrition), resulting in the recognition of
  increases or decreases in the allowance during the year;
- Exposure adjustments due to an increase in UVA or in the peso-dollar exchange rate;
- Impacts due to the time elapsed as a consequence of present value adjustments;
- Transfers to and from Stages due to changes in the perceived credit risk of the instruments and the ensuing "increase" (or "decrease") in 12-month and Lifetime expected credit losses ("ECL").

Changes in the calculation methodology and parameters during the year, resulting from the periodical adjustment of inputs and maintenance of models:

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- Impacts on ECL measurement due to changes in models and assumptions
- Changes in ECLs attributable to the adjustment to the model main parameters:
  - Probability of Default ("PD")
  - Loss given default ("LGD")
  - Exposure at default ("EAD" / Credit conversion factor ("CCF")
- Adjustments to the macroeconomic projections used in forward-looking models

The following table shows a summary of the changes observed in the allowances for loan losses under the IFRS approach from December 31, 2019 to December 31, 2020, disaggregating changes in two major groups, namely, recognitions or account balance movements, and changes in the model parameters and/or assumptions.

	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Purchased		
Consumer Portfolio	12-month ECLs	Lifetime ECLs	Lifetime ECLs	or originated impaired credits	Total	
Allowance for credit risk as of December 31, 2019	1,323,458	595,241	1,919,067	26,399	3,864,165	
Recognition of financial instruments or account balance movements	(150,320)	(313,690)	(1,098,384	21,754	(1,540,640)	
Changes in PD/LGD/CF or in the model assumptions	205,081	280,210	(28,520)	214,970	671,741	
Allowance for credit risk as of December 31, 2020	1,378,219	561,761	792,163	263,123	2,995,266	

	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Purchased	
Corporate Portfolio	12-month ECLs	Lifetime ECLs	Lifetime ECLs	or originated impaired credits	Total
Allowance for credit risk as of December 31, 2019	147,355	184	3,223,419	-	3,370,958
Recognition of financial instruments or account balance movements *	89,793	(184)	1,324,290	-	1,413,899
Changes in PD/LGD/CF or in the model assumptions	(10,214)	=	733,431	-	723,217
Allowance for credit risk as of December 31, 2020	226,934	-	5,281,140	-	5,508,074

<sup>\*</sup>It includes exchange differences related to foreign-currency denominated loans.

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SMEs Portfolio	Stage 1 12-month ECL	Stage 2  Lifetime  ECL	Stage 3 Lifetime ECL	Purchased or originated impaired credits	Total
Allowance for credit risk as of December 31, 2019	27,011	3	212,518	-	239,532
Recognition of financial instruments or account balance movements *	53,148	289	(30,914)	-	22,523
Changes in PD/LGD/CF or in the model assumptions	(27,117)	334	(123,070)	-	(149,853)
Allowance for credit risk as of December 31, 2020	53,042	626	58,534	-	112,202

<sup>\*</sup>It includes exchange differences related to foreign-currency denominated loans.

The following table shows the changes observed in allowances for loan losses under IFRS approach between December 31, 2021 and 2020.

	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Purchased	
Consumer Portfolio	12-month ECLs	Lifetime ECLs	Lifetime ECLs	or originated impaired credits	Total
Allowance for credit risk as of 12/31/2020	913,081	372,171	524,814	174,321	1,984,387
Inflation adjustment	465,138	189,590	267,349	88,802	1,010,879
New originated or purchased financial instruments					
during the year	107,210	25,529	29,686	21,370	183,795
Changes in PDs/LGDs/EADs	(730,247)	(254,297)	(147,940)	(88,572)	(1,221,056)
Changes in the model assumptions and					
methodology	-	-	-	-	
Foreign currency difference and other changes	16,272	2,226	4,181	27,337	50,016
Inter-stage transfers					
From Stage 1 to Stage 2	-	166,248	-	-	166,248
From Stage 1 to Stage 3	-	-	265,277	-	265,277
From Stage 2 to Stage 1	(55,023)	-	-	-	(55,023)
From Stage 3 to Stage 1	(412)	-	-	-	(412)
From Stage 2 to Stage 3	-	-	126,870	-	126,870
From Stage 3 to Stage 2	-	(544)	-	-	(544)
Net charge to income for the year	(197,062)	128,752	545,423	48,937	526,050
Derecognitions	(179,598)	(241,615)	(545,947)	(32,650)	(999,810)
Allowance for credit risk as of 12/31/2021	536,421	259,308	524,290	190,608	1,510,627

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	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Purchased	
Corporate Portfolio	12-month ECLs	Lifetime ECLs	Lifetime ECLs	or originated impaired credits	Total
Allowance for credit risk as of 12/31/2020	150,346	-	3,498,796	-	3,649,142
Inflation adjustment	76,588	-	1,782,344	-	1,858,932
New originated or purchased financial					31,862
instruments during the year	26,336	-	5,526	-	31,002
Changes in PDs/LGDs/EADs	(152,251)	17,235	(290,689)	-	(425,705)
Changes in the model assumptions and					14,102
methodology	14,102	-	-	-	14,102
Foreign currency difference and other					825,223
changes	1,656	-	823,567	-	023,223
Inter-stage transfers					
From Stage 1 to Stage 2	-	-	-	-	-
From Stage 1 to Stage 3	-	-	-	-	-
From Stage 2 to Stage 1	-	-	-	-	-
From Stage 3 to Stage 1	(11)	-	-	-	(11)
From Stage 2 to Stage 3	-	-	-	-	-
From Stage 3 to Stage 2	_	(2)	-	-	(2)
Net charge to income for the year	(33,580)	17,233	2,320,748	-	2,304,401
Derecognitions	-	-	_	-	-
Allowance for credit risk as of 12/31/2021	116,766	17,233	5,819,544	-	5,953,543

	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Purchased	
SMEs Portfolio	12-month ECLs	Lifetime ECLs ECLs		or originated impaired credits	Total
Allowance for credit risk as of 12/31/2020	35,141	415	38,779	-	74,335
Inflation adjustment	17,901	211	19,755	-	37,867
New originated or purchased financial					
instruments during the year	26,373	2	7,178	-	33,553
Changes in PDs/LGDs/EADs	(56,270)	(581)	(28,447)	-	(85,298)
Changes in the model assumptions and					
methodology	5,753	1	-	-	5,754
Foreign currency difference and other					
changes	13	-	3,079	-	3,092

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Allowance for credit risk as of 12/31/2021	28,549	4	42,043	-	70,596
Derecognitions	-	-	-	-	-
Net charge to income for the year	(6,592)	(411)	3,264	-	(3,739)
From Stage 3 to Stage 2	-	(33)	-	-	(33)
From Stage 2 to Stage 3	-	-	102	-	102
From Stage 3 to Stage 1	-	(11)	-	-	(11)
From Stage 2 to Stage 1	(361)	-	-	-	(361)
From Stage 1 to Stage 3	-	-	1,597	-	1,597
From Stage 1 to Stage 2	(1)	-	-	-	(1)
Inter-stage transfers					

# Write-off policy

The Group writes off financial assets, in whole or in part, when it has exhausted all practical recovery efforts and has concluded there is no reasonable expectation of recovery. Indicators that there is no reasonable expectation of recovery include (i) ceasing enforcement activity, and (ii) where the Group's recovery method is foreclosing on collateral and the value of the collateral is such that there is no reasonable expectation of recovery in full.

The Group may write off financial assets which are still subject to enforcement activity. The outstanding contractual amounts of such assets written off during the fiscal period ended December 31, 2021 were equivalent to ARS 999,810. The Group still seeks to recover amounts legally owed to it in full, but which have been partially written off since there is no reasonable expectation of full recovery.

	12/31/2021	
Balance at beginning of period	8,703,621	
Additions due to write-offs for the year	999,810	
Deletions due to recoveries	(644,557)	
Deletions due to accounting recognition	(93,410)	
Monetary restatement and other changes	(2,718,757)	
Balance at period-end	6,246,707	

### 7.LOANS AND OTHER FINANCING ARRANGEMENTS

Since January 1, 2020, the Group has adopted the guidelines on impairment of financial assets set forth in paragraph 5.5 of IFRS 9, except for non-financial public sector debt instruments, which have been temporarily excluded from the scope of IFRS 9. In addition, the BCRA, through Communication "A" 7427, resolved to postpone the application of paragraph 5.5 of IFRS 9 until January 1, 2023 for Group "C" Financial Institutions, that are neither branches nor subsidiaries of foreign banks classified as systemically important, as it is the case of the subsidiary BACS Banco de Crédito y Securitización S.A.; therefore, BACS' allowances for loan losses are determined in accordance with the accounting framework set forth by the BCRA.

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Consumer loans fully accounted for in accordance with the regulatory framework set forth by the BCRA are derecognized from the Group's assets within 30 days.

The following table shows a breakdown of balances of Loans and other financing arrangements:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
To the non-financial public sector	4	47
Other financial institutions	481,532	460,957
Other loans to local financial institutions	481,564	458,034
Accrued interest, adjustments and exchange differences receivable	202	2,947
Allowance for loan losses (Schedule R)	(234)	(24)
To the non-financial private sector and foreign residents	51,929,584	65,108,864
Overdraft facilities	418,974	215,845
Promissory notes	5,691,366	1,845,957
Mortgage loans	10,504,503	11,962,479
Pledge loans	40,411	58,167
Consumer loans	4,482,804	6,299,401
Credit cards	21,138,962	29,710,267
Finance leases	82,317	25,829
Loans to entity's personnel	478,589	535,326
Unallocated collections	(9,116)	(4,660)
Others	15,484,738	20,954,442
Accrued interest and exchange differences receivable	1,526,310	1,830,669
Documented interest	(574,413)	(121,104)
Allowance for loan losses (Schedule R)	(7,335,861)	(8,203,754)
Total Loans and other financing arrangements	52,411,120	65,569,868

# Financing line for MSMEs' productive investments

By means of Communication "A" 7140 dated October 15, 2020, the BCRA established a financing line for productive investments available to micro, small and medium-sized enterprises (MSMEs) to finance capital expenditures and/or the construction of the facilities needed for the production and/or marketing of goods and/or services, financing working capital needs and discounting deferred checks and other instruments, and other special eligible credit facilities allowed by applicable law.

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The facilities should be granted as part of the 2020, 2021 and 2021/2022 Quotas, pursuant to the following conditions:

	2020 Quota	2021 Quota	2021/2022 Quota			
Amount to be	At least, the equivalent to	At least, the equivalent to	At least, the equivalent to 7.5%			
granted	7.5% of the monthly	7.5% of the monthly average	of the monthly average of daily			
	average of daily balances	of daily balances of non-	balances of non-financial			
	of non-financial private	financial private sector	private sector deposits in pesos			
	sector deposits in pesos in	deposits in pesos in March	in September 2021			
	September 2020	2021				
Calculation of	Between 10.16.2020 and	Between 04.01.2021 and	Between 10.01.2021 and			
applications	03.31.2021	09.30. 2021	03.31. 2022			
Currency	Pesos					
Minimum term	At the time of disbursement, the credit facilities shall have an average term of 24 months or more, but the total term shall not be of less than 36 months. No minimum term will apply to credit facilities aimed at financing working capital and discount of deferred checks and other instruments.					
Maximum	Capped at an annual nominal fixed rate of 30% for investment projects, and at an annual					
interest rate	nominal fixed rate of 35% for	other purposes.				

As of December 31, 2021, the total amount disbursed by the Bank under the 2021 Quota amounts to 14,287,456 and the simple average of daily balances for financing arrangements effective from October 1, 2021 to December 31, 2021 amounts to 7,869,460.

As per Communication "B" 122238, the total amount to be disbursed by the Bank in respect of the 2021/2022 Quota amounts to 7,834,138.

#### 8. DERIVATIVE INSTRUMENTS

Below is a detail of financial derivative instruments as of December 31, 2021:

1. US dollar forward transactions have been carried out, the settlement of which, in general, is made without delivery of the underlying asset but by means of the payment in Pesos of currency differences. Transactions closed through MAE call for daily settlement in Pesos and those closed through ROFEX are settled the following day (T+1) in Pesos. These transactions are mainly performed as hedge for foreign currency positions. These instruments are measured at fair value and exposed under "Derivative Instruments" of assets and/or liabilities, as the case may be.

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2 Call options: The Group acquired call options to buy preferred shares measured at fair value, based on the quoted price at the end of the reporting period, in accordance with the characteristics set forth under each contract. These call options are recognized in assets under the line "Derivatives."

The composition of the Group's derivative instruments as of December 31, 2021 and 2020 is as follows:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Call options taken	3,809	-
Forward transactions	286,399	11,856
Total assets	290,208	11,856
Forward transactions	(17,330)	(67)
Total liabilities	(17,330)	(67)

### 9. OTHER FINANCIAL ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

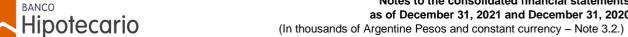
The balances of other financial assets are as follows:

Other financial assets	12/31/2021	12/31/2020	
Shares in mutual funds	1,762,332	1,616,630	
Financial trust participation certificates	-	15,085	
Receivables from transactions pending settlement	1,434,114	738,283	
Miscellaneous receivables			
Funds to be offset	67,385	36,152	
Credit card receivables	5,069	1,966	
Other	1,349,551	1,395,292	
Total	4,618,451	3,803,408	

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Balances of other financial liabilities are as follows:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Credit cards consumptions payable	4,364,563	3,619,560
Payables from transactions pending settlement	807,215	658,454
Liabilities related to the transfer of financial assets not derecognized (See		
Note 10)	3,618,231	5,322,064
Finance leases	397,136	507,104
Other	811,825	417,522
Total other financial liabilities	9,998,970	10,524,704

#### 10. TRANSFER OF FINANCIAL ASSETS

The Group has made transfers of financial assets as described in Note 28.3. Upon the initial adoption of IFRS, derecognition criteria for financial assets under IFRS 9 were applied on a prospective basis for transactions occurring after the IFRS transition date (January 1, 2017).

Transfers of financial assets to financial trusts as of December 31, 2021 that do not qualify for derecognition are detailed below. Therefore, the Group continues recognizing transferred assets in full and a financial liability for the consideration it has received:

			Initial trus	t debt amount	Estimated
Issuer Financial trust Create		Created on	Amount te		termination of the
			Туре	(in thousands)	series
BHSA CHA UVA Series I			Α	8,645 UVA	Oct-24
	Apr-18	В	5,763 UVA	Apr-28	
		СР	4,802 UVA	May-32	

# 11. OTHER NON-FINANCIAL ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

### 11.1 Property, plant and equipment

Changes in property, plant and equipment are included in Schedule F, accompanying these financial statements. Depreciation and impairment expenses for the period are recorded under "Depreciation and Impairment of assets" in the consolidated statement of income.

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# Right of use for leases

Below is a detail of the amounts of leases in which the Group acts as lessee:

(i) Amounts recognized in the statement of financial position:

# Rights of use:

Personal property	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Original value at beginning of the year	143,324	143,324
Accumulated depreciation	(130,067)	(120,355)
	13.257	22.969

Real estate	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Original value at beginning of the year	1,066,766	905,749
Increases for the year	226,259	161,323
Decreases for the year	(14,171)	(306)
Accumulated depreciation	(916,268)	(626,267)
	362,586	440,499

## Leases payable:

Personal property	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Up to one year	10,672	28,014
From one to five years	7,110	19,747
	17,782	47,761

Real estate	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Up to one year	170,755	215,322
From one to five years	208,599	244,021
	379,354	459,343

# (ii) Amounts recognized in the statement of income:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Depreciation of rights of use	299,713	329,199
Interest on liabilities for leases	241,295	274,887
Expenses related to short-term leases	56,640	74,864

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# 11.2 Intangible assets

Changes in intangible assets are included in Schedule G, accompanying these financial statements. The amortization expense for the period is reported in "Depreciation and Impairment of assets".

#### 11.3 Other non-financial assets

The balances of other non-financial assets are as follows:

Other non-financial assets	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Investment property	1,078,299	1,298,047
Tax prepayments	61,186	553,060
Prepaid fees to Directors and Supervisory Committee		
members	139,794	138,849
Other prepayments	182,510	301,422
Other	85,074	103,800
Total	1,546,863	2,395,178

# **Investment property**

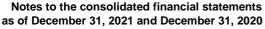
The fair value of all investment property is based on appraisals performed by the companies Tinsa, Sageo, Serinco and Favereau Tasaciones, independent experts with recognized professional qualification and expertise in the place and category of the investment property (level 3 fair value). Changes in fair value are recognized in profit or loss.

Investment property appraisal was based on the market approach, i.e., considering market prices per constructed square meter of similar properties and the characteristics inherent to the property being appraised, including aging, condition, maintenance, and construction quality.

Significant input data used, detailed by zone and their interrelation with the fair value is as follows:

Main calculation variables, non-observable	Interrelation between main variables and fair value	AMBA (Metropolitan Area of Buenos Aires)	Provinces of Buenos Aires and La Pampa	Rest of the country
Price per square meter (in thousands of pesos)	The higher the price per square meter, the greater the fair value	Between 48 and 84	Between 63 and 259	Between 171 and 240
Aging	The greater the age, the lower the	Between 42 and	Between 43 and	Between 31

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	fair value	61 years	95 years	and 100
Condition of	The better the condition of	Good	Between regular	Between good
preservation	preservation, the higher the fair		and good	and very good
	value			

Changes in investment property for the year ended December 31, 2021 are included in Schedule F, accompanying these financial statements.

The figures included in income/(loss) from Investment Property for the year are as follows:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Rentals	12,540	16,385
Direct expenses from property management	(623)	(826)

Net income from investment property as of December 31, 2021 and 2020 amounts to ARS 11,917 and ARS 15,559, respectively, and is recognized in "Other operating income", "Administrative expenses" and "Other operating expenses" in the statement of income.

#### 11.4 Other non-current assets held for sale

On April 20, 2016, the Bank purchased the building located at Carlos Pellegrini 211, known as "Edificio del Plata", through a public auction held by the Government of the City of Buenos Aires, with the purpose of setting up a branch and corporate offices.

On September 28, 2018, the Bank's Board of Directors decided to discontinue the investment in the construction plan of the new corporate headquarters, changing the originally intended purpose of the building known as "Edificio del Plata".

As of December 31, 2021 and 2020, the aforementioned building is classified as "Non-current asset held for sale" (IFRS 5) and is subject to a sales plan prepared by the Department of Comprehensive Development of Housing.

As of December 31, 2020, the building was measured at the lower of book or fair value, net of selling expenses. The book value of the building amounts to 10,509,076.

As of December 31, 2021, the building was valued according to the accounting treatment established by the BCRA by means of a note issued on July 27, 2021, which note instructed to interrupt the building's periodical revaluations projected as from June 2021 onwards. Had the accounting criteria established by IFRS been applied, the value recorded would have been 9,700,731.

As of fiscal year-end, the building qualifies for classification as a non-current asset held for sale. Its fair value as each measurement date is determined based on assessments carried out by independent appraisers outsourced

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to carry out the assessment. Such appraisers act as advisors to the Board of Directors and shall meet the required market knowledge, reputation, independence and professional standards.

## 11.5 Other non-financial liabilities

Balances of other non-financial liabilities are as follows:

Other non-financial liabilities	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Miscellaneous payables	2,176,304	1,638,290
Salaries and social security contributions payable	1,763,902	1,487,181
Other taxes payable	1,075,571	590,019
Directors' and Supervisory Committee members' fees	306,566	290,713
Tax withholdings and collections payable	700,416	816,236
Personnel expenses	78,000	164,526
Customers' loyalty programs	45,639	39,812
Termination benefits payable	337,840	325,866
Dividends payable	575	869
Total	6,484,813	5,353,512

# 12. INCOME TAX

The table below shows a breakdown of "Current income tax assets":

Current income tax assets	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Minimum notional income tax credit (*)	330,799	499,313
Income tax prepayments	629,441	17,843
Total	960,240	517,156

(\*) Below is a detail of the composition and expiration of tax credits:

Period	Minimum notional income tax credit		
Period	Assessed tax	Tax Expiration Period	
2012	897	2022	
2015	41	2025	
2016	81,835	2026	
2017	106,128	2027	
2018	138,099	2028	

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2019	3,799	2029
	330,799	

The breakdown of income tax benefit / (expense) is as follows:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Current income tax	(579,532)	(1,145,331)
Income tax – deferred	675,057	(80,065)
Total income tax benefit / (expense)	95,525	(1,225,396)

The table below shows a reconciliation of the income tax liability charged to income as of December 31, 2021 and 2020 and the income tax liability resulting from applying the effective tax rate to taxable income:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Income for the year before income tax	(4,353,192)	2,690,453
Effective tax rate	35%	30%
Income (Loss) for the year at the tax rate	1,523,617	(807,136)
Permanent differences at the tax rate:		
- Tierra del Fuego income	(43,018)	(54,944)
- ProCreAr net revenues	261,353	145,727
- Others	45,434	205,238
Tax Inflation adjustment	1,082,086	1,144,403
Non-monetary assets inflation adjustment	(1,170,274)	(1,451,219)
Gain (loss) on net monetary position	(1,293,673)	(407,465)
Allowance for impairment of net deferred asset	(310,000)	-
Total income tax benefit / (expense) for the year	95,525	(1,225,396)

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# **Deferred tax assets and liabilities**

The table below shows the changes in deferred tax assets and liabilities:

Deferred tax assets, net	Balance as of 12/31/2019	Balance recognized in profit or loss 2020	Balance as of 12/31/2020	Balance recognized in profit or loss 2021	Balance as of 12/31/2021
Allowance for loan losses	2,745,400	316,899	3,062,299	677,829	3,740,128
Property, plant and equipment,					
Investment property and assets held for					
sale	(2,903,021)	(164,827)	(3,067,848)	(837,282)	(3,905,130)
Foreign-currency valuation	(48,256)	30,570	(17,686)	5,851	(11,835)
Provisions	305,582	(129,368)	176,214	67,174	243,388
Valuation of financial instruments	(177,266)	(517,512)	(694,778)	1,027,144	332,366
Tax inflation adjustment	1,259,138	399,521	1,658,659	(313,871)	1,344,788
Tax losses	184,630	53,059	237,689	34,813	272,502
Other	21,503	(68,407)	(46,904)	13,399	(33,505)
Total deferred income tax assets, net	1,387,710	(80,065)	1,307,645	675,057	1,982,702

Below is a detail of the years of origination and expiration of the recognized tax losses:

Originated in	Balance as of 12/31/2021	Expiration
2021	272,502	2026
Total	272,502	

As per the analysis performed by the Group, the assets detailed above meet the conditions to be considered recoverable and, accordingly, qualify for recognition.

# Income tax rate

Law No. 27430, as subsequently amended by the Social Solidarity and Production Reactivation Law enacted within the framework of the prevailing Public Emergency (the "Economic Emergency Law"), established the following income tax rates:

- 30% for fiscal years beginning on or after January 1, 2018 and 25% for fiscal years beginning on or after 2022; and
- dividends distributed to individuals and foreign beneficiaries as from such fiscal years will be taxed at a 7% and 13% rate, respectively.

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Then, Law No. 27630 enacted on June 16, 2021 repealed the aforementioned general decrease in rates and introduced a system of tax brackets to become effective for fiscal years beginning on or after January 1, 2021, as follows:

Г	Accumulated n	et taxable income	Amount	Rate %	Over the evene of
	From	То	payable	Rate %	Over the excess of
	-	5,000	-	25%	-
	5,001	50,000	1,250	30%	5,000
Г	50,001	Without cap	14,750	35%	50,000

The amounts included in this system of tax brackets will be adjusted annually commencing on January 1, 2022, based on the changes in the CPI measured in October each year.

Furthermore, dividends on profits generated in fiscal years beginning on or after January 1, 2018 will be taxed at a single rate of 7%.

As a consequence of such changes, the current tax liability as of December 31, 2021 was measured by applying progressive rates on taxable income assessed as of such date, while deferred tax balances were measured by using the progressive rate expected to be in force at the time of reversal of the temporary differences.

## 13. NEGOTIABLE OBLIGATIONS ISSUED

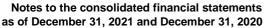
The table below shows the Group's issues of simple, non-convertible negotiable obligations:

	Issued amount (in thousands of ARS.)	Issue date	Maturity date	Annual interest rate	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Banco Hipot	ecario S.A. (1)					
				Badlar+4.00		
XLVIII	\$ 6,300,000	11/07/17	11/07/22	%	2,798,946	4,191,975
L	UVA 23,239	02/14/18	02/14/22	4.90%	2,280,092	2,053,181
				Badlar+6.15		
Series I	\$ 3,570,141	02/15/19	02/15/21	%	-	5,492,265
				Badlar+6.75		
Series II	\$ 309,564	02/11/20	08/11/21	%	-	621,123
Series III	UVA 60,329	02/11/20	02/11/22	5.00%	5,921,242	5,825,591
Series IV	US\$ 78,336	10/14/20	10/14/25	9.75%	6,414,860	9,883,494
Series V	US\$ 10,000	10/01/21	04/07/23	0.00%	1,021,339	-
BACS Banco	o de Crédito y Secur	itización SA (2	2)			
Series V	\$ 852,881	08/12/20	02/12/22	Badlar +	644,533	1,345,859

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TOTAL					20,332,960	29,413,488
Series VI	\$1,250,000	05/27/21	05/27/2	4.75%	1,251,948	-
				Badlar +		
				2.99%		

(1) The Annual Shareholders' Meeting held on May 23, 2008 approved the creation of a new Global Program for the issuance of negotiable obligations, non-convertible into shares, secured or unsecured, for up to US\$ 2,000,000,000 or an equal amount in Pesos, which was amended, extended and increased several times by subsequent Annual Shareholders' Meetings and Board Resolutions. The current amount authorized to be issued under the Global Negotiable Obligations Program is up to US\$ 1,000,000,000 (or its equivalent in other currencies).

The Program's Public Offering was authorized by Resolution No. 16573 dated May 24, 2011; the increase of the Program amount was authorized by Resolution No. 17805 dated September 9, 2015; the extension of the Program and the increase of its amount were authorized by Resolution No. 18145 dated July 28, 2016, and a new increase in the program amount was authorized by Resolution No. 18493 dated February 2, 2017, all of them issued by the CNV.

On March 26, 2012, BACS' Annual Shareholders' Meeting approved the creation of a Global Program for the issuance of simple negotiable obligations, non-convertible into shares, secured or unsecured, or secured by third parties, subordinated or unsubordinated, for an aggregate nominal value of up to US\$ 150,000,000 and the subsequent admission to the public offering of negotiable obligations. On January 23, 2014, the CNV authorized the public offering of BACS Banco de Crédito y Securitización S.A.'s negotiable obligations, by way of Resolution No. 17271. On April 13, 2016, the General Shareholders' Meeting approved the extension of the Global Negotiable Obligations Program from US\$ 150,000,000 to US\$ 300,000,000.

#### 14. PROVISIONS

The Group recognizes the following provisions:

- For labor, civil and commercial lawsuits: These provisions are calculated on the basis of attorneys' reports on the status of the proceedings and estimates of potential losses the Group may sustain, as well as on the basis of past experience in proceedings of similar nature.
- For miscellaneous risks: These provisions are set up to address contingencies that may trigger obligations for the Group. In estimating the provision amounts, the Group evaluates the likelihood of realization taking into consideration the opinion of its legal and professional advisors. These include potential claims from tax authorities for various taxes and potential administrative penalties from supervisory entities, among others.
- At the request of the BCRA, Note 28.6 includes all administrative, disciplinary and criminal penalties applied or initiated by the BCRA and the Financial Information Unit (UIF), either supported by a lower court judgment or not, regardless of whether they are probable, likely to occur or remote.

Based on Management's estimate, there is less than 50 percent probability that the amounts of allowances as of December 31, 2021 will have to be paid during the following 12 months.

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Changes in provisions as of December 31, 2021 are as follows:

	Balances	Balances		ases	Monetary	Balances
Provisions	as of 12/31/2020	Increases	Reversals	Uses	gain (loss) from provisions	as of 12/31/2021
Other (*)	676,730	194,263	(197,992)	(92,114)	(197,194)	383,693
Total	676,730	194,263	(197,992)	(92,114)	(197,194)	383,693

<sup>(\*)</sup> It mainly includes provisions for lawsuits and other claims and the provision for expected credit losses for guarantees granted and unused balances of overdraft facilities and credit cards.

## 15. CAPITAL STOCK

Banco Hipotecario Sociedad Anónima has a capital stock of 1,500,000, fully subscribed and paid-in, represented by 1,500,000,000 common book-entry shares, with a nominal value of ARS 1 each, split into the following classes:

Class	Shares	Nominal Value	Capital Stock
А	664,376,845	1	664,376,845
В	57,009,279	1	57,009,279
С	75,000,000	1	75,000,000
D	703,613,876	1	703,613,876
	1.500.000.000		1.500.000.000

- Class A shares: Entitled to 1 vote each. These shares were held by the Argentine Government as part of the privatization process and were subsequently transferred to the Trust Fund to support the Regional Infrastructure Federal Fund;
- Class B shares: Entitled to 1 vote each. These shares are held under the *Programa de Propiedad Participada* (Employee Stock Ownership Plan or "PPP") created by Decree No. 2127/2012 and may not account for more than 5 % of the Bank's capital stock. To the extent Class B shares account for more than 2% of the Bank's capital stock, holders of Class B shares gathered at their Shareholders' Meeting will be entitled to elect one member of the Bank's Board of Directors;
- Class C shares: Entitled to 1 vote each. These shares may not account for more than 5 % of the Bank's capital stock and are freely transferable. To the extent Class C shares account for more than 3 % of the Bank's capital stock, holders of Class C shares gathered at their Shareholders' Meeting will be entitled to elect one member of the Bank's Board of Directors; and

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Class D shares: To the extent Class A shares account for more than 42 % of the capital stock, Class D shares will be entitled to 3 votes each. An individual or legal entity belonging to the same economic group may not own more than five per cent (5 %) of the Bank's capital stock. At times when Class D shares account for, at least, 25 % of the Bank's capital stock, holders of Class D shares, gathered at the Shareholders' Meeting, will be entitled to elect the majority of the members of the Bank's Board of Directors.

Programa de Propiedad Participada (Employee Stock Ownership Plan)

Law No. 24,855, whereby Banco Hipotecario Nacional was declared "subject to privatization" and transformed into a corporation ("sociedad anónima"), provided for the creation of the *Programa de Propiedad Participada* (Employee Stock Ownership Plan or "PPP"). A PPP is a mechanism envisaged by Law No. 23,696 to allow employees of an entity subject to privatization to acquire shares in the privatized entity's capital stock.

The Bank's PPP was implemented by Executive Decree No. 2127/2012, pursuant to which the individuals included in the Bank's payroll as of September 27, 1997 became entitled to participate in the PPP, by subscribing a General Transfer Agreement among the employee, the government and the Trustee (Banco de la Nación Argentina).

Class "B" shares (57,009,279) are entirely held by the PPP. The sale price of the shares was set at \$ 0.665 each.

The payment of the shares to the government is made by offsetting contributions to the Adjustable Supplementary Pension Fund (*Fondo Complementario Móvil de Jubilaciones*), capitalizing the dividends from the awarded shares, and out of half the proceeds from the profit-sharing bonus.

The Bank's by-laws provide for the payment of a profit-sharing bonus in respect of profits for fiscal year 2012 up to and including fiscal year 2021. The profit-sharing bonus is calculated as 0.50% of the Bank's profits for the year, as determined at the General Ordinary Shareholder's Meeting at which the financial statements are approved.

Treasury shares deliverable

On November 22, 2017 (the "grant date"), the Board of Directors approved the implementation of the Employee Compensation Program, as approved at the shareholders' meetings dated April 24, 2013, April 24, 2014, and June 4, 2017.

Those who were employees of the Bank, BACS, BHN Sociedad de Inversión S.A. BHN Vida S.A. BHN Seguros Generales S.A. and BH Valores S.A. (merged into the Bank in 2019) on the grant date became entitled to a number of shares, pursuant to the program conditions.

The benefit was calculated considering the fair value of the Bank's shares as of the grant date, with the value in excess of the nominal value of the shares being charged to "Reserve for share-based payments."

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If, at the time a beneficiary's employment at the entities involved is terminated, that beneficiary meets the program conditions, then such beneficiary will receive Class "D" shares and the shares are reclassified from "deliverable shares" into "outstanding shares," in both cases under the caption Capital stock.

In addition, until March 2021, the higher value recognized in the "Reserve for share-based payments" was reclassified into the account "Share premium" every time shares were delivered to the program beneficiaries. On March 30, 2021, the Bank's Shareholders' Meeting resolved to absorb negative retained earnings and the accounts "Share premium" and "Reserve for share-based payments" were fully absorbed. Therefore, effective since April 2021, balances are reclassified from "deliverable shares" into "outstanding shares" only.

Dividends from deliverable shares are made available to beneficiaries as soon as the payment of such dividends is approved at the Shareholders' Meeting.

## 16. INTEREST INCOME AND ADJUSTMENTS/ FEE AND COMMISSION INCOME

Interest income and adjustments	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Interest on cash and bank deposits	10	27,040
Interest on loans to the financial sector	167,250	6,896
Interest on overdraft facilities	126,602	231,621
Interest on promissory notes	1,027,812	179,392
Interest on mortgage loans	1,007,727	1,213,564
Interest on consumer loans	2,006,509	3,645,519
Interest on pledge loans	10,269	36,918
Interest on credit card loans	5,337,213	8,386,475
Interest on finance leases	35,902	20,189
Interest on other loans	1,939,807	2,432,951
Interest on government and corporate securities	5,038,376	2,268,642
Income from CER, CVS, UVA and UVI adjustments	4,194,361	3,745,642
Interest on repos	25,495,392	7,412,765
Other	25,494	249,242
Total	46,412,724	29,856,856

Fee and commission income	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Credit card commissions	4,971,279	7,720,548
Linked to lending transactions	1,131,808	985,885
Linked to borrowing transactions	43,830	61,150
Other commissions	429,017	472,257
Total	6,575,934	9,239,840

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## 17. INTEREST EXPENSE AND ADJUSTMENTS

Interest expense and adjustments	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Interest on checking accounts deposits	(15,562,057)	(5,996,886)
Interest on savings account deposits	(15,185)	(14,300)
Interest on time deposits	(22,836,602)	(11,629,940)
Interest on interfinancial loans received	(14,914)	(65,223)
Interest on negotiable obligations and debt securities	(3,860,890)	(8,784,818)
Expense for CER, CVS, UVA and UVI adjustments	(3,978,097)	(3,278,169)
Other	(6,004)	(188,224)
Total	(46,273,749)	(29,957,560)

## 18. NET INCOME FROM FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS

Net income from financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss	12/31/2021	12/31/2020	
Income from government securities	14,086,330	13,957,115	
Income from other corporate securities	955,074	909,226	
Income (loss) from other securities	21,655	243,846	
Total	15,063,059	15,110,187	

## 19. GOLD AND FOREIGN CURRENCY EXCHANGE RATE DIFFERENCES

Originated in:	12/31/2021	12/31/2020	
Dollar denominated assets	8,478,385	11,458,349	
Dollar denominated liabilities	(8,381,937)	(11,230,677)	
Derivatives	(867,101)	(1,249,338)	
Net assets denominated in Euros	34,639	109,249	
Quotation differences	(736,014)	(912,417)	

# 20. OTHER OPERATING INCOME / (EXPENSES)

Other operating income	12/31/2021	12/31/2020		
Loan servicing	6,424,318	6,858,862		
Borrowing transactions commissions	410,143	411,553		
Income from services PRO.CRE.AR	1,076,451	743,253		
Penalty interest	152,992	236,299		
Loans recovered	586.634	670.670		

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Reversal of allowances	131,841	306,028
Rentals	13,788	19,475
Investment property at fair value	-	192,555
Income from sale of property, plant and equipment and other non-financial assets	7,378	97,886
Adjustments and interest of miscellaneous receivables	134,184	190,941
Other income	295,897	314,274
Total	9,233,626	10,041,796

Other operating expenses	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Turnover tax	(3,672,799)	(2,399,897)
Loan servicing	(3,215,287)	(3,337,716)
Deposit services	(626,995)	(612,022)
Other taxes	(462,282)	(473,371)
Debit and credit card rebates	(468,843)	(466,899)
Loan rebates	(167,569)	(332,673)
Contribution to the deposit insurance fund (Note 28.1)	(323,088)	(201,111)
Interest on finance leases	(241,295)	(274,887)
Charges for other provisions	(331,497)	(280,522)
Donations	(92,125)	(126,022)
Non-current assets at fair value held for sale	(1,895,933)	(609,408)
Investment property at fair value	(219,748)	-
Other expenses	(254,520)	(187,827)
Total	(11,971,981)	(9,302,355)

# 21. EXPENSES BY FUNCTION AND NATURE

The Group presented its statement of comprehensive income under the expenditure function method. Under this method, expenses are classified according to their function as part of the item "Administrative expenses."

The table below provides the required additional information about expenses by nature:

Administrative expenses	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Fees and compensation for services	(2,371,677)	(2,844,990)
Directors' and supervisory committee's members' fees	(574,454)	(577,095)
Advertising, promotion and research expenses	(622,222)	(711,785)
Taxes and duties	(412,191)	(530,267)

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Miscellaneous  Total	(273,008)	(430,274)
Transport of values	(151,799)	(73,185)
Security services	(225,407)	(254,594)
Rentals	(10,625)	(31,186)
Office supplies	(172,931)	(131,766)
Entertainment and transportation expenses	(94,371)	(91,097)
Insurance	(56,640)	(74,864)
Electricity, gas and telephone services	(42,789)	(39,945)
Maintenance and repairs	(474,535)	(517,838)

#### 22. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

The table below shows a breakdown of items disclosed under Employee Benefits:

Employee benefits	12/31/2021	12/31/2020	
Salaries and social security contributions payable	(8,003,107)	(8,103,644)	
Severance payments and bonuses	(2,319,285)	(1,638,963)	
Personnel expenses	(412,265)	(559,074)	
Total	(10,734,657)	(10,301,681)	

#### 23. SEGMENT REPORTING

The Group determines operating segments, based on management reports used to monitor performance and allocate resources by the Board of Directors and key management personnel, and updates such segments as they experience changes.

The Group considers its business is comprised by its product and service offering; thus, it identifies operating segments as follows:

- (a) Finance It involves the placement of the Group's liquidity according to the other segments' and its own needs and opportunities.
- (b) Wholesale Banking This segment encompasses corporate and financial advisory services, as well as asset management and loans to large customers. This segment also includes the operations of our subsidiary BACS.
- (c) Retail Banking It includes loans granted and other credit products, such as deposit taking from individuals. It also includes the operations of our subsidiary BHN Inversión.

The column "Other" includes balances of assets, liabilities and results not allocated to the operating segments mentioned above.

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The column "Adjustments" includes consolidation adjustments corresponding to transactions among Group members not including third parties and the non-controlling interest.

The results of operations of the Group's several operating segments are monitored separately, in order to make decisions on resource allocation and on the evaluation of each segment's performance. The performance of each operating segment is reviewed on the basis of operating income or loss, and is measured consistently with the operating income and loss reported in the consolidated statement of income.

When a transaction occurs, transfer prices among operating segments are set at an arm's length similarly to transactions carried out with third parties. Income, expenses and income (losses) resulting from transfers among operating segments are then eliminated from consolidation.

The relevant segment reporting as of the indicated dates is as follows:

	12/31/2021									
		Retail b	Retail banking		e banking					
	Finance	Retail Banking	Insurance	BHSA	BACS	Other	Adjustments	Consolidated		
Total assets	251,942,387	52,974,711	6,945,136	21,310,855	14,470,770	10,819,191	(7,795,815)	350,667,235		
Total			,					(007.040.705)		
liabilities	(240,032,420)	(51,760,561)	(2,521,226)	(18,785,655)	(12,911,080)	(4,814,218)	2,978,375	(327,846,785)		

	12/31/2020									
		Retail ba	anking	Wholesale	e banking		Adjustment			
	Finance	Retail	Insurance	BHSA	Other   '   Cons		Other C			
		Banking								
Total assets	100,896,321	60,185,978	6,750,092	23,286,166	13,589,839	13,906,610	(11,006,955)	207,608,051		
Total liabilities	(85,012,851)	(57,611,578)	(1,471,599)	(19,944,675)	(11,839,084)	(10,109,100)	5,471,160	(180,517,727)		

	12/31/2021									
		Retail Banking		Wholesale Banking						
	Finance	Retail Banking	Insurance	BHSA	BACS	Other	nts	Consolidate d		
Net interest										
income/(loss)	(7,355,988)	6,062,378	754,883	1,421,514	(763,727)	-	19,915	138,975		
Net commission										
income/(loss)	(160,958)	6,539,469	(612,660)	418,607	1,178	4,514	-	6,190,150		

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Net income from								
measurement of financial								
instruments at fair value								
through profit or loss	11,507,656	-	1,591,590	-	1,927,199	-	36,614	15,063,059
Income from assets								
write-off at amortized								
cost	69,562	(55,276)	-	-	(12,511)	-	-	1,775
Gold and foreign		,			,			•
currency exchange rate								
difference	(659,204)	-	90,894	-	87,560	-	(255,264)	(736,014)
Other operating								
income/(loss)	71,557	2,676,032	5,519,243	104,122	839,997	43,289	(20,614)	9,233,626
Loan loss	-	(739,056)	-	(1,909,474)	(19,679)	-	-	(2,668,209)
Total net operating								
income/(loss)	3,472,625	14,483,547	7,343,950	34,769	2,060,017	47,803	(219,349)	27,223,362
Operating and		(17,154,433						
administrative expenses	(3,442,842)	(17,134,433	(2,659,891)	(2,723,070)	(1,649,665)	(1,661,189)	20,895	(29,270,195)
Gain (loss) on net								
monetary position	320,026	363,764	(2,520,295)	90,941	(560,795)	-	-	(2,306,359)
Income tax	117,319	571,668	(565,044)	-	(28,418)	-	-	95,525
Net income/(loss)			·					
attributable to non-								
controlling interests	-	-	-	-	(17,779)	-	74,171	56,392
Net income/(loss)	467,128	(1,735,454)	1,598,720	(2,597,360)	(196,640)	(1,613,386)	(124,283)	(4,201,275)

	12/31/2020							
		Retail Banking Wholesale Banking						
	Finance	Retail Banking	Insurance	BHSA	BACS	Other	Adjustments	Consolidated
Net interest								
income/(loss)	(9,620,896)	7,451,250	1,236,437	1,347,045	(582,885)	-	68,345	(100,704)
Net commission								
income/(loss)	(185,841)	9,576,141	(792,161)	259,332	2,776	2,349	-	8,862,596
Net income from								
measurement of financial								
instruments at fair value								
through profit or loss	11,556,189	-	1,352,255	-	2,105,902	-	95,841	15,110,187

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Gold and foreign								
currency exchange rate								
difference	(1,714,777)	-	295,454	-	77,626	-	429,280	(912,417)
Other operating								
income/(loss)	267,068	2,904,239	6,073,246	190,555	608,506	16,341	(18,159)	10,041,796
Loan loss	-	(2,137,225)	(61,386)	(850,942)	(21,847)	-	-	(3,071,400)
Total net operating								
income/(loss)	301,743	17,794,405	8,103,845	945,990	2,190,078	18,690	575,307	29,930,058
Operating and		(17,816,872						
administrative expenses	(1,942,480)	)	(2,736,212)	(2,823,680)	(1,404,163)	(475,535)	15,557	(27,183,385)
Gain (loss) on net								
monetary position	265,704	1,493,652	(1,742,480)	373,413	(446,509)	-	-	(56,220)
Income tax	(469)	(131,671)	(944,826)	(6,726)	(141,704)	-	-	(1,225,396)
Net income/(loss)								
attributable to non-								
controlling interests	-	-	-	•	(13,030)	•	(68,629)	(81,659)
Net income/(loss)	(1,375,502)	1,339,514	2,680,327	(1,511,003)	184,672	(456,845)	522,235	1,383,398

# Information on geographic areas:

The Group's operations are entirely conducted in Argentina.

# 24. OFF-BALANCE SHEET ACCOUNTS

The Group records different transactions under off-balance sheet accounts, according to the rules issued by the BCRA. The balances of the main off-balance sheet accounts as of December 31, 2021 and 2020 are listed below:

Off balance sheet accounts	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Guarantees received	33,963,551	43,442,419
Uncollectible loans	6,246,707	8,703,621
Securities in custody	103,567,722	65,284,238
Securities to be collected	4,548,451	1,460,034
Securities to be debited	83,312	121,577
Securities to be credited	182,869	194,746
Agreed loans	31,085,324	32,839,691
Guarantees granted	313.388	260.370

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# 25. TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES WITH RELATED PARTIES

The Bank has carried out transactions with related parties at arm's length.

## Principal shareholders

The Bank's principal shareholders are:

	Class of	12	2/31/2020	12/31/2020		
Name	shares	Votes %	Capital %	Votes %	Capital %	
Fondo Federal de Infraestructura						
Regional Assistance Trust	A	22.85%	44.29%	22.86%	44.30%	
Employee Stock Ownership Plan						
	В	1.96%	3.80%	1.96%	3.80%	
Fondo Federal de Infraestructura						
Regional Assistance Trust	С	2.58%	5.00%	2.58%	5.00%	
IRSA Inversiones y						
Representaciones S, A, (a)	D	46.30%	29.92%	46.30%	29.92%	
ANSES	D	7.64%	4.94%	7.64%	4.94%	
Shares to be delivered	D	2.87%	1.85%	3.03%	1.96%	
The Bank of New York ADRs (b)	D	9.38%	6.06%	9.38%	6.06%	
Other	D	6.42%	4.14%	6.25%	4.02%	
		100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	

<sup>(</sup>a) IRSA Inversiones y Representaciones ("IRSA") owns these holdings directly and indirectly through the following subsidiaries: Tyrus S.A. (5.00%), Ritelco S.A. (5.00%), E-Commerce Latina S.A. (5.00%), Palermo Invest S.A. (4.99%), and Inversora Bolívar S.A. (5.00%)

## **Directors' Fees**

The Bank's by-laws provide that total fees payable to Directors will be limited to five per cent (5 %) of after-tax profits for the fiscal year at issue when no cash dividends are distributed for whatsoever reason, and will be increased on a proportional basis to cash dividends, if available, until reaching fifteen per cent (15 %) of taxable

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<sup>(</sup>b) It represents 90,905,000 ADRs (10 shares = 1 ADR), the political rights of which are exercised by the Argentine Government.



income.

Some of the Group's directors were hired under Employment Contract Law No. 20,744. This law sets forth certain employment conditions, including, without limitation, salaries, income protection, working hours, vacations, paid leaves, minimum age requirements, workers' protection, and manners to suspend or terminate employment contracts. The fees payable every year to Directors are determined in accordance with Law No. 19,550, taking into account whether or not directors perform technical-administrative duties and based on the profits made during the year. Once the fees payable to directors are determined, they are submitted to the Shareholders' Meeting for approval.

## **Compensation payable to the Key Management Personnel**

The members of our Senior Management are designated and removed by the Board of Directors and perform their duties following the instructions delivered by the Board.

As compensation for their duties, our Key Management Personnel earn a fixed amount determined by reference to their background, skills and experience, and a variable bonus which is paid on an annual basis and is tied to individual performance and the Group's results of operations.

As of December 31, 2021, the Bank's Management key personnel is comprised of a General Manager and thirteen Area Managers.

## **Corporate Services Contracts**

In light of the fact that subsidiaries have operating areas that share certain common characteristics, the Bank implemented alternatives to cut certain fixed costs inherent to its business, streamlining the individual efficiencies of each of the companies in the several areas comprising operating management.

Costs and rewards of corporate services agreements are allocated on the basis of operating efficiencies and equity, without pursuing individual profits for each of the companies.

Below is a detail of the service areas included in the corporate services agreements:

Entity	Service area
BACS	Human resources, financial services, IT services, procurement and contracting, accounts
	payable, overall secretarial, legal advice services and exclusive use by BACS of a space
	within the Bank's Vault.
BHN Vida y	Human resources; procurement and contracting; maintenance; internal audit; assets
BHN Seguros	management; general services; accounts payable; overall secretarial services; legal advice
Generales (a)	and supervision; supply, maintenance and administration of communication and IT items;

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SAP maintenance, and sale of insurance policies through call centers.

(a) Controlled by BHN Sociedad de Inversión.

#### **Rental of Offices**

BACS, BHN Sociedad de Inversión S.A., BHN Seguros Generales S.A. and BHN Vida S.A. lease offices owned by IRSA Propiedades Comerciales S.A. ("IRSA CP"), the main subsidiary of IRSA Inversiones y Representaciones S.A. at several buildings.

## **Legal Services**

The Group retains the legal services of Estudio Zang, Bergel & Viñes, Saúl Zang is a partner to such law firm and is also a member of the Board of the Group's subsidiaries.

# **Trading of Financial Assets**

Idle funds are usually placed in several instruments, including those issued by related companies, which are purchased at the time of issuance or from independent third parties in the secondary market.

#### **Financial Transactions**

In the ordinary course of business, the Bank enters into certain related party credit facility agreements. The interest rate on these facilities is determined at arm's length and these facilities are under normal situation conditions as of period-end.

In addition, the Bank and BACS usually act as placement agents in certain related parties' transactions carried out in the capital market.

Below is a detail of balances and transactions with related parties as of December 31, 2021:

		ASSETS					
Related Party	Other debt securities	Derivative instruments	Equity instruments	Loans and other financing arrangements	Other financial assets	Other non- financial assets	Other financial liabilities
IRSA (includes							
subsidiaries)	101,593	3,809	50,875	357,739	7,730	-	89
Total shareholders	101,593	3,809	50,875	357,739	7,730	-	89

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Total	101,593	3,809	50,875	357,739	7,730	139,794	307,275
Total other	-	-		•	•	139,794	307,186
Key personnel	-	-	-	-	-	139,794	306,566
Law Firm	-	-	-	-	-	-	620
Zang Bergel & Viñes							

Related Party	Interest income	Employee benefits	Administrative expenses
IRSA (includes subsidiaries)	277,118	-	37,359
Total Shareholders	277,118	-	37,359
Zang, Bergel & Viñes Law Firm	-	-	3,739
Key personnel	-	636,988	574,454
Total other	-	636,988	578,193
Total	277,118	636,988	615,552

Below is a detail of the balances and transactions with related parties as of December 31, 2020:

		ASSETS						
Related Party	Other debt securities	Equity instruments	Other financial assets	Other debt securities	Equity instruments			
IRSA (includes subsidiaries)	280,757	10,092	560,744	3,825	-			
Total shareholders	280,757	10,092	560,744	3,825	-			
Zang Bergel & Viñes Law Firm	-	-	9,913	-	-			
Key personnel	-	·	-	-	125,985			
Total other	-	·	9,913	-	125,985			
Total	280,757	10,092	570,657	3,825	125,985			

Related Party	Interest income	Employee benefits	Administrative expenses
IRSA (Includes subsidiaries)	120,793	-	37,972
Total shareholders	120,793	-	37,972
Zang Bergel & Viñes Law Firm	-	-	5,210
Key personnel	-	827,216	577,095
Total other	-	827,216	582,305
Total	120,793	827,216	620,277

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#### 26. FINANCIAL RISK FACTORS

## **Comprehensive Risk Management**

The Bank relies on a comprehensive process to manage risks that includes identifying, assessing, tracking, controlling and mitigating all significant risks.

The comprehensive process for managing risks is geared towards having the Board of Directors and Senior Management involved in the management of all significant risks and having them oversee such management and understand the nature and level of risk taken on by the entity and how such risk relates to capital adequacy. In addition, it is in line with the best practices in risk management and, in particular, with the Argentine Central Bank's guidelines for financial institutions' risk management.

To make sure that its significant risks are properly managed, the Bank relies on a management framework and on management devices that are fitting to its size, complexity, economic weight and risk profile.

#### a) Credit Risk:

#### Credit Risk Management - Retail Banking

Retail Banking credit risk management is based on the Bank's annual planning process. As a result of such process, the Bank sets business goals, that is, the volume of loans to be granted during the year through each Retail Banking lending product (mortgage and consumer loans and credit cards). The credit risk strategy is intended to establish the guiding principles of the Bank's loan origination, servicing and follow-up activities. It encompasses defining the profile of customers to whom the Bank is willing to lend, as well as identifying the target market, quality levels and expected profitability, and the overall characteristics the Bank seeks to achieve in its credit portfolio. The establishment of risk limits is conceived as a dynamic process leading to determine the Bank's risk appetite. Given the fact that the credit strategy should provide continuity and should take into account circumstantial aspects and their resulting changes in the overall credit portfolio composition and quality, through its credit policies and procedures, the Bank defines detailed aspects to execute its credit risk strategy, such as origination criteria (including terms and conditions), credit powers and authority, product types, origination channels, underlying collateral, and the organization's structure. In line with its business goals, and considering the aforementioned forecasts, the Bank sets a credit risk appetite; in other words, tolerance limits or levels based on indicators, such as the non-performing portfolio ratio and the annual loss rate (write-off). Through this planning process, which includes a definition session with the involvement of senior management and another session to present the plan to the Board, the Bank develops a Business Plan and Risk Strategy, both documents that embody the aforementioned goals and limits for the Board's approval.

Credit Risk Management means the function and procedure to identify, measure, mitigate and monitor credit risk, taking into consideration the entire business cycle, from the definition of the target market and the

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origination of a financing arrangement, up to the customers' maintenance and the loan recovery or write-off upon a default. Within this framework, the granting of new loans is guided by Credit Policies and Scoring Models. The policies, which establish credit eligibility requirements and line allocation criteria, are set out by the Retail Credit Risk Department reporting to the Planning and Control Area and are approved by the Risk Management Committee and the Board of Directors on an annual basis. The models developed by the Bank or market models (developed by Veraz, Nosis and Visa) are subject to a validation process, established in the Scoring Model Validation Policy approved by the Board. Such policy sets out the responsibilities and criteria to be applied in validating models, oriented at maintaining a standard in their predictive capacity.

Loans are granted on the basis of a Decision Engine in which the scoring models and most conditions set out in credit policies are arranged. This ensures the accurate application of the established policies in general and, in turn, enables further assessment of the applications in accordance with the analysts' judgment, whether to reject them or approve them by exception. There is a limit for exceptions which is set out in the Credit Policy.

In order to identify, measure and monitor compliance with credit risk policies, the Bank has developed certain key indicators associated with the main risks identified. These indicators allow to monitor the composition, concentration and quality of the several credit portfolios, broken down by business sectors, segments, origination channels, products, etc. This information is documented in several reports which analyze several aspects, such as financing level, arrears ratios, roll rates, vintage, benchmarking, portfolio impairment, and exposure to pre-established risk thresholds. The main indicators are part of the Risk Dashboard.

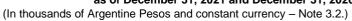
Both portfolio maintenance, which is mainly related to credit cards, and arrears management are governed by the aforementioned Credit Policies and Scoring Models. As concerns card portfolio maintenance, the policy mainly sets out the guidelines to manage credit facilities and access to product attributes, including, for instance, cash advances. As concerns arrears management, the policies govern the commencement of the several recovery stages –early arrears, advanced arrears, and court proceedings – and recovery means, settlement options (debt restructuring, reductions, etc.), and risk control or recovery actions (restraint, disqualification, account closing, etc.) enabled for each stage. Both processes are monitored by the Area Manager through reports prepared by the several divisions.

For purposes of credit risk management itself, that is, for unexpected losses, the Bank relies on stress tests to monitor changes in the portfolio vis-a-vis different adverse forward-looking scenarios designed, at least, at two years. Stress testing results determine the decisions to be made concerning adjustments to risk mitigating policies, while they are also useful to assess capital adequacy and allowance coverage. On the other hand, PDs and LGDs are used to calculate economic capital, and are estimated for both businesses and individuals, based on historical information. In estimating LGDs, the Bank takes into account all recoveries after a default, both in respect of the active portfolio and off-balance sheet accounts.

## Credit Risk Management - Wholesale Banking

Effective credit risk management requires a suitable credit risk culture; therefore, the risk policies and risk management strategy in place are key elements to build such a culture, oriented at managing and mapping

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credit risk to the other risks on a comprehensive basis.

Wholesale Banking credit risk management is based on the Bank's annual planning process. During such process, the Bank designs the plan and business strategy for each Wholesale Banking segment (Corporate, SMEs, Real Estate Projects, Financial Institutions, Public Sector, and Intermediaries), establishing, in general terms, the desired growth levels and positioning, degree of sectoral assistance, concentration levels, product mix to be boosted, and credit quality level to be maintained in respect of expected profitability, among other things. Credit portfolio concentration, as a potential source of losses, is regarded in credit manuals as a special point for attention. Credit concentration takes place when the Bank is too exposed to a substantial number of similar risks, with a single borrower, a group of related borrowers, an industrial or business sector, a geographic region, certain credit facility or a given risk-mitigating factor.

Risk appetite is also defined for each segment, and tolerance limits or levels are established and constantly monitored in order to anticipate any undesired departure. Such limits derive in indicators, such as, 12-month likelihood of default, concentration level by borrower within the portfolio, and concentration level by business sector within the portfolio.

The outcome of such planning, which involves the Bank's Senior Management and Directors, is embodied in the Business Plan and Risk Strategy final document, in which each of the aforementioned items is exposed in detail and is submitted to the Board for approval.

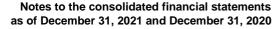
Within this framework, credit decisions involving new lending, renewals, or portfolio follow-up are made following the guidelines set out in the comprehensive risk management policy as well as in the respective credit manuals developed for each business segment. Such policies are established by Wholesale Banking Credit Risk and approved by the Risk Management Committee and the Board on an annual basis. The Bank also has a documented mechanism in place to set prices/rates based on risk; in other words, the risk-reward relationship is always at the core of every lending decision.

The Bank has a risk rating system specific to Wholesale Banking, which seeks to support key credit risk parametric estimates to measure credit risk, through a credit analysis performed by an analyst specialized in the industry or sector at issue, according to the business segment and risk associated with the transaction. This rating system ensures transparency and consistency in terms of lending decisions which, together with the policies and manuals in place, lead to set the loan granting minimum standards based on credit ratings. Credit risk rating methodologies and parameters are reviewed and validated, at least, on an annual basis.

Ratings are also subject to permanent changes, as a result of perceived changes in the borrower's risk arising from updated information, with each change in ratings being submitted to and Internal Review Commission comprised by subject-matter specialists.

The Wholesale Banking Credit Risk area is in charge of performing an independent analysis of any application that involves credit risk. All applications for commercial loans are reviewed and assessed on the basis of their

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respective exposure, in order to guarantee an appropriate assessment, correct approval, and ongoing monitoring and active management of risks.

The starting point of this review process is an assessment of the borrower's or counterparty's credit risk, where key factors are assessed, including borrower's management, historical and projected financial position, industry, trends, etc.

As a result of such assessment, a specific credit rating is assigned, with an associated likelihood of default. In addition, the transaction is analyzed with special focus on collateral, maturity, and general arrangement.

The Wholesale Banking Credit Risk area renders an opinion, which is submitted to the Credit Committee, Executive Committee, or the Board of Directors for approval, depending on the amount involved in the transaction, as set forth in the respective credit manuals.

The Bank monitors the portfolio at the individual borrower level, on an ongoing basis and within the minimum terms set forth in the credit manuals, and assesses credit aspects, in addition to the customer's behavior with the Bank, payment history, use of checking account, etc. As concerns arrears management, the policies govern the commencement of the several recovery stages —early arrears, advanced arrears, and court proceedings — and establish the recovery means, settlement options (debt restructuring, reductions, further collateral, etc.), and risk control or recovery actions enabled for each stage.

The Bank develops indicators and reports on them on an ongoing basis to monitor the performance of the several business segments. The main indicators in this regard are part of the Risk Scorecard. In addition, the Bank develops several monthly and quarterly reports covering all risks associated with the portfolio on the basis of and in accordance with the business segment specificity.

The Bank has also developed methodologies for the periodical performance of stress tests and Economic Capital calculation. In connection with the stress tests aimed at measuring the impact of Wholesale Banking portfolio credit risk in the face of the several potential values the defined risk factors may take, a rigorous and detailed analysis at the level of each individual customer is performed; in other words, the potential impact the borrower or counterparty may have is measured and then reviewed at an aggregate level. Individual stress tests have also been designed to reinforce the methodology and simulate *ad hoc* scenarios. Such stress tests have defined contingency plans which are triggered, according to the size of the projected event.

Below is a detail of the credit quality of the Group's financial assets:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Government and corporate securities	61,046,422	57,159,941
Measured at fair value through profit or loss	27,565,985	46,337,359
Measured at amortized cost	28,954,132	8,397,514

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Investments in equity instruments	496,791	396,378
Financial trust participation certificates	0	15,085
Shares in mutual funds	1,762,332	1,616,630
Pledged as collateral	2,267,182	396,975
Loans and other financing arrangements	61,704,756	74,584,462
Commercial portfolio	25,190,697	26,204,766
Performing	18,009,268	18,697,867
Non-performing	7,181,429	7,506,899
Consumer portfolio	36,514,059	48,379,696
Performing	35,412,185	46,985,717
Non-performing	1,101,874	1,393,979
Other financial assets	5,629,062	4,211,571

Impairment of financial instruments

See notes 6.3 and 7.

#### Loans written-off

All loans within the consumer portfolio that must be fully accounted for in accordance with the applicable rules in force are written off one month after the date on which such provision is made. The balance of loans written-off as of December 31, 2021 and 2020 amounts to Ps. 6,246,707 and Ps. 8,703,621, respectively.

#### b) Market risk

The Bank monitors market risk, which is defined as the risk of sustaining potential losses in both balance sheet and off-balance sheet positions as a result of adverse fluctuations in the market price for listed financial assets subject to trading, including, for instance, government and corporate debt securities, shares, currencies, derivative products, and debt instruments issued by the Argentine Central Bank.

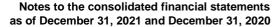
Market risk is comprised by: 1) risks inherent to equity and debt securities and other financial instruments (price risk), and 2) currency mismatch risk both within balance sheet and off-balance sheet positions (exchange rate risk). Market risk embraces risks associated with both "linear" and "non-linear" instruments (derivatives).

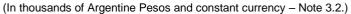
As required by the new rules handed down by the Argentine Central Bank, a Trading Portfolio has been defined for market risk monitoring. A Trading Portfolio is defined as a portfolio comprising positions in financial instruments held for trading in the short term, in order to make a profit from price fluctuations.

The portfolio is managed according to the following strategic guidelines:

- Analysis of the several macroeconomic and market variables, with its ensuing impact on prices for financial assets.
- · Allocation of weights to the several classes of assets, optimization of the portfolio risk-return profile, taking into

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account the several classes of assets and the interrelation among them.

- Analysis of the assets which, in the entity's view, are under or overvalued within each group and the potential for arbitrage within each of them.
- Compliance with both internal and external liquidity requirements.

The trading portfolio should be measured at fair market value for purposes of the capital requirement calculation. If the Bank has instruments within its portfolio with no market quotation, whether by reason of unavailability of a closing price or due to the fact that such price is not representative as a result of an illiquid position, it will estimate the fair value of the quotation.

"Fair values" are estimated by applying a calculation method, assumptions and parameters proposed by the Market Risk area, based on customary market practices, and are periodically agreed upon and reviewed by the Area Manager. The quotation will be estimated by discounting expected future cash flows at a representative market rate for such instrument, except for shares, in which case a comparable valuation method will be applied. The Internal Audit area, in compliance with the Argentine Central Bank's rules, periodically reviews the fairness of the criteria used in the estimate and the calculation.

The methodology employed by the Bank in quantifying market risk is based on the "Value at Risk" (VaR), that is, an estimate of maximum probable losses in a given horizon, with an associated likelihood of no less than 99%. For positions with associated price risk, the Bank has set a minimum time horizon or holding period of ten sessions. Monitoring takes place on a daily basis through an internally developed system. The Bank has established "VaR" limits which are observed for exposures to each of the aforementioned risks. There are also exposure limits per type of instrument, namely: debt securities from the non-financial public sector, securities issued by the Argentine Central Bank, local private debt securities, local private trust securities, local equity, currencies and gold. Such limits are annually reviewed by the Finance Committee as part of the preparation of the new Business Plan and the related Risk Strategy. In order to verify the robustness of the models employed in estimating price risk, the Bank periodically conducts retrospective tests or "backtesting." The Bank also conducts individual stress tests in order to estimate potential extreme losses no likely to be captured by parametric models.

The estimates of Value at Risk (price and foreign exchange risks) also help to determine the economic capital to be set aside for market risk.

As concerns market risk, the Finance and Risk Management Committees discuss and decide upon the main strategies to be followed in managing the security portfolio, the structural gap in foreign currency, and hedging alternatives, and are also involved in defining the tolerance level to be assumed by the Bank. The Market and Operational Risk Area is responsible for identifying, measuring, controlling and monitoring price and foreign exchange risks.

The tables below show the Group's exposure to foreign exchange risk as of fiscal year-end by type of currency:

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	Balances as of 12/31/2021			Balances as of 12/31/2020				
	Monetary financial assets	Monetary financial liabilities	Derivative instruments	Net Position	Monetary financial assets	Monetary financial liabilities	Derivative instruments	Net Position
Dollar	21,590,382	(20,117,264)	4,546,103	6,019,221	33,000,366	(28,464,623)	(3,893,145)	642,598
Euro	129,947	(5,706)	-	124,241	251,543	(12,893)	-	238,650
Total	21,720,329	(20,122,970)	4,546,103	6,143,462	33,251,909	(28,477,516)	(3,893,145)	881,248

Derivative instruments are measured at the fair value of the respective currency at fiscal year-end.

The following is a sensitivity analysis of income (loss) and shareholders' equity to reasonable changes in the preceding exchange rates relative to the Bank's functional currency, considering an instant variation in exposure as of the closing date.

	12/31/2021		12/31	1/2020	
Currency	Variation	Income (loss) Shareholders' equity I		Income (loss)	Shareholders' equity
		(In thousands of Ps.)			
Dollar	40%	(423,352) (423,352) 257,039 257,0			
	-40%	423,352 423,352 (257,039) (257,03			
Furo	40%	49,696	49,696	95,460	95,460
Euro	-40%	(49,696)	(49,696)	(95,460)	(95,460)

# c) Interest rate risk:

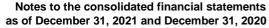
The Bank makes a periodical follow up of the interest rate risk, both as concerns the effects of variations in the interest rate on net financial income as well as on the Bank's economic value, that is, on the current value of its assets and liabilities.

As concerns interest rate risk management, the Bank monitors the amounts and contractual conditions of each new origination as well as the current portfolio (stock of loans, deposits, swaps, hedges, and securities, among others) to prevent potential departures from the defined risk appetite. The Bank also conducts an ongoing analysis of the several hedging alternatives in order to reduce interest rate gaps.

The Office of the Market and Operational Risk Manager is the area entrusted with the duties of identifying, measuring, controlling and monitoring interest rate risk. The Finance Committee and the Risk Management Committee are also involved in risk management, with their respective responsibilities.

Interest rate risk is quantified through two statistical approaches: "Net Interest Income at Risk" and "Economic

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Value at Risk." The first of these two approaches assesses potential departures in interest income as a result of changes in interest rates, while the second approach assesses the potential impairment of the portfolio present value, as a consequence of potential fluctuations in the term structure of interest rates. Both approaches also include "baseline risk," which arises from the imperfect correlation in lending and borrowing rate adjustments for instruments with similar revaluation features.

In addition to the two approaches mentioned above, the Bank also conducts a gap analysis (interval and cumulative gap) both in Pesos and US dollars in order to quantify interest rate risk exposure on several future dates, and under several sensitivity analyses, and stress tests. In addition, as a sensitivity measure, the impacts on the expected results and on the expected current results of the portfolio in the event of changes of +/- 100 basic points in interest rates are evaluated.

The Interest Rate Risk Report is prepared on a monthly basis, in which the risk levels assumed by the Bank are described under both approaches, term gaps (gap analysis), base risk (due to foreign exchange hedge with futures), individual stress analysis and relevant events of the month.

Each measure has an associated limit, which is reviewed on an annual basis as part of the preparation of the new Business Plan and its related Risk Strategy.

## d) Liquidity risk

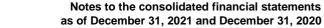
Funding liquidity risk is defined as the likelihood that the Group may not be able to efficiently fulfill its current or future, expected and unexpected cash flows, with margin call/execution, without interfering with its day-to-day operations or financial position.

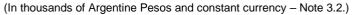
On the other hand, market liquidity risk is defined as the likelihood that an entity may not be able to offset or sell a market position due to:

- The fact that the volume of the assets comprising such position in the secondary market is not sufficient;
- The occurrence of disruptive events in the market hindering the normal execution of operations and/or at reasonable prices.

The preceding definitions refer to liquidity risk in local currency, as well as to the risk related to positions in other currencies, including, but not limited to, foreign exchange mismatches. To such end, structural mismatch is defined as the difference between the commitments for securities issued in and/or adjusted for foreign currency and the assets denominated in and/or adjusted for the same currency. It also includes the risks stemming from positions which, due to regulatory issues, are not accounted for in the financial statements, as it is the case of certain derivate instruments.

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Liquidity management refers not only to liquidity risk in local currency but also to liquidity risk related to positions in other currencies, including, but not limited to, currency mismatches.

Liquidity risk management is defined as such actions planned for and/or carried out in order to maintain liquidity risk within the scope of the Board's definition. Such actions stem from the Finance Area's intrinsic mission of efficiently managing the liquid and financial resources.

In order for control over liquidity risk to be effective, the Bank has established a scheme of limits and early alert warnings to keep the Finance Committee abreast of potential increases in risks and/or unexpected changes in the tolerance level. Once certain risk threshold has been reached, the Finance Committee is expected to assess the actions to be taken.

Similarly, the Bank monitors compliance with the Liquidity Coverage Ratio (LCR) and Net Stable Funding Ratio (NSFR) minimum requirements; in both cases, keeping the Finance Committee and the Director in charge of monitoring liquidity abreast of changes in such ratios.

The Finance Committee establishes the liquidity risk aversion level to be assumed by the Bank, and the Finance Area manages the currency liquidity mismatch risk following the guidelines set out by the Finance Committee and the Director in charge of liquidity.

#### LIMITS, EARLY ALERTS AND MONITORING VARIABLES

High liquidity and minimum liquidity requirement

In order to maintain a risk level in line with the tolerance threshold approved by the Board of Directors, the Bank has set minimum limits ("Minimum Liquidity Requirement") for the liquid and/or readily realizable position ("High Liquidity").

#### Limits to foreign currency positions

The Finance Committee sets maximum limits to purchased or sold positions in foreign currency and, to the extent necessary, to foreign exchange derivative instruments or other financial commitments in foreign currency.

## Exposure limit by type of instrument

The Finance Committee defines an exposure limit by type or category of instrument and/or security applicable for the entire period.

## Deposit concentration and stability

In order to build a stable and quality deposit base, the Bank takes actions to foster and give priority to the balanced growth of deposits, diversifying the customer base, geographic areas, and type of deposits. In order to be aware of liquidity risk implications and changes in liquidity projections as a result of deposit concentration, the Bank sets alert levels and defines the actions to be taken.

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Contingent liquidity requirements for special operations

The Finance Committee approves and oversees the agreed-upon financial conditions and the contingencies associated with off-balance sheet operations and/or positions.

Liquidity Coverage Ratio (LCR)

Through Communication "A" 5724 handed down in March 2015, the Argentine Central Bank imposed a daily monitoring requirement, with monthly and quarterly reporting to the Argentine Central Bank.

Net Stable Funding Ratio (NSFR)

Through Communication "A" 6306, the Argentine Central Bank established a new indicator to be monitored on a daily basis and reported quarterly to the Argentine Central Bank.

The goal of the NSFR is for financial institutions to be able to monitor to what extent they may fund their activities out of sufficiently stable sources to mitigate the risk of future stress scenarios resulting from their funding.

The table below shows the Bank's liquidity coverage ratios (LCR) for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2021 and 2020:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Average for the year	136%	153%
Higher	160%	205%
Lower	117%	110%

The breakdown of financial assets and liabilities by maturity are disclosed in Schedule D "Consolidated breakdown of Loans and Other Financing Arrangements by Maturity Dates" and Schedule I "Consolidated breakdown of Financial Liabilities by Maturity Dates" to these financial statements, respectively.

## 27. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

The Bank's capital management goals are:

- Fulfilling the requirements established by the BCRA in its Communication "A" 6260, as amended;
- Supporting the Bank's operations to prevent any situation that may endanger them.

According to the BCRA's guidelines, financial institutions are required to maintain certain capital ratios to mitigate the associated risks. The Bank has met the minimum capital requirement determined in accordance with the BCRA's rules.

Effective since March 2020, the BCRA required that, for purposes of the calculation of Regulatory Capital (*Responsabilidad Patrimonial Computable*) by Group "A" financial institutions, the impact resulting from the positive difference between the allowance computed pursuant to item 5.5. of IFRS 9 and the higher of the "regulatory"

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allowance calculated pursuant to the rules on "Minimum allowances for loan losses", or the accounting allowance pursuant to the trial balance as of November 30, 2019, may be considered as Tier 1 Ordinary Capital.

Regulatory Capital (*Responsabilidad Patrimonial Computable*) is comprised by Core Capital and Supplementary Capital. The table below shows a breakdown of the respective balances:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Core Capital		
Tier 1 Ordinary Capital	22,606,373	29,465,185
(Deductible items)	(6,718,603)	(5,895,943)
Tier 1 Additional Capital	26,856	28,576
Supplementary Capital		
Tier 2 Capital	504,249	659,025
Regulatory Capital (Responsabilidad Patrimonial Computable)	16,418,875	24,256,843

Below is a detail of the determined capital requirement:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Credit risk	5,883,819	7,066,980
Market risk	488,898	638,519
Operational risk	2,085,159	2,829,184
Core requirement	8,457,876	10,534,683
Payment	16,418,875	24,256,843
Surplus	7,960,999	13,722,160

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## 28. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE ARGENTINE CENTRAL BANK

## 28.1. Deposit Guarantee Insurance System

Law 24,485 and Decrees 540/95 created the Deposit Insurance System for the purpose of providing coverage for bank deposits in addition to the privileges and protection system provided for under the Financial Institutions Law. Through Communication "A" 6973, the BCRA established that as from May 1, 2020, the cap for deposit insurance in pesos and/or in foreign currency is ARS 1,500 (previously, 1,000).

Through Communication "A" 6435, effective January 20, 2018, the BCRA provided for the exclusion of sight deposits with interest rates above reference rates and term deposits and investments with rates that are 1.3 times higher than the reference rate. Time deposits and fixed-term investments will also be excluded when these limits on interest rates are distorted by additional incentives or yields.

The contribution that financial institutions shall make on a monthly basis to the Fund is 0.015% over the monthly average of deposits involved. In addition to the normal deposit, entities shall make an additional contribution according to the result obtained from weighting several factors.

As of December 31, 2021 and 2020, the contribution to the Deposit Guarantee Fund amounted to 323,088 and 201,111, respectively, and it is recorded under "Other operating expenses" as of each period.

#### 28.2. Restricted assets

Below is a detail of financial assets pledged as collateral as of each indicated date:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Banco Hipotecario		
BCRA special guarantee accounts related to electronic clearing		
agencies	1,868,402	1,312,635
Cash, government securities and instruments issued by the		
Argentine Central Bank as collateral for OTC ROFEX transactions	1,932,512	20,331
Government securities and instruments issued by the Argentine		
Central Bank as collateral for MAE and BYMA transactions	8,836	5,951
Cash and deposits in escrow as collateral for Visa credit card		
transactions	506,406	604,519
Cash and deposits in escrow as collateral for office and store leases	1,513	1,465
Cash and deposits in escrow as collateral for attachments	1,672	2,290
Government securities and instruments issued by the BCRA carried		
in repo transactions	31,863	-
	4,351,204	1,947,191

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	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
BACS		
Instruments issued by the Argentine Central Bank, government		
securities and Pesos as collateral for OTC ROFEX transactions	334,637	378,849
	334,637	378,849
BHN Inversión		
Cash and deposits in escrow as collateral for offices leases	2,676	3,411
	2,676	3,411
CHA IX to XIV Financial Trusts		
Mutual funds	61,400	95,546
	61,400	95,546
Total	4,749,917	2,424,997

## 28.3. Fiduciary activities

The Group acts as trustee, trustor or administrator in the following trusts:

## Role as Trustee:

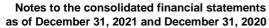
# PROGRAMA CRÉDITO ARGENTINO DEL BICENTENARIO PARA LA VIVIENDA ÚNICA Y FAMILIAR (Pro.Cre.Ar.)

On June 12, 2012, the National Executive Branch issued Decree No. 902 whereby it ordered the creation of a Public Fiduciary Fund referred to as *Programa Crédito Argentino del Bicentenario para la Vivienda Única Familiar* (Argentine Single Family Housing Program for the Bicentennial) (Pro.Cre.Ar.). On that same date, the Bank's Board of Directors approved the Bank's role as trustee of the referred fund.

On July 18, 2012, the Argentine Government, as Trustor, and Banco Hipotecario S.A. as Trustee, created the "PROCREAR" Administrative and Financial Trust, and its underlying assets were transferred to it as trust property.

The Trust's purpose is as follows: (i) to manage the trust assets with the aim of facilitating the population's access to housing and the generation of job opportunities as economic and social development policies, in compliance with the principles and objectives set forth in Decree No. 902; (ii) the use by the Trustee of the net proceeds from the placement of the Trust Bonds (*Valores Representativos de Deuda* or VRDs) and cash contributions by the Argentine Government to originate loans and credit lines for the construction of houses in accordance with the provisions of Decree No. 902; and (iii) the repayment of the VRDs in accordance with the terms of the Trust agreement and the Trust Law.

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The Trust shall be in effect for a term of thirty (30) years as from the date of execution of the agreement (July 18, 2012).

As of December 31, 2021, the Trust's financial position is as follows:

Assets: ARS 365,353,696Liabilities: ARS 31,708,612

Shareholders' Equity: ARS 333,645,084

As of December 31, 2021, the PROCREAR Administrative and Financial trust portfolio was composed of 135,348 mortgage loans for the construction of permanent, single family houses, 301,551 consumer loans and a wholesale loan. The amount disbursed for the construction of each line as of December 31, 2021 was ARS 201,105,891, ARS 28,395,178 and ARS 566,729, respectively. The committed amounts pending disbursement total ARS 8,397,994.

#### OTHER FINANCIAL TRUSTS

BACS acts as a trustee of Aracar Créditos I and Wayni I financial trusts.

## Role as Trustor

#### **GLOBAL MULTI-ASSET MORTGAGE TRUST SECURITIES PROGRAM**

"CHA UVA Series I Financial Trust" is a financial trust created pursuant to the Indenture dated April 23, 2018 entered into by the Bank, in its capacity as trustor and TMF Trust Company (Argentina) S.A., in its capacity as trustee. Upon the transfer of the mortgage loans to the trustee, the trustee issues the corresponding debt securities and certificates of participation and settles the amount of the loans transferred by the Bank, out of the proceeds from the issuance. The assets held in trust are separate from the trustee's and the trustor's assets. The following is the single series outstanding under the program as of December 31, 2021:

	Debt securities Class A	Debt securities Class B	Certificates of Participation	Total
CHA UVA Series I - Issued on April				
23, 2018				
Nominal value in thousands of UVA	8,645	5,763	4,802	19,210

# GLOBAL TRUST SECURITIES PROGRAM, "CÉDULAS HIPOTECARIAS ARGENTINAS"

The Bank has entered into several financial trust agreements pursuant to which, as trustor, it transfers the fiduciary ownership of mortgage loans within its loan portfolio to several financial institutions, as trustee. Once the mortgage loans have been transferred to the trustee, it proceeds to issue the respective debt securities and participation

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certificates and to settle the amount of the loans assigned by the Bank out of the net proceeds from the placement. The trust property is separate from the trustor's and trustee's assets.

The trustee is liable to manage the trust funds previously created in accordance with the specifications of the trust agreement.

In 2004, the Bank created a Global Trust Securities Program, "CÉDULAS HIPOTECARIAS ARGENTINAS" for the securitization of individual mortgage loans to finance housing units for an aggregate principal amount of up to ARS 500,000,000, which was authorized by the CNV through Resolution No. 14814 dated June 3, 2004.

As of December 31, 2021, fourteen series of Argentine Mortgage Bonds Financial Trusts (CHA) were created. As of the date of these consolidated financial statements, the following series were outstanding:

	Debt securities	Participation cortificatos	Total	
	Class A1/AV	Participation certificates		
CHA IX Issued on 08.28.2009				
Nominal value	192,509	10,132	202,641	
Declared maturity date	02.07.2027	07.07.2027		
CHA X Issued on 08.28.2009				
Nominal value	-	17,224	17,224	
Nominal value in thousands of US\$	85,001	-	85,001	
Declared maturity date	01.07.2027	06.07.2028		
CHA XI Issued on 12.21.2009				
Nominal value	204,250	10,750	215,000	
Declared maturity date	03.10.2024	10.10.2024		
CHA XII Issued on 07.21.2010				
Nominal value	259,932	13,680	273,612	
Declared maturity date	11.10.2028	02.10.2029		
CHA XIII Issued on 12.02.2010				
Nominal value	110,299	5,805	116,104	
Declared maturity date	12.10.2029	04.10.2030		
CHA XIV Issued on 03.18.2011				
Nominal value	119,876	6,309	126,185	
Declared maturity date	05.10.2030	08.10.2030		

In these trust funds, BACS acted as Arranger and currently acts as General Administrator.

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#### Role as Administrator

#### **CHA UVA SERIES 1 FINANCIAL TRUST**

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#### FINANCIAL TRUST ADMINISTRATION

BACS is the general administrator of the trust funds Cédulas Hipotecarias Argentinas (CHA) Series IX, X, XI, XII, XIII, XIV, and Trust Red Mutual 46 to 55.

#### 28.4. Compliance with the regulations required by the Argentine Securities Commission

# **Documentation filing**

To comply with the requirements provided for in General Resolution No. 269 of the CNV, Banco Hipotecario S.A. reports that the documentation filed off-site is kept at the warehouses of Bank S.A., domiciled at Carlos Pellegrini 1401 (Avellaneda).

#### **Capital Markets Law**

#### Banco Hipotecario

According to the Capital Markets Law No. 26,831 and the regulations handed down by the CNV, the Bank is registered as: (i) Financial Trustee No. 57, (ii) Settlement and Clearing Agent and Comprehensive Trading Agent No. 40, and (iii) Mutual Fund Placement and Distribution Agent No. 12. In turn, in its capacity as Settlement and Clearing Agent and Comprehensive Trading Agent, the Bank is registered with the following markets authorized by the CNV: (i) Bolsas y Mercados Argentinos S.A. (BYMA), (ii) Mercado Abierto Electrónico S.A. (MAE), and (iii) ROFEX S.A.

General Resolution No. 821 of the CNV provides that Settlement and Clearing Agents and Comprehensive Trading Agents are required to permanently maintain a minimum shareholders' equity amount of ARS 470,350 acquisition value units (UVA) as reflected in their annual and interim financial statements covering six-month periods. In this sense, it is reported that Banco Hipotecario S.A.'s minimum shareholders' equity composed as required by the rules issued by the Argentine Central Bank exceeds the minimum amount required under such resolution. On the other hand, the Bank's equity was duly paid in as of December 31, 2021.

In addition, it sets forth that no less than 50% of the minimum shareholders' equity amount shall fulfill the requirements of Schedule I, Title VI of the CNV's regulations. In turn, such schedule sets forth the requirements applicable to the liquid balancing account in the Mandatory Guarantee Fund set forth in Section 45 of Law No. 26,831 and in the Guarantee Fund for Customers' Claims. Pursuant to Section 22 of General Resolution 821/19

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issued by the CNV, since the shareholders' equity has been restated in the financial statements, the amount adjusted to the applicable UVA value as of the closing date shall be credited as minimum amount in the liquid balancing account. Accordingly, the liquid balancing account is identified –through AL35 government security – Government Bond carried at amortized cost, as per the following detail:

С	Date	Amount UVA as per CNV Matrix	Govern ment Security	Kind CV	Amount	Listing	Valuation of security in ARS	Valuation of security in UVA
12/3	1/2021	235,175	AL35	5922	500,000	63.435	31,717,500	325,274.33

#### **BACS**

According to the Capital Markets Law No. 26,831 and the regulations handed down by the CNV, the Bank is registered as: (i) Financial Trustee No. 55, (ii) Settlement and Clearing Agent and Comprehensive Trading Agent No. 25, and (iii) Mutual Fund Placement and Distribution Agent. In turn, in its capacity as Settlement and Clearing Agent and Comprehensive Trading Agent, the Bank is registered with the following markets authorized by the CNV: (i) Bolsas y Mercados Argentinos S.A. (BYMA), (ii) Mercado Abierto Electrónico S.A. (MAE), Mercado Argentino de Valores (MAV) and (iii) ROFEX S.A.

General Resolution No. 821 of the CNV provides that Settlement and Clearing Agents and Comprehensive Trading Agents are required to permanently maintain a minimum shareholders' equity amount of ARS 470,350 acquisition value units (UVA) as reflected in their annual and interim financial statements covering six-month periods. In this sense, it is reported that BACS' minimum shareholders' equity composed as required by the rules issued by the Argentine Central Bank exceeds the minimum amount required under such resolution. On the other hand, the Bank's equity was duly paid in as of December 31, 2021.

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Date	Amount UVA as per CNV Matrix	Govern ment Security	Kind CV	Amount	Listing	Valuation of security in ARS	Valuation of security in UVA
12/31/2021	235,175	X28F2	5500	100,000,000	1.4237	142,374,782	1,460,104

Additionally, BACS Administradora de Activos S.A., in accordance with General Resolution No. 792, as Managing Company, has a requirement of 150,000 UVAS and must increase the same by a fund equivalent to 20,000 UVAS for each additional fund it manages.

Likewise, it must maintain as balancing account, a minimum of 50% of the amount of the minimum Shareholders' Equity fully invested in eligible assets indicated in Schedule I, Chapter I, Title VI of the CNV's regulations 2013. As of December 31, 2021, the liquid balancing account is duly paid-in.

### 28.5. Accounts that identify compliance with minimum cash requirements

Below is a detail of the items computed by the Bank to comply with the minimum cash requirements (as per the applicable regulations established by the Argentine Central Bank) and the corresponding average balances as of December 31, 2021:

Checking accounts at BCRA
Special accounts at BCRA
Payment with BOTE 2022
Payment with Leliq and LeCer
CRYL Account
Total paid-in

Pesos	Dollar	Euro	Treasury Bill due 01/31/22	Treasury Bill due 02/28/22	Argentine Bond USD due 07/09/35
	(in the	ousands in	the relevant currer	ncy)	
14,641,445	72,782	74	-	-	-
1,525,940	660	-	-	-	-
5,541,395	-	-	-	-	-
18,832,588	-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	74,368	36,084	277
40,541,368	73,442	74	74,368	36,084	277

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Total requirement	38,286,427	62,121	-	74,368	36,084	255
Required deduction (miscellaneous)	7,474,911	-	-	-	-	-
Monthly position	9,729,852	11,321	74	-	-	22

# 28.6. Penalties imposed on the Bank and summary proceedings initiated by the Argentine Central Bank and other regulatory authorities

#### I – Summary proceedings before administrative authorities:

1. On August 30, 2019, the Bank was notified of Resolution No. 250/2019, whereby the Superintendent of Financial and Exchange Institutions had resolved to file summary proceedings in financial matters against Banco Hipotecario S.A. and Messrs. Eduardo Sergio Elsztain, Mario Blejer, Saúl Zang, Fernando Recalde, Ernesto Manuel Viñes, Carlos Bernardo Písula, Jacobo Julio Dreizzen, Mauricio Elías Wior, Adolfo Gregorio Reznik, Martin Juan Lanfranco, Juan Rubén Jure, Francisco Guillermo Susmel, Pablo Daniel Vergara Del Carril, Nora Edith Zylberlicht, Ricardo Flammini, Francisco Daniel Gonzalez, José Daniel Abelovich, Marcelo Héctor Fuxman, Gabriel Andrés Carretero, Manuel Juan Luciano Herrera Grazioli, Mariano Cané de Estrada, Lorena Cecilia Morchón and Ana María Lemmi, for considering *prima facie* that profits would have been distributed while not having reached the additional capital margins required under applicable laws and without having secured the prior consent of the Superintendency of Financial and Exchange Institutions, in violation of the provisions of Section 4.1., Communication "A" 5827 and 6.3, Communication "A" 6464.

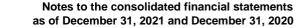
On September 13, 2019, the Bank filed defenses with the BCRA, along with documentary and IT expert evidence, the latter in the event the emails offered as documentary evidence were dismissed.

Finally, on August 17, 2021, the Superintendent of Financial and Exchange Institutions of the BCRA issued Resolution No. 116/2021, whereby it resolved to warn Messrs. Blejer and Zylberlich and to impose a fine on BHSA of 11,7000 and several fines of different amounts on the rest of defendants for a total of 21,487.

Such Resolution was notified to BHSA on September 24, 2021 and on October 19, 2021 it was appealed under the terms of Section 42 of Financial Institutions Law No. 21,526. As of even date, the BCRA has not yet granted the appeal filed.

2. On September 15, 2020, BACS; BACS' General Manager, Diego A. Jordan; and BACS' Operations Manager, Karina A. Riccardi; were served notice of administrative proceedings No. 381/10/21 in their capacity as defendants under Resolution No. 134, pursuant to Article 8 of the Criminal Exchange Law No. 19,359, text as per Decree 480/95 ("Criminal Exchange Law"). The administrative proceedings were initiated due to charges raised against Jordan and Riccardi for the offenses set forth under section 1. e) and f) of the Criminal Exchange Law, in addition to item

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2 of Communication "A" 6799 issued by the BCRA. The charges against BACS were grounded on Article 1. e) and f) and Article 2. f), first paragraph of the Criminal Exchange Law, also supplemented by item 2 of Communication "A" 6799 issued by the BCRA, in connection with a transaction carried out in January 2020, in the amount of US\$ 15,000, which was reversed a few days after completion.

In March 2021, BACS and the above-mentioned managers made an appearance and designated a defense counsel. On June 2, 2021, they presented their defense, offered evidence and requested the closing of the proceedings to the BCRA's Office of Foreign Exchange Contentious Matters. By means of Resolution dated October 15, 2021, the BCRA resolved to start the discovery stage of the proceedings. During November 2021, informative and oral evidence was produced.

#### II - Summary proceedings pending court decision.

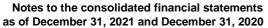
1. On October 31, 2014, the Bank was notified of Resolution No. 685 dated October 29, 2014 handed down by the Superintendent of Financial and Foreign Exchange Institutions in the summary proceedings in financial matters No. 1320, whereby the Bank and its authorities had been charged, on the one hand, with alleged violations to the rules governing financial aid to the Non-Financial Public Sector, excess over the limits of fractioned exposure to credit risk from the non-financial public sector, excess in the allocation of assets pledged as collateral, failure to satisfy minimum capital requirements, and objections against the accounting treatment afforded to the "Cer Swap Linked to PG08 and External Debt" transaction and, on the other hand, with delays in communicating the appointment of new directors and in providing documentation associated with the directors recently elected by the shareholders' meetings.

Resolution No. 685 then fined Banco Hipotecario S.A. with ARS 4,040 and also fined its directors (Eduardo S. Elsztain; Jacobo J. Dreizzen; Carlos B. Písula; Edgardo L. Fornero; Gabriel G. Reznik; Pablo D. Vergara del Carril; Ernesto M. Viñes; Saul Zang; Mauricio E. Wior), former directors (Clarisa D. Lifsic de Estol; Federico L. Bensadón; Jorge L. March and Jaime A. Grinberg), statutory auditors (Messrs. Ricardo Flammini; José D. Abelovich; Marcelo H. Fuxman; Alfredo H. Groppo; and Martín E. Scotto), the Area Manager Gustavo D. Efkhanian and former managers (Gabriel G. Saidón and Enrique L. Benitez) for an aggregate amount of ARS 51,582. Under this decision, former Statutory Auditor Ms. Silvana M. Gentile was acquitted.

On November 25, 2014, Banco Hipotecario S.A. and the other individuals affected by the adverse decision lodged an appeal under Section 42 of the Financial Institutions Law, which was sent by the Argentine Central Bank to the National Appellate Court with Federal Jurisdiction over Contentious and Administrative Matters. Therefore, at present the case is being heard by Division I of such Appellate Court. Moreover, on December 30, 2014, the Bank and the individuals against whom sanctions were imposed sought injunctive relief against the enforcements pursued by the Argentine Central Bank for collection of the fines.

Upon being notified of the resolution issued by the Appellate Court on June 30, 2016, dismissing the injunctive relief filed by the Bank, the directors, managers and some of the statutory auditors, and in order to prevent any further conflict and financial damage that might result from actions to compel payment of fines, the Bank's Executive

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Committee decided to apply the indemnity rules regarding directors, high-ranking officers and statutory auditors, as an alternative for the amounts not covered by the D&O insurance policy approved by the Bank's Board of Directors at its meetings held on August 2, 2002 and May 8, 2013, and resolved to deposit the amounts of the fines.

Such deposit, including the amount corresponding to the fine imposed on the Bank and the respective legal costs, totaled ARS 57,672. Out this amount, ARS 53,632 were expensed for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2015 and ARS 4,040 were computed as an allowance for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2014.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, the brief filed with the court hearing the proceedings to compel payment argued that the amounts deposited in the judicial accounts opened to such end were subject to attachment, and a petition was filed for the respective amounts to be invested in automatically renewable term deposits at 180 days in order to ensure the integrity of the funds until the Appellate Court with Federal Jurisdiction over Contentious and Administrative Matters hands down a decision on the appeal lodged against Resolution No. 685/14 of the Argentine Central Bank.

The requests for injunction were rejected, and the court continued pursuing proceedings to enforce fines against each of the defendants. For such reason, the amounts subject to attachment were applied to the payment of the relevant fines.

On February 22, 2019, Division I of the National Appellate Court with Federal Jurisdiction over Contentious and Administrative Matters resolved the following, with one negative vote from a judge: "1) Partially sustain the appeal filed by BHSA, its directors –Mrs. Lifsic de Estol and Messrs. Elsztain, Bensadón, Dreizzen, Fornero, Grinberg, March, Písula, Reznik, Vergara del Carril, Viñes, Zang and Wior- and its managers –Benitez, Saidón and Efkhanian – and, therefore, order the file to be returned to the BCRA for it to determine and substantiate the amounts of the penalties to be applied to said officers within sixty days, pursuant to the provisions in paragraph XIII; and 2) order each party to pay its court costs, given the complexity of the issues involved and the resolution process (Section 68, paragraph two of the Argentine Civil and Commercial Code of Procedure)".

Given that certain grounds in the judgment issued by the Appellate Court are questionable, and taking into consideration the grounds stated by the judge voting against said judgment, an Extraordinary Appeal in accordance with Section 14 of Law 48 was filed before that Court on March 12, 2019.

On April 11, 2019, Division I of the Appellate Court sustained both extraordinary appeals – the one filed by Banco Hipotecario S.A. and the one filed by the BCRA – as regards the federal matter invoked and the arbitrariness of judgment. It only rejected BCRA's appeal as regards the institutional seriousness invoked. At present, we are awaiting judgment from the Argentine Supreme Court of Justice (SCJ).

2. On August 11, 2015, the Bank was notified of Resolution No. 76/15, whereby the Chairman of the Financial Information Unit (UIF) had ordered the commencement of summary proceedings against Banco Hipotecario S.A., its directors (Eduardo S. Elsztain, Mario Blejer, Jacobo Julio Dreizzen, Carlos B. Písula, Ernesto M. Viñes, Gabriel G. Reznik, Pablo D. Vergara del Carril, Mauricio Wior, Saúl Zang, Edgardo Fornero, Diego Bossio, Mariana

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Gonzalez and Ada Maza) and its Compliance Officer (Ernesto M. Viñes) in connection with alleged failures to comply with Section 21. a) of Law No. 25,246 and Resolution UIF No. 121/11. According to said resolution, the Bank and its directors had *prima facie* failed to comply with certain customer identification requirements, monitoring standards, the risk matrix definition, and the procedures to update its customers' background and profiles, among others.

On September 23, 2015, the Bank filed its defenses with the UIF along with documentary evidence, and produced informative evidence, IT expert opinions and oral evidence. On April 13, 2016, the production of evidence was ordered, and all evidence was duly produced in due time and form, including the report issued by the Argentine Central Bank on the risk adjustment and mitigation plan submitted in due time by Banco Hipotecario S.A. At the conclusion of this procedural stage, the attorneys-in-fact of the persons subject to the summary proceedings filed their closing arguments concerning the evidence produced.

On March 6, 2019, Resolution UIF No. 10/2019 was notified, whereby the Chairman of the UIF decided to impose a fine of ARS 100 on Banco Hipotecario and ARS 100 on the directors subject to the summary proceedings, on grounds of the violations of Resolution No. 121/2011. On March 13, 2019, the fine was paid.

On April 16, 2019, a direct appeal was filed with the National Appellate Court with Federal Jurisdiction over Contentious and Administrative Matters, with the action being heard by Division IV, under case file No. 19717/2019.

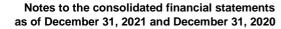
On August 27, 2020, notice of the judgment rendered was served dismissing the appeal and confirming the materiality of the penalties imposed by the UIF and, hence, the amount thereof. In addition, the court awarded legal costs and expenses against the losing party and assessed the fees payable to the defendant's attorneys. On September 10, an extraordinary appeal was lodged against this judgment.

On September 28, 2020, the UIF answered the notice of the extraordinary appeal and the case was set for judgment on that same date. On October 29, 2020, Division IV of the National Appellate Court with Federal Jurisdiction over Contentious and Administrative Matters dismissed the Federal Extraordinary Appeal lodged.

As a result, on November 5, 2020, an appeal was filed with the Supreme Court of Justice, and we are currently awaiting the Court's decision to grant or deny it.

3. On November 25, 2014, the Financial Information Unit (UIF) notified Tarshop S.A.U. of the commencement of summary proceedings identified under Resolution No. 234/14, on grounds of potential formal violations arising from the alleged breach of Section 21. a) of Law No. 25,246 and Resolutions UIF No. 27/11 and 2/12, accordingly. Tarshop S.A.U., its Compliance Officer (Mauricio Elías Wior) and the then Directors (Eduardo Sergio Elsztain, Saúl Zang, Marcelo Gustavo Cufré and Fernando Sergio Rubín) were summoned to file defenses. In the legal counsel's opinion, at the current stage of the proceedings and based on the precedents existing at the UIF in connection with similar cases, an administrative penalty is likely to be imposed. Accordingly, the Bank has booked an allowance of ARS 360 in fiscal year ended December 31, 2016. On May 4, 2018, the Company was notified that the UIF decided to impose a lower penalty, which would be appealed before the relevant appellate body. As from September 2, 2019, the date of the merger of Tarshop S.A.U. into Banco Hipotecario S.A., all the assets, rights and obligations of

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Tarshop S.A.U. were transferred to the Bank, as merging or surviving company; therefore, it is continuing party to these summary proceedings.

On July 3, 2020, notice was served of the judgment rendered on the merits of these proceedings, whereby the appeal so filed was dismissed and costs were awarded against the losing party. The Appellate Court dismissed the appeal on merely formal grounds. On August 18, 2020, a motion for extraordinary appeal was lodged against the judgment rendered on July 3, 2020.

On December 3, 2020, Division V of the National Appellate Court with Federal Jurisdiction over Contentious and Administrative Matters granted the appeal lodged. At present, the Bank is awaiting final judgement from the Argentine Supreme Court of Justice.

# 28.7. Restrictions on the distribution of profits

Regulations issued by the BCRA provide that 20% of the fiscal year's profits, net of potential adjustment from prior years, if applicable, shall be allocated to a legal reserve.

In accordance with the conditions set forth by the BCRA, profits may be distributed only to the extent there are positive results after the off-balance sheet deduction of unappropriated retained earnings/losses, and legal, statutory and/or special reserves set up for the following items: the difference between the book value and the market value of sovereign debt and/or monetary regulation instruments issued by the BCRA valued at amortized cost, amounts recorded in assets for lawsuits related to deposits, the result from revaluation of property, plant & equipment and intangible assets and investment properties, among others.

Furthermore, the Bank shall verify that, after the proposed distribution of profits is carried out, there is a capital margin over risk-weighted assets, in addition to the minimum capital requirements set forth under applicable regulations, paid out of level 1 ordinary capital, net of deductibles.

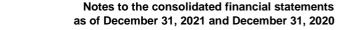
In addition, the technical ratio of minimum capital requirements shall be met to distribute profits.

The technical ratio shall be assessed excluding the aforementioned items from assets and unappropriated retained earnings/losses. Also, any existing deductible item regarding minimum capital requirements, payment and/or position shall not be computed.

As from January 2016, the BCRA provided for a capital preservation margin in addition to the minimum capital requirement equivalent to 2.5% of risk-weighted assets. Said margin shall be fully paid in out of level 1 ordinary capital, net of deductible items. The distribution of profits shall be limited when the level and composition of the Entity's Regulatory Capital (*Responsabilidad Patrimonial Computable*) is within the capital preservation margin range.

At present, financial institutions shall secure the BCRA's previous consent to distribute profits. The distribution of profits by financial institutions is suspended until December 31, 2021, as set forth in Communication "A" 7312.

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Communication "A" 7421 provided that, effective from January 1, 2022 to December 31, 2022, financial institutions may only distribute profits for up to 20 % of the amount that should have otherwise been distributed if the rules on "Distribution of profits" had been applied. Besides, effective January 1, 2022, financial institutions that have secured the BCRA's previous consent will be required to make such distribution in 12 equal, monthly and consecutive instalments.

In accordance with the provisions of the CNV rules, the Shareholders' Meeting considering the annual financial statements shall resolve on the treatment of negative retained earnings, generated by the application of the new accounting standards.

#### 28.8. Capital management and transparent corporate governance policy

Banco Hipotecario assumes that institutions must rely on a Corporate Governance system to provide guidance to the structure and operation of their corporate bodies for the benefit of the institutions, their shareholders, depositors, investors and the community at large.

The Bank's Corporate Governance system is designed as a dynamic process that considers the company's development, the results derived from its performance, the regulations imposed from time to time, and the recommendations on best market practices, harmonizing them with its social reality.

The Bank's Corporate Governance is thus governed by currently applicable laws and regulations, its by-laws and the Code of Corporate Governance that address matters related to the Bank's operations, its Shareholders' Meetings, the Board, the Board's committees, the office of the General Manager, Senior Management and relations with its subsidiaries.

Besides, the Bank relies on guidelines for internal behavior contained in its Code of Ethics enshrining the ethical tenets and principles that are to inspire the behaviors of directors, managers and employees.

# 1) The Board of Directors: Structure:

Pursuant to Law No. 24,855, Section 21 and Banco Hipotecario's by-laws, the Bank's Board of Directors is composed of thirteen regular members elected to hold office for two-year terms by the different share class shareholders' meetings. Directors may be re-elected indefinitely and on a step-wise basis. Each class of shares appoints a number of Alternate Directors that is equal to or less than the number of regular directors that the class is entitled to elect.

Candidates to serve in the Bank's Board must not be within the scope of the inabilities set forth in Law No. 19,550, Section 264 and in Law No. 21,526 Section 10; they must have prior experience in financial activities and it is only when the Argentine Central Bank authorizes it that they can take office.

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The Central Bank examines Directors' background information looking for the skills and experience for serving in a Board on the basis of: (i) the nominee's professional history in the financial industry and/or (ii) the nominee's professional credentials and track record in the public or private sector in similar matters or areas that are relevant to the Bank's commercial profile. In addition, the Argentine Central Bank's rules require that at least two thirds of Board members should have proven previous experience in financial activities.

Directors are designated by a majority vote at the shareholders' meetings held by each one of the classes of common stock as follows:

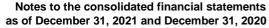
- a) Class A shares elect 2 regular Directors and 2 alternates.
- b) Class B shares elect 1 regular Director and 1 alternate in so far as Class B shares are representative of 2% of the capital stock issued at the time the respective shareholders' meeting was called.
- c) Class C shares elect 1 regular Director and 1 alternate Director in so far as Class C shares are representative of more than 3% of the capital stock issued at the time the respective shareholders' meeting was called.
- d) Class D shares are entitled to appoint the rest of the regular and alternate directors (under no circumstances shall this number be less than 9 regular members and at least its equivalent in alternates). When neither Class B or Class C were, for any reason, entitled to appoint and/or participate in the appointment of, directors, any such share class may cast a vote together with Class D shares at the special Class D shareholders' meeting called to elect directors.

The Directors chosen by special Class A and C shareholders' meetings in so far as their political rights are exercised by the Argentine Government (Class B) by the Bank's Employees under the Employee Stock Ownership Plan (*Programa de Propiedad Participada or PPP*) may take office and serve as directors on a "non commission" basis, subject to the Argentine Central Bank handing down a resolution without prejudice to the validity of the actions that they undertake during that fiscal year.

Class A shares are held by the Argentine Government (or its nominated trustees) who exercises its political rights; class C shares are meant to be initially offered to legal entities engaged in the construction of homes or in real estate activities (up and until the shares are sold, the political rights in these shares are exercised by the Argentine Government), Class D shares, which are transferred in exclusive, perpetual and absolute ownership to private capital. The subscription or acquisition of Class D shares by the Argentine Government, another legal entity run by the State or by the personnel covered by the PPP does not entail a change of class and Class B shares are held by the Employee Stock Ownership Plan (*Programa de Propiedad Participada*, or "PPP") for the Bank's employees, the political rights in these shares were exercised by employees entitled to the Employee Stock Ownership Plan.

To strengthen objective decision making and prevent conflicts of interest, the Board considers it advisable that some of its members should be independent directors. Independent directors must satisfy the requirements imposed by Law No. 19,550, Law 26,831, the CNV's regulations and the Argentine Central Bank's rules.

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Besides, under the Argentine Companies Law No. 19,550 and the Bank's By-laws, the Bank's Supervisory Committee consists of a committee made up by 5 regular statutory auditors and 5 alternate statutory auditors appointed as follows: 3 regular statutory auditors and 3 alternate statutory auditors are designated by holders of Class D and C shares who cast votes as members of only one class in the class shareholders' meeting held to that end; one regular statutory auditor and one alternate statutory auditor are designated by Class B shares in so far as said Class represents more than 2% of capital stock and 1 regular statutory auditor and 1 alternate statutory auditor are appointed by Class A shares. When Class B shares fall short of representing 2% of capital stock and Class C shares fall short of representing 3% of capital stock, the Company shall reduce the number of statutory auditors to 3 regular statutory auditors and 3 alternate statutory auditors. Two of these regular statutory auditors and two alternate statutory auditors shall be designated by Class B, C and D shares who, to that end, will cast votes as members of a single class in the relevant class shareholders' meeting and one regular statutory auditor and one alternate statutory auditor being appointed by Class A shares. Given that statutory auditors are appointed by classes of shares, in so far as there are classes of shares, the Company will not be required to elect statutory auditors based on cumulative votes. Statutory auditors shall serve for two-year terms and they shall remain in office until they are replaced and may be indefinitely re-elected. In addition, the powers and duties of statutory auditors are set forth in the Argentine Companies Law, Section 293.

#### **Board Committees:**

The Bank's by-laws provide for the operation of an Executive Committee. Besides, the Board has approved the creation of various committees made up by directors and entrusted with the following missions:

# **Executive Committee:**

Overall, the Executive Committee is responsible for supervising the Bank's day-to-day businesses and it shall be composed of a minimum of 5 and a maximum of 9 directors elected by Class D shareholders and a number of alternate directors of the same class as determined by the Board.

#### **Audit Committee:**

The Audit Committee is in charge of overseeing the reasonable operation of the Bank's internal control environment and the Bank's risk management systems.

### Committee for Controlling and Preventing Money Laundering and Terrorism Financing:

This Committee has been entrusted with helping the Bank comply with the obligations imposed by the applicable rules and regulations that seek to prevent these crimes.

### Information Technology Committee:

This Committee is responsible for ensuring that the Bank's global IT, informational systems and logical security

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policies are complied with.

#### Credit Committee:

This is the committee in charge of establishing the Bank's limits when it comes to credit exposure to its customers.

#### Personnel Incentives Committee:

This is the committee responsible for making sure that the system of personnel incentives is consistent with the Bank's culture, its objectives, long-term businesses, strategy and control environment as outlined in the applicable policy. Such Committee reports to the Executive Committee.

### Risk Management Committee:

The main purpose of this Committee is to monitor the risks to which the entity is exposed, with responsibility, *inter alia*, for: i) monitoring the management of credit, market, liquidity, interest rate and operations risks, taking into account the best risk management practices; and ii) advising the Board of Directors on the design of risk policies and strategies.

#### Corporate Governance Committee:

Its mission is to supervise the enforcement of the Code of Corporate Governance and adherence to the corporate principles of "full disclosure", "transparency", "efficiency", "investor protection", "equal treatment amongst investors" and "protection of the entity's stability." In addition, it will evaluate the Board's actions, the succession planning schemes in force for Senior Management and control compliance with the Bank's internal rules and external regulation.

# Directors' and Personnel's Ethics Committee:

It has been entrusted with making sure that the Bank relies on the means adequate for the promotion of appropriate decision-making within the framework of its ethical considerations.

### Finance Committee:

It is responsible for overseeing compliance with the Bank's solvency and liquidity policies by managing financial risks.

### Committee of Social and Institutional Affairs:

This committee has been entrusted with maintaining the Bank's image and positioning in the community at large

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within the framework of enterprise social responsibility.

#### Committee for the Protection of Users of Financial Services:

This committee watches for the Bank's relationship with users of financial services that purchase its products.

# Managers' Committees:

Committees convene managers from different areas and/or sectors related to a given topic requiring interaction among them - at the applicable decision level in the line - in order to ensure that the aspects discussed are dealt with and executed in a coordinated manner. In these cases, committees will act within the authorization matrix assigned to their respective competencies, defining, in each case, which members shall be in charge of ensuring execution of the agreed-up courses of action. Where the decision level is higher than that of its members, the committees' conclusions shall be regarded as advice to the management, a committee or the board of directors, as applicable.

The existing Committees are the following: (1) Asset – Liability Committee – ALCO, (2) Retail Banking Pricing and Rates Committee, (3) Investment Committee, (4) SMEs Lending Committee, (5) Real Estate Committee, and (6) Crisis Committee.

#### **Senior Management:**

The Bank's General Manager and Senior Management members must have the experience and skills required by financial activities. None of them can be within the scope of the disqualifications and incompatibilities prescribed by Law No. 19,550, Section 264 and by Law No. 21,526, Section 10.

In turn, they are liable for compliance with applicable laws and regulations, in particular with Laws No. 24,855, 24,240, 21,526, 19,550 and 26,831, as amended, regulatory and supplementary decrees, the rules of the Argentine Central Bank, the regulations of the CNV and the Bank's by-law.

Senior Management members must act with the loyalty and diligence expected from a good businessman. Those members who fail to perform their duties shall incur joint, several and unlimited liability for the damages arising from their actions or omissions.

Furthermore, Senior Management is responsible for deploying the strategy, abiding by the policies and employing the practices that the Board has approved for managing risks such as credit, liquidity, market, interest rate and operational risk and for implementing and developing written procedures to identify, evaluate, monitor, control and mitigate risks.

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#### 2) Basic share structure:

The capital stock is represented by 1,500,000,000 shares of a par value of one peso each, divided into Class A, B, C and D shares according to the percentages set forth in the following table. Class A, B and C shares entitle to one vote per share, Class "D" shares, which are owned by the private sector, entitle to three votes per share so long as the Argentine Government owns more than 42% of the capital stock.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Privatization Law and the Bank's bylaws, the Board of Directors shall be composed of 13 members and the majority class "D" shareholders are entitled to elect 9 of them.

The table in Note 1 shows the latest composition of the capital stock, specifying the classes of shares, par value and equity percentage.

It should be noted that the main Class "D" holders are: (a) private shareholders - Tyrus SA, Ritelco SA, E-Commerce Latina SA, Palermo Invest SA, IRSA Inversiones y Representaciones SA and Inversora Bolívar SA-holding 446.5 million of shares representing approximately 29.8% of the Capital Stock, and (b) representative of state direct and indirect political rights – Trustee of the Option which shall be maintained in the Trust until the disposal thereof pursuant to the instructions received from the Argentine Government, through the *Fondo Federal de Infraestructura Regional* Assistance Trust and ANSES, which hold 164.9 million of shares representing approximately 11% of the Capital Stock.

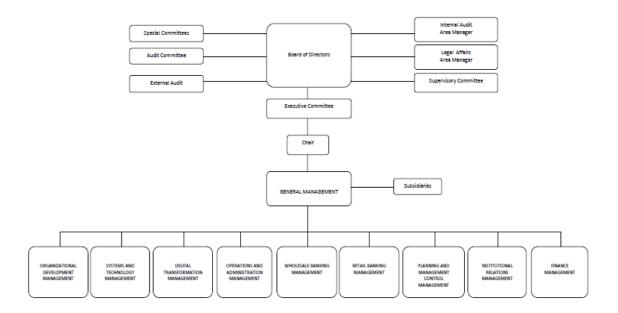
#### 3) Organizational structure:

Law No. 24,855 declared Banco Hipotecario Nacional to be subject to privatization and transformed it into an Argentine corporation (*Sociedad Anónima*). Banco Hipotecario Nacional was a state-run entity founded on November 15, 1886. By virtue of Law No. 24,855 and its regulatory decrees, Decree 677/1997, Decree 924/1997 and Decree 1394/1998, the Argentine Central Bank's Resolutions No. 271/2007, 64/1998, 362/2001 and Communication "B" 6444, starting on December 24, 1998 the Bank has been doing business as Banco Hipotecario SA operating as a merchant retail bank. The Bank was admitted to the public offering regime by the CNV and then it was also authorized to have its shares listed on and traded in the Buenos Aires Stock Exchange.

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The following is the Bank's organizational chart as of the closing date of these financial statements:



The Bank controls, either directly or indirectly, the companies comprised in its group of subsidiaries: BHN Sociedad de Inversión SA, engaged in the investment business and responsible for managing ownership interests in other companies; BHN Vida SA, an insurance company that carries life insurance; BHN Seguros Generales SA and ComparaenCasa.com, which provides insurance against fire and damages to real property and others; and BACS Banco de Crédito y Securitización SA, a non-depository merchant bank which controls BACS Administradora de Activos SASGFCI, which is the Agent of Collective Investment Product Management of Toronto Trust Common Funds.

### 4) Information concerning financial incentives to personnel:

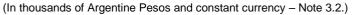
1 - The Personnel Incentives Committee is made up of 3 Directors and the highest officer in the organizational development area. At least one of the Directors in the Committee must have experience in the subject. The Directors shall remain in the Committee for a term of at least 2 years, always provided that their tenure as Directors does not expire earlier. Such term may be extended in each case only upon express decision of the Board of Directors. The term in such office shall not overlap, so that the Committee is always composed of one

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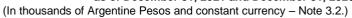
Director with experience in the subject. The appointment of the members of the Personnel Incentives Committee, as well as any changes in its membership, whether by reason of resignation, leave of absence, addition or replacement of its members or any other cause, shall be notified by the Company to the Argentine Central Bank and the CNV within the terms set forth in the applicable laws.

The Committee's main objective is to monitor the incentive system, and it is responsible for establishing the policies and practices for providing financial incentives to the Bank's personnel involved in risk management (be it credit, liquidity, market, interest rate and/or operational risk), adjusting decisions to the exposure to these risks assumed by the Company according to the liquidity and capital requirements at stake, both on current and future potential risks and/or risks to the entity's reputation and whereby the economic incentives to the members of the organization should be tied to the contribution by each individual and by each business unit to the Company's performance.

- 2 The Design is based on the principle that all employees should receive a total compensation that is commensurate with tasks performed, whose internal relative value reflects the responsibilities of the position and the employee's performance, and whose external comparative value is competitive with comparable salaries prevailing in the market, ensuring that internal equity and external competitive criteria are satisfied, by reviewing and managing compensation packages so as to obtain a salary structure aligned to the business needs and possibilities, framed in a set of rules that foster individual progress based on each employee's potential and the Bank's possibilities, so as to ensure an environment that fosters individual development and the organization's advancement.
- 3 Personnel financial incentives are adjusted by directly relating each individual contribution to the Organization's performance, with a view to achieving the targets set by the Company's Board of Directors; and the results obtained through the duties that are being compensated are framed into the risk exposure assumed by the Board of Directors.
- 4 The bank measures its performance through indicators associated with its strategic environments: business, sustainability, customers, employees and organizational intelligence.
- 5 Pursuant to its long-term incentive and performance policy, the Bank establishes a direct relationship between each employee's individual contribution and the Organization's goals, with a view to fulfilling the targets set by the Company's Board of Directors and obtaining sustainable profits, through the following actions, *inter alia*.
- Clearly communicating the corporate targets set by the Board of Directors for the following year and in the long term;
- Strengthening and clarifying the relationship between performance and incentives;
- Aligning incentives with the key factors of success for the Organization and rewarding actions that add value, privileging costs and efficiency;

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- Fostering cooperation and team work; Causing the various departments to work hand in hand toward the achievement of common targets consistent with the Organization's strategic plans;
- Rewarding the attainment of quantitative, specific, measurable and controllable objectives; and
- Achieving better clarity and objectivity upon measuring individual and group performance.

6 - The various variable compensation items are: Commissions, Bonus and Profit. Payments are recorded in the salary receipts and are made in cash. Banco Hipotecario S.A. sets the criteria that regulate the Incentive Policy with a view to integrating individual and group efforts, seeing that internal relative value reflects the responsibilities and risks associated with each employee's position and performance and that its external comparative value is competitive in the salary market. Performance management measures the employees' performance in terms of the results attained with respect to the goals set and the qualifications required for each position.

The Bank has a system of financial incentives for personnel, consistent with its culture and objectives, which is aligned with the other managing tools in order to achieve a prudent assumption of both current and future risks.

The Committee of Personnel Incentives assesses individual performance in compliance with targets imposed on their functions and the risk assumed by personnel on behalf of the entity, seeing that the total funds allocated to their payment are consistent with.

# 5) Policy related to business conduct and/or ethics code, as well as the applicable governance policy or structure:

The Bank has internal rules of conduct (Code of Ethics) that enshrine the ethical tenets and principles that govern interaction amongst directors and employees, within a framework of respect for the law and for the rules that govern the banking industry.

Additionally, the Bank adheres to the Code of Banking Practices, which has been prepared with the involvement of all of Argentina's associations in the industry of banking and financial institutions as a self-regulatory initiative that seeks to promote best banking practices in Argentina and, in turn, the Bank adheres to the Investor Protection Code and has in place an integrity program under the scope of the anti-corruption law.

The Bank adhered to those Codes in the belief that its adoption will help strengthen the rights of clients and increase transparency in the information provided to them by financial institutions.

The referred Code of Ethics and the Code of Banking Practices are an integral part of the Bank's and its subsidiaries' Corporate Governance systems.

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#### 6) Conflicts of interest:

The decisions and actions of the Bank's members, managers, legal representatives and employees must always aspire to further the Bank's and its customers' best interests and they should never stem from personal considerations. Neither family and friendship relationships nor expectations from current or potential suppliers, contractors, competitors or regulators must affect independence and sound judgment to safeguard the Bank's interests.

#### 7) Complex structures:

In the corporate structure of Banco Hipotecario and its subsidiaries, the controlling company is at the core of the main financial intermediation activities and relies on other economic units for the businesses and supplementary services of non-depository merchant banks and insurance companies, securities transactions and issuance of Shopping credit cards, whilst maintaining and reinforcing any possible synergies amongst its different customers.

None of the group companies has affiliates or subsidiaries abroad, nor are they engaged in off-shore transactions.

The organization does not employ complex structures or trusts disguising the development of certain activities.

The involvement of each company as trustor, trustee or beneficiary is restricted to the sphere of financial trusts whose securities are generally admitted to public offering. The most relevant details surrounding these trusts, as well as the investments in their certificates and securities are disclosed in the Bank's separate financial statements and consolidated financial statements.

#### 29. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

#### Ownership interest in Play Digital S.A.

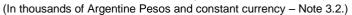
As of December 31, 2021, Banco Hipotecario had a 1.95% interest in Play Digital S.A.'s capital stock. On January 21, 2022, the Bank made a capital contribution to Play Digital S.A. for 25,447.

#### 30. LEGALIZATION OF BOOKS

At the date of these financial statements, the transactions conducted by the Bank for the period October 1, 2021 through December 31, 2021 are pending transcription into the rubricated books as set forth in the regulations in force.

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#### 31. MARKET DISCIPLINE

Information on Banco Hipotecario S.A.'s regulatory capital structure and sufficiency, risk exposure and management, on a separate and on a consolidated basis with its subsidiaries, as required by Communication "A" 5394 of the BCRA, is available at the Bank's website (http://www.hipotecario.com.ar), under the "Market Discipline – Minimum Disclosure Requirements" link.

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# SCHEDULE B – CONSOLIDATED CLASSIFICATION OF LOANS AND OTHER FINANCING ARRANGEMENTS BY STATUS AND GUARANTEES RECEIVED

As of 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020

In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

Commercial Portfolio	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Normal situation	17,973,118	17,121,749
With "A" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	2,930,718	822,333
With "B" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	1,357,452	2,020,070
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	13,684,948	14,279,346
With special follow-up	36,150	1,576,118
Under observation	36,150	2,369
With "A" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	226	1,312
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	35,924	1,057
Under negotiation or with refinancing agreements	_	1,573,749
With "B" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	-	1,506,734
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	-	67,015
Troubled	2,419	3,536
With "A" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	32	223
With "B" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	-	-
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	2,387	3,313
With high risk of insolvency	1,461,708	7,495,241
With "A" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	12,474	5,176
With "B" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	1,112,928	274,747
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	336,306	7,215,318
Uncollectible	5,717,302	8,122
With "A" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	-	1,232
With "B" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	-	2,534
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	5,717,302	4,356
Total commercial portfolio	25,190,697	26,204,766

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As of 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

Consumer and housing portfolio	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Name at attraction	25 202 407	40 004 004
Normal situation	35,003,427	46,601,664
With "A" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	1,164,267	2,768,117
With "B" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	9,772,685	11,443,254
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	24,066,475	32,390,293
Low risk	408,758	384,053
Low risk	407,112	312,322
With "A" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	6,351	2,860
With "B" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	118,698	2,166
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	282,063	307,296
Special treatment	1,646	71,731
With "B" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	-	124
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	1,646	71,607
Mid risk	332,542	443,921
With "A" collateral and counterguarantees	8,288	2,355
With "B" collateral and counterguarantees	73,814	11,295
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	250,440	430,271
High risk	682,442	623,854
With "A" collateral and counterguarantees	31,119	1,286
With "B" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	125,586	39,479
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	525,737	583,089
Uncollectible	86,890	326,204
With "B" preferred collateral and	,-30	5_ <b>5,_5</b> .
counterguarantees	11,147	38,126
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	75,743	288,078
Total consumer and housing portfolio	36,514,059	48,379,696
Total general (1)	61,704,756	74,584,462

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As of 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

(1) Reconciliation between Schedule B and the Statement of Financial Position:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Loans and other financing arrangements	52,411,120	65,569,868
Other debt securities	28,954,132	8,397,514
Off-balance sheet accounts	317,045	266,171
plus allowances	7,378,604	8,260,351
less IFRS adjustments not computable for Statement of Debtors'		
Condition	141,135	73,254
less items not computable for Statement of Debtors' Condition	(812,801)	(1,232,017)
less government securities at amortized cost	(26,684,479)	(6,750,679)
TOTAL	61,704,756	74,584,462

It should be noted that the balances as of December 31, 2020 include the modification in the classification of debtors set forth by Communication "A" 7107 of the BCRA, which modifies the non-performing tranches of normal situation, low risk and mid risk classifications.

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#### SCHEDULE C - CONSOLIDATED CONCENTRATION OF LOANS AND OTHER FINANCING ARRANGEMENTS

As of 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020

In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

	FINANCING								
Number of customers	12/	/31/2021	12/31/2020						
	Debt balance	% of total portfolio	Debt balance	% of total portfolio					
10 largest customers	10,630,008	17.23%	14,240,760	19.09%					
50 following largest customers	7,059,140	11.44%	7,877,538	10.56%					
100 following largest customers	3,038,204	4.92%	1,922,071	2.58%					
Rest of customers	40,977,404	66.41%	50,544,093	67.77%					
Total (1)	61,704,756	100.00%	74,584,462	100.00%					

(1) Reconciliation between Schedule C and the Statement of Financial Position:

· ,	12/31/2021	12/31/2020	
Loans and other financing arrangements	52,411,120	65,569,868	
Other debt securities	28,954,132	8,397,514	
Off-balance sheet accounts	317,045	266,171	
plus allowances	7,378,604	8,260,351	
less IFRS adjustments not computable for Statement of Debtors' Condition	141,135	73,254	
less items not computable for Statement of Debtors' Condition	(812,801)	(1,232,017)	
less government securities at amortized cost	(26,684,479)	(6,750,679)	
TOTAL	61,704,756	74,584,462	

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# SCHEDULE D – CONSOLIDATED BREAKDOWN OF LOANS AND OTHER FINANCING ARRANGEMENTS BY MATURITY DATES

As of 12/31/2021

In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

	Past due	Remaining terms to maturity							
Item	portfolio	1 month	3 months	6 months	12 months	24 months	More than 24 months	Total	
Non-financial public									
sector	-	31	-	-	-	-	-	31	
Financial sector Non-financial private sector and foreign	-	44,372	59,003	62,325	117,315	118,744	122,915	524,674	
residents	7,468,645	8,267,164	10,176,962	8,916,627	8,081,687	5,422,436	13,611,337	61,944,858	
TOTAL	7,468,645	8,311,567	10,235,965	8,978,952	8,199,002	5,541,180	13,734,252	62,469,563	

The decrease in future contractual flows is presented, including interest and additional amounts to be accrued until maturity of non-discounted agreements.

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#### SCHEDULE F - CONSOLIDATED CHANGES IN PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2021
In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

	Acquisition				Impai	rment		Deprecia	ition		Residual
Item	cost at the beginning of the fiscal year	Total useful life in years	Additions	Withdrawals	Losses	Reversals	Accumulated	Withdrawal	For the year	At closing	value at fiscal year- end
Measured at cost											
- Real estate	6,365,014	50	373,045	=	(5)	-	(431,068)	-	(136,606)	(567,674)	6,170,380
- Furniture and											
facilities	1,543,997	10	8,992	(5,353)	-	-	(1,153,888)	4,042	(90,036)	(1,239,882)	307,754
<ul> <li>Machinery and</li> </ul>											
equipment	6,941,392	(a)	217,088	-	-	-	(6,540,651)	-	(306,827)	(6,847,478)	311,002
- Vehicles	3,466	5	-	-	-	-	(3,466)	-	-	(3,466)	_
- Right of use of											
leased real estate											
property	1,066,766	(b)	226,259	(14,171)	-	-	(626,267)	-	(290,001)	(916,268)	362,586
- Right of use of											
leased personal											
property	143,324	5	-	-	-	-	(120,355)	-	(9,712)	(130,067)	13,257
- Sundry	234,821	(b)	886	(651)	-	-	(215,851)	630	(8,456)	(223,677)	11,379
- Works in progress	381,744	-	69	(381,813)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total property,				,							
plant and											
equipment	16,680,524		826,339	(401,988)	(5)	-	(9,091,546)	4,672	(841,638)	(9,928,512)	7,176,358

- (a) The useful life of machinery is 5 years and of equipment, 3 years.
- (b) The useful life corresponds to the term of each lease agreement.

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For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2021 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

Item	Acquisition cost at the beginning of the fiscal year	Net income/loss from measurement at fair value	Additions	Withdrawals	Residual value at fiscal year-end
Measured at fair value					
- Leased real estate property	1,298,047	(219,748)	-	-	1,078,299
Total investment property	1,298,047	(219,748)	-		1,078,299

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#### SCHEDULE G - CONSOLIDATED CHANGES IN INTANGIBLE ASSETS

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2021 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

	Acquisition	Total	Total			rment		Deprec	ation		Residual
Item	cost at the beginning of the fiscal year	useful life in years	Additions	Withdrawals	Losses	Reversals	Accumulated	Baja	Del ejercicio	Al cierre	value at fiscal year- end
Measured at cost	Measured at cost										
Development expenses of own systems	1	-	1	•	1	-		-	-	•	-
Other intangible assets	3,775,287	5	87,766	-	-	-	(3,258,023)		(221,258)	(3,479,281)	383,772
Total intangible assets	3,775,287		87,766	-	-	-	(3,258,023)	-	(221,258)	(3,479,281)	383,772

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# SCHEDULE H - CONSOLIDATED CONCENTRATION OF DEPOSITS

As of 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020

In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

	DEPOSITS							
Number of customers	12/31/2	2021	12/31/2020					
Number of customers	Debt balance	% of total portfolio	Debt balance	% of total portfolio				
10 largest customers	134,271,004	46.41%	53,658,056	40.02%				
50 following largest customers	36,001,832	12.44%	25,880,205	19.30%				
100 following largest customers	7,121,501	2.46%	4,905,727	3.66%				
Rest of customers	111,897,309	38.69%	49,639,257	37.02%				
TOTAL	289,291,646	100.00%	134,083,245	100.00%				

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#### SCHEDULE I - CONSOLIDATED BREAKDOWN OF FINANCIAL LIABILITIES BY MATURITY DATES

As of 12/31/2021

In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

	Remaining terms to maturity								
ltem	1 month	3 months	6 months	12 months	24 months	More than 24 months	Total		
Deposits									
Non-financial public sector	37,574,528	35,324,546	117,851	-	-	-	73,016,925		
Financial sector Non-financial private sector and	613	-	-	-	-	-	613		
foreign residents Liabilities at fair value through	185,308,355	27,217,036	6,357,799	107,217	19,954	9,968	219,020,329		
profit or loss	597,075	-	-	-	-	-	597,075		
Derivative instruments	13,780	3,550	-	-	-	-	17,330		
Repo transactions									
Other financial institutions	28,471	-	-	-	-	-	28,471		
Other financial liabilities Loans from the BCRA and other	5,974,149	97,497	147,893	351,661	693,639	2,818,040	10,082,879		
financial institutions	194,479	56,727	66,955	-	-	-	318,161		
Negotiable obligations issued	-	9,293,962	2,781,379	3,950,920	4,079,095	3,690,478	23,795,834		
TOTAL	229,691,450	71,993,318	9,471,877	4,409,798	4,792,688	6,518,486	326,877,617		

The decrease in future contractual flows is presented, including interest and additional amounts to be accrued until maturity of non-discounted agreements.

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#### SCHEDULE P - CATEGORIES OF CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

As of 12/31/2021

In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

			Fair value the		Fair v	/alue hierarcl	ny
Description	Amortized cost	Fair value through OCI	Originally designated or pursuant to item 6.7.1 under IFRS 9	Statutory measurem ent	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
FINANCIAL ASSETS							
Cash and bank deposits	18,111,369	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cash	4,955,950	-	-	-	-	-	-
Financial institutions and							
correspondents	13,155,419	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt securities at fair value through profit or loss			27,565,985		3,178,056	24,387,929	
Derivative instruments	_	-	27,505,965	290,208	3,176,056		-
Repo transactions	193,209,922	_	-	290,206	-	290,208	-
Argentine Central Bank	193,209,922	_	_		_	_	_
Other financial assets	2,856,119	_	1,762,332	_	1,762,332		
Loans and other financing	2,050,119	_	1,762,332	_	1,762,332	-	-
arrangements	52,411,120	_	_	_	_	_	
Non-financial public sector	4	_	_	_	_	_	-
Other financial institutions	481,532	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-financial private sector and foreign residents	51,929,584	_	_	_	_	_	_
Overdraft facilities	418,975	_	_	_	_	_	_
Notes	5,691,366	_	_	_	_	_	-
Mortgage loans	10,906,144	_	_	_	_	_	-
Pledge loans	40,412	_	_	_	_	_	_
Consumer loans	4,559,810	-	_	_	-	_	-
Credit cards	21,138,962	-	-	_	-	-	-
Finance leases	82,317	-	-	_	-	-	-
Other	9,091,598	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other debt securities Financial assets pledged as	28,954,132	-	-	-	-	-	-
collateral Investments in equity	4,058,397	-	691,520	-	691,520	-	-
instruments	-	-	496,791	-	444,076	52,715	=
TOTAL FINANCIAL ASSETS	299,601,059	-	30,516,628	290,208	6,075,984	24,730,852	-

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#### SCHEDULE P - CATEGORIES OF CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

As of 12/31/2021

In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

			Fair value the	• .	Fair	value hierarcl	lue hierarchy	
Description	Amortized cost	Fair value through OCI	Originally designated or pursuant to item 6.7.1 under IFRS 9	Statutory measurem ent	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	
FINANCIAL LIABILITIES								
Deposits	289,291,646	-	-	-	1	-	-	
Non-financial public sector	72,259,034	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Financial sector  Non-financial private sector and foreign residents	613 217,031,999	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Checking accounts	61,053,566	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Savings accounts	96,201,418	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Time deposits and term investments	57,671,426	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Other Liabilities at fair value through	2,105,589	-	-	-	-	-	-	
profit or loss	-	-	597,075	-	597,075	-	-	
Derivative instruments	-	=	-	17,330	-	17,330	-	
Repo transactions	28,471	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Other financial institutions	28,471	=	-	-	-	-	-	
Other financial liabilities Loans from the BCRA and other financial institutions Negotiable obligations issued	9,998,970 286,916 20,332,960	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	
TOTAL FINANCIAL LIABILITIES	319,938,963	-	597,075	17,330	597,075	17,330	-	

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#### SCHEDULE Q - CONSOLIDATED BREAKDOWN OF CONSOLIDATED RESULTS

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2021 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

	12/31/2021					
	Net financial incom					
Items	Originally designated or pursuant to item 6.7.1 under IFRS 9	or pursuant to item   Statutory   measurement				
Due to measurement of financial assets at fair						
value through profit or loss	15,106,344	(43,285)	•			
Income from government securities	14,086,330	-	-			
Loss from corporate securities	235,657	-	-			
Income/(loss) from derivative financial instruments						
Forward transactions	64,940	-	-			
Interest rate swaps	-	(43,285)	-			
Due to investments in Equity Instruments	719,417	-	-			
TOTAL	15,106,344	(43,285)	-			

Interest and adjustments due to application of effective interest rate of financial	12/31/2021
Interest and adjustments due to application of effective interest rate of financial assets measured at amortized cost	Financial
assets measured at amortized bost	income/(expense)
Interest income	
Cash and bank deposits	10
Corporate securities	912,971
Government securities	4,125,405
Loans and other financing arrangements	
To the Financial Sector	167,250
Overdraft facilities	126,602
Promissory notes	1,027,812
Mortgage loans	5,118,737
Pledge loans	10,269
Consumer loans	2,006,509
Credit cards	5,337,213
Finance leases	35,902
Other	2,048,652
Repo Transactions	
Argentine Central Bank	25,259,349
Other financial institutions	236,043
TOTAL	46,412,724

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#### SCHEDULE Q - CONSOLIDATED BREAKDOWN OF CONSOLIDATED RESULTS

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2021 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

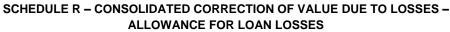
Interest and adjustments due to application of affective interest rate of financial	12/31/2021
Interest and adjustments due to application of effective interest rate of financial assets measured at amortized cost	Financial
assets measured at amortized cost	income/(expense)
Interest expense	
Deposits	
Checking accounts	(15,562,057)
Savings accounts	(15,185)
Time deposits and term investments	(23,544,170)
Loans from the BCRA and other financial institutions	(14,914)
Repo Transactions	
Other Financial Institutions	(6,004)
Other financial liabilities	(105,906)
Negotiable Obligations issued	(7,025,513)
TOTAL	(46,273,749)
Commission income	
Linked to liabilities	1,131,808
Linked to loans	43,830
Linked to securities	160,540
Linked to credit cards	4,971,279
Linked to collection management	240,312
Other	28,165
TOTAL	6,575,934
Commission expense	
Linked to foreign trade and exchange transactions	(21,767)
Other	(364,017)
TOTAL	(385,784)

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Item	Opening balances	ECL of the next 12 months	ECL of rema financia Financial instruments with significant increase of credit risk		Monetary gain (loss) from provisions	Balance as of 12/31/2021
Other financial assets	59,218	748	-	-	(19,986)	39,980
Loans and other financing						
arrangements						
Other financial institutions	24	218	-	-	(8)	234
Non-financial private						
sector and foreign						
residents	8,203,754	(340,796)	(104,189)	2,345,795	(2,768,703)	7,335,861
Overdraft facilities	46,535	520	(1,358)	(18,640)	(15,705)	11,352
Promissory notes	28,813	405	(76)	(4,249)	(9,724)	15,169
Mortgage loans	105,478	1,802	92,457	102,622	(35,598)	266,761
Pledge loans	39	36	(26)	=	(13)	36
Consumer loans	814,363	3,458	7,624	131,222	(274,841)	681,826
Credit cards	1,772,129	(313,721)	(202,714)	(206,551)	(598,080)	451,063
Finance leases	72	107	-	(23)	(24)	132
Call to companies	4,024,187	(11,981)	-	1,787,539	(1,358,132)	4,441,613
Prefinancing of exports	1,143,122	(22)	-	507,050	(385,795)	1,264,355
Other	269,016	(21,400)	(96)	46,825	(90,791)	203,554
Other debt securities	56,573	(6,184)	17,233	(6,020)	(19,093)	42,509
Contingent commitments	295,973	(70,832)	(9,070)	-	(99,889)	116,182
TOTAL PROVISIONS	8,615,542	(416,846)	(96,026)	2,339,775	(2,907,679)	7,534,766

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# SEPARATE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As of 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020

In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

ITEM	NOTES	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
ASSETS			
Cash and bank deposits (Schedule P)	5 and 6	17,841,112	19,607,926
Cash		4,955,849	4,911,592
Financial institutions and correspondents		12,885,263	14,696,334
- Argentine Central Bank (B.C.R.A.)		12,543,629	13,020,005
- Other domestic and foreign institutions		341,634	1,676,329
Debt securities at fair value through profit or loss	6		
(Schedules A, P)		23,409,629	40,028,915
Derivative instruments (Schedules O, P)	6 and 8	234,564	-
Repo transactions (Schedules O, P)	6	185,368,115	33,004,327
Other financial assets (Schedule P)	6 and 9	1,889,330	1,372,344
Loans and other financing arrangements (Schedules B,	6 and 7		
C, D. P)	o anu i	51,435,550	64,683,216
Non-Financial Public Sector		4	47
Other Financial Institutions		458,416	1,235,708
Non-Financial Private Sector and Foreign Residents		50,977,130	63,447,461
Other debt securities (Schedules A, B, C, D, P)	6	25,456,632	5,418,230
Financial assets pledged as collateral (Schedule P)	6 and		
	28.2	4,351,204	1,947,191
Current income tax assets	12	330,799	499,313
Investments in equity instruments (Schedule A, P)	6	134,436	141,494
Investments in subsidiaries (Schedule E)	13	5,380,692	6,357,738
Property, plant and equipment (Schedule F)	11	7,024,168	7,394,702
Intangible assets (Schedule G)	11	296,272	426,870
Deferred income tax assets	12	1,525,348	836,361
Other non-financial assets	11	1,682,740	2,268,666
Non-current assets held for sale	11	8,209,405	10,509,076
TOTAL ASSETS		334,569,996	194,496,369

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# SEPARATE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As of 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

ACCOUNT	NOTES	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
LIABILITIES			
Deposits (Schedules H, I, P)	6	279,255,744	125,452,181
Non-financial public sector		72,259,034	14,122,803
Financial sector		27,808	25,591
Non-financial private sector and foreign residents		206,968,902	111,303,787
Liabilities at fair value through profit or loss (Schedules I, P)	6	597,075	80,301
Derivative instruments (Schedules I, O, P)	6 and 8	2,030,355	2,961,099
Repo transactions (Schedules I, P)	6	28,471	
Other financial liabilities (Schedules I, P)	6 and 9	7,497,705	6,668,260
Loans from the B.C.R.A. and other financial	6		
institutions (Schedules I, P)	0	4,353	660
Negotiable obligations issued (Schedule I, P)	6 and		
	14	18,436,479	28,420,462
Provisions (Schedule J)	15	353,989	628,346
Other non-financial liabilities	11	4,148,278	3,866,238
TOTAL LIABILITIES		312,352,449	168,077,547
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY			
Capital stock	16	1,500,000	1,500,000
Non-capitalized contributions		88,676	88,676
Capital adjustments		76,533,611	76,533,611
Retained earnings		26,575,680	26,575,680
Unappropriated retained losses		(79,662,543)	(79,662,543)
Income/(loss) for the year		1,383,398	1,383,398
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY		22,217,547	26,418,822
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUIT	Y	334,569,996	194,496,369

Notes and schedules are an integral part of these separate financial statements.

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# SEPARATE STATEMENT OF INCOME

For the fiscal years ended 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

ACCOUNT	NOTES	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Interest income and adjustments (Schedule Q)	17	43,460,283	27,198,991
Interest expense and adjustments (Schedule Q)	18	(43,174,494)	(27,827,609)
Net interest income (loss)		285,789	(628,618)
Fee and commission income (Schedule Q)	17	7,077,706	9,950,503
Fee and commission expense (Schedule Q)		(223,197)	(242,990)
Net fee and commission income		6,854,509	9,707,513
Net income from measurement of financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss (Schedule Q)	20	11,426,272	11,447,817
Income from assets write-off at amortized cost		14,286	-
Gold and foreign currency exchange rate differences	19	(737,198)	(1,060,661)
Other operating income	21	2,873,435	3,348,521
Loan loss		(2,648,530)	(2,988,167)
Net operating income		18,068,563	19,826,405
Employee benefits	23	(9,526,076)	(9,027,166)
Administrative expenses	22	(4,265,447)	(5,049,905)
Depreciation and impairment of assets		(922,934)	(1,057,194)
Other operating expenses	21	(10,175,610)	(7,830,709)
Operating income (loss)		(6,821,504)	(3,138,569)
Income in subsidiaries and associates	13	1,476,537	2,793,768
Gain (loss) on net monetary position		454,705	1,867,065
Income (loss) before tax		(4,890,262)	1,522,264
Income tax	12	688,987	(138,866)
NET INCOME (LOSS) FOR THE YEAR	I	(4,201,275)	1,383,398

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#### SEPARATE STATEMENT OF INCOME

For the fiscal years ended 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

EARNINGS (LOSS) PER SHARE	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
NUMERATOR  Net income (loss) attributable to parent's shareholders	(4,201,275)	1,383,398
Net income (loss) attributable to parent's shareholders adjusted to reflect the effect of dilution	(4,201,275)	1,383,398
DENOMINATOR  Weighted average of outstanding common shares for the fiscal year	1,471,352	1,470,414
Weighted average of outstanding common shares for the fiscal year adjusted to reflect the effects of dilution	1,471,352	1,470,414
EARNINGS (LOSS) PER BASIC SHARE	(2.855)	0.941
EARNINGS (LOSS) PER DILUTED SHARE	(2.855)	0.941

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#### SEPARATE STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2021 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

	Capital Stock		Non-capitaliza	Non-capitalizable Contributions			Profit reserves			
Changes	Outstanding	To be delivered	Share issuance premium	Stock-based payment	Equity adjustments	Legal	Stock-based payments	Others (*)	Retained earnings	Total as of 12/31/2021
Balances at beginning of the year	1,470,685	29,315	834	87,842	76,533,611	6,384,405	1,149,902	19,041,373	(78,279,145)	26,418,822
Absorption of retained earnings – Approved by										
the Shareholders' Meeting held on 03/30/2021										
(**)	-	-	(834)	(87,842)	(51,614,789)	(6,384,405)	(1,149,902)	(19,041,373)	78,279,145	-
Stock-based payments under compensation plan	1,525	(1,525)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Net income for the year - Loss	-	- -	-	-	-	-	-	-	(4,201,275)	(4,201,275)
Closing balances for the year	1,472,210	27,790	-	•	24,918,822	ı	-	•	(4,201,275)	22,217,547

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- (\*) Optional reserve for future dividend distributions.
- (\*\*) See Note 3.3.

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#### SEPARATE STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

			Non-c	apitalized						
	Capital St	ock	Cont	ributions			Profit reserves	3		
Changes			Share				Stock-			
		To be	issuance	Stock-based	Equity		based		Retained	Total as of
	Outstanding	delivered	premium	payments	adjustments	Legal	payments	Others (*)	earnings	12/31/2020
Balances at beginning of the										
year	1,469,931	30,069	834	78,789	76,526,224	5,623,342	1,166,342	15,997,120	(75,857,227)	25,035,424
Distribution of retained earnings										
approved by the Shareholders'										
Meeting dated 05/06/2020										
<ul> <li>Legal reserve</li> </ul>	-	-	-	-	-	761,063	-	-	(761,063)	-
Other reserves	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,044,253	(3,044,253)	-
Stock-based payments under										
compensation plan	754	(754)	-	9,053	7,387	-	(16,440)	-	-	-
Net income for the year	-	· -	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,383,398	1,383,398
Closing balances for the year	1,470,685	29,315	834	87,842	76,533,611	6,384,405	1,149,902	19,041,373	(78,279,145)	26,418,822

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# **SEPARATE STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS**

For the fiscal years ended 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

ITEM	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Net income (loss) for the fiscal year before income tax	(4,890,262)	1,522,264
Gain (loss) on net monetary position	(454,705)	(1,867,065)
Cam (1886) 611 Het menetary position	(101,700)	(1,001,000)
Adjustments to obtain cash flows from operating activities		
Depreciation and impairment of assets	922,934	1,057,194
Loan loss, net of reversed allowances	2,587,241	2,713,571
Provision for loan losses, net of reversed allowances	329,019	251,765
Net interest income (loss)	(285,789)	628,618
Income from investment in subsidiaries	(1,476,537)	(2,793,768)
Net income (loss) from financial instruments measured at fair	,	
value through profit or loss	(11,426,272)	(11,447,817)
Profit from sale of property, plant and equipment /Changes in the	,	,
fair value of investment property and non-current assets held for		
sale	2,108,303	(290,440)
(Net increase) / net decrease from operating assets		
Debt securities at fair value through profit or loss	14,660,778	(17,618,516)
Derivative instruments	(234,564)	(17,616,516) 6,370
Repo Transactions	(139,533,035)	(26,842,296)
Loans and other financing arrangements	(139,333,033)	(20,042,290)
Non-financial public sector	27	0
Financial sector	27 657,290	(F04 11F)
	,	(581,115)
Non-financial private sector and foreign residents	3,850,140	
Other debt securities	(18,053,305)	881,867
Financial assets pledged as collateral	(3,061,175)	2,605,941
Investments in equity instruments	(40,695)	260,958
Other assets	545,248	(1,116,138)
Net increase / (decrease) from operating liabilities		
Deposits		
Non-financial public sector	62,902,568	8,529,013
Financial sector	10,854	(7,206)
Non-financial private sector and foreign residents	96,372,991	51,042,809
Liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	543,875	(823,879)
Derivative instruments	(56,065)	206,782
Repo transactions	22,467	(1,535,344)
Other liabilities	1,614,231	307,423
Total cash flows from operating activities	7,615,562	15,787,571

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# **SEPARATE STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS**

For the fiscal years ended 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

ITEM	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Cash flows from investing activities		
Payments		
Purchase of property, plant and equipment, intangible assets and		
other assets	(260,938)	(185,943)
Collections		
Sale of property, plant and equipment	5,892	388,189
Other collections related to investing activities	2,049,996	2,319,902
Total cash flows from investing activities	1,794,950	2,522,148
Cash flows from financing activities		
Payments		
Unsubordinated negotiable obligations	(6,837,339)	(39,761,053)
Loans from domestic financial institutions	(4,893,400)	(37,666,620)
Other payments related to financing activities	(39,479)	(48,058)
Collections		
Unsubordinated negotiable obligations	1,027,500	6,446,596
Loans to domestic financial institutions	4,893,400	37,571,916
Total cash flows used in financing activities	(5,849,318)	(33,457,219)
Effect of exchange rate variations	1,289,515	7,634,398
Effect of gain (loss) on net monetary position of cash	(6,617,523)	(9,801,698)
	(0,011,020)	(0,00.,000)
TOTAL VARIATION OF CASH FLOWS		
Net decrease in cash	(1,766,814)	(17,314,800)
Cash at the beginning of the fiscal year	19,607,926	36,922,726
Cash at the end of the period	17,841,112	19,607,926

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# 1. GENERAL INFORMATION AND BASIS FOR THE PREPARATION OF SEPARATE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Banco Hipotecario S.A. (hereinafter, "the Bank") is a financial institution subject to Financial Institutions Law No. 21526 and, as such, is also required to comply with the regulations established by the Argentine Central Bank (BCRA) in its capacity as Regulator of Financial Institutions. The Bank is also required to comply with the regulations set by the Argentine Securities Commission, in accordance with Law No. 26831.

These financial statements are supplementary to the Bank's and its subsidiaries' consolidated financial statements as of December 31, 2021, in order to comply with legal and regulatory requirements.

#### 2. ECONOMIC CONTEXT

The information related to the economic context of these separate financial statements is exposed in Note 2 to the consolidated financial statements.

#### 3. ACCOUNTING STANDARDS AND BASIS FOR PREPARATION

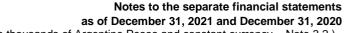
These separate financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors at a virtual meeting held on March 2, 2022.

#### 3.1. Basis of presentation

The Bank's and its subsidiaries' consolidated financial statements as of December 31, 2021 have been prepared in accordance with the financial reporting framework established by the BCRA. Under such reporting framework, entities subject to the BCRA's supervision are required to submit financial statements prepared in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB), with the following deviations (the "financial reporting framework set forth by the BCRA"):

- the temporary waiver of the application of the impairment model set forth in paragraph 5.5 "Impairment" of IFRS 9 "Financial Instruments" for debt securities issued by the non-financial public sector established in Communication "A" 6847. If the Bank had applied the impairment model to these instruments, its shareholders' equity as of December 31, 2021 and December 31, 2020 would have decreased by 1,516,006 and 526,033, respectively;
- the deferral until January 1, 2023 of the application of the impairment model set forth in paragraph 5.5 "Impairment" of IFRS 9 "Financial Instruments" for Group "C" financial institutions, that are neither branches nor subsidiaries of foreign banks classified as systemically important, as it is the case of BACS, according to Communication "A" 7427. Had it not been for the deferral established by the BCRA in such communication, the Bank's shareholders' equity would have increased by 4,653 and 17,687 as of December 31, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively;
- the measurement of public sector debt securities received in exchange for other securities which, according to Communication "A" 7014, were recognized at the carrying amount of the instruments delivered in replacement, while under IFRS instruments received should be carried at fair value, with the difference in respect of the carrying amount of the securities delivered being recognized in profit or loss. Had the accounting criteria

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established by IFRS been applied, the Bank's shareholders' equity would have decreased by 491,070 and 656,838 as of December 31, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively: and

• the valuation of the building known as "Edificio del Plata" recognized in "Non-current assets held for sale" which, as of December 31, 2021, has been valued in accordance with the accounting treatment established by the BCRA by means of a note issued on July 27, 2021, which note instructed to interrupt the building's periodical revaluations projected as from June 2021 onwards. Had the accounting criteria established by IFRS been applied, the Bank's shareholders' equity would have increased by 969,362 as of December 31, 2021.

Furthermore, the BCRA, through Communications "A" 6323 and 6324, set forth guidelines for the preparation and presentation of financial institutions' financial statements, including additional reporting requirements as well as the disclosure of certain information in the form of Schedules.

The Bank's management has concluded that these separate Financial Statements fairly present its financial position, financial performance and cash flows.

In preparing financial statements, the Bank is required to make estimates and assessments affecting the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingencies, as well as the reported amounts of income and expenses during the year. In this sense, estimates are made, for instance, to calculate the allowance for credit risk, the useful life of property, plant & equipment, depreciation and amortization, the recoverable value of assets, the income tax expense, some labor-related costs, and the provisions for contingencies and labor, civil and commercial lawsuits and the fair value of certain financial instruments. Future actual results may differ from the estimates and assessments made as of the date these separate financial statements were prepared.

The areas involving a higher degree of judgment or complexity or the areas in which the assumptions and estimates are material for these separate financial statements are described in note 4 to the consolidated financial statements.

As of the date of these financial statements, they are pending transcription to the Inventory and Balances Book.

#### 3.2. Functional and presentation currency

The Bank considers the Argentine Peso as functional and presentation currency. All amounts are stated in thousands of pesos, unless otherwise specified.

International Accounting Standard No. 29 "Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies" ("IAS 29") is applied in these separate financial statements. As concerns the grounds for its application and the methodology applied, refer to note 3.3 to the consolidated financial statements.

Concerning the previous year's figures and for comparative purposes, the reported information was subject to certain reclassifications to ensure consistency. Changes to comparative information do not imply changes to any decision made in reliance thereof.

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#### 3.3. Absorption of Unappropriated retained losses

On March 30, 2021, the Shareholders' Meeting resolved to fully absorb unappropriated retained losses accumulated as of December 31, 2020 against several accounts, including optional reserves, legal reserve, reserve for share-based payments, share premiums, share-based payment premiums, and a portion of the capital adjustment account balance. It should be noted that the aforementioned unappropriated retained losses resulted from the retroactive adoption of the expected credit loss model established by the BCRA's rules, and from the restatement of financial statements for inflation pursuant to IAS 29. The absorption was carried out following the order of precedence established by applicable BCRA's rules.

## 3.4. Comparative information

The information contained in these separate financial statements and in their respective notes as of December 31, 2020, which was prepared in accordance with applicable standards in force in fiscal year 2020, is presented for comparative purposes only with the information as of December 31, 2021.

# 3.5. IFRS issued but not yet effective

See Note 3.6. to the consolidated financial statements.

#### 4. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND ESTIMATES

The areas of professional judgment and critical accounting estimates adopted for these separate financial statements are the same as those applied for the preparation of the consolidated financial statements (See Note 4 to the consolidated financial statements). The Bank applies the same accounting policies in these separate financial statements as in its consolidated financial statements, except for the one mentioned in the following paragraph.

#### Investments in subsidiaries

Subsidiaries are all entities (including structured entities, if applicable) controlled by the Bank. The Bank controls an entity when it is exposed to, or has rights to, variable returns from its interest with the investee and has the power to affect the variability of those returns. The Bank reassesses whether it maintains control when changes in any of the aforementioned conditions occur.

Investments in subsidiaries are measured using the equity method. They are initially recognized at cost, which includes transaction costs. After initial recognition, the financial statements include the Bank's share in profit or loss and OCI of investments accounted for under the equity method, until the date on which significant influence or joint control ceases.

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# 5. STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

The table below shows a breakdown of items comprising cash:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Cash	4,955,849	4,911,592
Financial institutions and correspondents	12,885,263	14,696,334
Total cash	17,841,112	19,607,926

Below is the reconciliation of financing activities as of December 31, 2021 and 2020:

	Balance as	Cash flows		ance as Cash flows		Other non-	Balance as
	of 12/31/2020	Collections	Payments	cash changes	of 12/31/2021		
Negotiable obligations issued	28,420,462	1,027,500	(6,837,339)	(4,174,144)	18,436,479		
Loans from the BCRA and other							
financial institutions	660	4,893,400	(4,893,400)	3,693	4,353		
Total	28,421,122	5,920,900	(11,730,739)	(4,170,451)	18,440,832		

	Balance as Cash flows		Other non-	Balance as	
	of 12/31/2019	Collections	Payments	cash changes	of 12/31/2020
Negotiable obligations issued	58,768,212	6,446,596	(39,761,053)	2,966,707	28,420,462
Loans from the BCRA and other					
financial institutions	127,561	37,571,916	(37,666,620)	(32,197)	660
Total	58,895,773	44,018,512	(77,427,673)	2,934,510	28,421,122

# 6. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

# 6.1. Repo transactions

The items "Repo transactions" carried in assets or liabilities show the originally agreed-upon amounts plus accrued premiums from repos and reverse repos, respectively. The notional values of securities tied to repo transactions are as follows:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Repo transactions (a)	207,287,813	37,137,400
Reverse repo transactions (b)	31,863	-

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- (a) Recognized in Off-balance sheet accounts.
- (b) Recognized in "Financial assets held as collateral". See note 28.2 and Schedule O.

#### 6.2. Fair value of financial instruments

# Fair value of financial instruments measured at fair value

The fair value hierarchy of assets and liabilities measured at fair value ("FV") as of December 31, 2021 and 2020 is detailed below:

Instrument portfolio as of 12/31/2021	Balance	Level 1 FV	Level 2 FV	Level 3 FV
Assets	24,532,249	2,511,535	22,020,714	-
Debt securities at fair value through profit or loss	23,409,629	1,681,312	21,728,317	-
Derivatives	234,564	1	234,564	-
Other financial assets	62,100	47,672	14,428	-
Financial assets held as collateral	691,520	691,520	1	
Investments in equity instruments	134,436	91,031	43,405	-
Liabilities	(2,627,430)	(597,075)	(2,030,355)	-
Liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	(597,075)	(597,075)	-	-
Derivatives	(2,030,355)	-	(2,030,355)	-

Instrument portfolio as of 12/31/2020	Balance	Level 1 FV	Level 2 FV	Level 3 FV
Assets	40,265,982	34,096,628	6,169,354	-
Debt securities at fair value through profit or loss	40,028,915	33,973,251	6,055,664	-
Other financial assets	70,952	-	70,952	ı
Financial assets pledged as collateral	24,621	24,621	-	-
Investments in equity instruments	141,494	98,756	42,738	-
Liabilities	(3,041,400)	(80,301)	(2,961,099)	•
Liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	(80,301)	(80,301)		-
Derivatives	(2,961,099)	-	(2,961,099)	-

The Bank monitors the availability of market information in order to evaluate the classification of financial instruments at the different fair value levels, as well as the resulting determination of inter-level transfers at each reporting period end.

As of December 31, 2021 and 2020, the Bank has not recorded any inter-level transfers.

### Fair value of financial instruments not measured at fair value

Below is a detail of the difference between the carrying amount and the fair value of the main assets and liabilities

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carried at amortized cost.

Instrument portfolio as of 12/31/2021	Balance	Total FV	Level 1 FV	Level 2 FV	Level 3 FV
Assets					
Cash and bank deposits	17,841,112	(*)	-	-	-
Repo transactions	185,368,115	(*)	1	1	-
Other financial assets	1,827,230	(*)	-	-	-
Loans and other financing					
arrangements	51,435,550	50,465,068	-	50,465,068	-
Other debt securities	25,456,632	24,610,576	-	24,610,576	-
Financial assets pledged as collateral	3,659,684	3,139,825	3,139,825	-	-
Liabilities					
Deposits	(279,255,744)	(278,135,700)	ı	(278,135,700	-
Repo transactions	(28,471)	(*)			
Other financial liabilities	(7,497,705)	(7,850,603)	-	(7,850,603)	-
Financing received from BCRA	(4,353)	(*)	-	-	-
Negotiable obligations issued	(18,436,479)	(17,125,944)	1	(17,125,944)	-

<sup>(\*)</sup> It is considered that the fair value of instruments is similar to their book value.

Instrument portfolio as of 12/31/2020	Balance	Total FV	Level 1 FV	Level 2 FV	Level 3 FV
Assets					
Cash and bank deposits	19,607,926	(*)	-	-	-
Repo transactions	33,004,327	(*)	-	-	-
Other financial assets	1,301,392	(*)	-	-	-
Loans and other financing arrangements	64,683,216	63,500,294	-	63,500,294	-
Other debt securities	5,418,230	3,187,986	2,315,590	872,396	-
Financial assets pledged as collateral	1,922,570	(*)	-	-	-
Liabilities					-
Deposits	(125,452,181)	(122,465,751)	-	(122,465,751	-
Other financial liabilities	(6,668,260)	(6,372,675)	-	(6,372,675)	-
Financing received from BCRA	(660)	(*)	-	-	-
Negotiable obligations issued	(28,420,462)	(27,497,751)	-	(27,497,751)	-

<sup>(\*)</sup> It is considered that the fair value of instruments is similar to their book value.

# **Valuation Techniques**

In determining fair values, the Bank has applied the techniques and methodologies explained in Note 6.2 to the consolidated financial statements.

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### 6.3. Allowance for expected credit losses

Below is a detail of the changes in the allowances for loan losses during the reporting year:

	12/31/2021
Balances at beginning of year	8,438,155
Loan loss	2,648,530
Reversed allowances (Note 21	(61,289)
Write-offs	(999,810)
Loss on net monetary position	(2,847,813)
Other variations	294,025
Closing balance (Schedule R)	7,471,798

# Maximum exposure to credit risk

Below is a discussion of the credit risk exposure of financial instruments in respect of which the Bank has recognized expected credit loss allowances. The gross book value of the financial assets included in the accompanying table represents the maximum credit risk exposure associated with such assets.

			12/31/202	1	
Consumer Portfolio – Total active	Stage 1 12 months	Stage 2 Lifetime	Stage 3 Lifetime	Purchased or originated impaired credits	Total
Days in arrears					
Mortgage loans					9,827,571
0	8,836,252	121,593	-	-	8,957,845
1 – 30	532,616	17,539	-	-	550,155
31 – 90	-	115,135	-	-	115,135
91 – 180	-	63,253	-	-	63,253
Default	-	-	141,183	-	141,183
Consumer loans					4,481,792
0	2,844,290	2,121	-	597,547	3,443,958
1 – 30	239,868	195,137	-	125,479	560,484
31 – 90	-	102,354	-	61,364	163,718
Default	-	-	313,632	-	313,632
Credit cards					21,138,962
0	20,290,332	142,318	-	-	20,432,650
1 – 30	183,237	191,640	-	-	374,877
31 – 90	-	96,990	-	-	96,990
Default	-		234,445	-	234,445
Other		_			30,555,478
0	30,159,440	368,001	250	-	30,527,691
1 – 30	3,694	1,432	-	-	5,126

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	12/31/2021					
Consumer Portfolio – Total active	Stage 1 12 months	Stage 2 Lifetime	Stage 3 Lifetime	Purchased or originated impaired credits	Total	
31 – 90	-	14,529		1	14,529	
Default	-	101	8,031	-	8,132	
Total financial instruments	63,089,729	1,432,143	697,541	784,390	66,003,803	
Allowance for loan losses	(533,577)	(258,983)	(513,156)	(190,607)	(1,496,323)	
Financial instruments, net	62,556,152	1,173,160	184,385	593,783	64,507,480	

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			12/31/202	1	
Corporate Portfolio (*) – Total active	Stage 1 12 months	Stage 2 Lifetime	Stage 3 Lifetime	Purchased or originated impaired credits	Total
Days in arrears					
0	36,281,042	-	215,066	-	36,496,108
1 – 30	37,339	-	9	-	37,348
31 – 90	-	45	-	-	45
91 +	24	-	6,795,126	-	6,795,150
Total financial instruments	36,318,405	45	7,010,201	-	43,328,651
Allowance for loan losses	(85,335)	-	(5,819,544)	-	(5,904,879)
Financial instruments, net	36,233,070	45	1,190,657	-	37,423,772

<sup>(\*)</sup> Includes overdraft facilities, promissory notes, mortgage loans, pledge loans, finance leases and other.

	12/31/2021						
SMEs Portfolio- Total active	Stage 1 12 months	Stage 2 Lifetime	Stage 3 Lifetime	Purchased or originated impaired credits	Total		
Days in arrears							
0	7,831,690	350	14,663	-	7,846,703		
1 – 30	241,383	-	1,627	-	243,010		
31 – 90	-	3,005	68	-	3,073		
91 +	-	-	48,500	-	48,500		
Total financial instruments	8,073,073	3,355	64,858	-	8,141,286		
Allowance for loan losses	(28,549)	(4)	(42,043)	-	(70,596)		
Financial instruments, net	8,044,524	3,351	22,815	-	8,070,690		

#### Collateral and other credit enhancements

Below there is a detail of the book value and fair value of the Bank's collateral as of December 31, 2021:

Impaired credit	Gross exposure	Allowance for loan losses	Book value	Collateral fair value
Overdraft facilities	6,878	5,824	1,054	-
Promissory notes	938	750	188	-
Mortgage loans	272,047	132,387	139,660	927,820
Consumer loans	1,100,446	436,044	664,402	-
Credit cards	234,693	143,686	91,007	-
Finance leases	177	18	159	38
Call to companies	4,440,377	4,421,421	18,956	-
Prefinancing of exports	1,264,355	1,264,355	-	-
Others	1,237,079	160,865	1,076,214	4,274,763

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Total impaired credits	8,556,990	6,565,350	1,991,640	5,202,621
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#### Allowance for credit risk

The allowance for credit risk recognized for the year is affected by several factors, which may be classified into two major groups:

Changes in exposure within each Stage:

- Due to the origination of new financial instruments, as well as financial instruments derecognized during the period (credit repayment and checking account and card attrition), resulting in the recognition of increases or decreases in the allowance during the period;
- Exposure adjustments due to an increase in UVA or in the peso-dollar exchange rate;
- Impacts due to the time elapsed as a consequence of present value adjustments;
- Transfers to and from Stages due to changes in the perceived credit risk of the instruments and the ensuing "increase" (or "decrease") in 12-month and Lifetime expected credit losses ("ECL").

Changes in the calculation methodology and parameters during the period, resulting from the periodical adjustment of inputs and maintenance of models:

- Impacts on ECL measurement due to changes in models and assumptions;
- Changes in ECLs attributable to the adjustment to the model main parameters:
  - Probability of Default ("PD")
  - Loss given default ("LGD")
  - Exposure at default ("EAD") / Credit conversion factor ("CCF")
- Adjustments to the macroeconomic projections used in forward-looking models.

The following table shows a summary of the changes observed in the allowances for loan losses under the IFRS approach from December 31, 2019 to December 31, 2020, disaggregating changes in two major groups, namely, recognitions or account balance movements, and changes in the model parameters and/or assumptions.

	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Purchased		
Consumer Portfolio	12-month ECLs	Lifetime ECLs	Lifetime ECLs	or originated impaired credits	Total	
Allowance for credit risk as of December 31, 2019	1,323,458	595,241	1,919,067	26,400	3,864,166	
Recognition of financial instruments or account balance movements	(157,175)	(313,778)	(1,128,374	21,752	(1,577,575)	
Changes in PD/LGD/CF or in the model assumptions	205,080	280,210	(28,520)	214,970	671,740	
Allowance for credit risk as of September 30, 2020	1,371,363	561,673	762,173	263,122	2,958,331	

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Corporate Portfolio	Stage 1  12-month ECLs	Stage 2  Lifetime  ECLs	Stage 3 Lifetime ECLs	Purchased or originated impaired credits	Total
Allowance for credit risk as of December 31, 2019	147,355	184	3,223,419	-	3,370,958
Recognition of financial instruments or account balance movements *	(16,541)	(184)	1,290,172	-	1,273,447
Changes in PD/LGD/CF or in the model assumptions	(10,214)	-	733,431	-	723,217
Allowance for credit risk as of September 30, 2020	120,600	-	5,247,022	-	5,367,622

<sup>\*</sup>It includes exchange differences related to foreign-currency denominated loans.

SMEs Portfolio	Stage 1  12-month ECL	Stage 2  Lifetime  ECL	Stage 3 Lifetime ECL	Purchased or originated impaired credits	Total
Allowance for credit risk as of December 31, 2019	27,011	3	212,518	-	239,532
Recognition of financial instruments or account balance movements *	53,148	289	(30,914)	-	22,523
Changes in PD/LGD/CF or in the model assumptions	(27,117)	334	(123,070)	-	(149,853)
Allowance for credit risk as of September 30, 2020	53,042	626	58,534	-	112,202

<sup>\*</sup>It includes exchange differences related to foreign-currency denominated loans.

The following table shows the changes observed in allowances for loan losses under IFRS approach between December 31, 2021 and 2020.

	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Purchased	
Consumer Portfolio	12-month ECLs	Lifetime ECLs	Lifetime ECLs	or originated impaired credits	Total
Allowance for credit risk as of 12/31/2020	908,538	372,113	504,946	174,321	1,959,918
Inflation adjustment	462,825	189,560	257,227	88,801	998,413
New originated or purchased financial instruments					
during the year	107,210	25,529	29,686	21,370	183,795
Changes in PDs/LGDs/EADs	(726,235)	(254,534)	(129,084)	(88,572)	(1,198,425)
Changes in the model assumptions and					
methodology	-	-	-	-	
Foreign currency difference and other changes	16,272	2,226	4,181	27,337	50,016
Inter-stage transfers					
From Stage 1 to Stage 2	-	166,248	-	-	166,248

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Allowance for credit risk as of 12/31/2021	533,577	258,983	513,156	190,607	1,496,323
Derecognitions	(179,598)	(241,615)	(545,947)	(32,650)	(999,810)
Net charge to income for the year	(195,363)	128,485	554,157	48,936	536,215
From Stage 3 to Stage 2	-	(544)	-		(544)
From Stage 2 to Stage 3	-	-	126,870	-	126,870
From Stage 3 to Stage 1	(412)	-	-	-	(412)
From Stage 2 to Stage 1	(55,023)	-	-	-	(55,023)
From Stage 1 to Stage 3	=	-	265,277	-	265,277

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	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Purchased	
Corporate Portfolio	12-month ECLs	Lifetime ECLs	Lifetime ECLs	or originated impaired credits	Total
Allowance for credit risk as of 12/31/2020	79,896	-	3,476,193	-	3,556,089
Inflation adjustment	40,704	-	1,770,829	-	1,811,533
New originated or purchased financial					31,862
instruments during the year	26,336	-	5,526	-	31,002
Changes in PDs/LGDs/EADs	(77,348)	2	(256,571)	-	(333,917)
Changes in the model assumptions and					14,102
methodology	14,102	-	-	-	14,102
Foreign currency difference and other					825,223
changes	1,656	-	823,567	-	023,223
Inter-stage transfers					
From Stage 1 to Stage 2	-	-	-	-	-
From Stage 1 to Stage 3	-	-	-	-	-
From Stage 2 to Stage 1	-	-	-	-	-
From Stage 3 to Stage 1	(11)	-	-	-	(11)
From Stage 2 to Stage 3	-	-	-	-	-
From Stage 3 to Stage 2		(2)			(2)
Net charge to income for the year	5,439	-	2,343,351	-	2,348,790
Derecognitions	-	-	-	-	-
Allowance for credit risk as of 12/31/2021	85,335	-	5,819,544	-	5,904,879

	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Purchased	
SMEs Portfolio	12-month ECLs	Lifetime ECLs	Lifetime ECLs	or originated impaired credits	Total
Allowance for credit risk as of 12/31/2020	35,141	415	38,779	-	74,335
Inflation adjustment	17,901	211	19,755	-	37,867
New originated or purchased financial					33,553
instruments during the year	26,373	2	7,178	=	33,333
Changes in PDs/LGDs/EADs	(56,270)	(581)	(28,447)	=	(85,298)
Changes in the model assumptions and					5,754
methodology	5,753	1	-	=	3,734
Foreign currency difference and other					3,092
changes	13	-	3,079	-	3,032
Inter-stage transfers					
From Stage 1 to Stage 2	(1)	-	=	-	(1)

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Allowance for credit risk as of 12/31/2021	28,549	4	42,043	-	70,596
Derecognitions	-	-	-	-	-
Net charge to income for the year	(6,592)	(411)	3,264	-	(3,739)
From Stage 3 to Stage 2	<del>-</del>	(33)	-	-	(33)
From Stage 2 to Stage 3	-	-	102	-	102
From Stage 3 to Stage 1	-	(11)	-	-	(11)
From Stage 2 to Stage 1	(361)	-	-	-	(361)
From Stage 1 to Stage 3	-	-	1,597	-	1,597

#### Write-off policy

The Bank writes off financial assets, in whole or in part, when it has exhausted all practical recovery efforts and has concluded there is no reasonable expectation of recovery. Indicators that there is no reasonable expectation of recovery include (i) ceasing enforcement activity, and (ii) where the Bank's recovery method is foreclosing on collateral and the value of the collateral is such that there is no reasonable expectation of recovery in full.

The Bank may write off financial assets which are still subject to enforcement activity. The outstanding contractual amounts of such assets written off during the fiscal year ended December 31, 2021 were equivalent to ARS 999,810. The Bank still seeks to recover amounts legally owed to it in full, but which have been partially written off since there is no reasonable expectation of full recovery.

	12/31/2021
Balance at beginning of period	8,663,200
Additions due to write-offs for the year	999,810
Deletions due to recoveries	(644,557)
Deletions due to accounting recognition	(93,410)
Monetary restatement and other movements	(2,711,110)
Balance at period-end	6,213,933

#### 7. LOANS AND OTHER FINANCING ARRANGEMENTS

Effective since January 1, 2020, the Bank has adopted the guidelines on impairment of financial assets set forth in item 5.5 of IFRS 9, except for non-financial public sector debt instruments, which have been temporarily excluded from the scope of IFRS 9.

In addition, and only for purposes of compliance with the BCRA's rules, the Bank calculates minimum allowances for loan losses pursuant to the regulatory framework set forth by the BCRA. These minimum allowances are determined according to debtors' degree of compliance, the guarantees securing the loans and debtors' economic and financial condition, among others. Besides, allowances for individual loans refinanced are set up in accordance with the guidelines described in Communication "A" 4583, as supplemented or amended.

Consumer loans fully accounted for in accordance with the regulatory framework set forth by the BCRA are

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derecognized from the Bank's assets within 30 days.

The following table shows a breakdown of balances of Loans and other financing arrangements:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
To the non-financial public sector	4	47
Other financial institutions	458,416	1,235,708
Other loans to local financial institutions	453,107	1,231,572
Accrued interest, adjustments and exchange differences receivable	5,309	4,136
To the non-financial private sector and foreign residents	50,977,130	63,447,461
Overdraft facilities	419,000	215,845
Promissory notes	5,300,784	1,491,175
Mortgage loans	10,164,500	11,315,214
Pledge loans	30,216	4,490
Consumer loans	4,481,792	6,291,970
Credit cards	21,138,962	29,710,267
Finance leases	82,317	25,829
Loans to entity's personnel	478,589	535,326
Unallocated collections	(6,092)	(1,089)
Others	15,225,766	20,233,401
Accrued interest and exchange differences receivable	1,494,442	1,776,888
Documented interest	(517,510)	(61,503)
Allowance for loan losses (Schedule R)	(7,315,636)	(8,090,352)
Total Loans and other financing arrangements	51,435,550	64,683,216

# Financing line for MSMEs' productive investments

By means of Communication "A" 7140 dated October 15, 2020, the BCRA established a financing line for productive investments addressed to micro, small and medium-sized enterprises (MSMEs) to finance capital expenditures and/or the construction of the facilities needed for the production and/or marketing of goods and/or services, financing working capital needs and discounting deferred checks and other instruments, and other special eligible credit facilities allowed by applicable law.

The facilities should be granted as part of the 2020, 2021 and 2021/2022 Quotas, pursuant to the following conditions:

	2020 Quota	2021 Quota	2021/2022 Quota
Amount to be	At least, the equivalent to	At least, the equivalent to	At least, the equivalent to 7.5%
set aside	7.5% of the monthly	7.5% of the monthly average	of the monthly average of daily
	average of daily balances	of daily balances of non-	balances of non-financial
	of non-financial private	financial private sector	private sector deposits in pesos
	sector deposits in pesos in	deposits in pesos in March	in September 2021

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	September 2020	2021		
Calculation of applications	Between 10.16.2020 and 03.31.2021	Between 04.01.2021 and 09.30.2021	Between 10.01.2021 and 03.31.2022	
Currency	Pesos	09.30.2021	03.31.2022	
Minimum term	At the time of disbursement, the credit facilities shall have an average term of 24 months or more, but the total term shall not be of less than 36 months. No minimum term will apply to credit facilities aimed at financing working capital and discount of deferred checks and other instruments.			
Maximum interest rate	Capped at an annual nominal fixed rate of 30% for investment projects, and at an annual nominal fixed rate of 35% for other purposes.			

As of December 31 2021, the total amount disbursed by the Bank under the 2021 Quota amounts to 14,287,456 and the simple average of daily balances for financing arrangements effective from October 1, 2021 to December 31, 2021 amounts to 7,869,460.

As per Communication "B" 12238, the total amount to be disbursed by the Bank in respect of the 2021/2022 Quota amounts to 7,834,138.

#### 8. DERIVATIVE INSTRUMENTS

Below is a breakdown of derivative financial instruments as of December 31, 2021:

- US dollar forward transactions have been carried out, the settlement of which, in general, is made without
  delivery of the underlying asset but by means of the payment in Pesos of currency differences.
  Transactions closed through MAE call for daily settlement in Pesos and those closed through ROFEX are
  settled the following day (T+1) in Pesos. These transactions are mainly performed as hedge for foreign
  currency positions. As of December 31, 2021, the balances for closed transactions amount to Ps. 234,564
  in assets and 17,330 in liabilities.
- 2. Interest rate swaps: on August 28, 2009, the Bank issued Series IX of Cédulas Hipotecarias Argentinas (CHA). For the purpose of providing coverage to the holders of Trust Debt Securities and the Participation Certificates held by BHSA for potential changes in the BADLAR rate, at which the aforementioned Trust Debt Securities were issued, a total return swap was executed, whereby the Bank pays a variable BADLAR rate minus 245 bps and receives a fixed rate (9.1%). This transaction is periodically settled for financial flows differences, with no exchange of the main instrument. Also, the transaction is not subject to early termination and does not involve allocation of assets pledged as collateral. As of December 31, 2021, the balance for closed transactions amounts to Ps. 34,534 in liabilities. The balance at year end booked under debt off-balance sheet accounts is Ps. 85,242.
- Currency swaps: on August 28, 2009, the Bank issued Series X of Cédulas Hipotecarias Argentinas (CHA).
   For the purpose of providing coverage to the holders of Trust Debt Securities and the Participation Certificates held by BHSA for potential changes in changes in the reference exchange rate of the U.S.

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dollar at which the aforementioned Trust Debt Securities were issued, a total return swap was executed, whereby the Bank pays on a dollars flow a rate of 2% and receives a fixed rate over a pesos flow (9.25%). This transaction is periodically settled for financial flows differences, with no exchange of the main instrument. Also, the transaction is not subject to early termination and does not involve allocation of assets pledged as collateral. As of December 31, 2021, the balance for this transaction is Ps. 1,877,237 thousand in liabilities. The balance at year end booked under debt and credit off-balance sheet accounts is Ps. 85,033 and Ps. 2,465,892, respectively.

- 4. Interest rate swaps: on December 21, 2009, the Bank issued Series XI of Cédulas Hipotecarias Argentinas (CHA). For the purpose of providing coverage to the holders of Trust Debt Securities and the Participation Certificates held by BHSA for potential changes in the BADLAR rate, at which the aforementioned Trust Debt Securities were issued, a total return swap was executed, whereby the Bank pays a variable BADLAR rate minus 291 bps and receives a fixed rate (11.33%). This transaction is periodically settled for financial flows differences, with no exchange of the main instrument. Also, the transaction is not subject to early termination and does not involve allocation of assets pledged as collateral. As of December 31, 2021, the balance for closed transactions amounts to Ps. 13,560 in liabilities. The balance at year end booked under debt off-balance sheet accounts is Ps. 42,248.
- 5. Interest rate swaps: on July 21, 2010, the Bank issued Series XII of Cédulas Hipotecarias Argentinas (CHA). For the purpose of providing coverage to the holders of Trust Debt Securities and the Participation Certificates held by BHSA for potential changes in the BADLAR rate at which the aforementioned Trust Debt Securities were issued, a total return swap was executed, whereby the Bank pays a variable BADLAR rate plus 10 bps and receives a fixed rate (13.25%). This transaction is periodically settled for financial flows differences, with no exchange of the main instrument. Also, the transaction is not subject to early termination and does not involve allocation of assets pledged as collateral. As of December 31, 2021, the balance for closed transactions amounts to Ps. 19,675 in liabilities. The balance at year end booked under debt off-balance sheet accounts is Ps. 70,570.
- 6. Interest rate swaps: on December 2, 2010, the Bank issued Series XIII of Cédulas Hipotecarias Argentinas (CHA). For the purpose of providing coverage to the holders of Trust Debt Securities and the Participation Certificates held by BHSA for potential changes in the BADLAR rate at which the aforementioned Trust Debt Securities were issued, a total return swap was executed, whereby the Bank pays a variable BADLAR rate plus 27 bps and receives a fixed rate (9,279%). This transaction is periodically settled for financial flows differences, with no exchange of the main instrument. Also, the transaction is not subject to early termination and does not involve allocation of assets pledged as collateral. As of December 31, 2021, the balance for closed transactions amounts to Ps. 34,193 in liabilities. The balance at year end booked under debt off-balance sheet accounts is Ps. 76,684.
- 7. Interest rate swaps: on March 18, 2011, the Bank issued Series XIV of Cédulas Hipotecarias Argentinas (CHA). For the purpose of providing coverage to the holders of Trust Debt Securities and the Participation Certificates held by BHSA for potential changes in the BADLAR rate at which the aforementioned Trust Debt Securities were issued, a total return swap was executed, whereby the Bank pays a variable BADLAR rate minus 20 bps and receives a fixed rate (9.91%). This transaction is periodically settled for financial

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flows differences, with no exchange of the main instrument. Also, the transaction is not subject to early termination and does not involve allocation of assets pledged as collateral. As of December 31, 2021, the balance for closed transactions amounts to Ps. 33,826 in liabilities. The balance at year end booked under debt off-balance sheet accounts is Ps. 78,320.

The composition of the Entity's derivative instruments as of December 31, 2021 and 2020 is as follows:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Forward transactions	234,564	-
Total assets	234,564	-
Currency Swap	(1,877,237)	(2,797,460)
Interest rate Swaps	(135,788)	(163,572)
Forward transactions	(17,330)	(67)
Total liabilities	(2,030,355)	(2,961,099)

#### 9. OTHER FINANCIAL ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

The balances of other financial assets are as follows:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Share in mutual funds	47,672	-
Financial trust participation certificates	14,428	70,952
Receivables from transactions pending settlement	1,355,889	654,355
Miscellaneous receivables		
Funds to be offset	7,422	134,303
Credit card receivables	62	-
Other	463,857	512,734
Total other financial assets	1,889,330	1,372,344

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Balances of other financial liabilities are as follows:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Credit cards consumptions payable	4,364,563	3,619,560
Payables from transactions pending settlement	746,060	574,748
Liabilities related to the transfer of financial assets not derecognized (See Note 10)	812,663	997,186
Financial leases	299,892	361,690
Other	1,274,527	1,115,076
Total other financial liabilities	7,497,705	6,668,260

#### 10. TRANSFER OF FINANCIAL ASSETS

The Bank has made transfers of financial assets as described in Note 28.3. Upon the initial adoption of IFRS, derecognition criteria for financial assets under IFRS 9 were applied on a prospective basis for transactions occurring after the IFRS transition date (January 1, 2017).

Transfers of financial assets to financial trusts as of December 31, 2021 that do not qualify for derecognition are detailed below. Therefore, the Bank continues recognizing transferred assets in full and a financial liability for the consideration it has received:

				Original tru	st debt amount	Estimated
Issuer	Financial trust	Created on	Securitized Amount	Туре	Amount	termination of the series
				А	8,645 UVA	Oct-24
BHSA	BHSA CHA UVA Series I Apr-18	19,210 UVA	В	5,763 UVA	Apr-28	
				CP	4,802 UVA	May-32

#### 11. OTHER NON-FINANCIAL ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

# 11.1. Property, plant and equipment

Changes in property, plant and equipment are included in Schedule F, accompanying these separate financial statements. Depreciation and impairment expenses for the year are recorded under "Depreciation and Impairment of assets" in the separate statement of income.

# Right of use for leases

Below is a detail of the amounts of leases in which the Entity acts as lessee:

(i) Amounts recognized in the statement of financial position:

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Rights of use:

Personal Property	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Original value at beginning of year	143,324	143,324
Accumulated depreciation	(130,067)	(120,355)
	13,257	22,969

Real estate	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Original value at beginning of year	733,720	599,613
Increases for the year	157,730	134,415
Decreases for the year	(4,067)	(308)
Accumulated depreciation	(617,066)	(412,940)
	270,317	320,780

# Leases payable:

Personal Property	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Up to one year	10,672	28,014
From one to five years	7,110	19,747
	17.782	47.761

Real estate	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Up to one year	108,572	115,063
Between one and five years	173,538	198,866
	282,110	313,929

# (ii) Amounts recognized in the statement of income:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Depreciation of rights of use	213,838	225,122
Interest on liabilities for leases	211,319	206,759
Expenses related to short-term leases	42,475	65,957

# 11.2. Intangible Assets

Changes in intangible assets are included in Schedule G, accompanying these financial statements. Amortization expense for the year is exposed under "Depreciation and impairment of assets".

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#### 11.3. Other non-financial assets

The balances of other non-financial assets are as follows:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Investment property	1,078,299	1,298,047
Tax prepayments	235,763	462,257
Prepaid fees to Directors and Supervisory Committee members	111,769	112,090
Other prepayments	175,761	293,188
Other	81,148	103,084
Total other non-financial assets	1,682,740	2,268,666

### **Investment property**

The fair value of all investment property is based on appraisals performed by Tinsa, Sageo, Serinco and Favereau, independent experts with recognized professional qualification and expertise in the place and category of the investment property (level 3 fair value). Changes in fair value are recognized in profit or loss.

Investment property appraisal was based on the market approach, i.e., considering market prices per constructed square meter of similar properties and the characteristics inherent to the property being appraised, including aging, condition, maintenance, and construction quality.

Significant input data used, detailed by zone and their interrelation with the fair value is as follows:

Main calculation variables, non-observable	Interrelation between main variable and fair value	AMBA (Metropolitan Area of Buenos Aires)	Provinces of Buenos Aires and La Pampa	Rest of the country
Price per square meter (in thousands of pesos)	The higher the price per square meter, the greater the fair value	Between 48 and 84	Between 63 and 259	Between 171 and 240
Aging	The greater the age, the lower the fair value	Between 42 and 61 years	Between 43 and 95 years	Between 31 and 100
Condition of preservation	The better the condition of preservation, the higher the fair value	Good	Between regular and good	Between good and very good

Changes in investment property are included in Schedule F, accompanying these separate financial statements.

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The figures included in income/(loss) from investment property for the year are as follows:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Rentals	12,540	16,385
Direct expenses from property management	(623)	(826)

Net income from investment property as of December 31, 2021 and 2020 amounts to ARS 11,917 and ARS 15,559, respectively, and is recognized in "Other operating income", "Administrative expenses" and "Other operating expenses" in the statement of income.

#### 11.4. Non-current assets held for sale

On April 20, 2016, the Bank purchased the building located at Carlos Pellegrini 211, known as "Edificio del Plata", through a public auction held by the Government of the City of Buenos Aires, with the purpose of setting up a branch and corporate offices.

On September 28, 2018, the Bank's Board of Directors decided to discontinue the investment in the construction plan of the new corporate headquarters, changing the originally intended purpose of the building known as "Edificio del Plata".

As of December 31, 2021 and December 31, 2020, the referred building is classified as "Non-current asset held for sale" (IFRS 5) and is subject to a sales plan prepared by the Department of Comprehensive Housing Development.

As of December 31, 2020, it was measured at the lower of book or fair value, net of selling expenses. The book value of the building amounts to ARS 10,509,076.

As of December 31, 2021, the building was valued according to the accounting treatment established by the BCRA by means of note issued on July 27, 2021, which note instructed to interrupt the building's periodical revaluations projected as from June 2021 onwards. Had the accounting criteria established by IFRS been applied, the value recorded would have been 9,700,731.

As of fiscal year-end, the building qualifies for classification as a non-current asset held for sale.

Its fair value as of each measurement date is determined based on assessments carried out by independent appraisers outsourced to carry out the assessment. Such appraisers act as advisors to the Board of Directors and shall meet the required market knowledge, reputation, independence and professional standards.

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# 11.5. Other non-financial liabilities

Balances of other non-financial liabilities are as follows:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Salaries and social security contributions payable	1,563,608	1,296,403
Directors' and Supervisory committee's members' fees	141,767	142,276
Tax withholdings payable	675,785	797,486
Other taxes payable	571,382	469,429
Customers' loyalty programs	45,639	39,812
Termination benefits payable	335,663	322,423
Dividends payable	575	867
Miscellaneous receivables	813,859	797,542
Total other non-financial liabilities	4,148,278	3,866,238

#### 12. INCOME TAX

The table below shows a breakdown of "Current Income Tax Assets":

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Minimum notional income tax credit (*)	330,799	499,313
Total current income tax assets	330,799	499,313

# (\*) Below is a detail of the composition and expiration of fiscal credits:

Period	Minimum notional	income tax credit
Period	Assessed tax	Expiration
2012	897	2022
2015	41	2025
2016	81,835	2026
2017	106,128	2027
2018	138,099	2028
2019	3,799	2029
	330,799	

The income tax expense for the year is estimated using the rate that would be applicable to the net income for the full fiscal year.

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The table below shows a breakdown of the income tax benefit/(expense):

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Income tax - deferred method	688,987	(138,866)
Income tax benefit / (expense) charged to the Statement of Income	688,987	(138,866)
Total – Income tax benefit / (expense), net	688,987	(138,866)

The table below shows a reconciliation of the income tax liability charged to income as of December 31, 2021 and 2020 and the income tax liability resulting from applying the effective tax rate to taxable income:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Income for the year before income tax	(4,890,262)	1,522,264
Effective tax rate	35%	30%
Income (Loss) for the year at the tax rate	1,711,592	(456,679)
Permanent differences at the tax rate:		
- Income from investment in other companies	1,117,008	1,150,332
- Tierra del Fuego income	(43,018)	(54,944)
- Non-taxable income	158,531	139,488
- ProCreAr net revenues	261,353	145,727
- Others	(113,097)	103,557
Tax Inflation adjustment	1,164,297	913,604
Non-monetary assets inflation adjustment	(1,170,274)	(1,451,219)
Gain (loss) on net monetary position	(2,137,405)	(628,732)
Allowance for impairment of net deferred asset	(260,000)	-
Total income tax benefit / (expense) for the year	688,987	(138,866)
Deferred tax variation	(688,987)	138,866
Total income tax for the year determined for tax purposes	-	-
Income tax prepayments	-	-
Income tax payable	-	-

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# **Deferred tax assets and liabilities**

The table below shows the changes in deferred tax assets and liabilities:

	Balance as of 12/31/2019	Balance recognized in profit or loss 2020	Balance as of 12/31/2020	Balance recognized in profit or loss 2021	Balance as of 12/31/2021
Allowance for loan losses	3,007,177	498	3,007,675	712,972	3,720,647
Property, plant and equipment,					
Investment property and Non-current					
assets held for sale	(3,173,208)	109,074	(3,064,134)	(835,890)	(3,900,024)
Foreign-currency valuation	(46,881)	30,187	(16,694)	5,111	(11,583)
Provisions	302,301	(126,504)	175,797	40,891	216,688
Valuation of financial instruments	(56,666)	(498,872)	(555,538)	1,028,837	473,299
Tax inflation adjustment	763,463	292,491	1,055,954	(192,674)	863,280
Tax losses	179,041	54,260	233,301	(70,260)	163,041
Total deferred income tax assets, net	975,227	(138,866)	836,361	688,987	1,525,348

Below is a detail of the years of origination and expiration of the recognized tax losses:

Originated in	Balance as of 12/31/2021	Expiration
2021	163,041	2026
Total	163,041	

As per the analysis performed by the Bank, the assets detailed above meet the conditions to be considered recoverable and, accordingly, qualify for recognition.

### **Income tax rate**

Law No. 27430, as subsequently amended by the Social Solidarity and Production Reactivation Law enacted within the framework of the prevailing Public Emergency (the "Economic Emergency Law"), established the following income tax rates:

- 30% for fiscal years beginning on or after January 1, 2018 and 25% for fiscal years beginning on or after 2022; and
- dividends distributed to individuals and foreign beneficiaries as from such fiscal years will be taxed at a 7% and 13% rate, respectively.

Then, Law No. 27630 enacted on June 16, 2021 repealed the aforementioned general decrease in rates and introduced a system of tax brackets to become effective for fiscal years beginning on or after January 1, 2021, as follows:

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Accumulated n	et taxable income	Amount	Rate %	Over the evene of
From	From To		Rate %	Over the excess of
-	5,000	-	25%	-
5,001	50,000	1,250	30%	5,000
50,001	Without cap	14,750	35%	50,000

The amounts included in this system of tax brackets will be adjusted annually commencing on January 1, 2022, based on the changes in the CPI measured in October each year.

Furthermore, dividends on profits generated in fiscal years beginning on or after January 1, 2018 will be taxed at a single rate of 7%.

As a consequence of such changes, the current tax liability as of December 31, 2021 was measured by applying progressive rates on taxable income assessed as of such date, while deferred tax balances were measured by using the progressive rate expected to be in force at the time of reversal of the temporary differences.

### 13. INVESTMENTS IN SUBSIDIARIES

The Bank has interests in two subsidiaries. The table below shows a breakdown of the Bank's investments in subsidiaries as of December 31, 2021 and 2020:

	Shareholding	12/31/2020	12/31/2020
BACS Banco de Crédito and Securitización S.A.	62.28%	956,787	1,079,252
BHN Sociedad de Inversión S.A.	99.9998%	4,423,905	5,278,486
Total investments in subsidiaries		5,380,692	6,357,738

The table below shows the changes in investments in the Bank's subsidiaries for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2021 and 2020:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Net Balance at the beginning of the year	6,357,738	5,883,871
Dividends declared / collected (a) (b)	(2,453,583)	(2,319,901)
Share in profit or loss for the year	1,476,537	2,793,768
Balance at year-end	5,380,692	6,357,738

(a) On March 30, 2020, the Shareholders' Meeting of BHN Sociedad de Inversión S.A. approved the distribution of dividends on income for fiscal year 2019 for ARS 2,319,906 (out of the total approved, 99.99% are related to BHSA). Those dividends were paid during the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020 by means of the transfer of government securities.

(b) On March 18, 2021, the Shareholders' Meeting of BHN Sociedad de Inversión S.A. approved the distribution of

(b) On March 18, 2021, the Shareholders' Meeting of BHN Sociedad de Inversión S.A. approved the distribution of dividends on income for fiscal year 2020 for ARS 1,603,588 (out of the total approved, 99.99% are related to BHSA). On December 14, 2021, BHN Sociedad de Inversión S.A.'s shareholders' meeting approved the reversal of other reserves for the distribution of dividends for 850,000 (out of the total approved, 99.99% are related to BHSA). Those amounts were collected in October 2021 and December 2021, respectively, by means of the transfer of government securities and the deposit of checks in both cases.

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The following is summary financial information for each subsidiary:

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	ВА	cs	BHN Soc. d	e Inversión
	12/31/2021	12/31/2020	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Total Assets	14,470,770	13,589,835	6,945,136	6,750,095
Total Liabilities	(12,934,503)	(11,856,935)	(2,521,226)	(1,471,600)
Shareholders' equity	1,536,267	1,732,900	4,423,910	5,278,495

# **Statement of Income Summary Data**

	ВА	BACS		de Inversión
	12/31/2021	12/31/2020	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Ordinary operating income	2,060,017	2,190,078	7,343,950	8,103,845
Gain (loss) on net monetary position	(560,795)	(446,509)	(2,520,295)	(1,742,480)
Income (loss) before income tax	(150,439)	339,406	2,163,764	3,625,153
Income tax	(28,418)	(141,704)	(565,044)	(944,826)
Total Comprehensive Income (loss)	(178,857)	197,702	1,598,720	2,680,327
Income (loss) Attributable to Non-Controlling	(56,392)	94 650		
Interest	(56,592)	81,659	-	-

### **Statement of Cash Flows Summary Data**

	BACS		BHN Soc. de	e Inversión
	12/31/2021	12/31/2020	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Cash flows from operating activities	(84,379)	376,121	2,238,128	3,234,708
Cash flows from investing activities	(97,843)	(68,369)	(282,804)	(1,185,815)
Cash flows from financing activities	(85,231)	50,118	(2,127,600)	(2,319,910)
Effect of gain / loss from monetary position	(106,438)	(734,625)	(374,703)	(846,692)
Net (Decrease) / Increase in Cash	(373,891)	(376,755)	(546,979)	(1,117,709)
Cash at the Beginning of the Year	593,556	970,311	2,435,020	3,552,729
Cash at Year-End	219,665	593,556	1,888,041	2,435,020

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#### 14. NEGOTIABLE OBLIGATIONS ISSUED

The table below shows the Bank's issues of simple, non-convertible negotiable obligations:

	Issued amount (In thousands)	Issue date	Maturity date	Annual interest rate	Book Value	
Series					12/31/2021	12/31/2020
XLVIII	\$ 6,300,000	11/07/17	11/0722	Badlar +4.00%	2,798,946	4,191,975
L	UVA 23,239	02/14/18	02/14/22	4.90%	2,280,092	2,250,229
Series I	\$ 3,570,141	02/15/19	02/15/21	Badlar +6.15%	-	5,576,812
Series II	\$ 390,564	02/11/20	08/11/21	Badlar +6.75%	-	621,123
Series III	UVA 60,329	02/11/20	02/11/22	5.00%	5,921,242	5,896,831
Series IV	US\$ 78,336	10/14/20	10/14/25	9.75%	6,414,860	9,883,492
Series V	US\$ 10,000	10/01/21	04/07/23	0.00%	1,021,339	-
Total					18,436,479	28,420,465

The Bank uses the net proceeds of the placement of Negotiable Obligations for any of the purposes set forth in Section 36 of the Negotiable Obligations Law, BCRA Communication "A" 3046, as amended and supplemented, and other applicable regulations.

The Annual Shareholders' Meeting held on May 23, 2008 approved the creation of a new Global Program for the issuance of negotiable obligations, non-convertible into shares, secured or unsecured, for up to US\$ 2,000,000,000 or an equal amount in Pesos, which was amended, extended and increased several times by subsequent Annual Shareholders' Meetings and Board Resolutions. The current amount authorized to be issued under the Global Note Program is up to US\$ 1,000,000,000 or its equivalent in other currencies.

The Program's Public Offering was authorized by Resolution No. 16573 dated May 24, 2011, the increase of the Program amount was authorized by Resolution No. 17805 dated September 9, 2015, the extension of the Program and the increase in its amount were authorized by Resolution No. 18145 dated July 28, 2016, whereas a new increase in the program amount was authorized by Resolution No. 18493 dated February 2, 2017, all of them issued by the CNV.

#### 15. PROVISIONS

For information on commitments, contingencies and provisions, see Note 14 to the consolidated financial statements for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2021.

Changes in provisions are included in Schedule J accompanying these separate financial statements.

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#### 16. CAPITAL STOCK

Banco Hipotecario Sociedad Anónima has a capital stock of 1,500,000, which is fully subscribed and paid-in and represented by 1,500,000,000 common, registered shares, with a nominal value of ARS 1 each, classified as follows:

Class	Shares	Nominal Value	Capital Stock
Α	664,376,845	1	664,376,845
В	57,009,279	1	57,009,279
С	75,000,000	1	75,000,000
D	703,613,876	1	703,613,876
	1,500,000,000		1,500,000,000

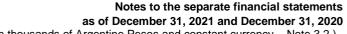
- Class A shares: Entitled to 1 vote each. These shares were held by the Argentine Government as part of the privatization process and were subsequently transferred to the Trust Fund to support the Regional Infrastructure Federal Fund:
- Class B shares: Entitled to 1 vote each. These shares are held under the *Programa de Propiedad Participada* (Employee Stock Ownership Plan or "PPP") created by Decree No. 2127/2012 and may not account for more than 5 % of the Bank's capital stock. To the extent Class B shares account for more than 2% of the Bank's capital stock, holders of Class B shares gathered at a Shareholders' Meeting will be entitled to elect one member of the Bank's Board of Directors;
- Class C shares: Entitled to 1 vote each. These shares may not account for more than 5 % of the Bank's capital stock and are freely transferable. To the extent Class C shares account for more than 3 % of the Bank's capital stock, holders of Class C shares gathered at a Shareholders' Meeting will be entitled to elect one member of the Bank's Board of Directors; and
- Class D shares: To the extent Class A shares account for more than 42 % of the capital stock, Class "D" shares will be entitled to 3 votes each. An individual or legal entity belonging to the same business group may not own more than five per cent (5 %) of the Bank's capital stock. At times when Class D shares account for, at least, 25 % of the Bank's capital stock, holders of Class D shares, gathered at a Shareholders' Meeting, will be entitled to elect the majority of the members of the Bank's Board of Directors.

Programa de Propiedad Participada (Employee Stock Ownership Plan)

Law No. 24855, whereby Banco Hipotecario Nacional was declared "subject to privatization" and transformed into a corporation ("sociedad anónima"), provided for the creation of the *Programa de Propiedad Participada* (Employee Stock Ownership Plan or "PPP"). A PPP is a system envisaged by Law No. 23696 to allow employees of an entity

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subject to privatization to acquire shares in the privatized entity's capital stock from the government.

The Bank's PPP was implemented by Executive Decree No. 2127/2012, pursuant to which the individuals included in the Bank's payroll as of September 27, 1997 became entitled to participate in the PPP, by subscribing a General Transfer Agreement among the employee, the government and the Trustee (Banco de la Nación Argentina).

Class "B" shares (57,009,279) are entirely held by the PPP. The sale price of the shares was set at \$ 0,665 each.

The payment of the shares to the government is made by offsetting contributions to the Adjustable Supplementary Pension Fund (Fondo Complementario Móvil de Jubilaciones) and capitalizing the dividends from the awarded shares, and out of half the proceeds from the profit-sharing bonus.

The Bank's by-laws provide for the payment of a profit-sharing bonus in respect of profits for fiscal year 2012 up to and including fiscal year 2021. The profit-sharing bonus is calculated as 0.50% of the Bank's profits for the year, as determined at the Annual Shareholder's Meeting at which the financial statements are approved.

#### Treasury shares deliverable

On November 22, 2017 (the "grant date"), the Bank's Board of Directors approved the adoption of the Employee Compensation Program, as approved at the Shareholders' Meetings held on April 24, 2013, April 24, 2014, and June 4, 2017.

Employees of the Bank, BACS, BHN Sociedad de Inversión S.A., BHN Vida S.A., BHN Seguros Generales S.A. and BH Valores S.A. (merged into the Bank in 2019) on the grant date became entitled to a number of shares, pursuant to the program conditions.

The benefit was calculated considering the fair value of the Bank's shares as of the grant date, with the value in excess of the nominal value of the shares being charged to "Reserve for share-based payments,"

If, at the time the beneficiary's employment at the entities involved is terminated, that beneficiary meets the program conditions, then such beneficiary will receive Class "D" shares and the shares will be reclassified from "deliverable shares" to "outstanding shares," in both cases under Capital stock.

In addition, until March 2021, the higher value recognized in the "Reserve for share-based payments" was reclassified to the account "Share premium" every time shares were delivered to the program beneficiaries. On March 30, 2021, the Bank's Shareholders' Meeting resolved to absorb unappropriated retained losses and the accounts "Share premium" and "Reserve for share-based payments" were fully absorbed. Therefore, effective since April 2021, balances are reclassified from "deliverable shares" to "outstanding shares" only.

Dividends from deliverable shares are made available to beneficiaries as soon as the payment of such dividends is approved at the Shareholders' Meeting.

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# 17. INTEREST INCOME AND ADJUSTMENTS / FEE AND COMMISSION INCOME

Interest income and adjustments	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Interest on cash and bank deposits	10	2,019
Interest on loans to the financial sector	156,453	93,564
Interest on overdraft facilities	126,566	231,443
Interest on promissory notes	838,098	60,707
Interest on mortgage loans	955,374	1,077,717
Interest on consumer loans	2,003,056	3,636,639
Interest on pledge loans	2,917	432
Interest on credit card loans	5,337,213	8,386,475
Interest on finance leases	35,902	20,189
Interest on other loans	1,886,040	2,319,524
Interest on government and corporate securities	3,813,708	1,152,497
Income from CER, CVS, UVA and UVI adjustments	4,169,417	3,733,388
Interest on repos	24,110,035	6,235,155
Other	25,494	249,242
Total	43,460,283	27,198,991

Fee and commission income	12/31/2021	12/31/2020	
Credit card commissions	4,971,279	7,720,548	
Insurance commissions	525,864	710,458	
Linked to lending transactions	1,131,808	985,885	
Linked to borrowing transactions	42,652	58,374	
Other commissions	406,103	475,238	
Total	7,077,706	9,950,503	

# 18. INTEREST EXPENSE AND ADJUSTMENTS

Interest expense and adjustments	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Interest on checking account deposits	(13,482,105)	(4,681,675)
Interest on savings account deposits	(15,185)	(14,300)
Interest on time deposits	(22,651,433)	(11,604,336)
Interest on interfinancial loans received	(7,522)	(42,084)
Interest on other negotiable obligations and debt securities	(3,040,152)	(8,207,045)
Expense for CER, CVS, UVA and UVI	(3,978,097)	(3,278,169)

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adjustments		
Total	(43,174,494)	(27,827,609)

#### 19. GOLD AND FOREIGN CURRENCY EXCHANGE DIFFERENCES, NET

Originated in:	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Dollar denominated assets	8,272,034	10,933,670
Dollar denominated liabilities	(8,176,591)	(10,853,401)
Derivatives	(867,101)	(1,249,338)
Net assets denominated in Euros	34,460	108,408
Exchange differences	(737,198)	(1,060,661)

## 20. NET INCOME FROM FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS

Net income from financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Income from government securities	11,636,767	11,450,868
Income (loss) from financial trusts	(28,639)	87,713
Income (loss) from other corporate securities	(57,187)	(17,971)
Loss on derivative financial instruments	(124,669)	(72,793)
Total	11.426.272	11.447.817

# 21. OTHER OPERATING INCOME / (EXPENSES)

Other operating income	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Loan servicing	186,945	231,563
Borrowing transactions commissions	410,143	411,553
Income from services PRO.CRE.AR	1,076,451	743,253
Penalty interest	151,334	231,710
Loans recovered	586,634	670,670
Reversal of allowances	61,289	300,749
Rentals	13,788	19,475
Measurement of investment property at fair value	-	192,555
Income from sale of non-financial assets	7,378	97,886
Adjustments and interest on miscellaneous receivables	134,184	190,941
Other income	245,289	258,166
Total	2,873,435	3,348,521

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Other operating expenses	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Turnover tax	(2,880,195)	(1,859,577)
Loan servicing	(2,384,547)	(2,685,089)
Deposit servicing	(626,995)	(612,022)
Other taxes	(462,282)	(473,371)
Debit and credit card rebates	(468,843)	(466,899)
Loan rebates	(167,569)	(332,673)
Contribution to the deposit insurance fund	(310,773)	(188,044)
Interest on finance leases	(211,319)	(206,759)
Charges from other provisions	(329,019)	(277,918)
Donations	(8,033)	(16,463)
Non-current assets at fair value held for sale	(1,895,933)	(609,408)
Investment property at fair value	(219,748)	-
Other expenses	(210,354)	(102,486)
Total	(10,175,610)	(7,830,709)

#### 22. EXPENSES BY FUNCTION AND NATURE

The Bank presented its statement of comprehensive income under the expenditure function method. Under this method, expenses are classified according to their function as part of the item "Administrative expenses."

The table below provides certain required additional information about expenses by nature and by function:

Administrative expenses	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Fees and compensation for services	(2,008,932)	(2,451,380)
Directors' and supervisory committee's members fees	(163,100)	(160,910)
Taxes and duties	(449,549)	(515,884)
Maintenance and repairs	(407,437)	(520,862)
Electricity, gas and telephone services	(435,570)	(480,369)
Entertainment and transportation expenses	(33,524)	(35,293)
Rentals	(42,475)	(65,957)
Insurance	(73,174)	(65,883)
Advertising, promotion and research expenses	(57,809)	(54,538)
Security services	(221,927)	(248,750)
Office supplies	(8,686)	(21,467)
Armored transportation services	(297,346)	(376,782)
Miscellaneous	(65,918)	(51,830)
Total	(4,265,447)	(5,049,905)

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#### 23. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

The table below shows a breakdown of items disclosed under Employee Benefits:

Employee benefits	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Salaries and social security contributions payable	(7,037,209)	(7,166,868)
Severance payments and bonuses	(2,082,286)	(1,312,576)
Personnel expenses	(406,581)	(547,722)
Total	(9,526,076)	(9,027,166)

#### 24. OFF-BALANCE SHEET ACCOUNTS

The Bank accounts for different transactions under off-balance sheet accounts, according to the rules issued by the BCRA. There follow the balances of the main off-balance sheet accounts as of December 31, 2021 and 2020:

	12/3	31/2021	12/31/2020
Guarantees received		32,831,291	42,250,688
Uncollectible loans		6,213,933	8,663,200
Securities in custody		54,139,921	31,129,251
Securities to be collected		4,548,451	1,460,034
Securities to be debited		83,312	121,577
Securities to be credited		182,869	194,746
Agreed loans		31,085,324	32,839,691
Guarantees granted		313,388	260,370

## 25. TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES WITH RELATED PARTIES

The Bank has carried out transactions with related parties on an arm's length basis.

# Main shareholders

The Bank's main shareholders are:

	Class of	12/31/2021		12/31/2020	
Name	shares	Votes %	Capital %	Votes %	Capital %
Fideicomiso de Asistencia al Fondo Federal de Infraestructura Regional	А	22.85%	44.29%	22.86%	44.30%

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# Notes to the separate financial statements as of December 31, 2021 and December 31, 2020

(In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency – Note 3.2.)

		100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%
Other	D	6.42%	4.14%	6.25%	4.02%
The Bank of New York ADRs (*)	D	9.38%	6.06%	9.38%	6.06%
Shares to be delivered	D	2.87%	1.85%	3.03%	1.96%
ANSES	D	7.64%	4.94%	7.64%	4.94%
IRSA Inversiones y Representaciones S.A. (*)	D	46.30%	29.92%	46.30%	29.92%
Fideicomiso de Asistencia al Fondo Federal de Infraestructura Regional	С	2.58%	5.00%	2.58%	5.00%
Programa de Propiedad Participada	В	1.96%	3.80%	1.96%	3.80%

<sup>(\*)</sup> IRSA Inversiones y Representaciones ("IRSA") owns these holdings directly and indirectly through the following subsidiaries: Tyrus S.A. (5.00%), Ritelco S.A. (5.00%), E-Commerce Latina S.A. (5.00%), Palermo Invest S.A. (4.99%), and Inversora Bolívar S.A. (5.00%)

#### **Directors' Fees**

The Bank's by-laws provide that total fees payable to Directors will be limited to five per cent (5 %) of after-tax profits for the fiscal year at issue when no cash dividends are distributed for any reason, and will be increased pro rata to cash dividends, if available, until reaching fifteen per cent (15 %) of taxable income.

Some of the Bank's directors were hired under Employment Law No. 20744. This law sets forth certain employment conditions, including, without limitations, salaries, income protection, working hours, vacations, paid leaves, minimum age requirements, workers' protection, and manners to suspend or terminate employment contracts. The fees payable every year to our Directors are determined in accordance with the provisions of Law No. 19550, taking into account whether directors perform technical-administrative duties and based on the profits recorded during the year. Once the fees payable to directors are determined, they are submitted to the Shareholders' Meeting for approval.

# **Compensation payable to the Key Management Personnel**

Senior Management members are designated and removed by the Board of Directors and perform their duties following the instructions delivered by the Board.

As compensation for their duties, our Key Management Personnel earn a fixed amount determined based on their background, skills and experience, and a variable bonus which is paid on an annual basis and is linked to individual performance and the Bank's results of operations.

As of December 31, 2021, the Bank's Management key personnel is comprised of a General Manager and thirteen

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<sup>(\*\*)</sup> It represents 90,905,000 ADRs (10 shares = 1 ADR), the political rights of which are exercised by the Argentine Government.



#### **Corporate Services Contracts**

As subsidiaries have operating areas that share certain common characteristics, the Bank implemented alternatives to cut certain fixed costs inherent to its business by streamlining the individual efficiency of each of the companies in the several areas comprising operating management.

Costs and rewards of corporate services agreements are allocated on the basis of operating efficiency and equity, without pursuing individual profits for each of the companies.

Below there is a detail of the services areas included in the corporate services agreements:

Entity	Services area
BACS	Human resources, financial services, IT services, procurement and contracting, accounts payable, overall secretarial, legal advice services and exclusive use by BACS of a space within the Bank's Vault.
BHN Vida y BHN Seguros Generales (a)	Human resources; procurement and contracting; maintenance; internal audit; asset management; general services; accounts payable; overall secretarial services; legal advice and supervision; supply, maintenance and administration of communication and IT items; SAP maintenance, and sale of insurance policies through call centers

(a) Controlled by BHN Sociedad de Inversión.

# **Legal Services**

The Bank retains the legal services of Estudio Zang, Bergel & Viñes, Saúl Zang is a partner to such law firm and is also a member of the Board of the Bank's subsidiaries.

### **Trading of Financial Assets**

Idle funds are usually placed in several instruments, including those issued by related companies, which are purchased at the time of issuance or from independent third parties in the secondary market.

### **Financial Transactions**

In the ordinary course of business, the Bank enters into certain related party credit facility agreements. The interest rate on these facilities is determined at arm's length and these facilities are under the normal category as of year-end.

In addition, the Bank and BACS usually act as placement agents in certain related parties' transactions carried out in the Capital Market.

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Below there is a detail of the balances and transactions with related parties as of December 31, 2021:

		ASSETS							
Related party	Debt securities at fair value through profit or loss	fair value through financing		Other non- financial assets					
BACS	-	-	3,250	-					
BHN Inversión	-	25	3,102	-					
Financial Trusts CHA IX to XIV	97,406	-	-	-					
Total subsidiaries	97,406	25	6,352	-					
IRSA (includes subsidiaries)	-	357,739	-	1					
Total Shareholders	-	357,739	•	•					
Key personnel	-	-	-	111,769					
Total other	-	-	•	111,769					
Total	97,406	357,764	6,352	111,769					

	LIABILITIES				
Related Party	Deposits	Derivative instruments	Other financial liabilities		
BACS	25,313	-	-		
BHN Inversión	103,870	-	24,896		
Financial Trusts CHA IX to XIV	4,852	2,013,025	-		
Total subsidiaries	134,035	2,013,025	24,896		
Zang Bergel & Viñes Law Firm	-	-	193		
Key personnel	-	-	141,767		
Total other	-	-	141,960		
Total	134,035	2,013,025	166,856		

Related Party	Interest income	Interest expense	Commission income	Other operating expenses	Employee benefits	Administrative expenses
BACS	13,992	7,522	-	8,930	-	-
BHN Inversión	-	160,090	502,950	11,684	-	=
Financial Trusts CHA IX to XIV	30,052	54,136	-	-	-	=
Total subsidiaries	44,044	221,748	502,950	20,614	•	-
Zang Bergel & Viñes Law Firm	-	-	-	-	-	950
Key personnel	-	-	-	-	506,776	163,100
Total other	-	-	-	-	506,776	164,050
Total	44,044	221,748	502,950	20,614	506,776	164,050

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Below there is a detail of the balances and transactions with related parties as of December 31, 2020:

	ASSETS							
Related party	Debt securities at fair Loans and other value through profit or loss arrangements		Other financial assets	Other non- financial assets				
BACS	-	706,299	4,290	-				
BHN Inversión	-	56,994	7,889	-				
Financial Trusts CHA IX to XIV	126,489	1,746	-	-				
Total subsidiaries	126,489	765,039	12,179	-				
IRSA (Includes subsidiaries)	-	560,744	-	-				
Total Shareholders	-	560,744	-	-				
Zang Bergel & Viñes Law Firm	-	9,913	-	-				
Key personnel	-	-	-	101,706				
Total other	-	9,913	-	101,706				
Total	126,489	1,335,696	12,179	101,706				

		LIABILITIES					
Related Party	Deposits	Derivative instruments	Negotiable obligations issued	Other financial liabilities			
BACS	21,612	-	-	-			
BHN Inversión	105,532	-	320,147	112,492			
Financial Trusts CHA IX to XIV	5,706	2,686,712	-	-			
Total subsidiaries	132,850	2,686,712	320,147	112,492			
Zang Bergel & Viñes Law Firm	-	-	-	197			
Key personnel	=	-	-	129,095			
Total other	-	•	-	129,292			
Total	132,850	2,686,712	320,147	241,784			

Related Party	Interest income	Interest expense	Commission income	Employee benefits	Administrative expenses	Other operating expenses
BACS	78,706	3,798	-	3,907	-	-
BHN Inversión	-	193,571	647,344	12,570	-	-
Financial Trusts CHA IX to						
XIV	67,816	20,479	-	-	-	i
Total subsidiaries	146,522	217,848	647,344	16,477	-	-
Zang Bergel & Viñes Law						
Firm	-	-	-	-	-	2,871
Key personnel	-	-	-	-	461,885	146,003
Total other	-	-		-	461,885	148,874

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Total 146,522 217,848 647,344 16,477 461,885 148,874

#### 26. FINANCIAL RISK FACTORS

#### **Comprehensive Risk Management**

The Bank relies on a comprehensive process to manage risks that includes identifying, assessing, tracking, controlling and mitigating all significant risks.

The comprehensive process for managing risks is geared towards having the Board of Directors and Senior Management involved in the management of all significant risks and having them oversee such management and understand the nature and level of risk taken on by the entity and how such risk relates to capital adequacy. In addition, it is in line with the best practices in risk management and, in particular, with the Argentine Central Bank's guidelines for financial institutions' risk management.

To make sure that its significant risks are properly managed, the Bank relies on a management framework and on management devices that are fitting to its size, complexity, economic weight and risk profile.

### a) Credit Risk:

See overview of credit risk management principles, policies and procedures in Note 26.a) to the consolidated financial statements.

Below is a detail of the credit quality of the Bank's financial assets:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
	(In thousand	ls of Ps.)
Government and corporate securities	51,003,044	45,683,852
Measured at fair value through profit or loss	23,409,629	40,028,915
Measured at amortized cost	25,456,632	5,418,230
Investments in equity instruments	134,436	141,494
Financial trust participation certificates	14,428	70,952
Shares in mutual funds	47,672	-
Pledged as collateral	1,940,247	24,261
Loans and other financing arrangements	58,396,252	71,882,351
Commercial portfolio	22,239,762	24,222,931
Performing	15,058,333	16,787,619
Non-performing	7,181,429	7,435,312
Consumer portfolio	36,156,490	47,659,420
Performing	35,072,628	46,298,321
Non-performing	1,083,862	1,361,099
Other financial assets	189,888,538	36,228,649

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#### Impairment of financial instruments

The Bank accounts for Loans according to the type of loan portfolio, by performing an individual analysis of each customer within the "Commercial portfolio" and a massive analysis based on days in arrears for customers within the "Consumer portfolio" or "Consumer comparable portfolio". The criteria followed by the Bank to set up allowances are detailed in Note 7.

Loans and other financing arrangements, according to maturity term, are included in Schedule D accompanying theses financial statements.

Changes in allowances for loan losses for the fiscal year are included in Schedule R accompanying these financial statements.

#### Loans written-off

All loans within the consumer portfolio that must be fully accounted for in accordance with the applicable rules in force are written off one month after the date on which such provision is made. The balance of loans written-off as of December 31, 2021 and 2020 amounts to Ps. 6,213,933 and Ps. 8,663,200, respectively.

#### b) Market risk

See overview of market risk management principles, policies and procedures in Note 26.b) to the consolidated financial statements.

The tables below show the Bank's exposure to foreign exchange risk as of December 31, 2021 and 2020 by type of currency:

		12/31/2	2021		12/31/2020			
	Monetary financial assets	Monetary financial liabilities	Derivative instruments	Net Position	Monetary financial assets	Monetary financial liabilities	Derivative instruments	Net Position
				(In thous	ands of Ps.)			
Dollar	20,091,314	(19,693,629)	4,597,478	4,995,163	30,517,635	(27,415,725)	(3,821,083)	(719,173)
Euro	129,947	(5,706)	-	124,241	250,180	(12,893)	-	237,287
Total	20,221,261	(19,699,335)	4,597,478	5,119,404	30,767,815	(27,428,618)	(3,821,083)	(481,886)

Derivative instruments are measured at the fair value of the respective currency at fiscal year-end.

The preceding table includes monetary assets and liabilities only, since investments in equity instruments and non-monetary instruments do not result in market risk exposure.

The following is a sensitivity analysis of income (loss) and shareholders' equity to reasonable changes in

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the preceding exchange rates relative to the Bank's functional currency, considering an instant variation in exposure as of the closing date.

		12/31	/2021	12/31/2020		
Currency	Variation	Income (loss)	Shareholders' equity	Income (loss)	Shareholders' equity	
Dollar	40%	(853,525)	(853,525)	(287,669)	(287,669)	
	(40)%	853,525	853,525	287,669	287,669	
Euro	40%	49,696	49,696	94,915	94,915	
Euro	(40)%	(49,696)	(49,696)	(94,915)	(94,915)	

#### c) Interest rate risk:

See the overview of interest rate risk management principles, policies and procedures in Note 26.c) to the consolidated financial statements.

The table below shows the "Value at Risk" (VaR), with a 99% confidence level for interest rate risk as of December 31, 2021 and 2020.

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Minimum for the year	1,007,285	844,312
Maximum for the year	2,812,699	1,789,716
Average for the year	1,696,846	1,438,081
At Year-End	1,661,771	844,312

The table below shows the Bank's exposure to interest rate risk. Such table shows the residual value of assets and liabilities, classified as the sooner of the interest renegotiation date or the maturity date.

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Assets and Liabilities at		Term (in days)					
Floating rate (Ps.)	Up to 30	30 to 90	90 to 180	180 to 365	Over 365	Total	
As of 12/31/2020							
Total Financial Assets	15,492,655	559,379	216,574	2,356,599	11,562,457	30,187,664	
Total Financial Liabilities	(2,642,760)	(1,813,870)	(1,092,606)	(2,468,693)	(28,853,450)	(36,871,379)	
Net Amount	12,849,895	(1,254,491)	(876,032)	(112,094)	(17,290,993)	(6,683,715)	
As of 12/31/2021							
Total Financial Assets	210,909,660	5,755,437	29,015,254	5,322,082	22,766,422	273,768,855	
Total Financial Liabilities	(217,913,465)	(24,889,937)	(6,647,094)	(317,850)	(27,888,687)	(277,657,033)	
Net Amount	(7,003,805)	(19,134,500)	22,368,160	5,004,232	(5,122,265)	(3,888,178)	

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Assets and Liabilities at		Term (in days)					
Floating rate (US dollars)	Up to 30	30 to 90	90 to 180	180 to 365	Over 365	Total	
As of 12/31/2020							
Total Financial Assets	19,935,008	306,538	835,024	1,063,844	9,369,512	31,509,926	
Total Financial Liabilities	(3,378,308)	(993,454)	(1,194,798)	(2,826,685)	(30,845,027)	(39,238,272)	
Net Amount	16,556,700	(686,916)	(359,774)	(1,762,841)	(21,475,515)	(7,728,346)	
As of 12/31/2021							
Total Financial Assets	13,207,097	203,084	553,210	704,805	6,207,374	20,875,570	
Total Financial Liabilities	(2,238,155)	(658,171)	(791,563)	(1,872,701)	(20,435,069)	(25,995,659)	
Net Amount	10,968,942	(455,087)	(238,353)	(1,167,896)	(14,227,695)	(5,120,089)	

The table below shows the sensitivity to a potential change in interest rates, all other variables held constant, in the Statement of Income and Statement of Changes in Shareholders' Equity, before income tax.

Sensitivity in the Statement of Income is the effect of estimated changes in interest rates on net financial income for a given year, before income tax, based on financial assets and liabilities as of December 31, 2021 and 2020.

Sensitivity in shareholders' equity is calculated by means of a revaluation of financial assets, net, before income tax, as of December 31, 2021 and 2020, for the effects of estimated changes in interest rates:

		As of December 31, 2021					
	_	Changes in Basis Point		Sensitivity in Shareholders'		itivity in Net e (Loss) within	
Currency			E	Equity		1 Year	
Foreign currency (1)	+/-	50	+/-	24,190	+/-	870,520	
Foreign currency (1)	+/-	75	+/-	36,752	+/-	882,484	
Foreign currency (1)	+/-	100	+/-	49,603	+/-	894,451	
Foreign currency (1)	+/-	150	+/-	76,105	+/-	918,392	
Peso	+/-	50	+/-	153,108	+/-	168,617	
Peso	+/-	75	+/-	229,199	+/-	252,954	
Peso	+/-	100	+/-	304,933	+/-	337,309	
Peso	+/-	150	+/-	455,339	+/-	506,076	

<sup>(1)</sup> For calculations in both currencies, the discount rate curves published by the Entity were used.

		As of December 31, 2020						
		Changes in Basis Points		Sensitivity in Shareholders'		vity in Net ne (Loss)		
Currency			Equity		withi	n 1 Year		
Foreign Currency (1)	+/-	50	+/-	121,259	+/-	15,564		
Foreign Currency (1)	+/-	75	+/-	181,645	+/-	23,355		
Foreign Currency (1)	+/-	100	+/-	241,848	+/-	31,156		

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# Notes to the separate financial statements as of December 31, 2021 and December 31, 2020

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Foreign Currency (1)	+/-	150	+/-	361,643	+/-	46,775
Peso	+/-	50	+/-	17,224	+/-	52,458
Peso	+/-	75	+/-	25,825	+/-	78,669
Peso	+/-	100	+/-	34,295	+/-	104,867
Peso	+/-	150	+/-	50,852	+/-	157,224

<sup>(1)</sup> In calculating amounts in foreign currency, the Bank used the transfer rates calculated by the Entity.

### d) Liquidity risk

See the overview of liquidity risk management principles, policies and procedures in Note 26.d) to the consolidated financial statements.

The table below shows the Bank's liquidity ratios for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2021 and 2020:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Average during the year	127%	139%
Higher	156%	182%
Lower	108%	105%

The breakdown of financial assets and liabilities by maturity are disclosed in Schedule D "Breakdown of Loans and Other Financing Arrangements by Maturity Dates" and Schedule I "Breakdown of Financial Liabilities by Maturity Dates" to these financial statements, respectively.

### 27. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

The Bank's capital management goals are:

- Fulfilling the requirements established by the BCRA in its Communication "A" 6260, as amended;
- Supporting the Bank's operations to prevent any situation that may affect them.

According to the BCRA's guidelines, financial institutions are required to maintain certain capital ratios to mitigate the associated risks. The Bank has met the minimum capital requirements determined in accordance with the BCRA's rules.

Effective since March 2020, the BCRA required that, for purposes of the calculation of Regulatory Capital (*Responsabilidad Patrimonial Computable*) by Group "A" financial institutions, such as the Bank, the impact resulting from the positive difference between the allowance accounted for pursuant to item 5.5. of IFRS 9 and the higher of the "regulatory" allowance calculated pursuant to the rules on "Minimum allowances for loan losses", or the accounting allowance pursuant to the trial balance as of November 30, 2019, may be considered as Tier 1 Ordinary Capital.

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Regulatory Capital (*Responsabilidad Patrimonial Computable*) is comprised by Core Capital and Supplementary Capital. The table below shows a breakdown of the respective balances:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Core Capital		
Tier 1 Ordinary Capital	22,481,043	29,331,827
(Deductible items)	(10,960,452)	(11,115,949)
Supplementary Capital		
Tier 2 Capital	450,527	606,648
Regulatory Capital (Responsabilidad Patrimonial Computable)	11,971,118	18,822,526

Below is a detail of the determined capital requirement:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Credit risk	5,333,328	6,622,209
Market risk	289,320	337,841
Operational risk	1,312,606	1,902,219
Core requirement	6,935,254	8,862,269
Payment	11,971,118	18,822,526
Surplus	5,035,864	9,960,257

#### 28. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE ARGENTINE CENTRAL BANK

# 28.1. Deposit Guarantee Insurance System

For a description of the deposit guarantee insurance, see Note 28.1., to the consolidated financial statements.

#### 28.2. Restricted assets

Below there is a detail of financial assets pledged as collateral as of each indicated date:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
BCRA special guarantee accounts related to electronic clearing agencies	1,868,402	1,312,635
Cash, government securities and instruments issued by the Argentine		
Central Bank as collateral for OTC ROFEX transactions	1,932,512	20,331
Government securities and instruments issued by the Argentine Central		
Bank as collateral for MAE and BYMA transactions	8,836	5,951
Cash and deposits in escrow as collateral for Visa credit card		
transactions	506,406	604,519
Cash and deposits in escrow as collateral for office and store leases	1,513	1,465
Cash and deposits in escrow as collateral for attachments	1,672	2,290

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	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Government and corporate securities issued by the BCRA carried in repo		
transactions	31,863	-
Total	4,351,204	1,947,191

#### 28.3. Fiduciary activities

For a description of the Bank's fiduciary activities, see Note 28.3. to the consolidated financial statements.

# 28.4. Compliance with the regulations required by the Argentine Securities Commission

For information on compliance with the regulations required by the CNV, see Note 28.4. to the consolidated financial statements.

# 28.5. Accounts that identify compliance with minimum cash requirements

Below there is a detail of the items computed by the Bank to comply with the minimum cash requirements (according to applicable regulations established by the Argentine Central Bank) and the corresponding average balances as of December 31, 2021:

_	Pesos	Dollars	Euro	Treasury Bill due 01/31/22	Treasury Bill due 02/28/22	Argentine Bond in USD due 07/09/35
		(in the	ousands in	the relevant currer	icy)	
Checking accounts at BCRA	14,641,445	72,782	74	-	-	-
Special accounts at BCRA	1,525,940	660	-	-	-	-
Payment with BOTE 2022	5,541,395	-	-	-	-	-
Payment with Leliq and LeCer	18,832,588	-	-	-	-	-
CRYL Account	-	-	-	74,368	36,084	277
Total paid-in	40,541,368	73,442	74	74,368	36,084	277
Total requirement	38,286,427	62,121	-	74,368	36,084	255
Required deduction (miscellaneous)	7,474,911	-	-	-	-	-
Monthly position	9,729,852	11,321	74	-	-	22

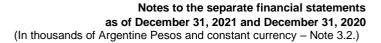
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# 28.6. Penalties imposed on the Bank and summary proceedings initiated by the Argentine Central Bank and other regulatory authorities

For a description of the Bank's summary proceedings, see Note 28.6. to the consolidated financial statements.

# 28.7. Restrictions on the distribution of profits

For a detail of the restrictions on the distribution of profits, see Note 28.7. to the consolidated financial statements.

# 28.8. Capital management and transparent corporate governance policy

See description of capital management and transparent corporate governance policy in Note 28.8 to the consolidated financial statements.

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#### 29. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

For a description on subsequent events, see Note 29 to the consolidated financial statements.

# **30. LEGALIZATION OF BOOKS**

At the date of these financial statements, the transactions conducted by the Bank for the period October 1, 2021 through December 31, 2021 are pending transcription into the legalized books as set forth in the regulations in force.

#### 31. MARKET DISCIPLINE

Information on Banco Hipotecario S.A.'s regulatory capital structure and sufficiency, risk exposure and management, on a separate and on a consolidated basis with its subsidiaries, as required by Communication "A" 5394 of the BCRA, is available at the Bank's website (http://www.hipotecario.com.ar), under the "Market Discipline – Minimum Disclosure Requirements" link.

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# SCHEDULE A - GOVERNMENT AND CORPORATE SECURITIES

As of 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020

In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

			H	lolding			Position	
			Fair	Balances	Balances		Fair	
Description	ld.	Fair value	value	as of	as of	Fair value	value	Posición
			level	12/31/2021	12/31/2020		level	final
DEBT SECURITIES AT FAIR								
VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR								
LOSS				23,409,629	40,028,915	23,409,629	-	23,409,629
Argentine								
Government securities								
Argentine Bond USD linked due								
04/28/23	05928		1	399,098	-	399,098	-	399,098
Argentine Bond USD linked due				,		,		,
11/30/22	05937		1	351,875	-	351,875	_	351,875
Argentine Bond USD linked due				,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		, , , , ,		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
04/29/22	05499		1	286,564	-	286,564	_	286,564
Argentine Treasury Bond due								
03/18/22	05491		1	196,869	183	196,869	_	196,869
Argentine Treasury Bond due			-	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		100,000
09/20/22	05495		1	146,765	-	146,765	_	146.765
Argentine Bond in USD due	00.00			,		. 10,7 00		
07/09/35	81088		1	98,973	_	98,973	_	98,973
Argentine Treasury Bill due	0.000			33,513		00,010		33,513
04/18/22	05934		1	89,835	-	89,835	_	89,835
Other	00001		1	111,333	10,448,313	111,333	_	111,333
BCRA Bills				,	.0,0,0 .0	,000		,000
BCRA Liquidity Bills	_	-	1	_	27,264,121	_	_	-
BCRA Liquidity Bills	_	-	2	21,001,736	2,119,767	21,001,736	_	21,001,736
Corporate securities				2.,00.,700	2, ,	21,001,100		21,001,100
Debt security FT CHA series 9 to								
14		_	2	97,404	139,404	97,404	_	97,404
Other		_	2	629,177	57,127	629,177	_	629,177
OTHER REPT OF CURITIES (*)		24,610,57						
OTHER DEBT SECURITIES (*)		5		25,456,632	5,418,238	25,456,632	-	25,456,632
Measured at amortized cost								
Argentine								
Government securities								
Argentine Treasury Bill due								
03/31/22	05931	7,422,900	2	7,395,503	-	7,395,503	-	7,395,503
Argentine Treasury Bond due								
05/21/22	05496	5,778,459	2	5,885,830	817,968	5,885,830	-	5,885,830
Argentine Treasury Bill due								
05/23/22	05936	3,122,525	2	3,097,002	-	3,097,002	-	3,097,002
Argentine Treasury Bill due	05949	2,906,400	2	2,892,043	-	2,892,043	-	2,892,043

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			Н	lolding			Position	
Description	ld.	Fair value	Fair value level	Balances as of 12/31/2021	Balances as of 12/31/2020	Fair value	Fair value level	Posición final
08/16/22								
Argentine Treasury Bill due								
06/30/22	05940	2,855,928	2	2,834,053	-	2,834,053	-	2,834,053
Argentine Bond in USD due								
07/09/35	05922	1,059,794	2	1,913,846	3,780,593	1,913,846	-	1,913,846
Argentine Treasury Bill due								
07/29/22	05815	1,364,816	2	1,337,468	-	1,337,468	-	1,337,468
Treasury Bill of the Municipality of		, ,		, ,		, ,		, ,
Córdoba in \$ due 09/13/22	42486	50,065	2	50,718	-	50,718	_	50,718
Treasury Bill of the Municipality of		,		,		,		
Córdoba in \$ due 03/25/22	42415	49,688	2	50,169	-	50,169	_	50,169
Argentine Treasury Bond due		,		,		,		ŕ
08/05/21	05360	_		-	743,720	-	_	-
Treasury Bill of the Municipality of					,			
Córdoba in \$ due 06/29/21	42306	_		-	75,226	-	_	-
					,			
Corporate securities								
Debt securities FT	34630	-		-	731	-	-	-
EQUITY INSTRUMENTS				134,436	141,494	134,436	-	134,436
Measured at fair value through				,	·	,		í
profit or loss								
Argentine								
Grupo Financiero Galicia	00534		1	63,341	61,544	63,341	-	63,341
ADR Grupo Supervielle	92789		1	27,690	37,212	27,690	-	27,690
Mercado Abierto Electrónico	30038		2	22,873	-	22,873	-	22,873
Play Digital	80001		2	20,532	42,738	20,532	-	20,532

<sup>(\*)</sup> It does not include allowance for loan losses for ARS 8 as of December 31, 2020.

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# SCHEDULE B – CLASSIFICATION OF LOANS AND OTHER FINANCING ARRANGEMENTS BY STATUS AND GUARANTEES RECEIVED

As of 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020

In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

Commercial Portfolio	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Normal Situation	15,056,649	15,211,955
With "A" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	2,930,718	760,202
With "B" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	1,357,452	2,020,070
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	10,768,479	12,431,683
With Special Follow-up	1,684	1,575,664
Under observation	1,684	2,369
With "A" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	226	1,312
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	1,458	1,057
Under negotiation or refinancing agreements	-	1,573,295
With "B" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	-	1,506,734
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	-	66,561
Troubled	2,419	3,536
With "A" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	32	223
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	2,387	3,313
With high risk of insolvency	1,461,708	7,423,654
With "A" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	12,474	5,176
With "B" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	1,112,928	274,747
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	336,306	7,143,731
Uncollectible	5,717,302	8,122
With "A" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	-	1,232
With "B" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	-	2,534
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	5,717,302	4,356
Total commercial portfolio	22,239,762	24,222,931

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# SCHEDULE B – CLASSIFICATION OF LOANS AND OTHER FINANCING ARRANGEMENTS BY STATUS AND GUARANTEES RECEIVED

As of 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020

In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

Consumer and housing portfolio	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Normal situation	34,673,772	45,916,073
With "A" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	1,164,267	2,768,116
With "B" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	9,443,514	10,764,543
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	24,065,991	32,383,414
Low risk	398,856	382,248
Low risk	397,210	310,517
With "A" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	6,351	2,860
With "B" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	108,796	361
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	282,063	307,296
Special treatment	1,646	71,731
With "B" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	-	124
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	1,646	71,607
Mid risk	330,095	441,778
With "A" collateral and counterguarantees	8,288	2,355
With "B" collateral and counterguarantees	71,404	9,152
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	250,403	430,271
High risk	677,690	621,280
With "A" collateral and counterguarantees	31,119	1,286
With "B" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	120,851	36,964
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	525,720	583,030
Uncollectible	76,077	298,041
With "B" preferred collateral and counterguarantees	385	10,065
Without preferred collateral and counterguarantees	75,692	287,976
Total consumer and housing portfolio	36,156,490	47,659,420
General total (1)	58,396,252	71,882,351

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#### (1) Reconciliation between Schedule B and the Statement of Financial Position:

	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
Loans and other financing arrangements	51,435,550	64,683,216
Other debt securities	25,456,632	5,418,230
Off-balance sheet accounts	317,045	266,170
plus allowances	7,315,636	8,090,360
less IFRS adjustments not computable for the Statement of Debtors'		
Condition	140,822	73,897
less items not computable for the Statement of Debtors' Condition	(812,801)	(1,232,015)
less government securities at amortized cost	(25,456,632)	(5,417,507)
TOTAL	58,396,252	71,882,351

It should be noted that the balances as of December 31, 2020 include the modification in the classification of debtors set forth by Communication "A" 7107 of the BCRA, which changes the non-performing tranches of normal situation, low risk and mid risk classifications.

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#### SCHEDULE C - CONCENTRATION OF LOANS AND OTHER FINANCING ARRANGEMENTS

As of 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020

In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

12/31/2021

	Financing								
Number of costumers	12	/31/2021	12/31/2020						
	Debt balance	% of total portfolio	Debt balance	% of total portfolio					
10 largest customers	10,370,454	17.76%	13,765,107	19.15%					
50 following largest customers	7,269,979	12.45%	7,669,467	10.67%					
100 following largest customers	2,979,578	5.10%	1,890,177	2.63%					
Rest of customers	37,776,241	64.69%	48,557,600	67.55%					
TOTAL (1)	58,396,252	100.00%	71,882,351	100.00%					

#### (1) Reconciliation between Schedule C and the Statement of Financial Position

Loans and other financing arrangements	51,435,550	64,683,216
Other debt securities	25,456,632	5,418,230
Off-balance sheet accounts	317,045	266,170
plus allowances	7,315,636	8,090,360
less IFRS adjustments not computable for the Statement of		
Debtors' Condition	140,822	73,897
less items not computable for the Statement of Debtors'		
Condition	(812,801)	(1,232,015)
less government securities at amortized cost	(25,456,632)	(5,417,507)
TOTAL	58,396,252	71,882,351

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#### SCHEDULE D - BREAKDOWN OF LOANS AND OTHER FINANCING ARRANGEMENTS ACCORDING TO MATURITY DATES

As of 12/31/2021

In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

	Past due portfolio		Remaining terms to maturity								
Item		1 month	3 months	6 months	12 months	24 months	More than 24 months	Total			
Non-financial public sector	-	31	-	-	-	-	-	31			
Financial sector	-	40,822	52,583	54,094	108,169	117,585	122,915	496,168			
Non-financial private sector											
and foreign residents	7,232,064	7,986,488	10,006,285	8,457,545	7,395,607	5,009,445	12,490,236	58,577,670			
TOTAL	7,232,064	8,027,341	10,058,868	8,511,639	7,503,776	5,127,030	12,613,151	59,073,869			

The decrease in future contractual flows is presented, including interest and additional amounts to be accrued until maturity of non- discounted agreements.

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#### SCHEDULE E - BREAKDOWN OF INVESTMENTS IN OTHER COMPANIES

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2021 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

	Shares				A	A	Information on the issuer				
Description		Face	Votes	s Number	Amount as of 12/31/2021	Amount as of 12/31/2020	Principal line of	Data	a of the latest	financial stateme	ent
	Class	value per	per					Fiscal period	Capital	Shareholders'	Income/(loss)
		unit	share		12/31/2021		business	closing date	stock	equity	for the year
In financial institutions -											
Controlled - Argentina											
BACS Banco de Crédito and	Ordinarias	1	1	54.687.500	956,787	1,079,252	Bancaria	31/12/2021	87,813	1,536,267	(170 057)
Securitización S.A.	Ofullianas	Į.		54,667,500	950,767	1,079,232	Dancana	31/12/2021	07,013	1,550,267	(178,857)
In other companies - Controlled											
BHN Sociedad de Inversión S.A.	Ordinarias	1	1	90,000,000	4,423,905	5,278,486	Inversión	31/12/2021	90,000	4,423,910	1,598,720
TOTAL					5,380,692	6,357,738					

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# SCHEDULE F - CHANGES IN PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

	Acquisition	Total			Imp	airment		Deprec	iation		Residual
Item	cost at the beginning of the year	useful life in years	Additions	Withdrawals	Losses	Reversals	Accumulated	Withdrawal	For the year	At closing	value as of fiscal year- end
Measured at cost											
- Real estate	6,365,014	50	373,045	-	(5)	-	(431,068)	-	(136,606)	(567,674)	6,170,380
- Furniture and facilities	1,419,861	10	2,038	(5,241)	-	-	(1,055,343)	4,042	(81,618)	(1,132,919)	283,739
- Machinery and equipment	6,728,097	(a)	208,362	-	-	-	(6,361,071)	-	(290,406)	(6,651,477)	284,982
- Vehicles	3,466	5	-	-	-	-	(3,466)	-	-	(3,466)	=
- Sundry	157,780	5	562	(651)	-	-	(154,061)	630	(2,767)	(156,198)	1,493
- Right of use of leased											
real estate property	733,720	(b)	157,730	(4,067)	-	-	(412,940)		(204,126)	(617,066)	270,317
- Right of use of leased											
personal property	143,324	(b)	-	-	-	-	(120,355)	-	(9,712)	(130,067)	13,257
- Work in progress	381,744	-	69	(381,813)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total property, plant and											
equipment	15,933,006		741,806	(391,772)	(5)	-	(8,538,304)	4,672	(725,235)	(9,258,867)	7,024,168

<sup>(</sup>a) The useful life of machinery is 5 years, and of equipment, 3 years.

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<sup>(</sup>b) The useful life corresponds to the term of each lease agreement.



#### SCHEDULE F - CHANGE IN INTANGIBLE ASSETS

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

Item	Acquisition cost at the beginning of the year	Net income/loss due to measurement at fair value	Additions	Withdrawals	Residual value as of fiscal year-end	
Measured at Fair Value						
- Leased property	1,298,047	(219,748)	-	-	1,078,299	
Total investment property	1,298,047	(219,748)	-	-	1,078,299	

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#### SCHEDULE F - CHANGE IN INTANGIBLE ASSETS

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

	Acquisition cost Tot				Impa	airment		Depre	ciation		Residual
Item	at the beginning of the fiscal year	useful life in years	Additions	Withdrawals	Losses	Reversals	Accumulated	Withdrawal	For the fiscal year	At closing	value as of fiscal year- end
Measured at cost											
Development expenses of own systems Other intangible assets	2,915,912	5	49,907	-	-	-	(2,489,042)	-	(180,505)	(2,669,547)	296,272
Total intangible assets	2,915,912		49,907	-	-	-	(2,489,042)	-	(180,505)	(2,669,547)	296,272

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#### SCHEDULE H - CONCENTRATION OF DEPOSITS

As of 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

	Deposits								
Number of costumers	12/	/31/2021	12/31/2020						
	Debt balance	% of total portfolio	Debt balance	% of total portfolio					
10 largest customers	134,271,004	48.08%	52,931,543	42.19%					
50 following largest customers	28,492,566	10.20%	18,927,537	15.09%					
100 following largest customers	4,930,143	1.77%	4,123,387	3.29%					
Rest of customers	111,562,031	39.95%	49,469,714	39.43%					
TOTAL	279,255,744	100.00%	125,452,181	100.00%					

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#### SCHEDULE I - BREAKDOWN OF FINANCIAL LIABILITIES ACCORDING TO MATURITY TERMS

As of 12/31/2021

In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2)

			Remaining ter	ms to maturity			
Item	1 month	3 months	6 months	12 months	24 months	More than 24 months	Total
Deposits							
Non-financial public sector	37,574,528	35,324,546	117,851	-	-	-	73,016,925
Financial sector	27,808	-	-	-	-	-	27,808
Non-financial sector and foreign residents	175,321,597	27,113,776	6,357,799	107,217	19,954	9,968	208,930,311
Liabilities at fair value through profit or							
loss	597,075	-	-	-	-	-	597,075
Derivative instruments	13,780	3,550	-	-	-	2,013,025	2,030,355
Repo transactions							
Other financial institutions	28,471	-	-	-	-	-	28,471
Other financial liabilities	6,401,249	1,440	5,036	41,686	94,344	992,691	7,536,446
Loans from the BCRA and other financial							
institutions	4,353	-	-	-	-	-	4,353
Negotiable obligations issued	=	8,506,292	1,452,256	3,950,920	4,079,095	3,690,478	21,679,041
TOTAL	219,968,861	70,949,604	7,932,942	4,099,823	4,193,393	6,706,162	313,850,785

The decrease in future contractual flows is presented, including interest and related amounts to be accrued until maturity of non-discounted agreements.

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#### SCHEDULE J - CHANGES IN ALLOWANCES AND PROVISIONS

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2021
In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

Decoludo	Balances at		Decr	eases	Monetary gain	Balance as of 12/31/2021	
Breakdown	beginning of year	eginning of year		Allocations	(loss)		
Other (1)	628,346	194,157	(196,130)	(60,324)	(212,060)	353,989	
TOTAL PROVISIONS	628,346	194,157	(196,130)	(60,324)	(212,060)	353,989	

(1) The amount of Other is composed of:

			Decrea	ases	Monetary gain	Balance as of 12/31/2021	
Breakdown	Balances at beginning of year	Increases	Reversals	Allocations	(loss)		
Provisions for application of IFRS 9 on unused credit card							
balances	279,436	106,390	(182,343)	-	(94,307)	109,176	
Provisions for application of IFRS 9 on unused balances							
of overdraft facilities	16,537	9,009	(13,777)	-	(5,581)	6,188	
Provisions for application of IFRS 9 on guarantees							
granted	-	828	(10)	-	-	818	
Provisions for lawsuits and other claims	332,373	77,930	-	(60,324)	(112,172)	237,807	
	628,346	194,157	(196,130)	(60,324)	(212,060)	353,989	

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#### SCHEDULE K - COMPOSITION OF CAPITAL STOCK

For the year ended 12/31/2021
In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

	Shares Capital stock								
Face Votes	Votos	Issued	<u> </u>	Pending					
Class	Number	value per share	per share	Outstanding	Treasury stock	issuance or distribution	Allotted	Paid-in	Not yet paid-in
Common book-entry	1,500,000,000	1	(1)	1,472,210	27,790	-	-	1,500,000	-
Total		·		1,472,210	27,790		-	1,500,000	-

# (1) As per the following composition:

Class	Number	No. of votes per share
Α	664,376,845	1
В	57,009,279	1
С	75,000,000	1
D	703,613,876	3
	1,500,000,000	

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#### SCHEDULE L - BALANCES IN FOREIGN CURRENCY

As of 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency

	Head office	Total as of	As of 12/	31/2021	Total as of
Items	and branches in Argentina	12/31/2021	Dollar	Euro	12/31/2020
ASSETS					
Cash and bank deposits	9,579,666	9,579,666	9,449,719	129,947	12,641,552
Debt securities at fair value					
through profit or loss	1,310,713	1,310,713	1,310,713	-	3,107,804
Other financial assets	522,632	522,632	522,632	-	11,731
Loans and other financing					
arrangements					
Other financial institutions	-	-	-	-	777,075
Non-financial private sector					
and foreign residents	4,650,900	4,650,900	4,650,900	-	9,974,667
Other debt securities	1,913,846	1,913,846	1,913,846	-	3,781,316
Financial assets pledged as					
collateral	2,215,814	2,215,814	2,215,814	-	436,458
Investment in equity					
instruments	27,690	27,690	27,690	-	37,212
TOTAL ASSETS	20,221,261	20,221,261	20,091,314	129,947	30,767,815
LIABILITIES					
Deposits					
Non-financial public sector	1,089,149	1,089,149	1,089,149	-	1,641,579
Financial sector	86	86	86	-	104
Non-financial private sector					
and foreign residents	10,277,438	10,277,438	10,277,438	-	15,061,540
Liabilities at fair value through					
profit or loss	139,557	139,557	139,557	-	-
Other financial liabilities	755,824	755,824	750,118	5,706	782,178
Negotiable obligations issued	7,436,200	7,436,200	7,436,200	-	9,883,491
Provisions	819	819	819	-	614
Other non-financial liabilities	262	262	262	-	59,112
TOTAL LIABILITIES	19,699,335	19,699,335	19,693,629	5,706	27,428,618

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#### SCHEDULE N – ASSISTANCE TO RELATED PARTIES

As of 12/31/2021 and 12/31/2020
In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency

Situation – items		With special	Troubled/mid-risk		High risk of insolvency/high risk			Uncollectible	Total	
	Normal	follow- up/ low risk	Not past due	Past due	Not past due	Past due	Uncollectible	for technical reasons	12/31/2021	12/31/2020
1. Loans and other financing arrangements	418,447	•	-	-	-	-	•	•	418,447	1,515,642
-Overdraft facilities	40	1	-	-	•	-	•	ı	40	738
With "B" preferred guarantees or counterguarantees	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	673
Without preferred guarantees or counterguarantees	40	-	-	-	-	-	ı	=	40	65
-Mortgage and pledge loans	6,919	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,919	6,987
With "B" preferred guarantees or counterguarantees	6,919	ı	-	-	-	-	ı	ı	6,919	6,987
-Consumer loans	3,845	Ī	-	-	-	-	Ī	-	3,845	-
Without preferred guarantees or counterguarantees	3,845	-	-	-	-	-	ı	=	3,845	-
-Credit cards	37,174	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37,174	31,431
Without preferred guarantees or counterguarantees	37,174	ı	-	-	-	-	ı	ı	37,174	31,431
-Other	370,469	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	370,469	1,476,486
With "A" preferred guarantees or counterguarantees	183	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	183	970
With "B" preferred guarantees or counterguarantees	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	=	-	3,214
Without preferred guarantees or counterguarantees	370,286	-	-	-	-	-	-	=	370,286	1,472,302
TOTAL	418,447	-	-	-	-	-	=	=	418,447	1,515,642
ALLOWANCES	1,115	-	-		-	-	-	=	1,115	9,689

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#### SCHEDULE O - DERIVATIVE FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

As of 12/31/2021

In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

Kind of Agreement	Purpose of Transactions	Underlying asset	Kind of settlement	Trading environment or counterparty	Average weighted term originally agreed (in months)	Average residual weighted term (in months)	Average weighted term for the settlement of differences (in months)	Amount
Futures	Brokerage – own account	Foreign currency	Daily differences	ROFEX	1	1	1	3,978,692
Futures	Brokerage – own account	Foreign currency	Daily differences	MAE - OTC	1	1	1	2,759,465
Repo transactions	Brokerage - own account	Argentine government securities	With delivery of underlying asset	OTC - Domestic residents - Financial Sector	1	1	7	207,319,676
Swaps	Brokerage - own account	Other	Upon maturity of differences	OTC - Domestic residents - Non-financial Sector	212	72	30	353,063
Swaps	Brokerage - own account	Foreign currency	Upon maturity of differences	OTC - Domestic residents - Non-financial Sector	211	61	30	85,033

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## SCHEDULE P - CATEGORIES OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

As of 12/31/2021

In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

		Fair		ough profit or ss	Fair value hierarchy			
Description	Amortized Cost	value through OCI	Originally designated or under Item 6.7.1. of IFRS 9	Statutory measurement	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	
FINANCIAL ASSETS								
Cash and bank Deposits	17,841,112	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cash	4,955,849	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Financial institutions and								
correspondents	12,885,263	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Debt securities at fair								
value through profit or								
loss	-	-	23,409,629	-	1,681,312	21,728,317	-	
Derivative instruments	-	-	-	234,564	-	234,564	-	
Repo transactions	185,368,115	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Argentine Central Bank	185,368,115	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Other financial assets	1,827,230	-	62,100	-	47,672	14,428	-	
Loans and other					·			
financing arrangements	51,435,550	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Non-financial public								
sector	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Other financial institutions	458,416	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Non-financial private								
sector and foreign								
residents	50,977,130	-	=	=	-	=	-	
Overdraft facilities	419,000	-	-	=	-	-	-	
Notes	5,300,784	-	-	=	-	-	-	
Mortgage loans	10,565,692	_	-	-	-	-	-	
Pledge loans	30,216	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Consumer loans	4,559,251	_	-	-	-	-	-	
Credit cards	21,138,962	_	-	-	-	-	-	
Financial leases	82,317	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Other	8,880,908	_	-	-	-	-	-	
Other debt securities	25,456,632	_	-	-	-	-	-	
Financial assets								
pledged as collateral	3,659,684	_	691,520	-	691,520	-	-	
Investments in equity			•					
instruments	-	_	134,436	-	91,031	43,405	-	
TOTAL FINANCIAL			-			-		
ASSETS	285,588,323	-	24,297,685	234,564	2,511,535	22,020,714	-	

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## SCHEDULE P - CATEGORIES OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

As of 12/31/2021

In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

		Fair value through OCI		rough profit or	Fair value hierarchy		
Description	Amortized Cost		Originally designate d or under Item 6.7.1. of IFRS 9	Statutory measurement	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
FINANCIAL LIABILITIES							
Deposits	279,255,744	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-financial public							
sector	72,259,034	-	-	-	-	-	-
Financial sector	27,808	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-financial private							
sector and foreign							
residents	206,968,902	-	-	-	-	-	-
Checking accounts	61,128,917	-	-	-	-	-	-
Savings accounts	87,784,987	-	-	-	-	-	-
Time deposits and							
term investments	56,207,344	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	1,847,654	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liabilities at fair value							
through profit or loss	-	-	597,075	-	597,075	-	-
Derivative instruments	-	-	-	2,030,355	-	2,030,355	-
Repo transactions	28,471	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other financial institutions	28,471	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other financial							
liabilities	7,497,705	-	-	-	-	-	-
Loans From the BCRA							
and other financial							
institutions	4,353	-	-	-	-	-	-
Negotiable obligations							
issued	18,436,479	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL FINANCIAL							
LIABILITIES	305,222,752	-	597,075	2,030,355	597,075	2,030,355	-

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#### **SCHEDULE Q - BREAKDOWN OF RESULTS**

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

	12/31/2021			
	Net financial inco			
Description	Originally designated or under item 6.7.1. of IFRS 9	Statutory measurement	OCI	
Due to measurement of financial assets at fair				
value through profit or loss				
Government securities income	11,636,767	-	-	
Corporate securities loss	(85,826)	-	-	
Derivative financial instruments income/(loss)				
Interest rate swap	-	(124,669)	-	
Due to investments in equity instruments	-	-	-	
TOTAL	11,550,941	(124,669)	-	

	12/31/2021
Interest and adjustments due to application of effective interest	Financial income/(expense)
rate of financial assets measured at amortized cost	
Interest income	
Cash and band deposits	10
Government securities	3,813,708
Loans and other financing arrangements	
To the Financial Sector	156,453
Overdraft facilities	126,566
Notes	838,098
Mortgage loans	5,041,440
Pledge loans	2,917
Consumer loans	2,003,056
Credit cards	5,337,213
Financial leases	35,902
Other	1,994,885
Repo transactions	
Argentine Central Bank	23,969,458
Other financial institutions	140,577
TOTAL	43,460,283

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#### **SCHEDULE Q - BREAKDOWN OF RESULTS**

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2020 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

	12/31/2021
Interest and adjustments due to application of effective interest rate of	Financial
financial assets measured at amortized cost	income/(expense
Interest expense	
Deposits	
Checking accounts	(13,482,105)
Savings accounts	(15,185)
Time deposits and term Investments	(23,359,001)
Loans from the BCRA and other financial institutions	(7,522)
Repo transactions	
Other financial institutions	(6,004)
Other financial liabilities	(105,906)
Negotiable Obligations issued	(6,198,771)
TOTAL	(43,174,494)
Commission income	
Linked to liabilities	1,131,808
Linked to loans	42,652
Linked to loan commitments and financial guarantees	5,251
Linked to securities	160,540
Linked to credit cards	4,971,279
Linked to insurance	525,864
Linked to collection management	240,312
TOTAL	7,077,706
Commission expense	
Linked to foreign trade and exchange transactions	(3,120)
Other	(220,077)
TOTAL	(223,197)

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#### SCHEDULE R - CORRECTION OF VALUE FOR LOSSES - ALLOWANCE FOR LOAN LOSSES

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2021 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

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Item	Balances at beginning of year	ECL for the next 12 months	Financial instruments with significant increase of credit risk	Credit-impaired financial instruments	Monetary gain (loss) from provisions	Balance as of 12/31/2021
Other financial assets	51,822	5,647	-		(17,489)	39,980
Loans and other financing arrangements						
Non-financial private sector and foreign residents	8,090,352	(310,943)	(104,455)	2,371,114	(2,730,432)	7,315,636
Overdraft facilities	46,535	520	(1,358)	(18,640)	(15,705)	11,352
Promissory notes	28,813	405	(76)	(4,249)	(9,724)	15,169
Mortgage loans	93,916	3,259	92,248	100,222	(31,696)	257,949
Pledge loans	39	36	(26)	-	(13)	36
Consumer loans	814,363	3,458	7,624	131,222	(274,841)	681,826
Credit cards	1,772,129	(313,721)	(202,714)	(206,551)	(598,080)	451,063
Finance leases	72	107	=	(23)	(24)	132
Call to companies	4,024,187	(11,981)	=	1,787,539	(1,358,132)	4,441,613
Prefinancing of exports	1,143,122	(22)	=	507,050	(385,795)	1,264,355
Other	167,176	6,996	(153)	74,544	(56,422)	192,141
Other debt securities	8	(5)	-	-	(3)	-
Contingent commitments	295,973	(70,832)	(9,070)	-	(99,889)	116,182
TOTAL PROVISIONS	8,438,155	(376,133)	(113,525)	2,371,114	(2,847,813)	7,471,798

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For the Supervisory Committee

### PROJECT FOR THE DISTRIBUTION OF PROFITS



For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2021 In thousands of Argentine Pesos and constant currency (Note 3.2.)

ITEM	12/31/2021
Retained earnings	(4,201,275)
To legal reserve	-
Retained earnings to be considered by the next Shareholders' Meeting	(4,201,275)

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# **Supervisory Committee's Review Report**

To the Shareholders, Chairman and Directors of BANCO HIPOTECARIO S.A.

#### Introduction

In compliance with section 294, subsection 5 of Argentine Companies Law No. 19550 and the rules set out by the Argentine Securities Commission (CNV), we have reviewed the accompanying separate financial statements of Banco Hipotecario S.A. (hereinafter, the "Entity"), comprising the separate statement of financial position as of December 31, 2021, the separate statements of income, changes in shareholders' equity and cash flows for the year then ended, as well as their related schedules and selected explanatory notes. We have also reviewed the Board of Directors' Annual Report for the year ended December 31, 2021.

The balances and other information for fiscal year ended December 31, 2020 are an integral part of the aforementioned audited financial statements and, therefore, shall be considered in the light of these financial statements.

## **Board of Directors' and Management's Responsibility**

The Entity's Board of Directors and Management are responsible for the preparation of the accompanying separate financial statements in accordance with the financial reporting framework established by the Argentine Central Bank ("BCRA"), which, as indicated in Note 3 to the accompanying separate financial statements, is based on the International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS"), as approved by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB"), and adopted by the Argentine Federation of Professional Councils of Economic Sciences ("FACPCE"), with the exceptions referred to in said Note 3.1. The Entity's Board of Directors and Management are also responsible for the design, implementation and maintenance of such internal control as Management might deem appropriate to ensure that the separate financial statements are free from material misstatements, due to fraud or error.

## Scope of our Review

Our review was performed in accordance with supervisory committee standards currently in force. These standards require that reviews of separate financial statements be performed in accordance with the audit standards set forth in Technical Resolution No. 37 of the FACPCE, and with the "Minimum Standards for External Audits" established by the BCRA, which includes seeing to the fairness of the material information disclosed in the documents subject to review and whether such documents are consistent with the other information on corporate decisions disclosed in minutes of Board of Directors' and Shareholders' meetings, and whether such decisions are in compliance with applicable laws and by-laws in all formal and documentary aspects. In conducting our review, we examined the work performed by the Entity's external auditors, KPMG, who issued their report on March 2, 2022. An audit involves performing procedures on a selective basis to obtain judgmental elements on the disclosures included in the financial statements. The selected procedures depend on our professional judgment, including the assessment of the risk of material misstatements in the financial statements. In performing such risk assessment, an auditor is required to consider the Entity's existing internal control on the preparation and presentation of financial statements in order to select the appropriate audit procedures in light of the circumstances, but not in order to render an opinion on the effectiveness of such internal control. An audit also involves assessing the accounting criteria used by the Entity, the material estimates made by the Board of Directors, and the presentation of the financial statements as a whole. We consider the judgmental elements we have obtained are valid and sufficient to support our opinion.

## Scope of our Review (Continued)

As it concerns the Board of Directors' Annual Report for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2021, we have verified that it contains the information required by Section 66 of Law No. 19550 and, as far as the matters within our purview are concerned, that the figures therein contained are consistent with those disclosed in the Entity's accounting records and other pertinent documents.

#### **Opinion**

Based on the work we have performed within the scope described in the preceding paragraphs, we hereby report that:

- a) in our opinion, the accompanying separate financial statements fairly represent, in all material respects, the separate financial position of Banco Hipotecario S.A. as of December 31, 2021, as well as its separate results of operations, changes in equity and separate cash flows for the year then ended, in conformity with the BCRA financial reporting framework; and
- b) as far as the matters within our purview are concerned, we have no observations to make about the Board of Directors' Annual Report, with the forward-looking statements contained therein being the exclusive responsibility of the Entity's Board.

## **Emphasis Paragraph**

Without modifying our opinion, we draw users' attention to the disclosures in Note 3.1 of the accompanying separate financial statements which states that such financial statements were prepared by the Entity's Board of Directors and Management in accordance with the BCRA financial reporting framework. This framework differs from the IFRS in certain aspects described in said note.

## Information required by other legal and regulatory standards

In compliance with applicable provisions, we hereby report that:

- a) due to the effectiveness of the general prevention measures established by the Executive Branch, as subsequently extended, the Board of Directors and the Supervisory Committee held certain meetings remotely and, to date, the respective minutes have not yet been transcribed or signed into the applicable books. We have reviewed the resolutions passed at the Board of Directors' meetings held from March 19, 2020 (date of issuance of Emergency Decree No. 297) to date;
- b) the accompanying separate financial statements have not yet been transcribed into the Financial Statements for Reporting Purposes book, and arise from accounting records also pending transcription into the Ledger Book;
- c) the figures disclosed in the accompanying separate financial statements arise from applying the consolidation procedures set forth under the BCRA financial reporting framework, based on the separate financial statements of the business group's companies, which are detailed in Note 3.7 to the accompanying consolidated financial statements;

d) the provisions set forth under Resolution No. 797 of the CNV concerning the report on compliance with the Code of Corporate Governance were duly observed;

### Information required by other legal and regulatory standards (Continued)

- a) as of December 31, 2021, as described in Note 28.4 to the accompanying separate financial statements, the Entity's shareholders' equity and minimum cash contra-account in eligible assets exceed the respective minimum requirements established in applicable standards issued by the CNV;
- b) we have also verified compliance with performance bonds required of Banco Hipotecario S.A.'s directors in office as of the date of the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2021, as established in item 1.4 of Exhibit I to Technical Resolution No. 45 of FACPCE;
- c) pursuant to the provisions of the rules handed down by the CNV, we have read the external auditors' report, from which it arises that:
  - i. the audit standards applied are those approved by FACPCE and the BCRA, which contemplate independence requirements, and
  - ii. the separate financial statements were prepared in accordance with the rules laid down by the BCRA, taking into account the disclosures under the section entitled "Emphasis Paragraph."
- d) we have complied with the provisions of section 294 of Argentine Companies Law No. 19550.

Autonomous City of Buenos Aires, March 2, 2022

Marcelo Héctor Fuxman Regular Supervisory Auditor

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The balances and other information for fiscal year ended December 31, 2020 are an integral part of the aforementioned audited financial statements and, therefore, shall be considered in the light of these financial statements.

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Our review was performed in accordance with supervisory committee standards currently in force. These standards require that reviews of consolidated financial statements be performed in accordance with the audit standards set forth in Technical Resolution No. 37 of the FACPCE, and with the "Minimum Standards for External Audits" established by the BCRA, which includes seeing to the fairness of the material information disclosed in the documents subject to review and whether such documents are consistent with the other information on corporate decisions disclosed in minutes of Board of Directors' and Shareholders' meetings, and whether such decisions are in compliance with applicable laws and by-laws in all formal and documentary aspects. In conducting our review, we examined the work performed by the Entity's external auditors, KPMG, who issued their report on March 2, 2022. An audit involves performing procedures on a selective basis to obtain judgmental elements on the disclosures included in the financial statements. The selected procedures depend on our professional judgment, including the assessment of the risk of material misstatements in the financial statements. In performing such risk assessment, an auditor is required to consider the Entity's existing internal control on the preparation and presentation of financial statements in order to select the appropriate audit procedures in light of the circumstances, but not in order to render an opinion on the effectiveness of such internal control. An audit also involves assessing the accounting criteria used by the Entity, the material estimates made by the Board of Directors, and the presentation of the financial statements as a whole. We consider the judgmental elements we have obtained are valid and sufficient to support our opinion.

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### **Opinion**

Based on the work we have performed within the scope described in the preceding paragraphs, we hereby report that:

- c) in our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements fairly represent, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of Banco Hipotecario S.A. as of December 31, 2021, as well as its consolidated results of operations, changes in equity and consolidated cash flows for the year then ended, in conformity with the BCRA financial reporting framework; and
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  - iii. the audit standards applied are those approved by FACPCE and the BCRA, which contemplate independence requirements, and
  - iv. the consolidated financial statements were prepared in accordance with the rules laid down by the BCRA, taking into account the disclosures under the section entitled "Emphasis Paragraph."
- d) we have complied with the provisions of section 294 of Argentine Companies Law No. 19550.

Autonomous City of Buenos Aires, March 2, 2022