# Bank of Åland

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# 1. Bank of Åland in Brief



# Bank of Åland in brief

- Bank of Åland Plc
  - A Finnish bank targeting high net worth and affluent individuals
  - Top ranked in customer loyalty
  - Tradition of stability and very low credit losses
  - BBB (stable) rating from S&P
- Covered bonds program
  - EUR 2 bn combined covered bond/senior Medium Term Note program updated in 2016
  - Two cover pools: Cover Pool FIN and Cover Pool SWE
  - Issuance under Finnish Covered Bond Legislation
  - Legal LTV cap at 70% and minimum 2% over-collateralization
  - Published commitment to a strong over-collateralization and six months liquidity in the program
  - AAA (stable) rating from S&P on both Pool FIN and Pool SWE covered bonds

# 2. Bank of Åland Strategy and Market Position



# Three Markets – Two Strategies

#### The Åland Islands

- 5 offices + 2 rep offices, market share 55-60 %
- Full product range offered
- A bank for everyone

#### Finland

- 5 offices in affluent parts of Finland, market share
  1 2 %
- Full product range offered but "bread and butter" services only as complement to Private Banking and Premium Banking services offering
- Targeted segment: High Net Worth / Affluent Individuals and their companies

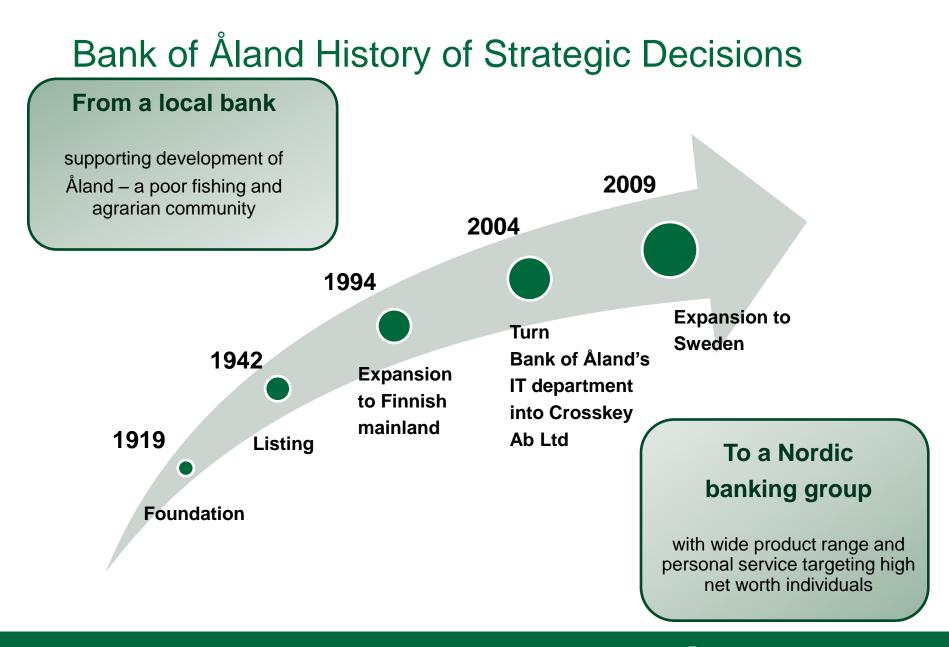
#### Sweden

- 3 offices in Sweden's largest cities, market share
  1 %
- Full product range offered but "bread and butter" services only as complement to Private Banking and Premium Banking services offering
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# Bank of Åland – a relationship bank with focus on Private Banking and Premium Banking customers

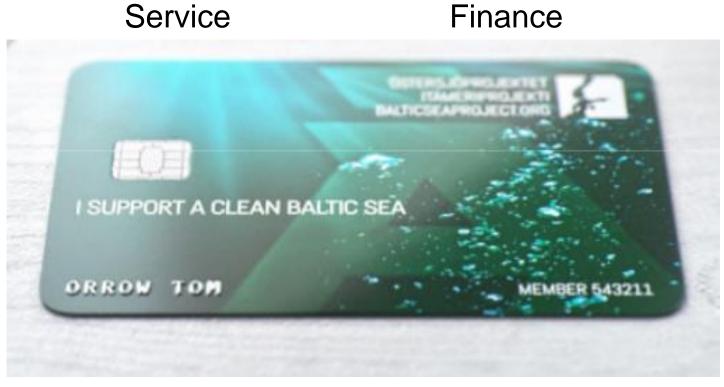
- Established in 1919 on Åland Islands
- Listed since 1942 on NASDAQ OMX Helsinki
- Total assets of EUR 5 263 M, as of Jun 30, 2017
- Actively managed assets of EUR 5 475 M, as of Jun 30, 2017
- Approximately 680 employees
- Operations in the Åland Islands, Finnish mainland and Sweden
- More than 100,000 customers and top-ranked in customer loyalty
- A long-standing tradition of stability and very low credit losses
- At the forefront for introducing new products in Finland



# Bank of Åland vision

We create value for ambitious individuals and companies that appreciate relations

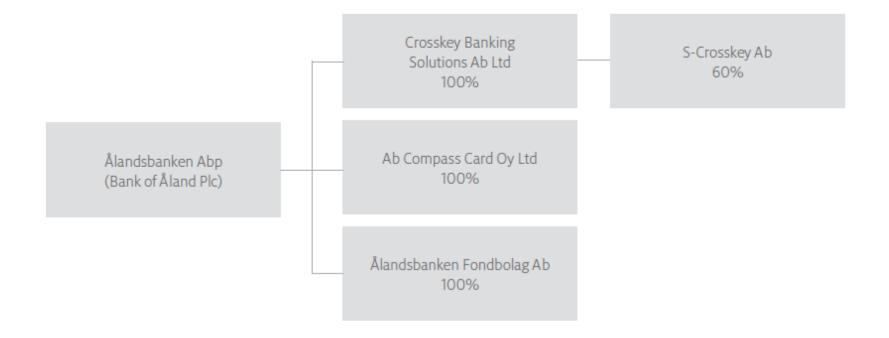
- Private Banking since 1982
- Premium banking since 2004



### Lifestyle

Safety

# Bank of Åland group legal structure



# **Ownership structure**

Major owners	Share of capital	Share of votes
Anders Wiklöf with companies	19,1 %	24,2 %
Alandia-Bolagen	8,6 %	13,6 %
The Family Kamprad Foundation	6,0 %	0,7 %
Ålands Ömsesidiga försäkringsbolag	5,9 %	11,6 %
Fennogens Investments S.A. (Family Ehrnrooth)	4,1%	7,0 %
	43,7 %	56,9 %
Other owners		
Svenska Litteratursällskapet	1,4 %	3,0 %
Föreningen Konstsamfundet	0,5 %	1,1%

Approximately 9,500 shareholders in total, mostly from the Åland Islands.

# Standard & Poor's rating on Bank of Åland

Finnis	h banks	A-
	Business position	-2
	- Niche bank with geographical concentration to Finland and Sweden	
	Capital and earnings	+1
	- Strong capital position	
	- Strong equity to assets ratio	
	Risk position	-1
	- Geographical concentration to Finland and Sweden	
	- Small customer base with concentration risks	
	Liquidity and funding	0
	- Above average with very strong deposit base	
Bank d	of Åland stand alone rating	BBB
	Cover Pool FIN, Cover Pool SWE	+9
	- Very low credit losses and stable loan base	
	- Commitment to strong overcollateralization	
	- Commitment to six month liquidity buffer	
Bank d	of Åland covered bonds rating	AAA

# Scorecard

#### Capital

- S&P rating uplift for strong capital position
- Common Equity Tier 1 capital ratio 12.5 percent as of Jun 30, 2017
- IRB method for credit risk capital requirement not yet approved for the Swedish credit portfolio

### Liquidity and Funding

- Core funding ratio of 92 percent as of Jun 30, 2017
- Liquidity reserve at 19 percent of total assets as of Jun 30, 2017
- LCR at 97 percent as of Jun 30, 2017
- NSFR at 128 percent as of Jun 30, 2017
- AAA rating on covered bonds

#### **Risk Management**

- Long history of having the lowest loan loss level of all Finnish banks. Loan loss level was 0.05 percent Q1 2017.
- No trading positions or complex financial instruments
- No exposure to GIIPS countries, Russia or Ukraine
- Strict limits on exposure to financial institutions. Bulk of the exposure is to highly rated Nordic entities

#### Profitability

- Challenging interest rate environment
- Positive earnings trend, with Swedish business area now on positive figures for several years
- Net operating profit of EUR 5.0 M Q2 2017
- Return on equity 7.0 percent Q2 2017



# 3. Earnings & Capital



# Long-term financial targets

#### Return on equity after taxes (ROE) shall exceed 10 per cent.

 As a bank for investors, with financing knowhow, the Bank of Åland has a business model that shall generate most earnings from operations with limited capital requirements. The Bank of Åland's earnings will benefit from higher interest rates

The Bank's capital adequacy, primarily defined as the core tier 1 capital ratio under the Basel regulations, shall clearly exceed all regulatory requirements.

#### The payout ratio shall eventually amount to 50 per cent.

• This payout ratio target is subject to the condition that the capital adequacy target continues to be achieved. At present, the Bank of Åland is prioritising balanced growth.



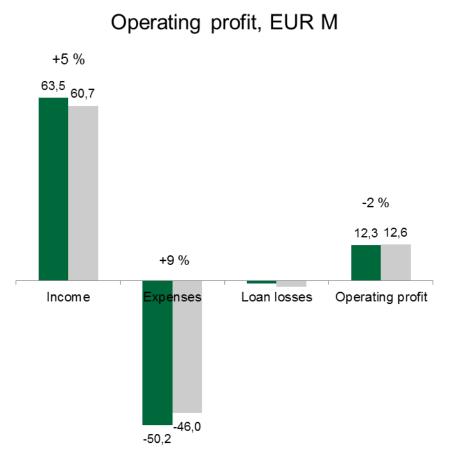
# H1 2017 in summary

- Net operating profit EUR 12.3 M (12.6 M H1 2016)
- Return on Equity after tax (ROE) 8.8 percent (9.2 H1 2016)
- Take over of EUR 1 300 M pension assets in the swedish pension system (former Allra funds)
- Continued heavy interest in the Bank of Åland's housing-related mutual funds.
- Green banking: Baltic sea card and Aland index widely recognized
- Digitalization and new service channels: Dreams with over 30.000 clients

# 2016 in summary

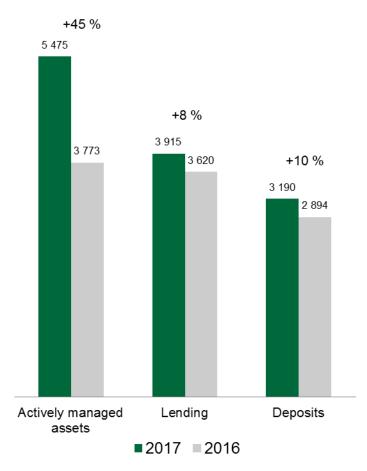
- Net operating profit EUR 25.1 M (30.3 M 2015)
- Return on Equity after tax (ROE) 9.1 percent (12.0 2015)
- Improved credit ratings from Standard & Poors
- Again a top ranking from Private Banking clients in TNS Sifo Prospera survey
- Continued heavy interest in the Bank of Åland's housing-related mutual funds. Net inflow into Bostadsfonden and Tomtfonden was EUR 190 M 2016.
- Green banking: Baltic sea –card introduced
- Digitalization and new service channels: Dreams with over 10.000 clients
- Implementation of Crosskeys card system with Sparbankernas Kort in Sweden

# 2017 in summary



2017 2016

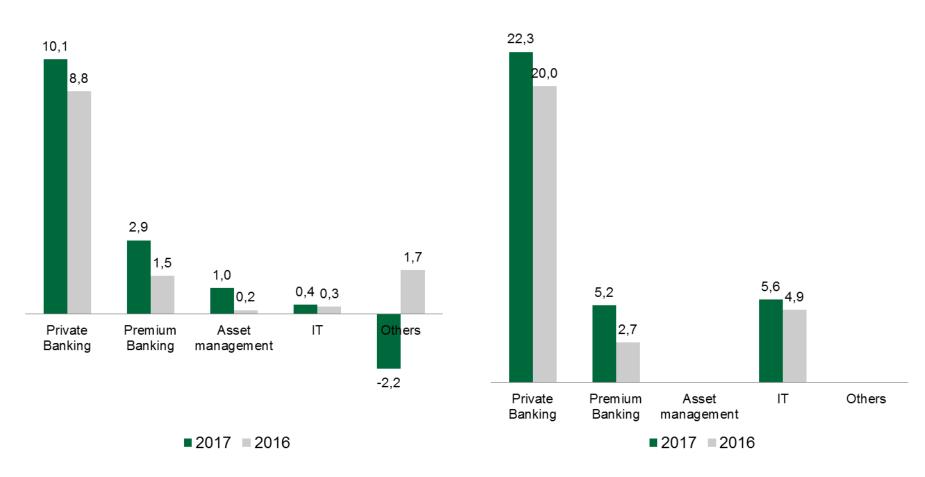
Volumes, EUR M



# Bank of Åland business segments

Operating profit, EUR M

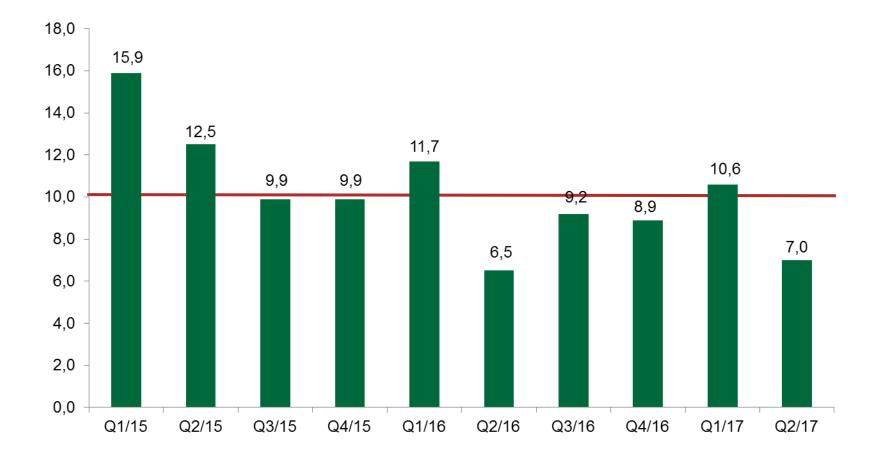
ROE, %



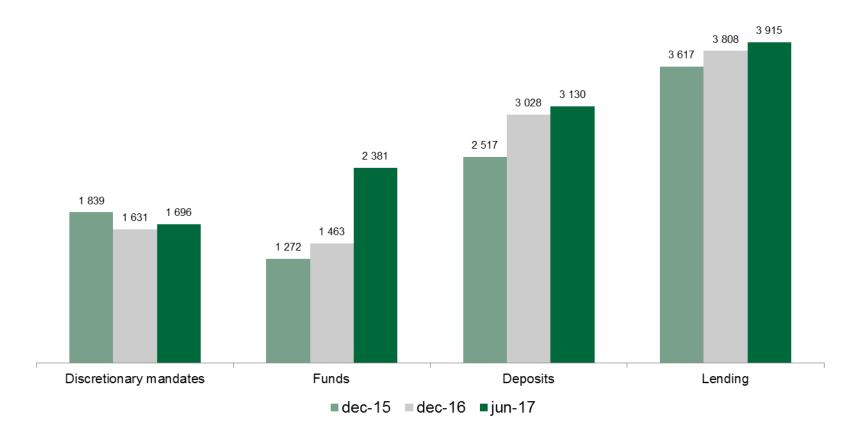
### Income statement

	Q2	Q1		Q2		H1	H1	
EUR M	2017	2017	%	2016	%	2017	2016	%
Net interest income	13,6	13,9	-2	13,5	1	27,5	27,5	0
Net comission income	12,8	12,1	6	10,8	19	24,9	22,1	13
Net gains and losses on financial items	-0,6	0,9		1,9		0,3	3,4	-92
IT income	4,4	5,2	-15	3,7	21	9,7	6,8	41
Other income	0,2	0,9	-78	0,2	-7	1,1	0,9	27
TOTAL INCOME	30,5	32,9	-7	30,1	1	63,5	60,7	5
Staff expenses	-14,9	-15,9	-6	-14,7	2	-30,9	-28,9	7
Other expenses	-8,4	-7,7	10	,7,7	10	-16,1	-14,1	14
Depreciation	-1,7	-1,6	8	-1,5	15	-3,3	-3,0	8
TOTAL EXPENSES	-25,1	-25,1	0	-23,8	5	-50,2	-46,0	9
PROFIT BEFORE LOAN LOSSES	5,5	7,8	-30	6,3	-13	13,3	14,7	-10
Impairment losses on loans	-0,5	-0,5	13	-1,7	-70	-1,0	-2,1	-55
OPERATING PROFIT	5,0	7,4	-33	4,6	8	12,3	12,6	-2
Income tax Non-controlling interests	-1,0 0,0	-1,5 0,0	-30	-1,1 0,0	-6	-2,5 0,0	-2,8 0,0	-8
PROFIT ATTRIBUTABLE TO SHAREHOLDERS	3,9	5,9	-33	3,5	12	9,8	9,8	0

# Bank of Åland 2014-2017 ROE, percent

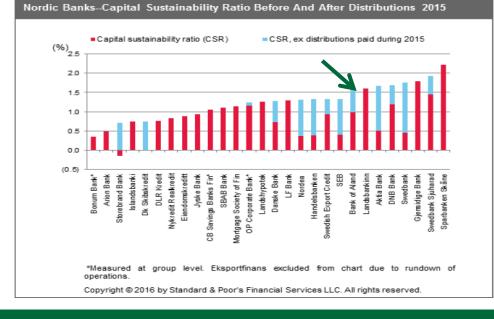


# Business volumes 2015-2017, EUR M



### Commitment to strong capital ratio

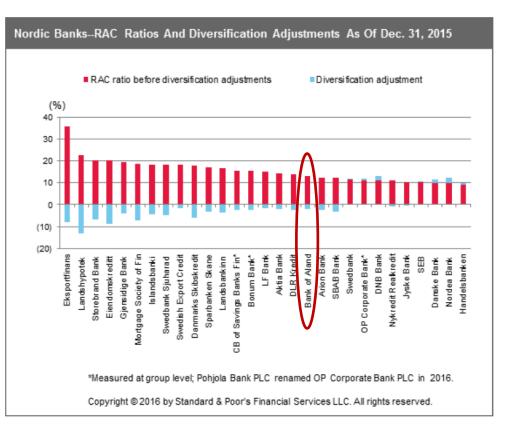




- Bank of Åland is committed to a strong capital ratio.
- The core tier 1 capital ratio for a small bank like Bank of Åland is not comparable to larger banks with IRB methods. Standard & Poor's rating method considers Bank of Åland well capitalized, giving a rating uplift of one notch at the current CT1 ratio level.
- Conservative pay-out policy is to safeguard the capital position

# S&P view: quality of the capital

- S&P regards Bank of Åland's capital position as "strong"
- Capital position is better than that of the large Scandinavian peers
- S&P RAC ratio makes an attempt to measure capital adequacy with regard to the **quality** of capital
- Bank of Åland has all of the capital in CET1 equity and retained earnings



### 4. Asset Quality



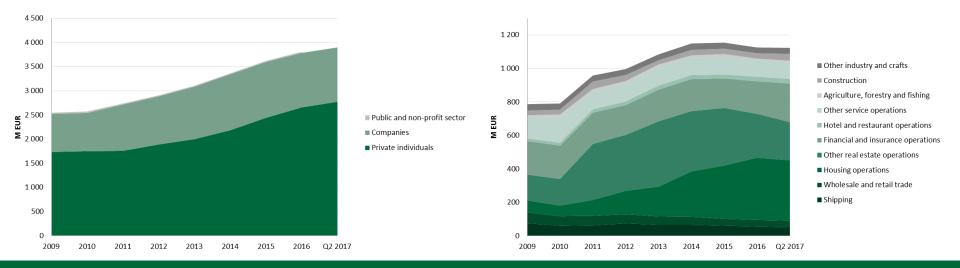
# Lending strategy

- Bank of Åland is a relationship bank with primary focus on customers with investment needs in the Private Banking and Premium Banking segments. Serving the core customers' credit needs are part of our commitment.
- Bank of Åland is not granting credits as a stand alone product to mass market clients or corporate clients.
- Every business area (Åland Islands, Finland and Sweden) should have a balanced growth in lending versus deposits.
- At least half of the lending in every business area should be residential mortgages or have residential property as collateral.
- Many small loans are preferred to few large loans.

# Balanced growth in the credit portfolio

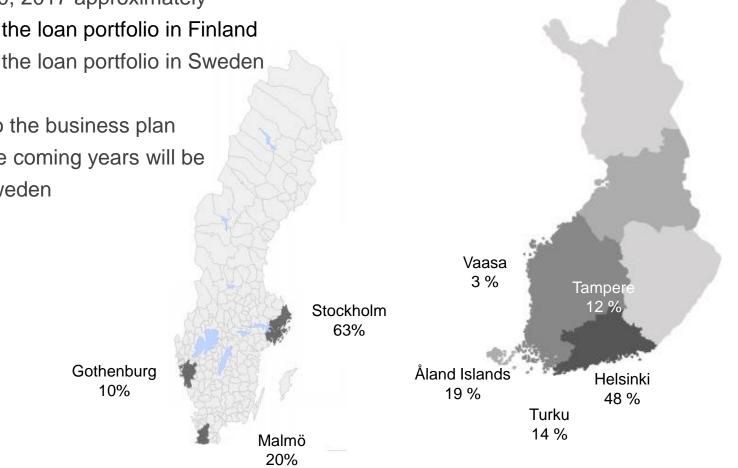
- Total lending to the public was EUR 3 927 M 30 Jun 2017, an increase of 8 percent from a year ago
  - Selective lending to high quality borrowers
  - Asset quality prioritised over lending volume growth and higher returns
  - Lending must always be made in consideration of safeguarding Bank of Åland's strong brand and market reputation





# Geographical distribution of mortgage lending

- Clear concentration to the wealthiest parts of Finland and Sweden
- As of Jun 30, 2017 approximately
  - 70 % of the loan portfolio in Finland
  - 30 % of the loan portfolio in Sweden
- According to the business plan growth in the coming years will be mainly in Sweden



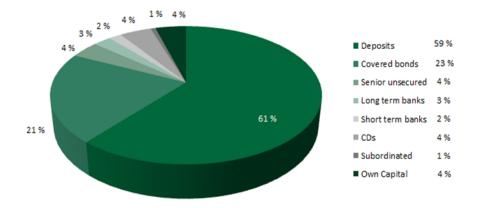
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### 5. Liquidity and Funding

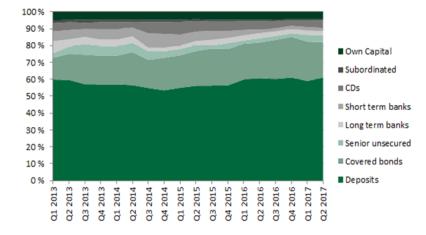


# Group funding profile Jun 30, 2017

- Demand deposits, time deposits and certificates of deposits from core private customers and their companies are the main funding sources
- Strong capitalization
- · Covered bonds are the main long term funding instrument



#### Funding profile Jun 30, 2017



#### Development in the funding profile 2013-2017

# Funding strategy

- Covered bond programme was created in early 2012 in order to diversify funding sources and to form a reliable and cost effective funding channel
- Since the launch of the programme both EUR- and SEK- denominated covered bonds have been issued totalling EUR 1 083 M outstanding
- During 2012-2014 Bank of Åland built a credit curve 2-10 years in covered bonds
- Bank of Åland has also issued in SEK senior unsecured to maintain a balanced funding mix
- Themes 2017-2018
  - Demand conditions and the market situation favour issuance in covered bonds
  - Issuance in Senior unsecured depends on market conditions and upcoming MRELguidelines

# Long term funding Jun 30, 2017

#### **Cover Pool FIN**

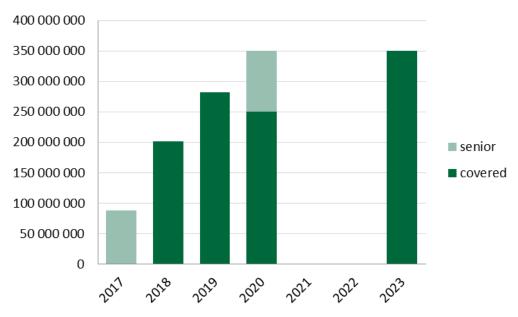
ISIN	Nominal Amt	Settlement date	Maturity date	Coupon	Currency	EUR eq amt	Time to maturity
XS0862155941	500 000 000	12.12.2012	12.6.2018	QUARTLY STIB + 110,0	SEK	51 868 296	0,95
XS1117564572	150 000 000	8.10.2014	8.10.2018	0,5	EUR	150 000 000	1,27
XS0999478372	100 000 000	3.12.2013	3.6.2019	1,55	EUR	100 000 000	1,93
XS1238023813	250 000 000	26.5.2015	26.5.2020	0,375	EUR	250 000 000	2,91
XS0876678391	100 000 000	30.1.2013	30.1.2023	2,75	EUR	100 000 000	5,59
XS1496878742	250 000 000	29.9.2016	29.9.2023	0	EUR	250 000 000	6,25
						901 868 296	3,64
Cover Pool SWE							
ISIN	Nominal Amt	Settlement date	Maturity date	Coupon	Currency	EUR eq amt	Time to maturity
XS1077864905	1 000 000 000	23.6.2014	25.3.2019	QUARTLY STIB + 55,0	SEK	103 736 592	1,73
XS1155041004	750 000 000	16.12.2014	16.12.2019	QUARTLY STIB + 50,0	SEK	77 802 444	2,46
	1 750 000 000					181 539 036	2,05
Senior unsecure	d						
ISIN	Nominal Amt	Settlement date	Maturity date	Coupon	Currency	EUR eq amt	Time to maturity
XS1326511596	850 000 000	27.11.2015	27.11.2017	QUARTLY STIB + 90	SEK	88 176 103	0,41
XS1585198879	100 000 000	24.3.2017	24.3.2020	QUARTLY EUR + 63	EUR	100 000 000	2,73
						188 176 103	1,65

# Funding tools

- EMTN-program (EUR 2 billion), English jurisdiction
  - Covered Bond, Senior debt and Subordinated debt
  - Tailored to institutional clients
- CD-program in Sweden (SEK 10 billion), Swedish jurisdiction
- Other
  - CD's in Finland
  - GMRA
  - Equity lending

# Liquidity management

- Well-diversified maturity profile
- · Limited exposure to short term funding
- Bank of Aland is committed to continuously cover the next 180 liquidity need for the program in the cover pools



#### Maturing long funding

# Liquidity position

- Very high quality in liquidity reserves
  - The most liquid and tradable assets
  - LCR target reached
- Coordinated cash pools between Finland and Sweden

- Conservative approach to risk within liquidity reserves
  - Assets with short duration
  - Strict limits for counterparty
  - No exposure to GIIPS countries, Russia or Ukraine

#### Composition of the liquidity reserve

	30.6.2017	30.6.2017	31.12.2016	31.12.2016
	EUR M	of total	mEUR	of total
Cash and central banks	557,4	56 %	513,0	57 %
Bonds issued by governments and official institutions	96,1	10 %	75,9	8 %
Bonds issued by financial institutions	0,0	0 %	0,0	0 %
Covered bonds	248,4	25 %	267,5	30 %
Deposits	86,4	9 %	49,7	5 %
	988,3		906,1	

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# 7. Appendix



# Key figures

	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
Return on equity (ROE), %	9,1	12,0	8,7	3,8	6,6	-3,9
Cost/income ratio, %	76	73	80	87	85	104
Loan loss level, %	0,11	0,09	0,06	0,14	0,22	0,07
Share of non-performing loans, gross, %	0,57	0.87	0,65	0,50	0,64	0,70
Level of provisions for non-performing loans, %	50	34	66	48	81	71
Core funding ratio, %	89	100	105	103	103	108
Equity/assets ratio, %	4,3	4,6	4,6	4,7	4,9	5,3
Core Tier 1 capital ratio, %	11,8	12	10,9	10,8	10,9	8,4
Total capital ratio, %	13,0	12,9	12,1	15,2	15,7	12,8
Earnings per share, EUR	1,29	1,6	1,12	0,46	0,79	-0,54
Equity per share, EUR	14,37	13,99	13,46	12,54	12,21	12,34
Lending to the public, EUR M	3 808	3 617	3 343	3 104	2 905	2 737
Deposits from the public, EUR M	3 100	2 675	2 391	2 466	2 452	2 546
Shareholders equity, EUR M	222	213	196	184	179	181
Risk-weighted assets, EUR M	1 576	1 581	1 554	1 481	1 401	1 729
FTE	685	663	644	617	640	690

### Income statement

EUR M	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010
Net interest income	55,1	54,0	49,3	42,4	41,2	43,1	36,8
Net comission income	44,9	46,5	46,2	42,4	32,7	38,7	36,8
Other income	20,4	24,4	25,1	23,2	36,5	17,4	25,5
Total income	120,4	124,9	120,6	108,0	110,4	99,2	99,1
Staff costs	-57,0	-56,0	-53,1	-51,5	-52,4	-60	-53,7
Other expenses	-34,2	-35,6	-43,3	-42,0	-41,7	-43,1	-38,5
Total expenses	-91,3	-91,6	-96,4	-93,5	-94	-103,1	-92,2
Profit before loan losses	29,2	33,3	24,2	14,5	16,3	-3,9	6,9
Impairment losses on loans	-4,1	-3,0	-1,8	-4,1	-6,4	-1,8	-5,9
Operating profit	25,1	30,3	22,4	10,4	9,9	-5,7	1,0
Income taxes	-5,4	-6,0	-4,8	-2,7	2,0	0,4	-3,2
Profit for the period	19,7	24,3	17,6	7,7	11,9	-5,3	-2,2
Non-controlling interests	0	0	-1,5	-1,0	-0,6	-1,2	-0,6
Attributable to the shareholders in							
Bank of Åland	19,7	24,3	16,1	6,7	11,3	-6,5	-2,9

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