

# Fourth quarter 2024 Preliminary annual accounts

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# Q4 2024

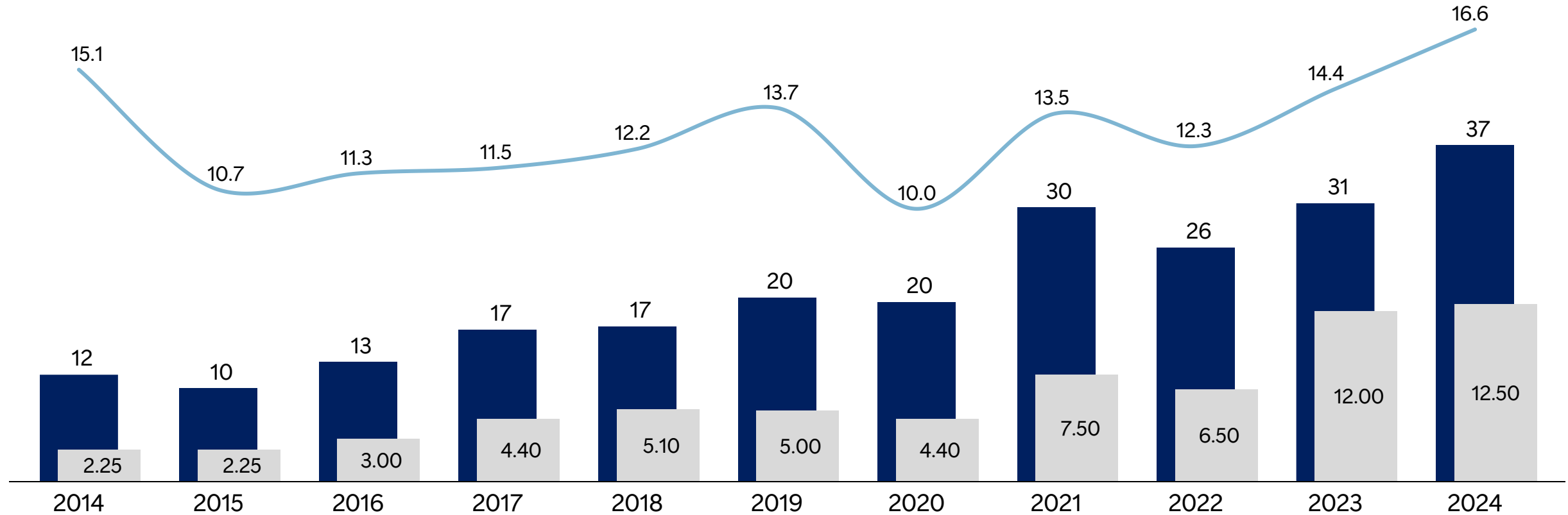
## Profitable and solid

- **Return on equity of 14.4% in Q4 and 16.6% in 2024**  
High revenues, solid contributions from most business areas, and gains from the merger between Fremtind and Eika Insurance
- **The leading finance group in Mid-Norway**  
Strengthened market position with new initiatives, an innovative financial house concept, and the foremost digital solutions as a foundation
- **Moderate loan losses and well-capitalised**  
Diversified loan portfolio with good credit quality, prospects for further growth, and dividend capacity
- **Record-high dividend**  
The Board proposes a dividend of NOK 12.50 per equity certificate and the allocation of NOK 896 million as community dividend



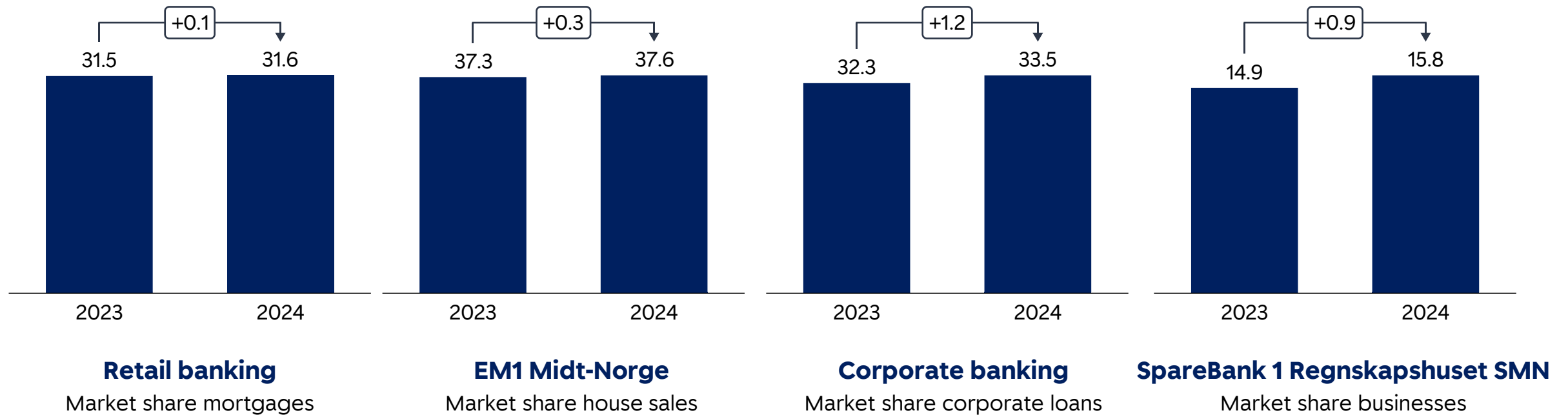
# High value creation over time

■ Implicit market value (NOKbn) — Return on equity (%) ■ Dividend per ECC (NOK)



# Realised effects from «One SMN» in 2024

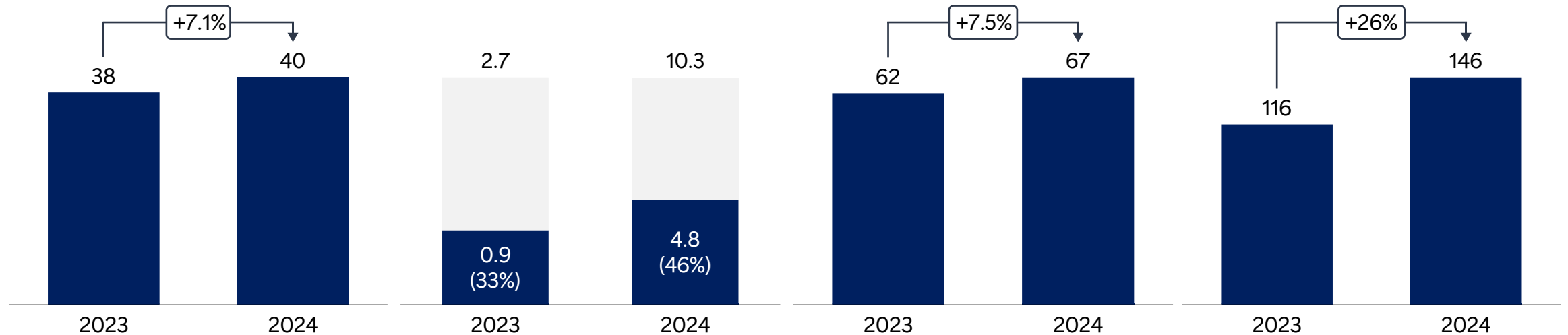
## Strengthened market position across all business areas\*



\* Market shares in Central Norway. Retail banking: share of mortgages (number). Development from march to december 2024 due to noise in the data set. EM1: share of sold used homes (number), Corporate banking: share of commercial loans (number), SpareBank 1 Regnskapshuset SMN: Share of businesses (number)

# Growth from synergies and strategic initiatives

## Growth in 2024



### Merger with SB1 Søre Sunnmøre

Total lending growth in Sunnmøre and Fjordane (NOKbn)

### Private Banking

Net subscription for funds and asset management (NOKbn) and share of SB1Forvaltning (%)

### Deposits

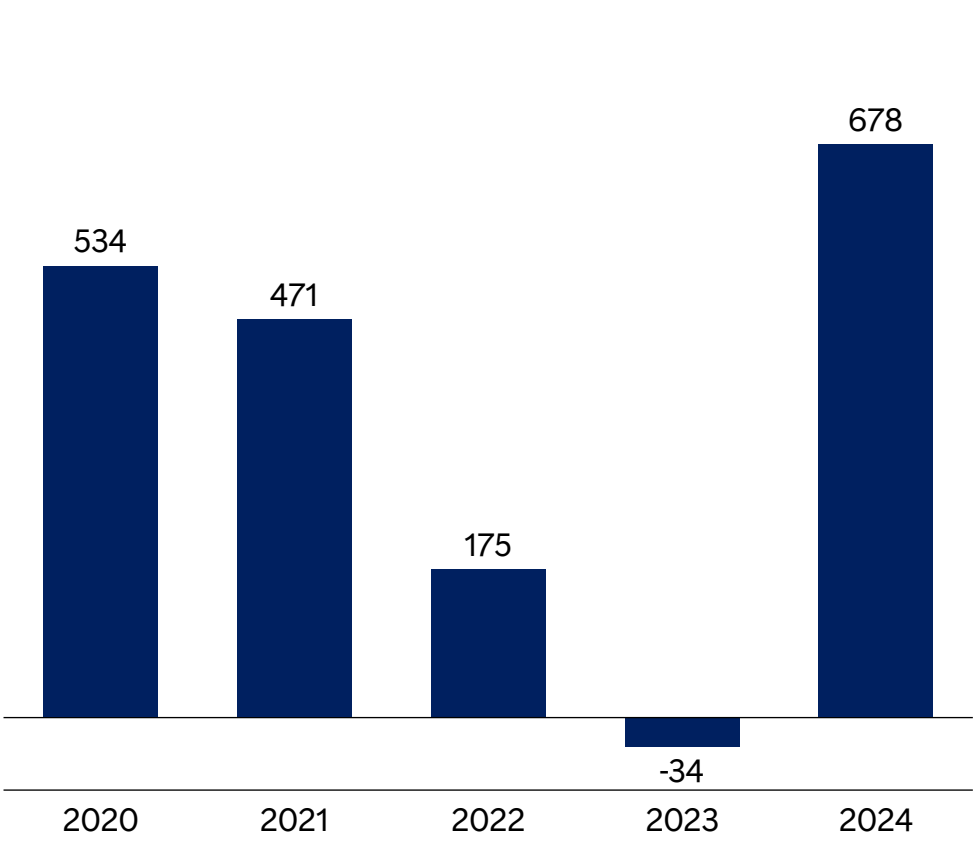
Deposit growth retail banking (NOKbn)

### Advisory services

Revenue growth advisory services (NOKm)

# Valuable ownership and collaboration in the SpareBank 1 Alliance

**SpareBank 1 Gruppen**  
Results from ownership (NOKm)



## Norway's second largest financial group

- Robust professional communities with effective knowledge sharing
- Innovative strength and economies of scale
- Strong product companies
- Leading digital solutions
- Joint effort against financial crime
- Strong and visible brand



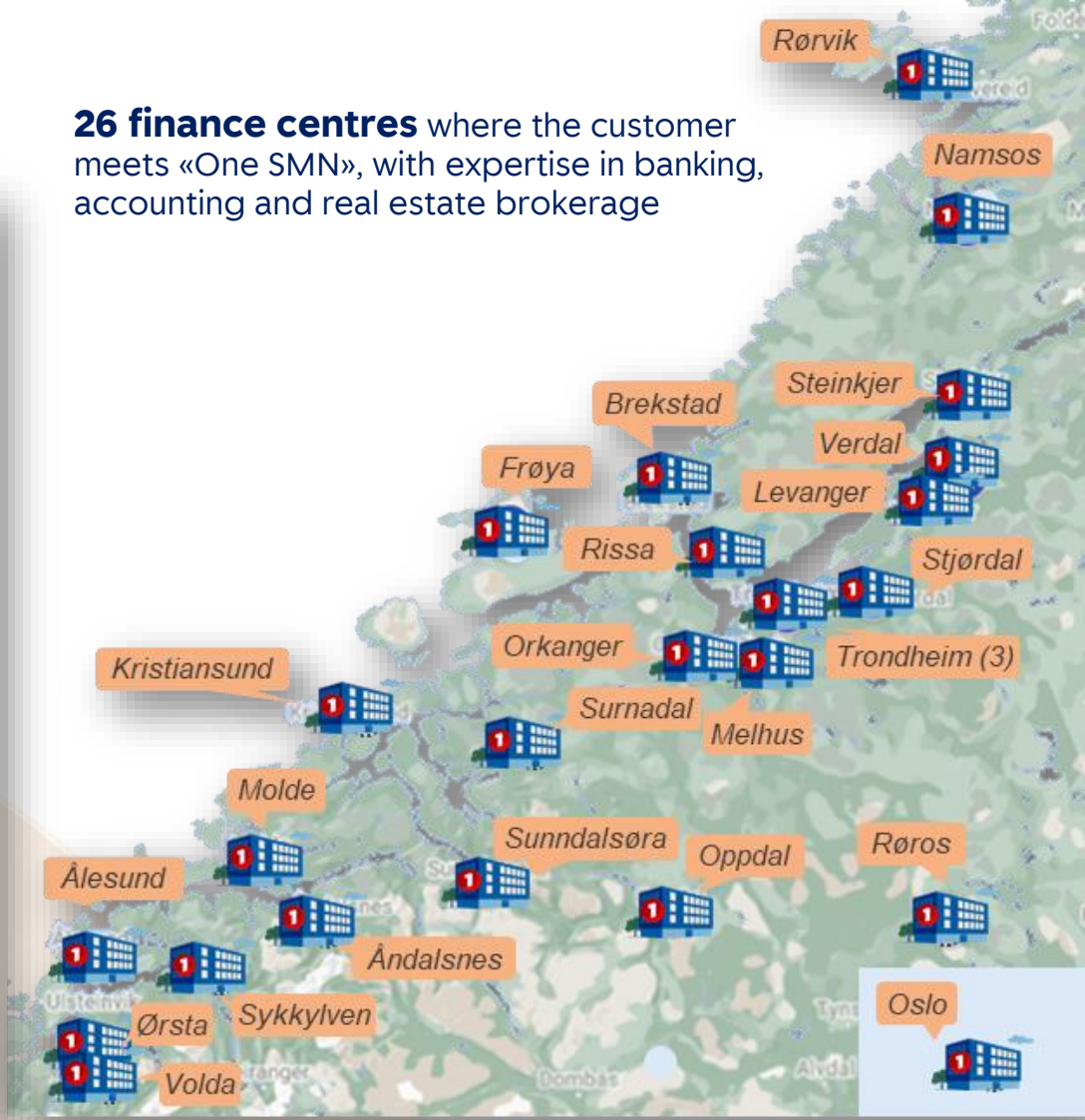


# The finance centre is the core of our local presence

## World class customer experiences



**26 finance centres** where the customer meets «One SMN», with expertise in banking, accounting and real estate brokerage

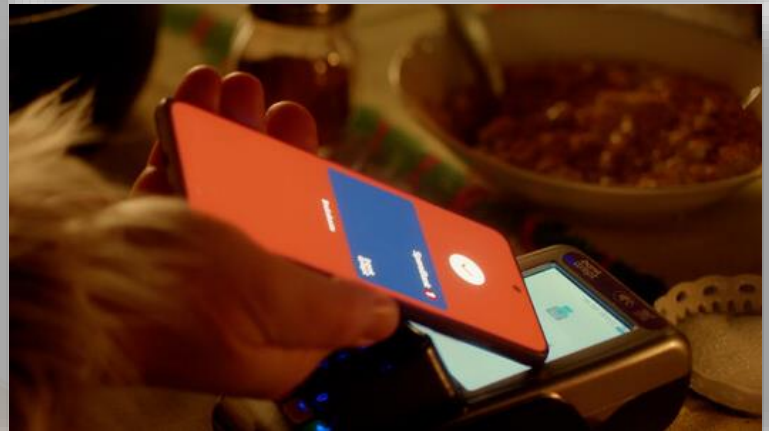


# Digital leader through SpareBank 1 and associated companies

Norway's best mobile bank **1**

**Nyhet!**

## Nå kan du tæppe med v:pps

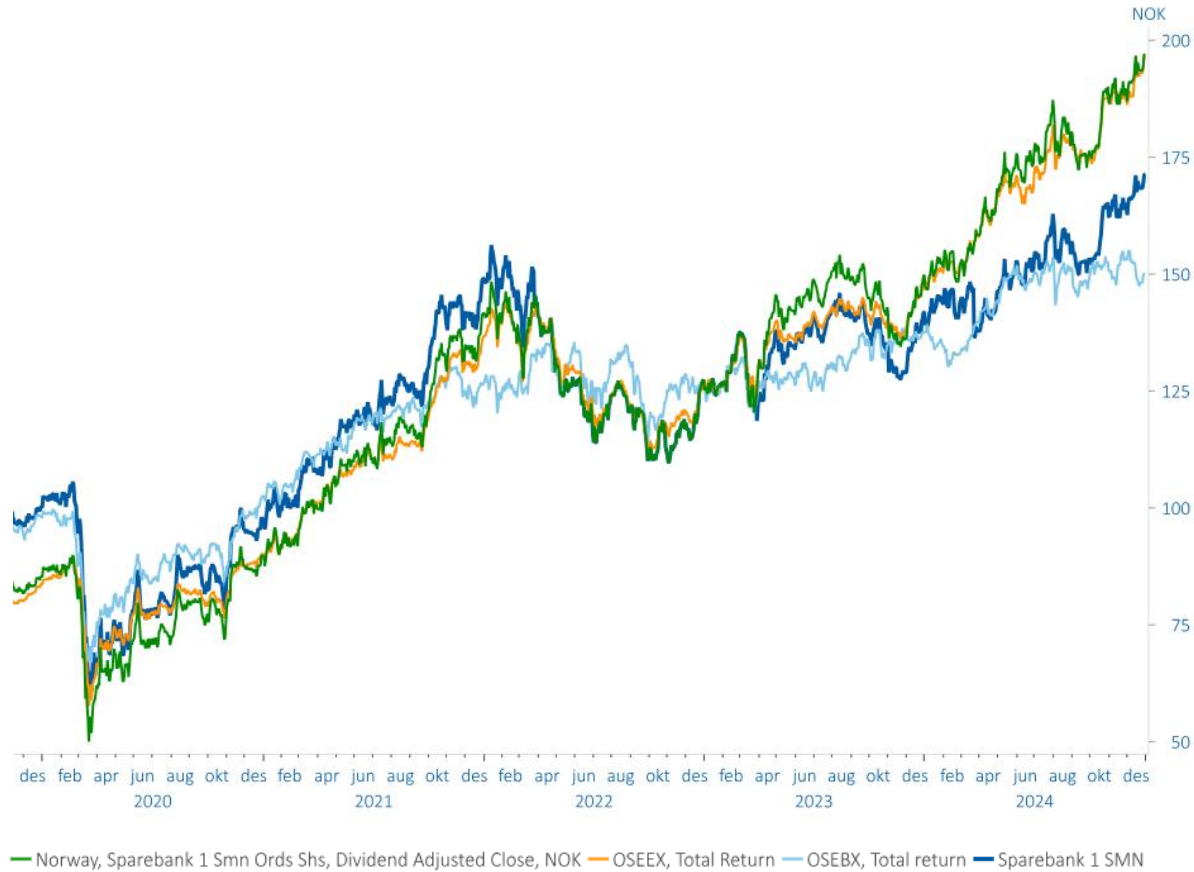


Mobilbankrapporten 2024, Cicero



# Well-equipped to handle periods with market volatility

## MING – a robust investment



Home market with low unemployment, moderate housing price development, and diversified business sector

Robust loan portfolio with a high share of mortgages

Conservative loan provisions

Strong solidity

Local presence and industry knowledge

# Savings banks contribute to stability, safety and active local communities

With a commitment to our societal mission

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## Hvem betaler for betalingen?

Hvis vi skal beholde et nasjonalt alternativ til de internasjonale betalingsgigantene, må både bankene, næringslivet og myndighetene hegne om nasjonale løsninger.



Kjerstin Braathen  
(Foto: Per Thrana)

Jan-Frode Janson  
(Foto: Aleksander Nordahl)

**Community dividends contribute to vibrant local communities**  
Over 3,000 NOKm for public benefit purposes in the last five years

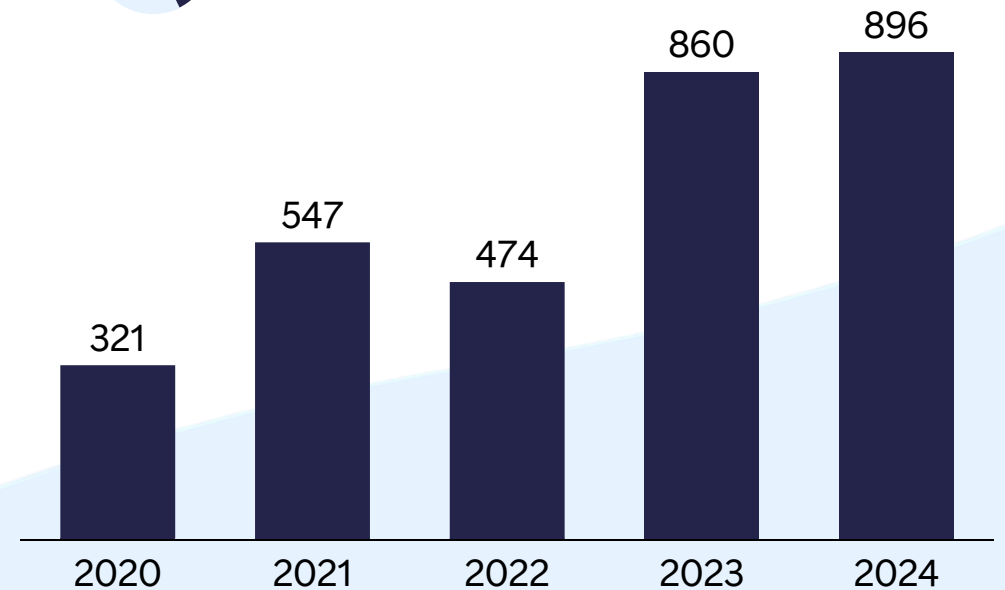


SMN – share to the community



Savings banks with customers dividend\*

Customer dividends Donations to public benefit purpose



\* Average share of customer dividends and donations to public benefit purposes for 2022-2023, for the largest Norwegian savings banks with customer dividends

**29.3 %**

MING total return  
including dividend 2024

# Leading in Central Norway Among the top performers in the Nordic region

**41.1 %**

Owned by the society  
(incl. ECC owned by the  
savings banks  
foundations)



## Norway's best mobile bank

«A good and user-friendly mobile bank that takes care of everyone»  
Cicero report 2024



**95 %**

Of loans to businesses  
scored on ESG criteria  
(loans > 10 NOKm)

**332**

NOKm to over 2,000  
good causes in the  
region in 2024

**375,000**

Daily logins to the  
mobile bank

**26**

Finance centres with  
complete service  
offering

**> 800**



Suspicious transactions reported to Økokrim in  
2024

Økokrim: National Authority for Investigation and Prosecution of Economic and Environmental Crime





SpareBank  
SMN



Bank  
Eiendom  
Regnskap

NORGE

Heeiiiiiiiiiaaaa!



# Financial Information



# Q4 2024

**14.4 %**  
Return on equity

**1,052 mill**  
Profit after tax

**18.3 %**  
CET1-ratio

# 2024

**16.6 %**  
Return on equity

**4,591 mill**  
Profit after tax

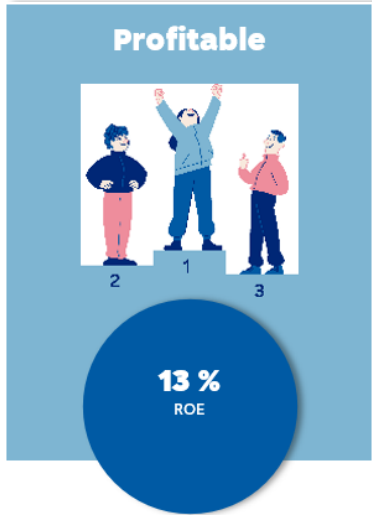
**176 mill**  
Loan losses

<b>Lending growth</b>	<b>5.5 %</b>
Retail banking	5.0 %
Corporate banking	7.5 %

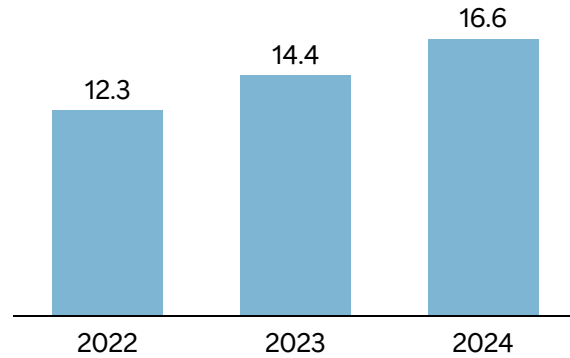
<b>Deposit growth</b>	<b>6.0 %</b>
Retail banking	7.5 %
Corporate banking	10.7 %

<b>Operating margin subsidiaries</b>	
Regnskapshuset SMN	9.7 %
Eiendomsmegler 1 Midt-Norge	13.8 %
SB1 Finans Midt-Norge	13.7 % (ROE)

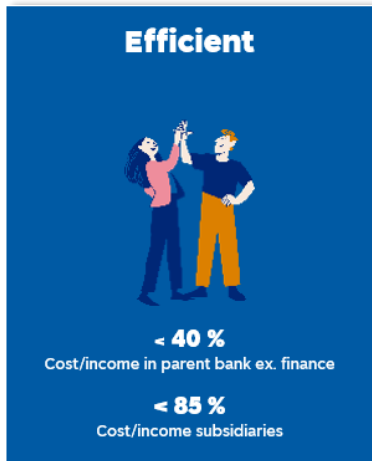
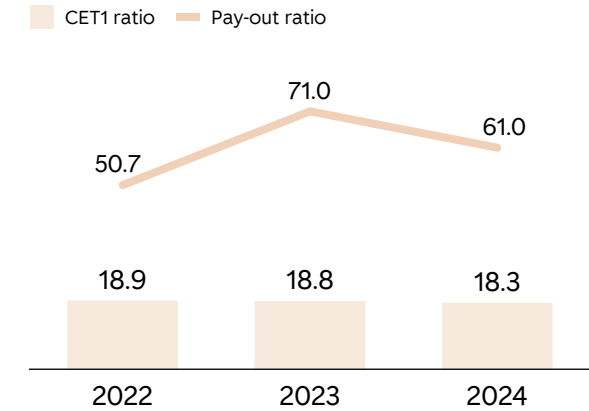
# Achieving financial targets



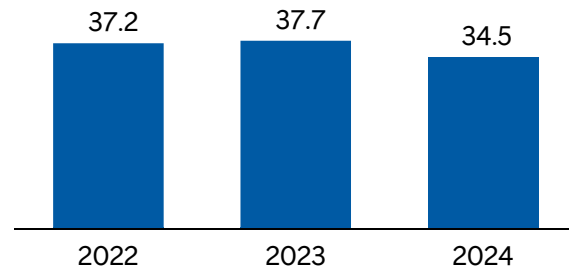
Return on equity (per cent)



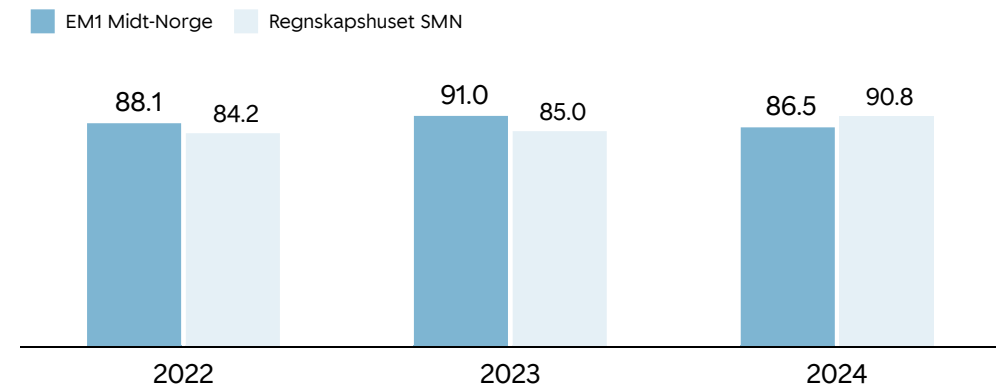
Solidity (per cent)



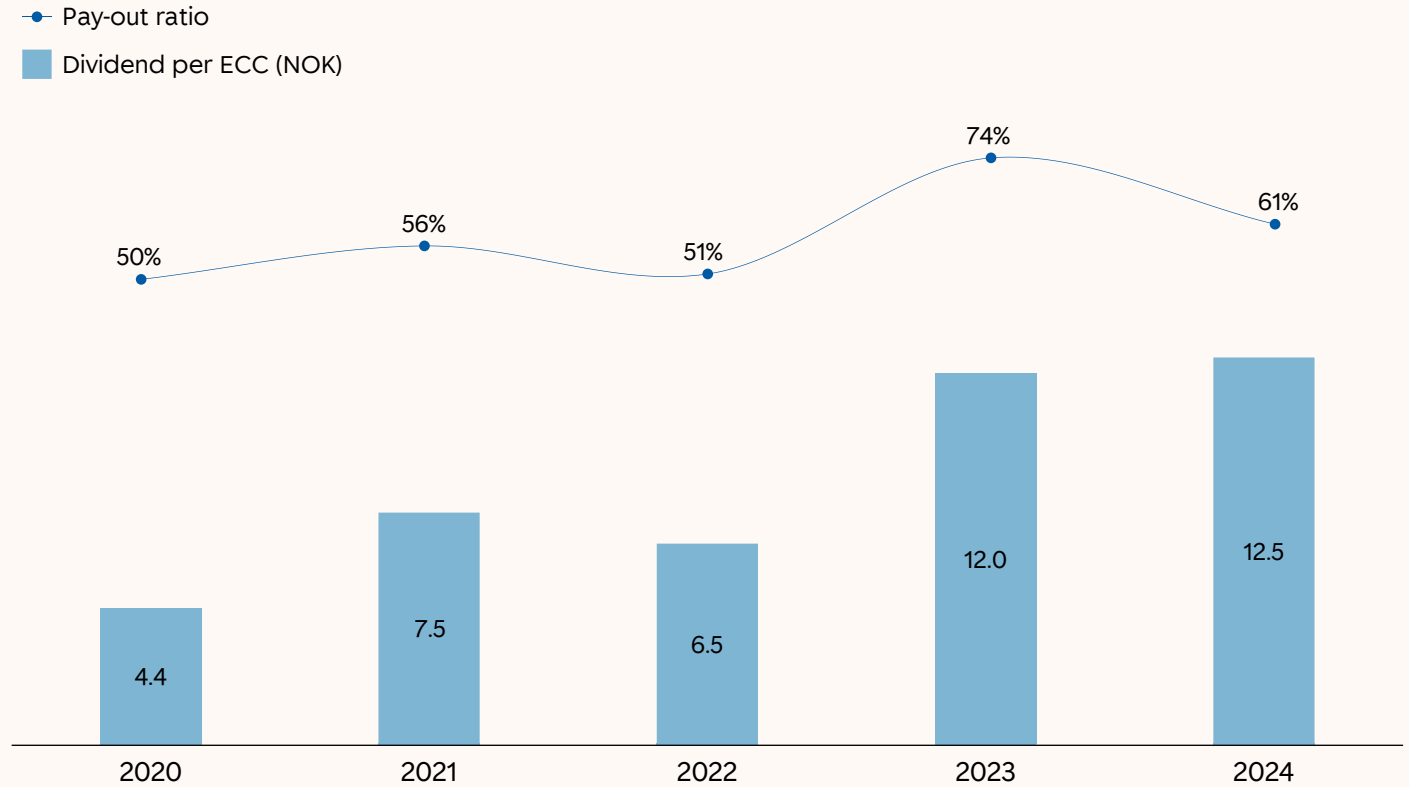
Cost/income bank ex. finance (per cent)



Cost/income subsidiaries ex. finance (per cent)



# High value creation over time allows for record-high dividends



**12.50 NOK** dividend per ECC

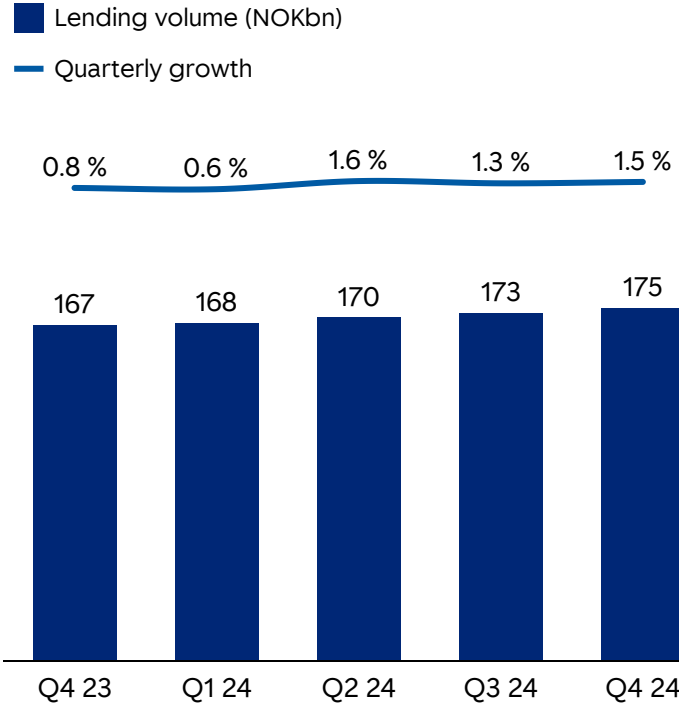
**61 %** pay-out ratio

**896** NOKm community dividends

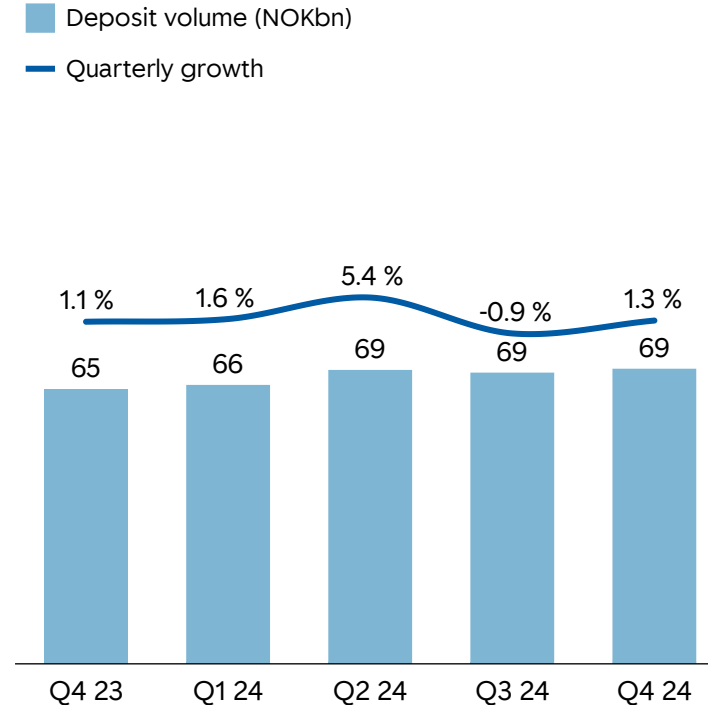


# Growth and margins in Retail Banking - quarterly

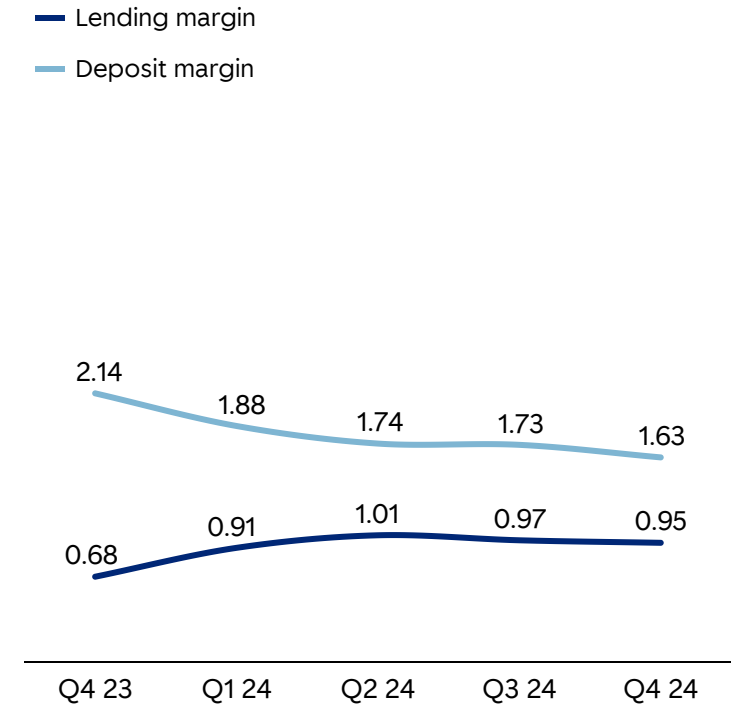
## Lending volume (NOKbn)



## Deposit volume (NOKbn)



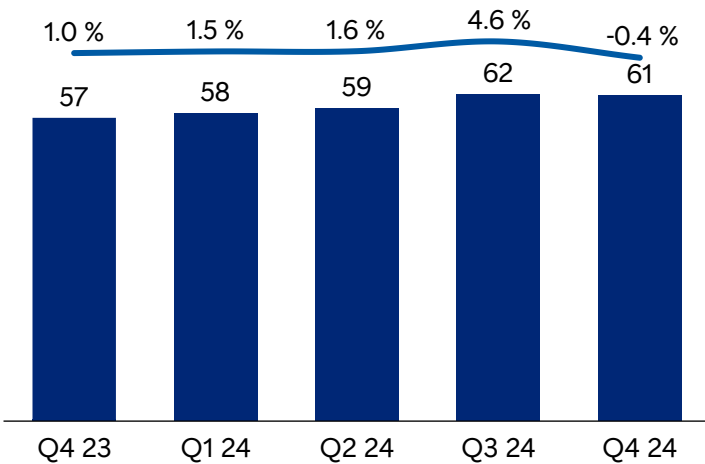
## Margins vs NIBOR3M



# Growth and margins in Corporate Banking - quarterly

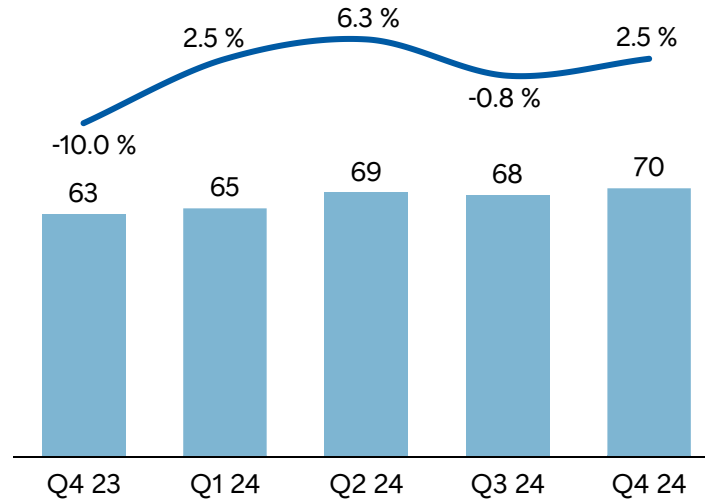
## Lending volume (NOKbn)

- Lending volume (NOKbn)
- Quarterly growth



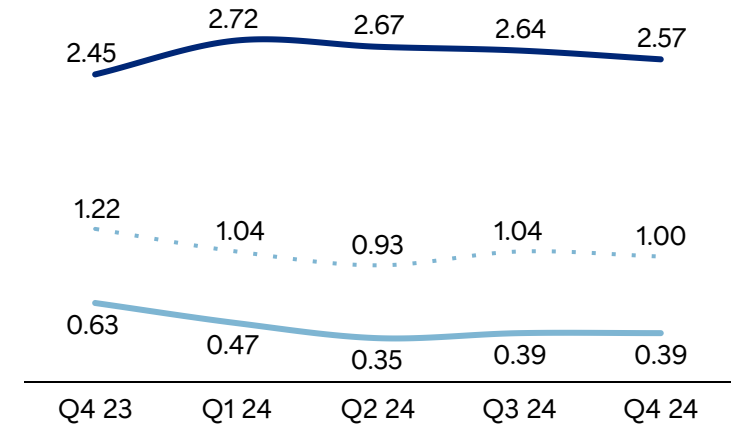
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## Margins vs NIBOR3M

- Lending margin\*
- Deposit margin
- - Deposit margin ex. public sector



\* Lending margin for Q4 23 is adjusted for previously unrecognised interest due to redemption of an exposure previously acquired at a discount

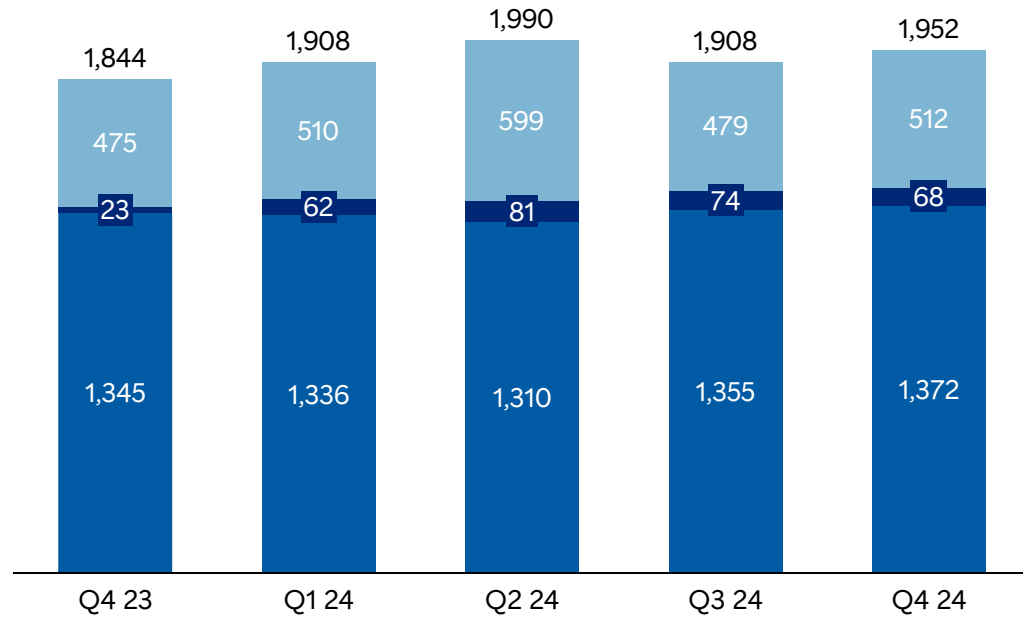
# Results

NOK mill	2024	2023	Q4 24	Q3 24	Q2 24	Q1 24	Q4 23	Change from Q3 24	Change from Q4 23
Net interest income	5,373	4,732	1,372	1,355	1,310	1,336	1,345	17	27
Commission income and other income	2,392	2,085	580	553	680	579	498	27	82
<b>Operating Income</b>	<b>7,766</b>	<b>6,816</b>	<b>1,953</b>	<b>1,908</b>	<b>1,990</b>	<b>1,915</b>	<b>1,844</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>109</b>
Total operating expenses	3,300	3,018	901	810	801	789	866	91	35
<b>Pre-loss result of core business</b>	<b>4,466</b>	<b>3,799</b>	<b>1,052</b>	<b>1,098</b>	<b>1,190</b>	<b>1,126</b>	<b>978</b>	<b>-46</b>	<b>74</b>
Losses on loans and guarantees	176	14	30	75	47	24	20	-46	10
<b>Post-loss result of core business</b>	<b>4,290</b>	<b>3,785</b>	<b>1,022</b>	<b>1,023</b>	<b>1,143</b>	<b>1,103</b>	<b>958</b>	<b>-1</b>	<b>64</b>
Related companies	1,254	297	227	685	148	194	90	-457	137
Securities, foreign currency and derivatives	103	402	56	-14	5	57	448	70	-392
<b>Result before tax</b>	<b>5,647</b>	<b>4,484</b>	<b>1,305</b>	<b>1,693</b>	<b>1,296</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>1,496</b>	<b>-388</b>	<b>-191</b>
Tax	1,054	904	253	252	276	273	262	1	-9
Result investment held for sale	-2	108	-1	0	-5	3	12	-1	-13
<b>Net profit</b>	<b>4,591</b>	<b>3,688</b>	<b>1,052</b>	<b>1,441</b>	<b>1,015</b>	<b>1,084</b>	<b>1,247</b>	<b>-390</b>	<b>-195</b>
<b>Return on equity</b>	<b>16.6 %</b>	<b>14.4 %</b>	<b>14.4 %</b>	<b>21.0 %</b>	<b>15.4 %</b>	<b>16.0 %</b>	<b>18.3 %</b>	<b>-6.6 %</b>	<b>-3.9 %</b>

# Income

## Net interest income and other income (NOKm)

- Commission income
- Bolig- og Næringskred.
- Net interest income



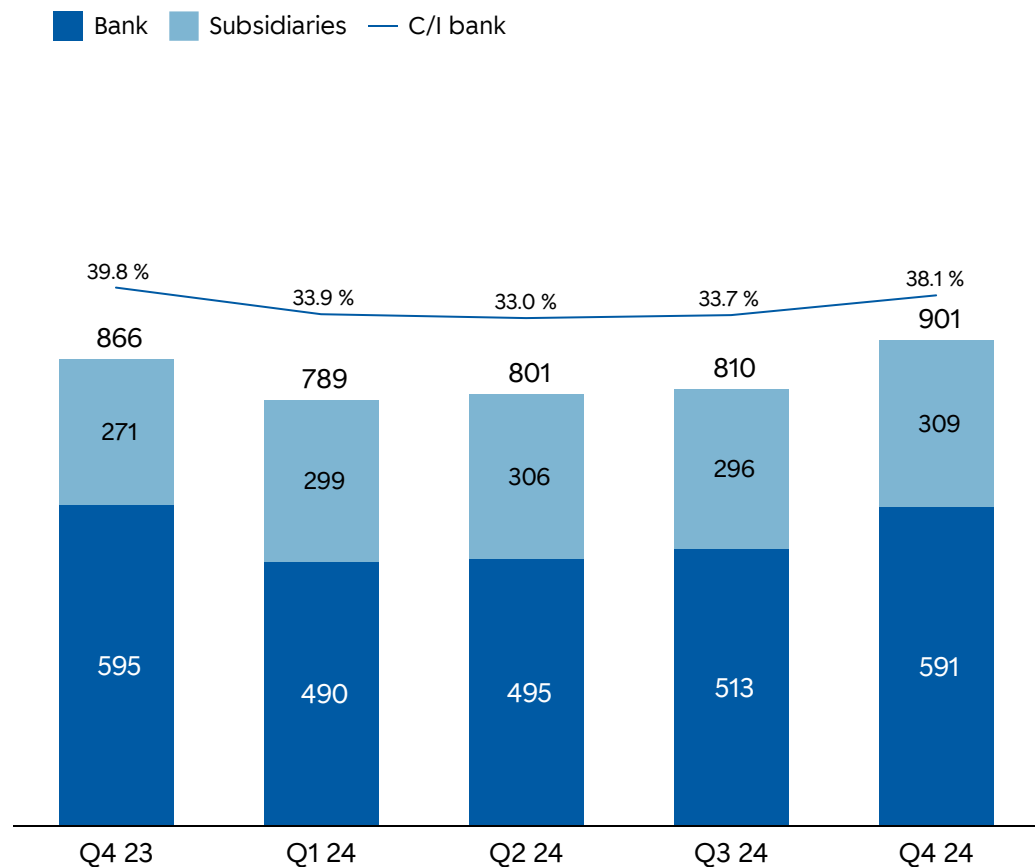
## Commission income

NOK mill	2024	2023	Change	Q4 24	Q3 24	Q2 24	Q1 24	Q4 23
Payment transmission income	354	330	24	107	79	91	77	101
Credit cards	71	61	10	18	18	17	18	14
Commissions savings and asset mgmt	49	43	6	13	13	12	11	11
Commissions insurance	263	253	10	69	67	65	63	61
Guarantee commissions	65	60	5	17	16	17	15	16
Estate agency	505	432	73	112	127	151	115	98
Accountancy services	733	661	72	160	145	228	200	152
Other commissions	66	76	-10	16	13	19	18	23
<b>Commissions ex. Bolig/Næringskredit</b>	<b>2,106</b>	<b>1,770</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>512</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>599</b>	<b>517</b>	<b>475</b>
Commissions Boligkreditt (cov. bonds)	272	155	117	65	71	78	59	19
Commissions Næringskred. (cov. bonds)	14	15	-1	3	3	4	4	4
<b>Total commission income</b>	<b>2,392</b>	<b>2,084</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>580</b>	<b>553</b>	<b>680</b>	<b>579</b>	<b>498</b>



# Costs

## Total operating expenses per quarter (NOKm)



## Costs per category

- Total costs increased by 91NOKm from the previous quarter
- Costs in the bank increased by 78NOKm of which capital tax and higher national insurance contributions account for 60NOKm
- When adjusted for higher capital tax and the one-time expense related to employer national insurance contributions mentioned above, cost growth in the bank comes to 4.5 per cent.
- Expecting a further reduction in the bank's cost growth in 2025

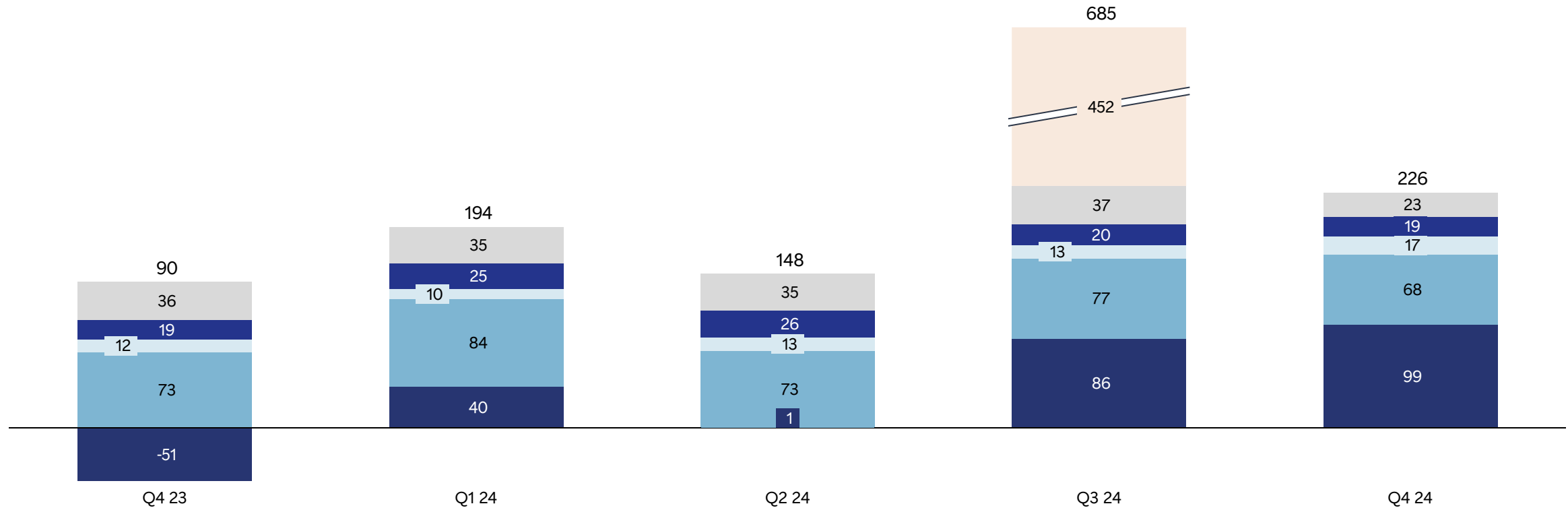
Mill kr	2024	2023	Change	Q4 24	Q3 24	Q2 24	Q1 24	Q4 23
Staff costs	1,981	1,691	290	516	498	484	482	476
IT costs	410	413	-3	83	108	109	110	132
Marketing	104	93	11	30	23	25	26	21
Ordinary depreciation	176	153	23	48	44	44	41	47
Op.ex., real estate properties	49	57	-8	10	14	12	13	11
Purchased services	298	238	60	98	61	66	74	71
Merger expenses	0	64	-64	0	0	0	0	18
Other operating expense	283	309	-26	116	62	62	43	90
<b>Total operating expenses</b>	<b>3,300</b>	<b>3,018</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>901</b>	<b>810</b>	<b>801</b>	<b>789</b>	<b>866</b>

# Broad product range and a diversified income platform

## Ownership interests

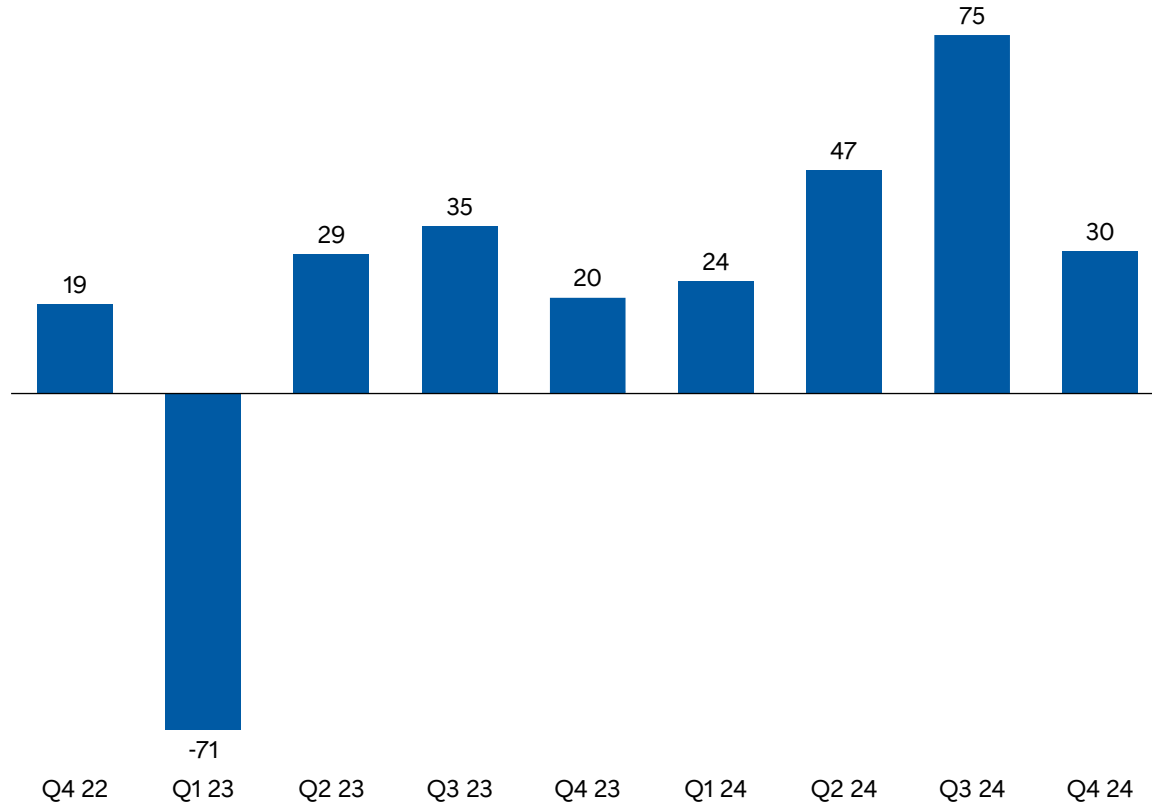
Profit after tax (NOKm)

■ Profit from insurance merger Fremtind/Eika
 ■ Other associated companies
 ■ SpareBank 1 Markets  
■ SpareBank 1 Forvaltning
 ■ BN Bank
 ■ SpareBank 1 Gruppen

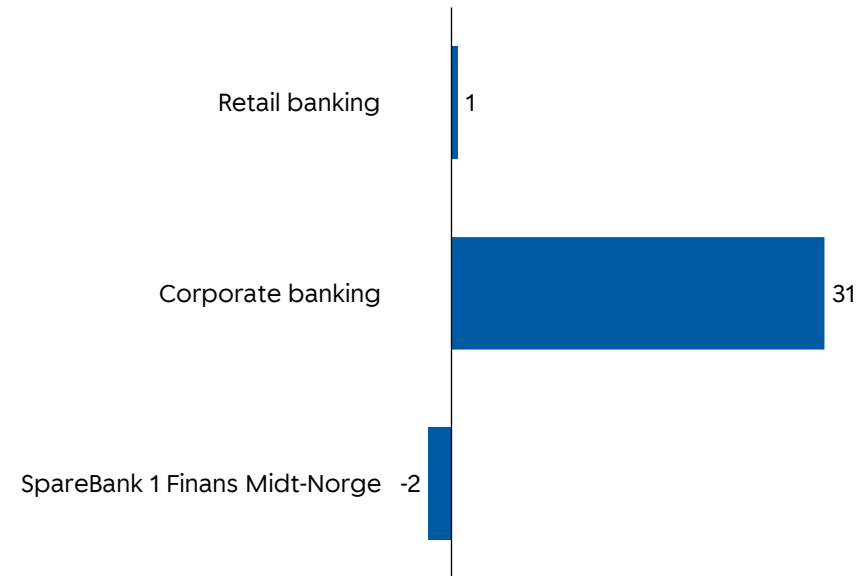


# Losses

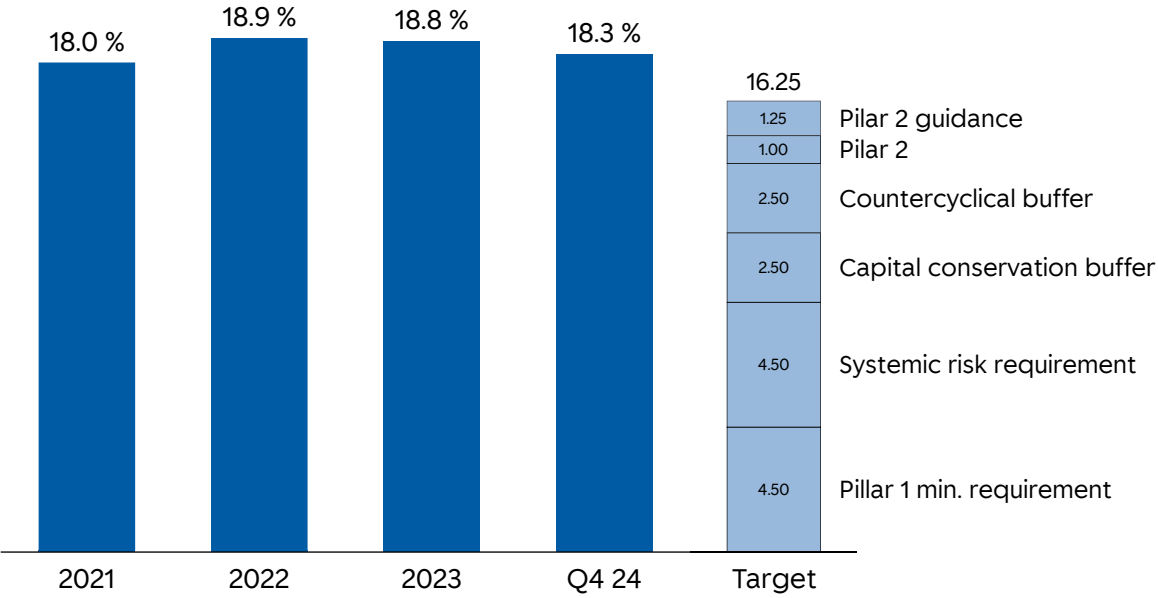
Loan losses (NOKm)



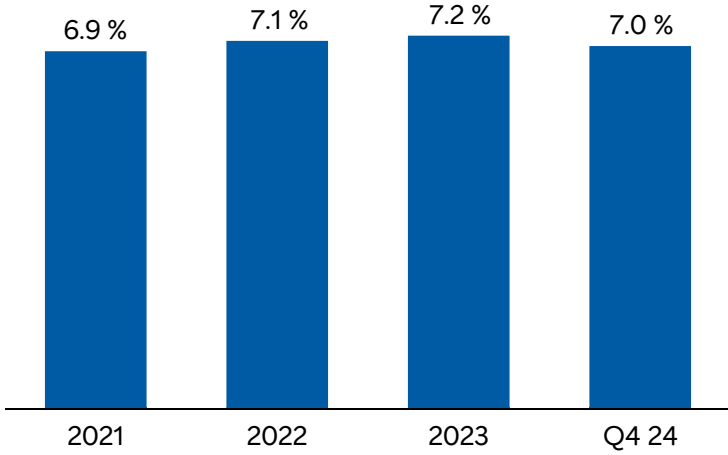
Distribution of losses in the quarter (NOKm)



## CET 1



## Leverage ratio



The groups' pillar 2 requirement is 1,7 percentage points, whereby 1,0 pp. must be covered by CET1-capital. The bank is subject to a provisional add-on of 0,7 per cent to its Pillar 2 requirement. Until the application for adjustment of IRB models has been processed the CET1 requirement is 16,95%

# MING – an attractive investment

**Profitable, solid and with a shareholder-friendly dividend policy**

**Market leader in Central Norway**

**High share of commission income from subsidiaries and product companies**

**Significant value from ownership within and outside the SpareBank 1 Alliance**

**Well-positioned for structural changes**

**Visible and engaged community builder with a strong brand**

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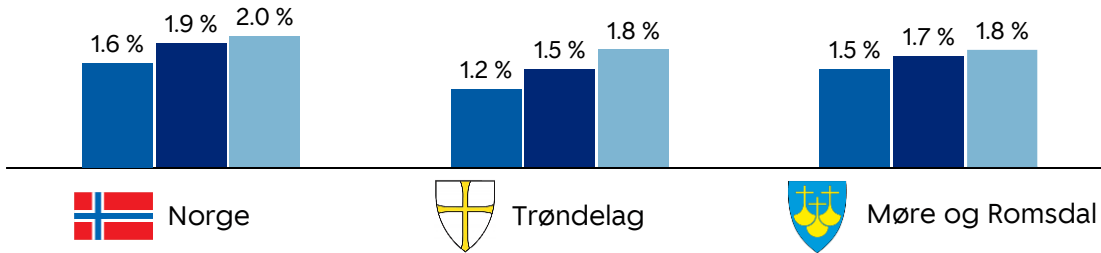


# Macro in Mid-Norway

## Unemployment

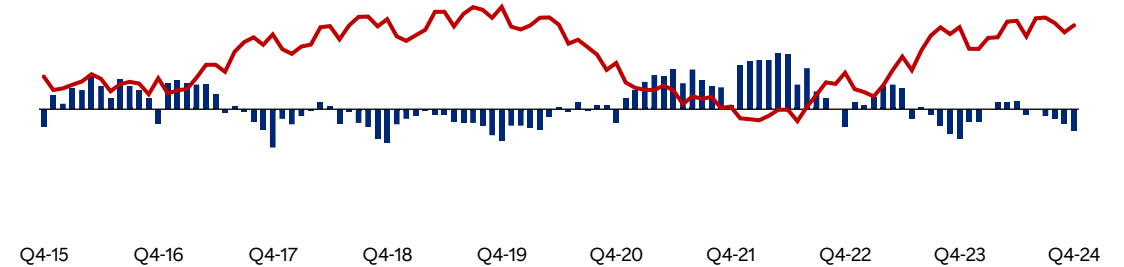
Wholly unemployed as a percentage of the labor force

■ Dec 22 ■ Dec 23 ■ Dec 24



## Housing market dynamics Mid-Norway

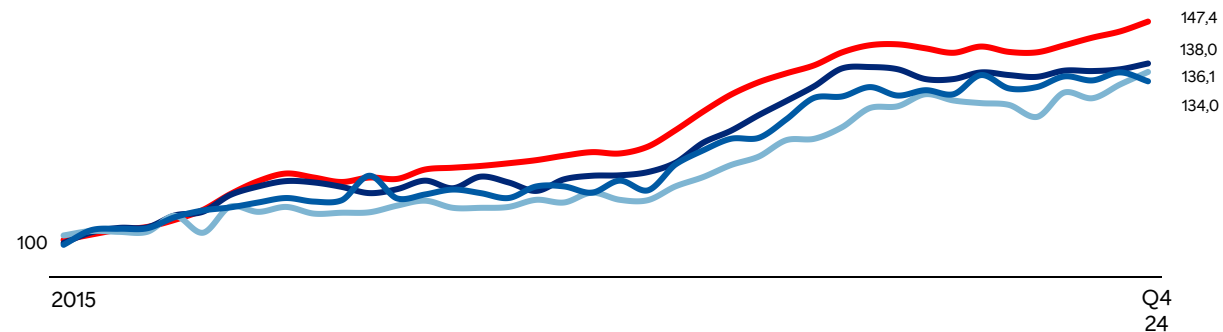
■ Percentage difference in listing/selling price — Unsold properties



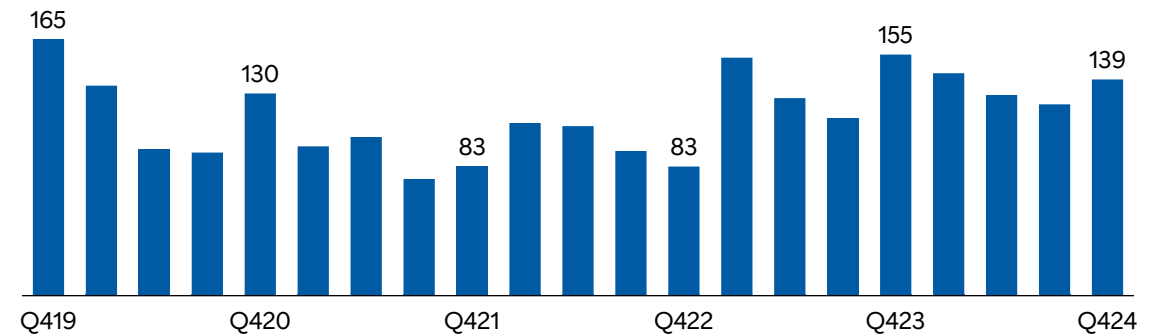
## Development in housing prices

Seasonally adjusted prices

— Norge — Trondheim — Møre og Romsdal og Vestland — Trøndelag eks Trh.



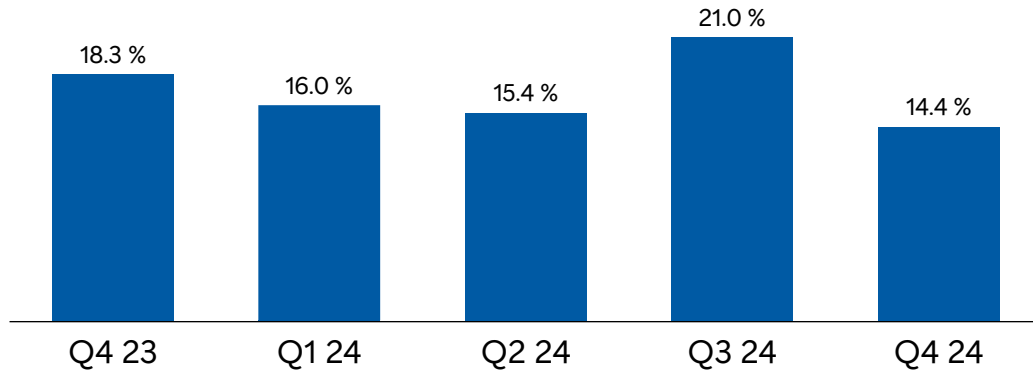
## Number of bankruptcies in Trøndelag, Møre & Romsdal



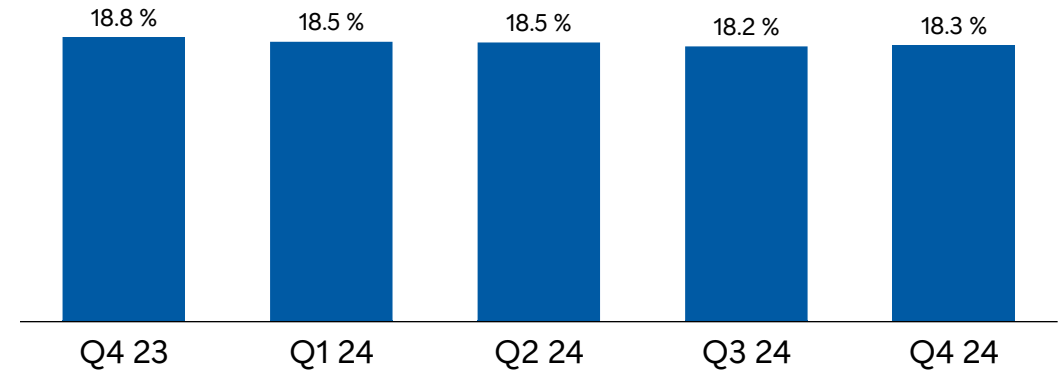
Source: NAV, SSB Boligpriser, Brønnøysundregisteret og Eiendomsverdi

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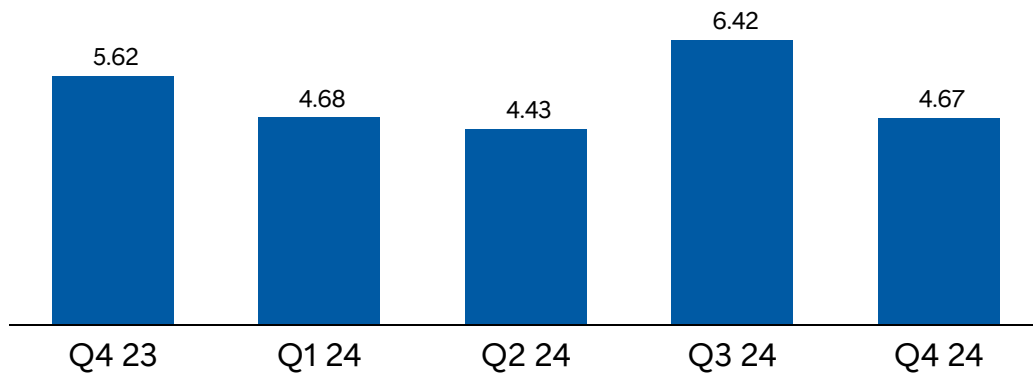
## Return on equity



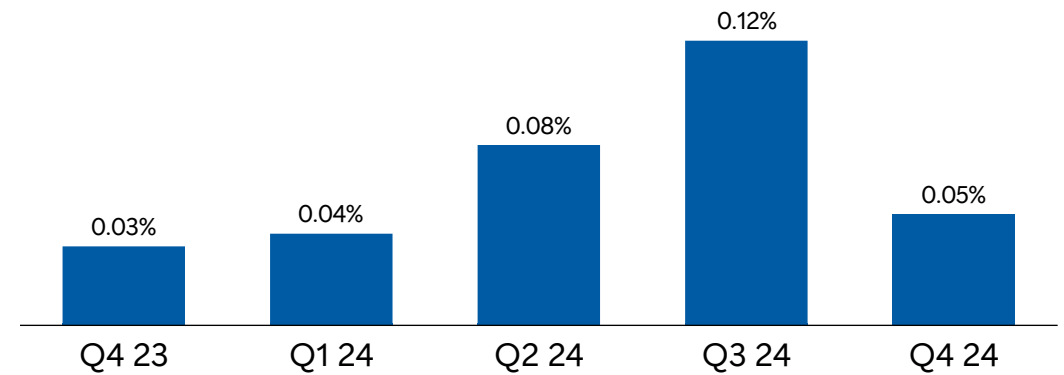
## CET1 ratio



## Result per ECC

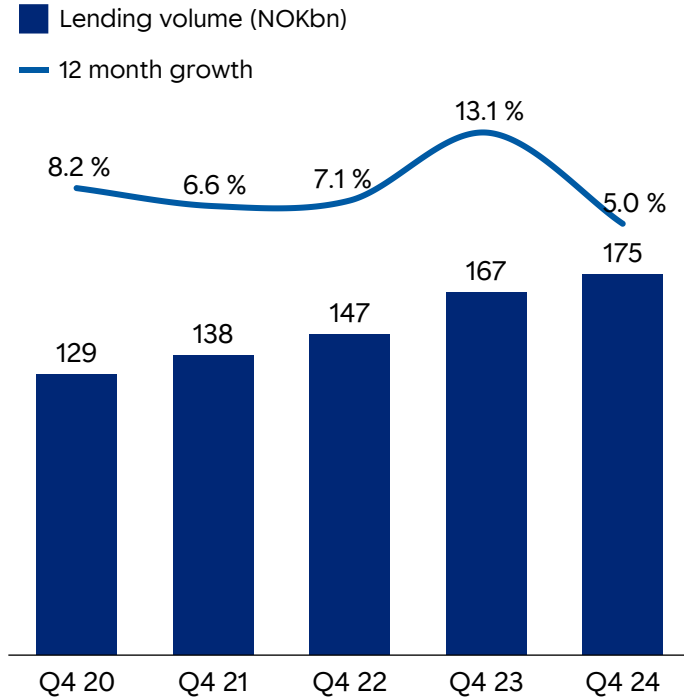


## Loan losses in per cent of total lending

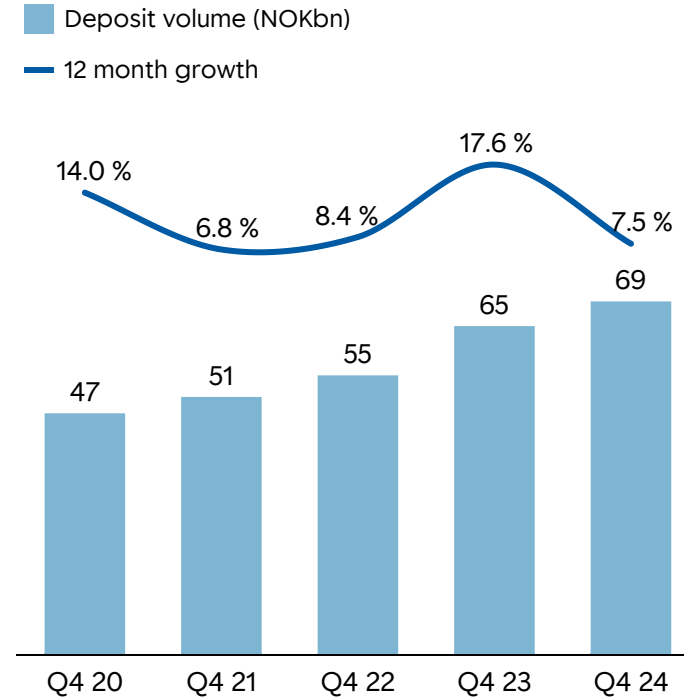


# Growth and margins in Retail Banking - Yearly

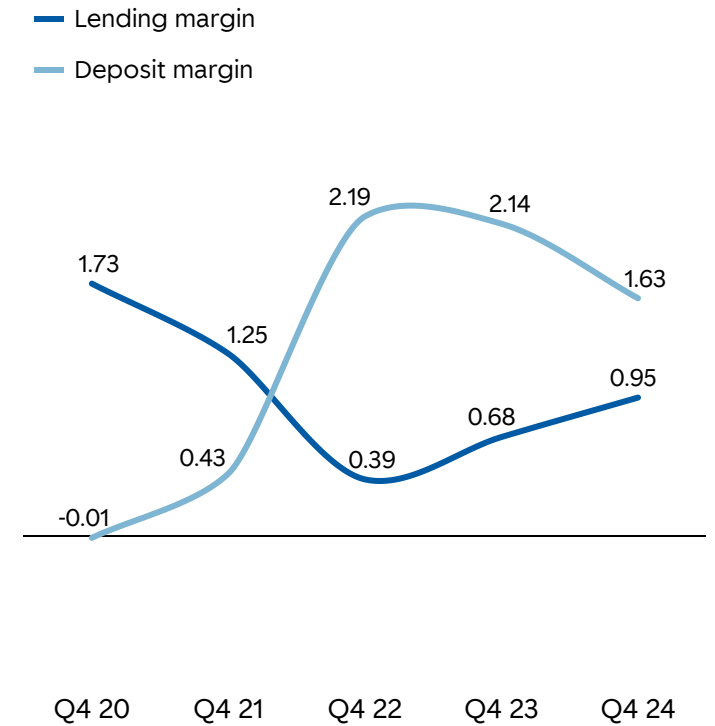
## Lending volume (NOKbn)



## Deposit volume (NOKbn)



## Margins vs NIBOR3M

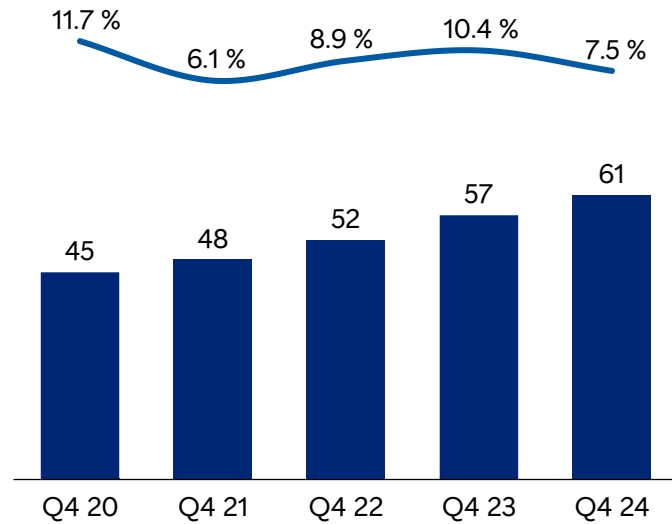




# Growth and margins in Corporate Banking - Yearly

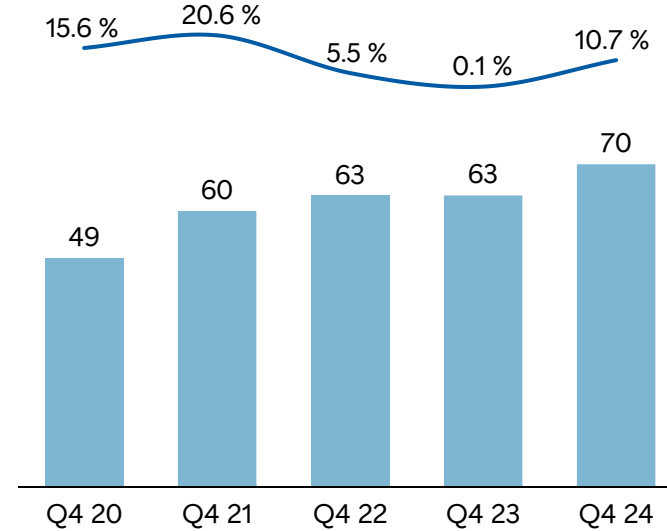
## Lending volume (NOKbn)

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- 12-month growth



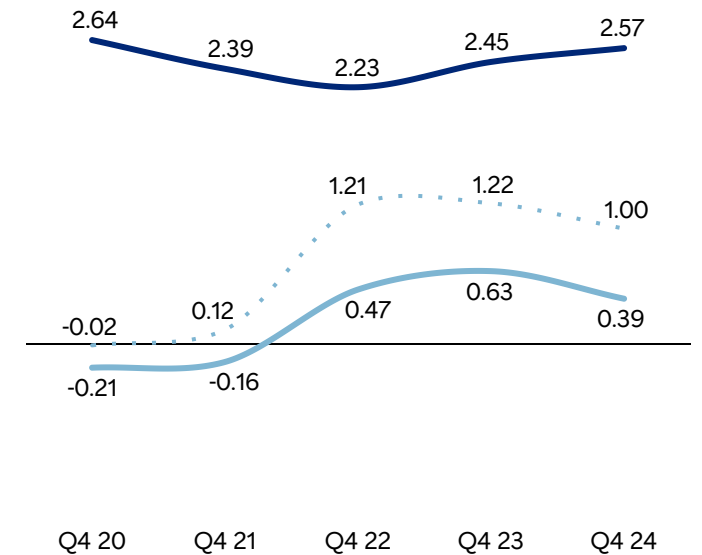
## Deposit volume (NOKbn)

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## Margins vs NIBOR3M

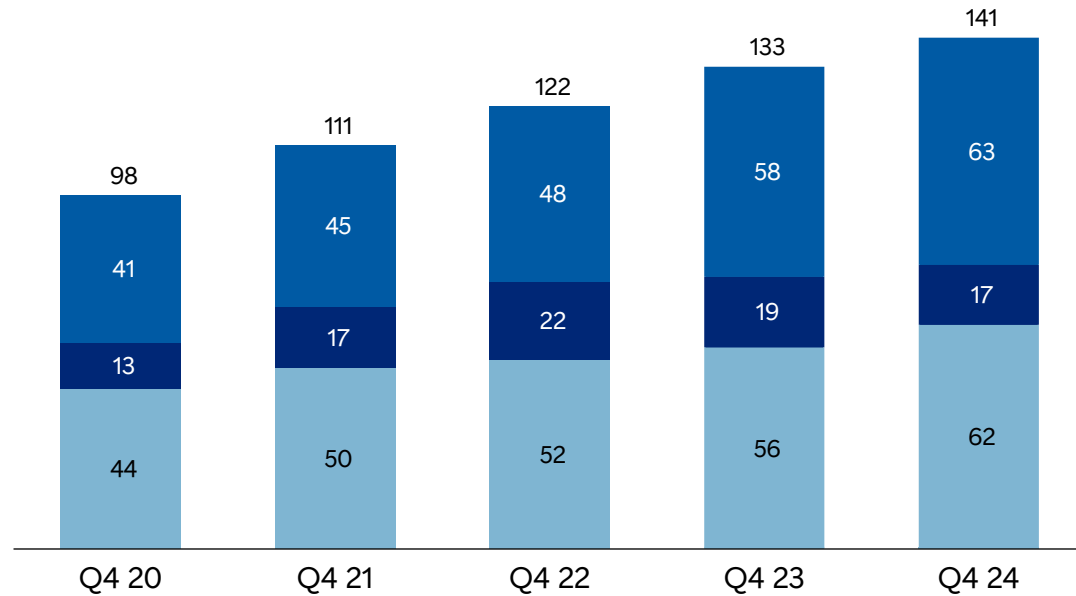
- Lending margin
- Deposit margin
- - Deposit margin ex. public sector



# Diversified deposit portfolio

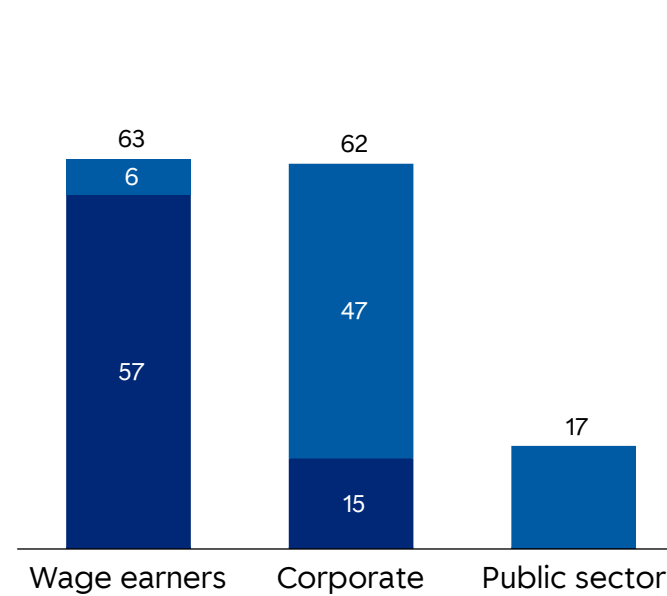
## Deposits by sector (NOKbn)

- Wage earners
- Public sector
- Corporate



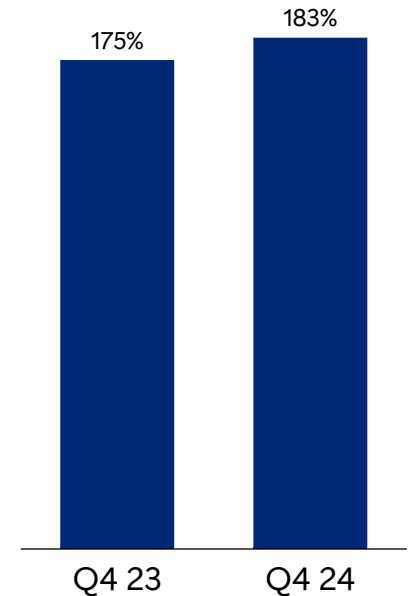
## Deposits covered by the deposit guarantee scheme (NOKbn)

- Not covered
- Covered by the guarantee scheme



Public deposits are not covered by the guarantee scheme, but are mostly bound by contractual obligations

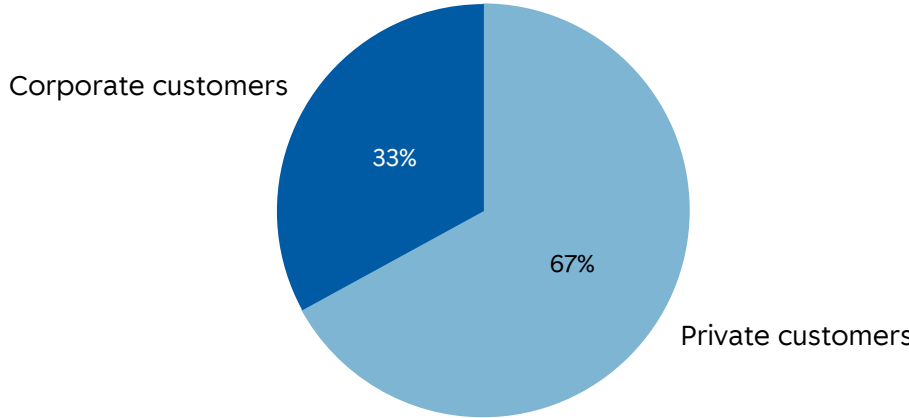
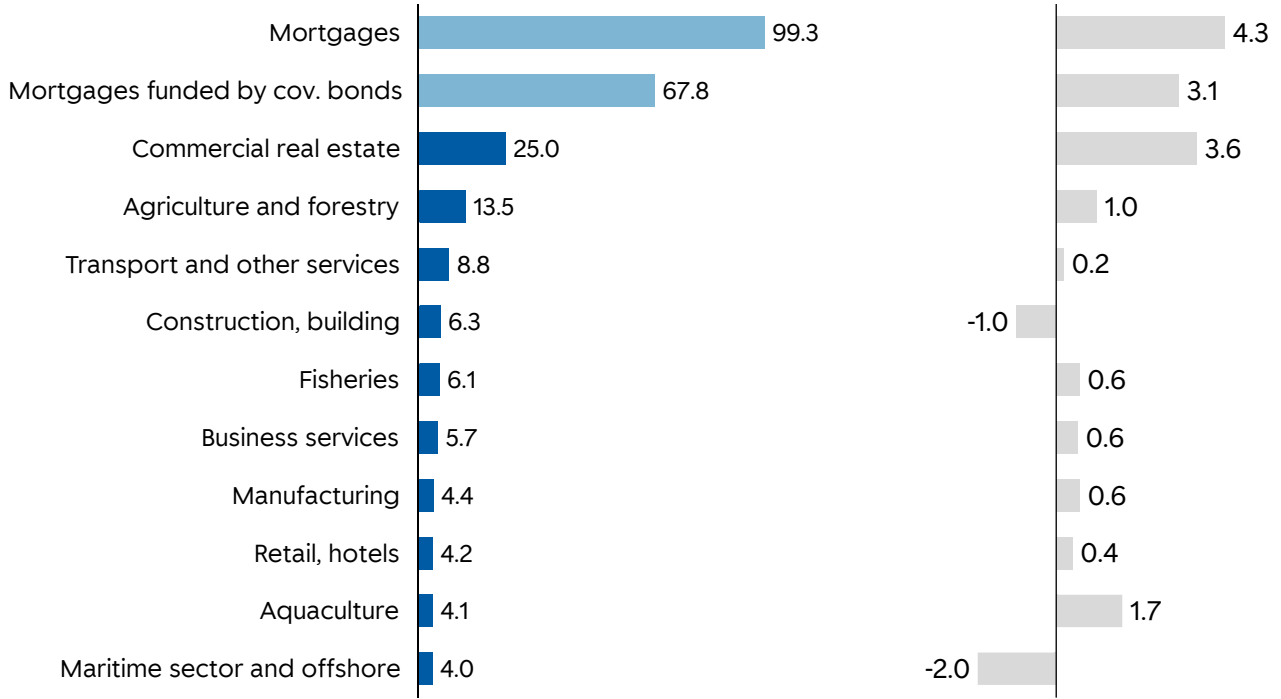
## Liquidity Coverage Ratio (LCR)



# Well diversified lending portfolio dominated by mortgages

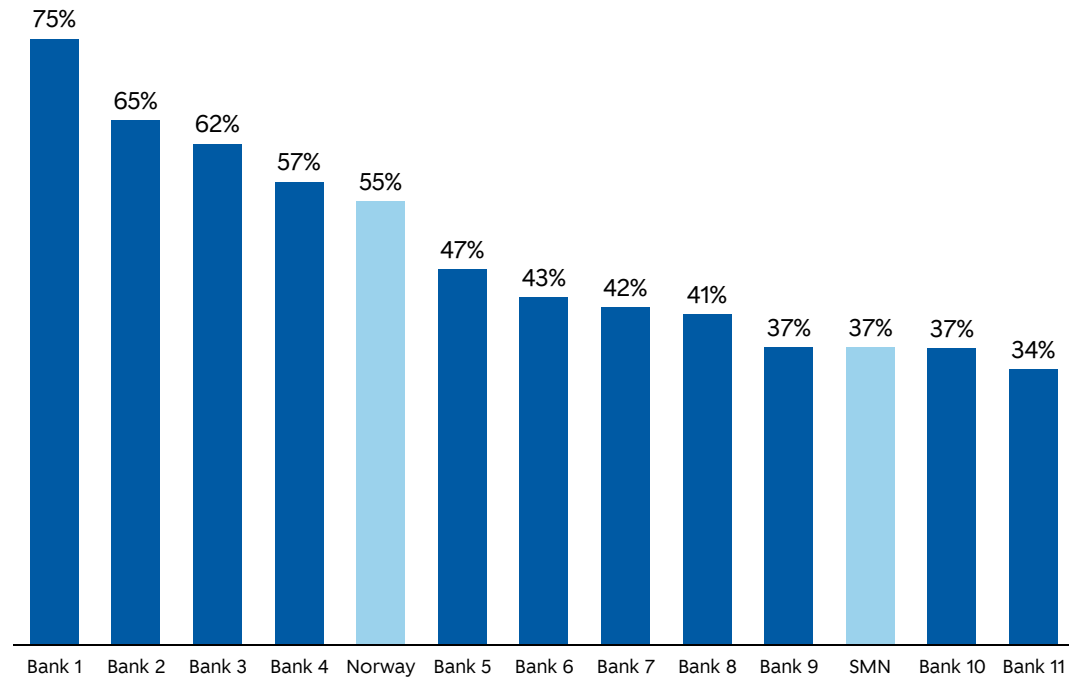
## Loans per sector

as at 31st of December 2024 and change last 12 months (NOKbn)



# Commercial property, construction, building

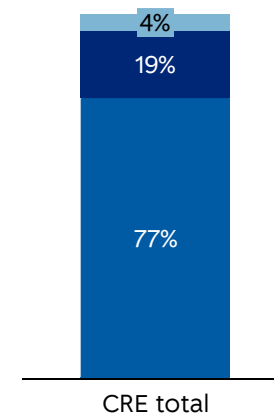
## Share of commercial real estate exposure in the corporate lending book\*



## Rental properties make up 77 % of the banks CRE exposure, mainly to retail trade, industry/storage and offices

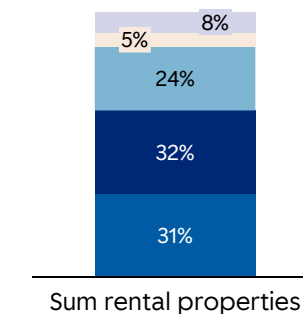
### Distribution of property per Q424

- Housing co-operatives and other
- Real estate projects
- Rental properties



### Distribution of area per Q4 24

- Housing
- Hotel/tourism
- Industry/storage
- Retail trade, business mgmt
- Offices



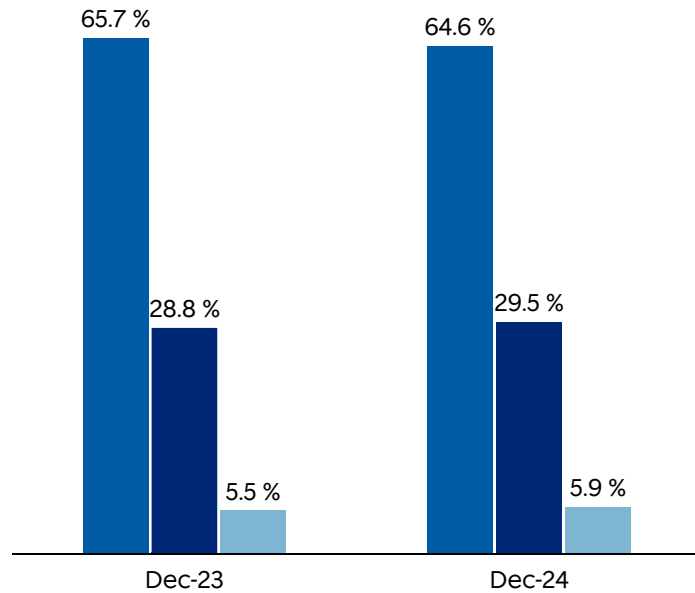
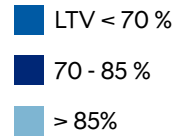
\*Gross lending to commercial real estate as a share of corporate lending.. National data from SSB. Data for individual banks are based on reported numbers as at Q3 2024



# Robust mortgage portfolio

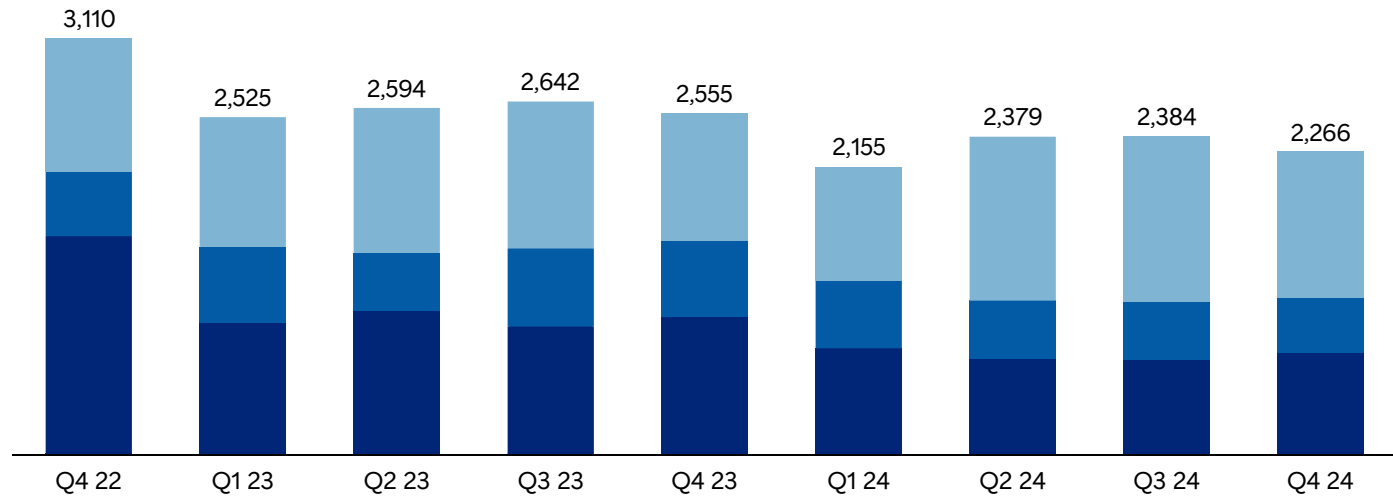
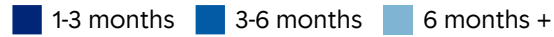
## Loan-to-value ratio in the mortgage portfolio

Share of mortgages by LTV



## Granted interest-only periods

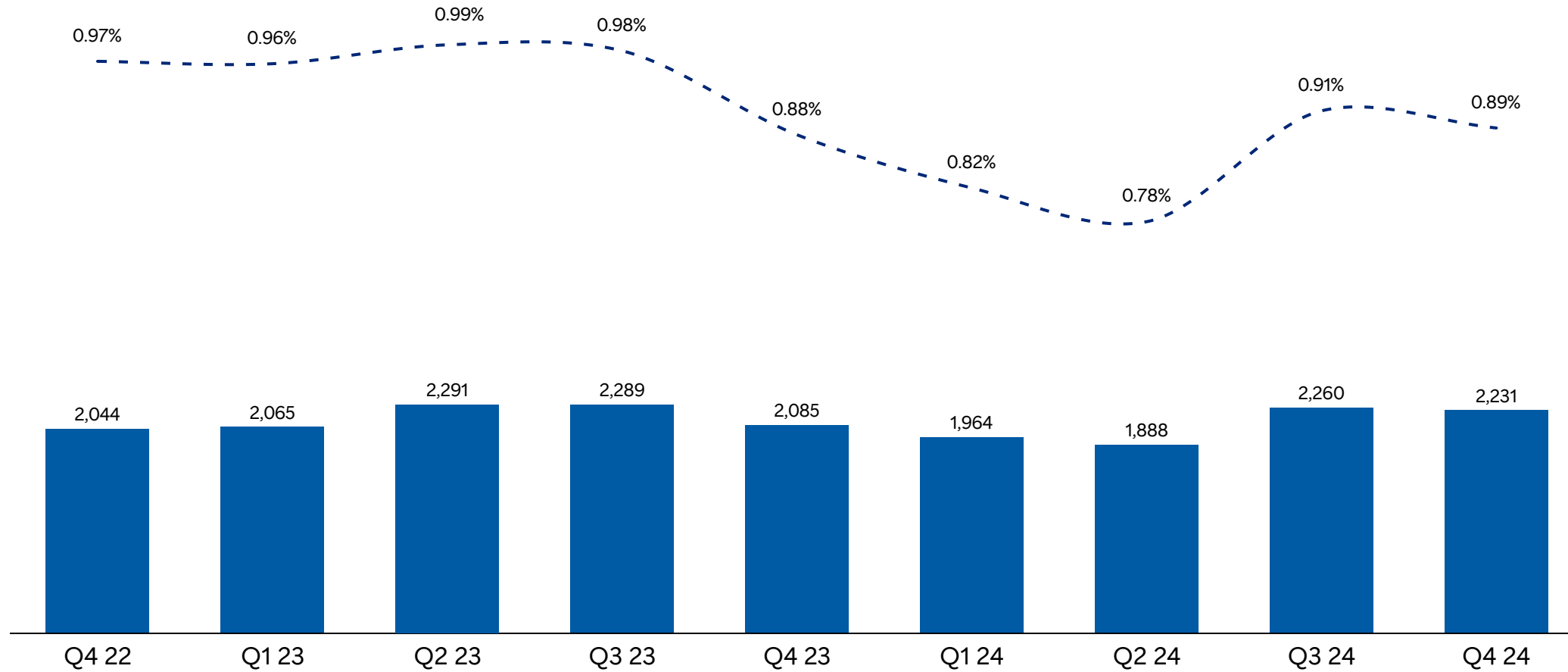
Number of loans granted interest-only periods in the Retail Banking portfolio



# Problem loans

■ Lending to customers in stage 3

- · % of gross lending



# Subsidiaries

NOK mill, SMN's share in parentheses	Q4 24	Q3 24	Q2 24	Q1 24	Q4 23	Change from Q3 24	Change from Q4 23
EiendomsMegler 1 Midt-Norge (92.4%)	-1	8	43	20	-7	-9	6
SpareBank 1 Regnskapshuset SMN (93.3%)	-3	-7	54	35	8	4	-11
SpareBank 1 Finans Midt-Norge (56.5%)	87	68	76	66	12	19	76
SpareBank 1 SMN Invest (100%)	27	-12	-13	48	66	39	-39
Other companies	6	3	5	5	4	3	3
<b>Sum subsidiaries</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>33</b>

# Product companies

NOK mill, SMN's share in parentheses	Q4 24	Q3 24	Q2 24	Q1 24	Q4 23	Change from Q3 24	Change from Q4 23
SpareBank 1 Gruppen (19.5%)	99	86	1	40	-51	13	150
Gain from merger between Fremtind/Eika		452				-452	
SpareBank 1 Boligkreditt (23.7%)	23	37	35	33	30	-14	-7
SpareBank 1 Næringskreditt (14.8%)	4	3	3	4	1	1	3
BN Bank (35.0%)	68	77	73	84	73	-9	-5
SpareBank 1 Markets (39.9%)	19	20	26	25	19	-1	0
SpareBank 1 Kreditt (18.6%)	-5	-3	1	-4	-3	-2	-1
SpareBank 1 Betaling (21.9%)	-4	-1	-2	-12	-8	-3	3
SpareBank 1 Forvaltning (21.5%)	17	13	13	10	12	4	5
Other companies	4	1	-3	13	16	3	-12
<b>Sum associated companies</b>	<b>226</b>	<b>685</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>-459</b>	<b>137</b>

# Return on financial investments

NOK mill	Q4 24	Q3 24	Q2 24	Q1 24	Q4 23	Change from Q3 24	Change from Q4 23
Net gain/(loss) on stocks	44	-1	4	42	472	45	-427
Net gain/(loss) on financial instruments	-47	-45	-17	-11	-41	-2	-6
Net gain/(loss) on forex	42	24	11	22	27	17	15
<b>Net return on financial instruments</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>-22</b>	<b>-1</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>458</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>-418</b>



# Equity certificate, key figures

Key figures	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
ECC ratio	66.8 %	66.8 %	64.0 %	64.0 %	64.0 %
Total issued ECCs (mill)	144.21	144.20	129.29	129.39	129.39
ECC price	171.32	141.80	127.40	149.00	97.60
Market value (NOKm)	24,706	20,448	16,471	19,279	12,629
Booked equity capital per ECC	128.09	120.48	109.86	103.48	94.71
Post-tax earnings per ECC, in NOK	20.60	16.88	12.82	13.31	8.87
Dividend per ECC	12.50	12.00	6.50	7.50	4.40
P/E	8.32	8.40	9.94	11.19	11.01
Price / Booked equity capital	1.34	1.18	1.16	1.44	1.03

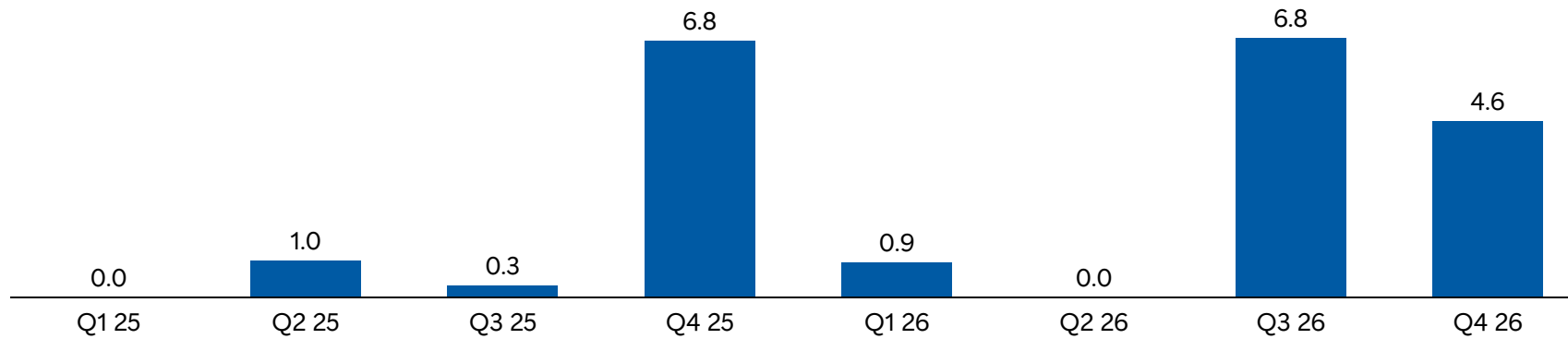
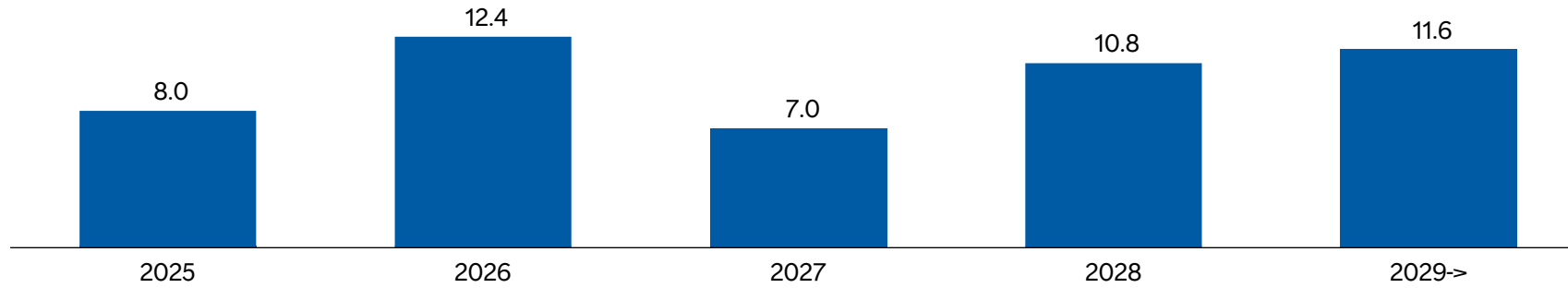
# Balance sheet

<b>NOKbn</b>	<b>31.12.24</b>	<b>31.12.23</b>
Cash and receivables from central banks	0.7	1.2
Deposits with and loans to credit institutions	9.2	8.7
Net loans to and receivables from customers	179.3	169.0
Fixed-income CDs and bonds	36.7	34.2
Derivatives	7.2	6.7
Shares, units and other equity interests	1.0	1.1
Investment in related companies	10.1	8.7
Investment held for sale	0.2	0.1
Intangible assets	1.2	1.2
Other assets	2.2	1.8
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>247.7</b>	<b>232.7</b>
Deposits from credit institutions	13.9	13.2
Deposits from and debt to customers	140.9	132.9
Debt created by issue of securities	36.6	33.4
Subordinated debt (SNP)	13.4	12.4
Derivatives	6.2	7.0
Other debt	3.5	3.0
Investment held for sale	0.0	0.0
Subordinated loan capital	2.7	2.2
Total equity ex Tier 1 Capital	28.5	26.7
Additional Tier 1 Capital	2.0	1.9
<b>Total liabilities and equity</b>	<b>247.7</b>	<b>232.7</b>

# Maturity structure

SP, SNP. Final maturity

NOKbn



# Development in CET1 capital and capital adequacy

## CET1 ratio in per cent

