

# kutxabank 2022Q3 credit update

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#### 170 years creating economic and social value through a distinctive way of doing

Kutxabank ("Kb") is a retail-focused banking Group, concentrated in the wealthy region of the Basque Country and with selected presence in the rest of the Spanish market, especially in Madrid and Catalonia.

Kb is owned by three Banking Foundations – bbk, Kutxa and Vital– promoting a firm sustainable approach to banking.



€65.0bn



of assets

**2.4Mn** of customers

**5,028** employees

733 branches

**€250Mn** 9M Net income



All data as at 3Q22. | <sup>(1)</sup> Source: Bank of Spain. Last available data (Aug-22). | <sup>(2)</sup> Including *Prudential Coverage of Non-Performing Exposure* as a result of the implementation of the Single Supervisory Mechanism ("SSM") recommendation applicable to all European Institutions under direct supervision of the SSM for the deduction from Solvency of the value of the legacy NPEs, according to a specific calendar ending in 2024.

## Company overview Kb at a glance

#### Solid and sustainable business model built around key franchises

Kb operates through localcustomers proximity-oriented model that has led to its success in building strong franchises with remarkably high market shares

Branch share in key markets<sup>(1)</sup>



The Group also has significant specialised units that complement the banking business and provide the bank with a meaningful income diversification profile





Core business

Kb's balance sheet structurally relies on secured lending mainly to households, which shows a more resilient trend vs other segments

Housing, sec.

**65%** 

of Total loans 3Q22

Lowest P2R among Spanish banks ranking 4<sup>th</sup> all across Europe



## Company overview Balance-sheet composition









## **Company overview** kutxabank

## Economic, social and environmental sustainability

More than

€1,000 million

in dividends

since 2012

ььк 🖯 🖶 Vital 32%

11%





The social work promoted by the banking foundations has played an important role on cultivating a significant degree of proximity to customers

Kb is owned by three

Banking Foundations – bbk,

Kutxa and Vital-promoting

a firm **sustainable** 

approach to

banking

Unequivocal

orientation

social

Proceeds from Kb's profitability serve the long-term viability of the business by strengthening the bank's solvency and **boosting** socially cohesive and economically efficient projects

Direct management and capacity to influence



And also



## Asset quality Stock of doubtful loans keeps decreasing

Despite the challenging context stock of doubtful loans keeps decreasing with still no sign of deterioration in any business segment



Macroeconomic forecasts have worsened further





Stock of non-performing assets has continued to decline to date



# Asset quality The lowest NPL ratio in the market

Kutxabank consolidates its leadership position in this metric after completing the disposal of a NPA portfolio

### Puppy project

Sale of a troubled asset portfolio of EUR235Mn (EUR170Mn doubtful)

### The NPA disposal pushed down NPL% by an additional 35bp

Impact on solvency is +15bp

Non-performing asset management results in further widening of the industry lead, already at 245bp



Despite the context, no relevant risks on potential delinquency are perceived



In any case, the starting point is very favorable

## Asset quality No pressure in terms of new entries

#### Doubtful-loan stock evolution in the period 2019-3Q22 (EUR million)



Negative impacts

Positive impacts



New entries remain subdued

The limited exposure to credit relief measures allows to be optimistic about its future development



# Well positioned for rate hikes

Increase in rates raises some concerns in the market, *however:* 

The vast majority of new mortgages granted in the last 7-8 years are at fixed rates and have been hedged

Moreover, new business focused on high or very high income customers

Most of the floating portfolio has a high seasoning meaning a lower interest burden on installments

Iterest rate parameters used in the credit risk approval process involve much more demanding levels than those currently in place



(1) Write-downs.

<sup>(2)</sup> Including prudential provisioning of NPE according to ECB calendar.



# Lower relative position and higher risk quality

COVID-19 portfolio over total financing to Households, SME and Corporates:













<sup>(1)</sup> Source: PwC. Data as of March 2022. Banking sector data includes 9 of the 10 significant banks in Spain.

## Asset quality Non-performing assets (NPA) in detail

# Loans and advances by segments and stages (3Q22)

			Stage 2	Stage 3
Conservative credit portfolio profile with a bias towards secured financing	Households	71.1%	3.8%	1.3%
	Public sector	11.2%	0.3%	0.0%
	Non-FIN Corp	16.9%	10.9%	3.0%
	FIN-Corp	0.7%	0.2%	0.0%













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## Performance year-to-date Key factors

### Banking business advanced by an additional 5%

with a very positive outlook for the short and medium term in view of interest rates dynamics



Digital sales accounting for **43%** of total transactions



### Performing lending grew by 3.5%

while NPL stock continues to decrease



## Performance year-to-date P&L summary

#### Net income ▲42% in 9M22

Net income	250.5	42.1%
Tax and others	-93.8	42.8%
Other income	26.1	-27.4%
Provisions	-172.6	-19.6%
Pre-provisioning profit	490.7	16.6%
Operating expenses	-454.4	2.4%
Gross margin	945.1	9.3%
Other operating income (OOI)	-41.6	16.8
Equity method&Dividends&TI	83.7	114.6%
Core banking business	903.0	4.9%
Net Fees+Ins. business	473.4	6.9%
Net interest income	429.7	2.7%
(EUR million)	9M22	∆9M22-9M21

**Core banking business** continued to show a **strong performance**, backed by the positive contribution from Fees (+5.5%) and Insurance business (+11.6%) and the increase in Net interest income (+2.7%).

Mainly due to higher-than-expected contribution from equity investments

**Contained increase in Operating expenses,** below forecast and inflation leading to a Preprovision operating profit growth of 16.6%.

Although lower than previous year, the Group maintains a high level of prudent provisioning







2.233%

Sep

# Performance year-to-date Top line income

NII quarter evolution (EUR million)

139

1Q21 2Q21 3Q21 4Q21 1Q22 2Q22 3Q22

137

# Short-term interest rates: Eur12m evolution



-0.493%

Sep



The increase in interest rates is beginning to be reflected in Net interest income (+6.2% QoQ), with a very positive outlook for the coming periods in view of the Euribor evolution (already about 2.7%).

EUR429.7Mn

Net interest

income (NII)

+2.7% YoY

Interest rates continue their upward shift putting pressure on new business margins. Despite this backdrop, productive lending grew by 3.5%.

Dec

Mar

Jun

Kb will continue to focus on maintaining the balance between market share and margin, targeting value customers and omnichannel product development.







Income from Services & Insurance business

# EUR**473.4Mn**

Strong growth trend continues in Fees and income from Insurance business, reinforcing the revenue diversification structure.

Kutxabank leads the sector in terms of Service revenues<sup>(1)</sup> (0.97% to Total assets).



These items already cover 104% of the Group's total administrative expenses.

Close to 100,000 new policies in 9M22 with advances in virtually all products categories.

The AuM contribution negatively impacted by the effect of valuations owing to market volatility. However, the Group's AM remains at the top of rankings in terms of net fund-takings so far in 2022 and continues to increase its market share.

<sup>(1)</sup> Including Net fees and revenues from the Insurance business through "Other operating income (OOI)".



## Core banking business

# EUR**903.0Mn**

Significant growth in Core Banking business supported mainly by the strong contribution of Income from services and the repricing of the loan book driven by the dynamics of interest rates.



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## Performance year-to-date Operating expenses

## $\boxed{\checkmark}$

### Administrative expenses

## EUR**424.7Mn** +2.1% YoY

Including amortisations, Operating expenses amounted to EUR454.4 million (+2.4% YoY). After a few years of strong cost reductions, expenses increased, below budget and significantly below inflation.

In addition, the significant digital investments of the recent years (EUR70Mn allocated in 2022) have led to an increase in amortisations.



In the period 2019-21 the **spread** between Core banking revenues and Operating expenses **has expanded by 40%**.

Despite the slight increase in costs, this trend has continued in the last nine months and now is at 46%.



Credit risk impairments and other provisions

# eur**172.6Mn**

A significant level of provisioning effort is maintained in the face of geopolitical risk and macroeconomic uncertainties

-19.6 YoY









## Performance year-to-date Capital management

#### Capitalisation: CET1 phased-in Year-to-Date evolution



Slight decrease in CET1 mainly driven by market turmoil and RWA inflation from asset growth

Main impacts on capital (YtD; Phased-in)

	Impact (EURMn)	Impact (bp vs 4Q21)	▲/▼
Valuation adjustments	192.1	63.7	▼
Risk-weighted assets	129.7	7.3	▼
Total earnings	250.5	83.0	
o/w retained	100.2	33.2	



4Q19 1Q20 2Q20 3Q20 4Q20 1Q21 2Q21 3Q21 4Q21 1Q22 2Q22 3Q22







Formal communication:

- On January 24, Kb received from the Bank of Spain the formal communication regarding the MREL established by the Single Resolution Board (SRB).
- According to this decision, from the 1/1/2024 Kb must maintain an amount of own funds and eligible liabilities at consolidated levels of at least 17.28% to its Total Risk Exposure Amount (TREA) and of 5.25% to its Leverage Risk Exposure (LRE).
- Additionally, a binding intermediate target of 16.59% to TREA and 5.25% to LRE as of 1st January 2022 has been set in the said communication.



The Group will keep working on building a sufficient buffer consistent with its business model and risk profile



<sup>(1)</sup> No subordination required.

## Performance year-to-date Liquidity risk management

## Welldiversified and stable funding structure

underpinned by a large and sticky Retail deposit base

# **Comfortable maturity** profile

Additionally, existing liquidity buffers comfortably cover maturities over a long time horizon

Debt security maturity profile (EUR billion)



## **ECB funding**

 $\overline{\checkmark}$ 

Average D Poor D

(TLTRO III.3, 4, 7)

### EUR6.2bn

The bulk of the position matures in 2023. Awaiting news on the ECB's exit strategy, the group adopts as a base case all the repayments on schedule





## **Performance** year-to-date **ESG** developments



Kb remains committed to channeling sustainable financing and developing ESG aspects Green product marketing in 3Q22

Sustainable financing targets for the full 2022 already met



**T** 

mortgages 1 out of 4 new mortgages

**Green Retail** 

Green Consumer loans **2.1x** 3Q21 production





SME&Corporates lending embedding ESG aspects EUR**802Mn** 

Corporate ESG initiatives



Kb will plant 100,000 trees

during 2022, increasing the carbon footprint neutralization capacity



Launching of mandatory **ESG** and climate risk training for the entire organization

## Performance year-to-date Other ESG milestones

Publication of the entity's first climate report (TCFD)



Kutxabank launches its first report of the Task Force on Climate-Related Financial Disclosures in which it sets out its **commitment to sustainability**, and its **strategy**, organizational structure and procedures for **climate risk management** 



Formalization of the order form for obtaining Sustainalitycs ESG Risk Rating License

Formal approval of the Tax Strategy and Total Tax Contribution of the Group

Kb among the 100 companies with the best reputation





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## **Performance** year-to-date Group's activity contribution

Strengthening contribution to economic and social development

Highly committed to the economic, social and environmental development of its **home territory**, being the main promoter of the Basque financial ecosystem

Kb's banking activity is complemented by the Group's Financial subsidiaries rooted in the **Basque Country** Significant contribution also in Andalusia and Spain as a whole, standing out as one of the companies with the highest tax contribution, which makes us one of the relevant companies in generating and sustaining added value in the economy

In the Home region

# Contribution in the Basque Country

through corporate and financing activity



All across Spain

### **Economic contribution**

through corporate and financing activity







## **Performance** year-to-date Making progress in the Digital Agenda...



## **Performance** year-to-date ...to improve customer relations efficiently





<sup>(1)</sup> Data refers to new customers of commercial network outside home region.



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