

UBS acquisition of Credit Suisse: Overview of pro forma financial information

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Basis for preparation of pro forma financial information

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information included in the registration statement (hereafter “pro forma financial information”) has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of Article 11 of SEC Regulation S-X *Pro forma financial information*. It includes a balance sheet as of 31.12.22, which gives effect to the transaction as if it had closed on 31.12.22, and an income statement for the year ended 31.12.22, which gives effect to the transaction as if it had closed on 1.1.22.

Pursuant to IFRS 3 “Business Combinations”, the acquirer records all the identifiable assets acquired and liabilities assumed, including contingent liabilities, at their respective fair values on the completion date, with limited exceptions. Adjustments to any provisional amounts are allowed during the subsequent 12 months following the acquisition date.

Any excess of the net fair value of the assets and liabilities over the consideration transferred will be recorded at the completion date as a gain (negative goodwill) in the income statement. Assuming the transaction closes as planned in the second quarter, we will show consolidated financial statements, including negative goodwill, with our 2Q23 earnings.

The purchase price accounting is dependent upon performance of detailed valuations and other analyses that have yet to progress to a stage that informs a definitive measurement. UBS intends to complete the valuations and other assessments upon completion of the transaction and will finalize the purchase price allocation within the required 12-month period.

The various assets and liabilities of Credit Suisse have been measured based on preliminary estimates starting from the Credit Suisse’s year ended 31.12.22 audited balance sheet and income statement. The assumptions underlying the respective adjustments are described in the accompanying notes. Differences between these preliminary estimates and the final accounting will occur, and these differences could have a material impact on the accompanying unaudited pro forma financial information and the future combined results of operations or combined financial condition of UBS.

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information does not purport to represent what UBS’s actual results of operations or financial condition would have been had the transaction occurred on the dates indicated, nor is it necessarily indicative of future results of operations or financial condition.

Impact from own credit are assumed to be net neutral to CET1 and gone concern capital in line with the existing treatment of such gains and losses for fair valued liabilities. Impact from benchmark interest rates on the fair value of debt issued would impact CET1 and gone concern capital. Such a treatment is consistent with the underlying aim of the regulatory guidance to neutralize the capital impact, both positive and negative, from changes in entity own credit spreads on the value of issued liabilities.

The pro forma combined UBS Group LCR as of 31.3.23, which assumes closure of the transaction as of that date and includes the effect of SNB facilities, is higher than the UBS Group published LCR as of 31.3.23.

Regulatory impacts related to the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information are subject to regulator review and approval.

Effects of the loss protection agreement not included in F-4

The details will be set out in the Loss Protection Agreement between the Swiss Confederation and UBS and, as these details are not yet agreed, no effect has been given to the Loss Protection Agreement in this pro forma condensed combined financial information.

Valuation of the Loss Protection Agreement is dependent on the definitive terms of the Loss Protection Agreement and on completion of detailed valuations for the assets in scope of the Loss Protection Agreement.

To the extent losses on the assets in scope of the Loss Protection Agreement are not realized, there would be no cost to the Swiss government.

On 19 March 2023 the Swiss Confederation authorized a loss protection agreement (the "Loss Protection Agreement") in favor of UBS Group AG for CHF 9bn if losses incurred by UBS Group AG on certain assets held by Credit Suisse entities exceeded CHF 5bn.

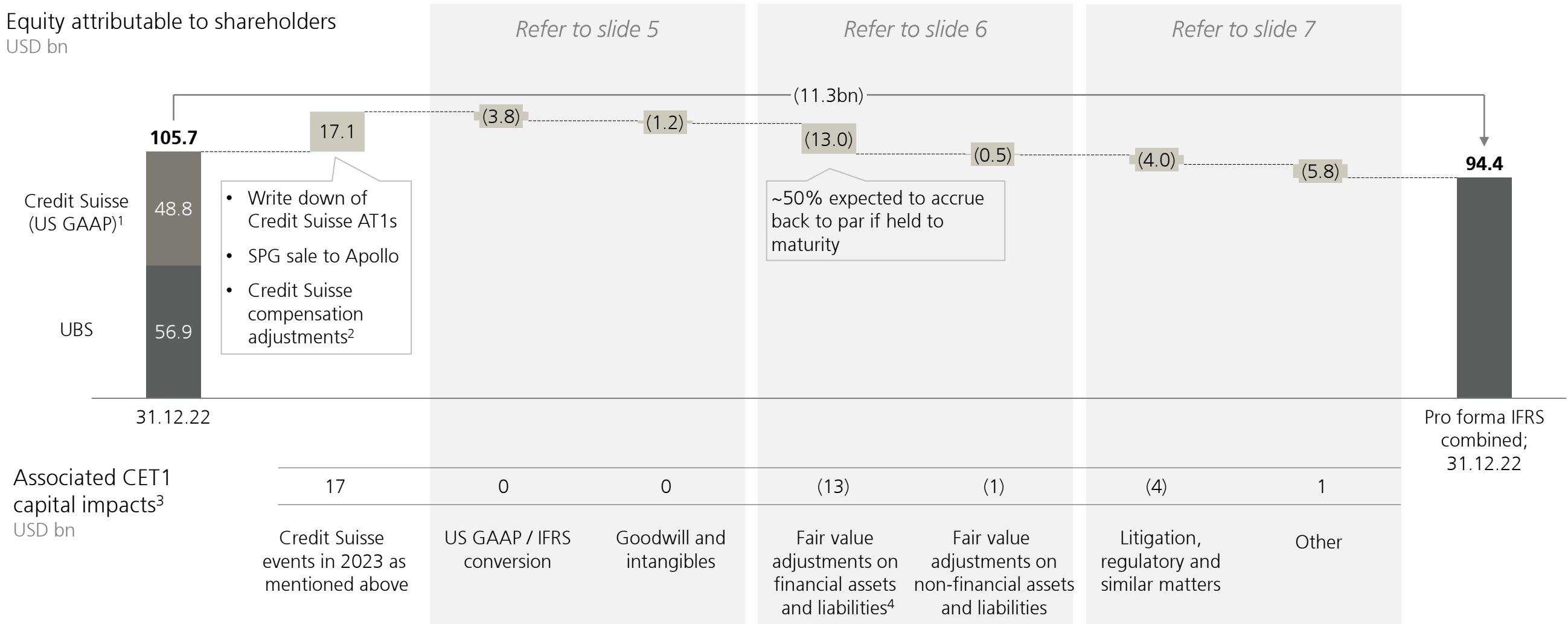
This is outlined in the Amendment to the Ordinance on Additional Liquidity Assistance Loans and the Granting of Federal Default Guarantees for Liquidity Assistance Loans from the Swiss National Bank to Systemically Important Banks published on 19 March 2023.

UBS and the Swiss Government will further review a profit and loss sharing agreement for the case if losses exceed CHF 14bn.

Preliminary combined pro forma shareholders' equity estimate as of 31.12.22

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Equity attributable to shareholders
USD bn



Refer to slide 9 for the individual components of the categories in the chart; **1** Credit Suisse reported Shareholders' equity (US GAAP) as of 31.12.22 has been translated to USD using a CHF/USD spot rate of 1.08 as of 31.12.22; **2** Estimated balance sheet impact of a write down of contingent capital awards issued by Credit Suisse and specific mandated Credit Suisse compensation cancellations as communicated by the Swiss government to Credit Suisse in 2Q23; **3** As of 31.3.23, UBS CET1 capital was 45bn. The net addition from the transaction would be the CET1 capital of Credit Suisse of 54bn (based on a 31.3.23 CHF/USD rate of 1.09) and the above (17bn) of adjustments, excluding the first column which is already incorporated in Credit Suisse's CET1 capital as of 31.3.23, as well as an estimated (1bn) reduction from the elimination of the reversal of cash flow hedge losses in Credit Suisse's CET1 capital calculations. Therefore the pro forma combined CET1 capital would be ~81bn. This would translate into ~70% CET1 capital per share accretion; **4** Excludes fair value adjustments to debt issued as well as ECL allowances and provisions, which are covered in the "Other" category

US GAAP / IFRS conversion; Goodwill and intangibles

USD bn	Adjustment	Assets	Liabilities	Equity	CET1 impact	Comments
US GAAP / IFRS conversion	Reversal of US GAAP derivative netting impacts	89.2	89.2			
	Trade date to settlement date accounting	(10.5)	(10.5)			
	Derecognition of certain positions recognized under US GAAP	(3.2)	(3.2)			
	Derecognition of pension assets under IFRS	(3.8)				
	Subtotal	71.7	75.5	(3.8)		- CET1 neutral
Goodwill and intangibles	Elimination of Credit Suisse goodwill	(3.1)				
	Estimated fair value of intangible assets acquired	2.0				
	Write down of existing intangible assets	(0.1)				
	Subtotal	(1.2)	-	(1.2)		- CET1 neutral

US GAAP / IFRS conversion

- Includes various impacts, most of which are net neutral to equity and CET1 capital.
- Net equity impact driven by the de-recognition of pension assets, which is neutral to CET1.

Goodwill and intangibles

- Full elimination of Credit Suisse goodwill, as required in acquisition accounting.
- 2.0bn recognition of estimated fair value related to new identifiable intangible assets, primarily from customer relationships and core deposits.
- 0.1bn write-down of existing intangible assets.
- All of these adjustments are neutral to tangible equity and CET1.

Fair value adjustments on financial and non-financial assets and liabilities

USD bn	Adjustment	Assets	Liabilities	Equity	CET1 impact	Comments
Fair value adjustments on financial assets and liabilities ¹	Loans and advances to customers	(5.9)				
	Financial assets at fair value held for trading	(3.0)				
	Financial assets at fair value not held for trading	(1.0)				
	Provisions related to unfunded loan commitments		3.1			
	Subtotal	(9.9)	3.1	(13.0)	(13)	~50% expected to accrue back to par if held to maturity
Fair value adjustments on non-financial assets and liabilities	Real estate	1.0				
	Capitalized software	(2.0)				
	DTA/DTL adjustments	(0.1)	(0.6)			
	Subtotal	(1.1)	(0.6)	(0.5)	(1)	DTA/DTL adjustments are largely CET1 neutral

Fair value adjustments on financial assets and liabilities

- Various fair value marks reflecting our preliminary best estimates which are subject to change once further analyses are performed and as additional information becomes available. These changes may be material.
 - 5.9bn mark-downs on accrual assets. Around half of the 5.9bn discount stems from fixed rate products, in particular Swiss mortgages, which are expected to accrue back to par if the product is held to its maturity. Also includes wealth management loans, of which a portion is expected to accrue to par.
 - 3.0bn mark-downs on fair value assets held for trading reflect our best estimate of the fair value of individual positions and valuation adjustments for a range of uncertainties including liquidity and model risks given the illiquid nature of some positions and structural complexities and consideration of the markets for potential strategic exit of certain positions.
 - 1.0bn mark-downs on fair value assets not held for trading reflect our best estimate of certain unobservable or more complex portfolios in markets for potential strategic exit.
 - 3.1bn increase in provisions reflecting our best estimate of the fair value of accrual-accounted unfunded loan commitments primarily in the relationship lending portfolio, which are required to be fair valued under IFRS 3 acquisition rules. For the portion retained, the initial mark is expected to accrete back into fee and commission income over the life of the loan commitment.

Fair value adjustments on non-financial assets and liabilities

- 1.0bn mark-up of real estate properties held by Credit Suisse at cost, based on a preliminary valuation analysis performed for the most significant properties, referencing limited information provided by Credit Suisse.
- 2.0bn mark-down of capitalized software based on an initial scenario analysis, including high-level information about the components of capitalized software received from Credit Suisse by business division.
- Derecognition of DTAs for 0.1bn as well as derecognition and recognition of certain DTLs, resulting in a net 0.6bn decrease in liabilities.

Litigation, regulatory and other similar matters; other

USD bn	Adjustment	Assets	Liabilities	Equity	CET1 impact	Comments
Litigation, regulatory and similar matters	IFRS 3 recognition of possible outflows		4.0			
	Subtotal		4.0	(4.0)	(4)	
	Debt issued measured at amortized cost		(0.2)			
	<i>o/w: Impact of UBS's own credit spread</i>		1.0			Assumed to be CET1 neutral, subject to regulator review and approval
Other	<i>o/w: Impact of interest rates into amortized cost securities not hedge accounted</i>		(1.2)			
	Debt issued designated at fair value		5.3			
	<i>o/w: Reversal of own credit gain recognized on fair value debt</i>		5.1			Existing Credit Suisse CET1 adjustments as of 31.12.22
	<i>o/w: Impact of UBS's own credit spread</i>		0.2			Assumed to be CET1 neutral, subject to regulator review and approval
	Estimated acquisition-related costs		0.2			
	<i>o/w: Incurred by UBS</i>		0.1			Does not impact negative goodwill
	<i>o/w: Incurred by Credit Suisse</i>		0.1			
	Intercompany elimination adjustments	(4.1)	(4.1)			
	Expected credit losses under IFRS 9	(0.3)	0.2			Does not impact negative goodwill or CET1
	Subtotal	(4.4)	1.4	(5.8)	1	

Litigation, regulatory and other similar matters

- IFRS 3 requires us to recognize all contingent liabilities included in the scope of the acquisition at fair value upon closing, **even if it is not probable** that they will result in an outflow of resources.
- The additional 4.0bn in provisions reflects the **possible** outflows from litigation, regulatory and similar matters.

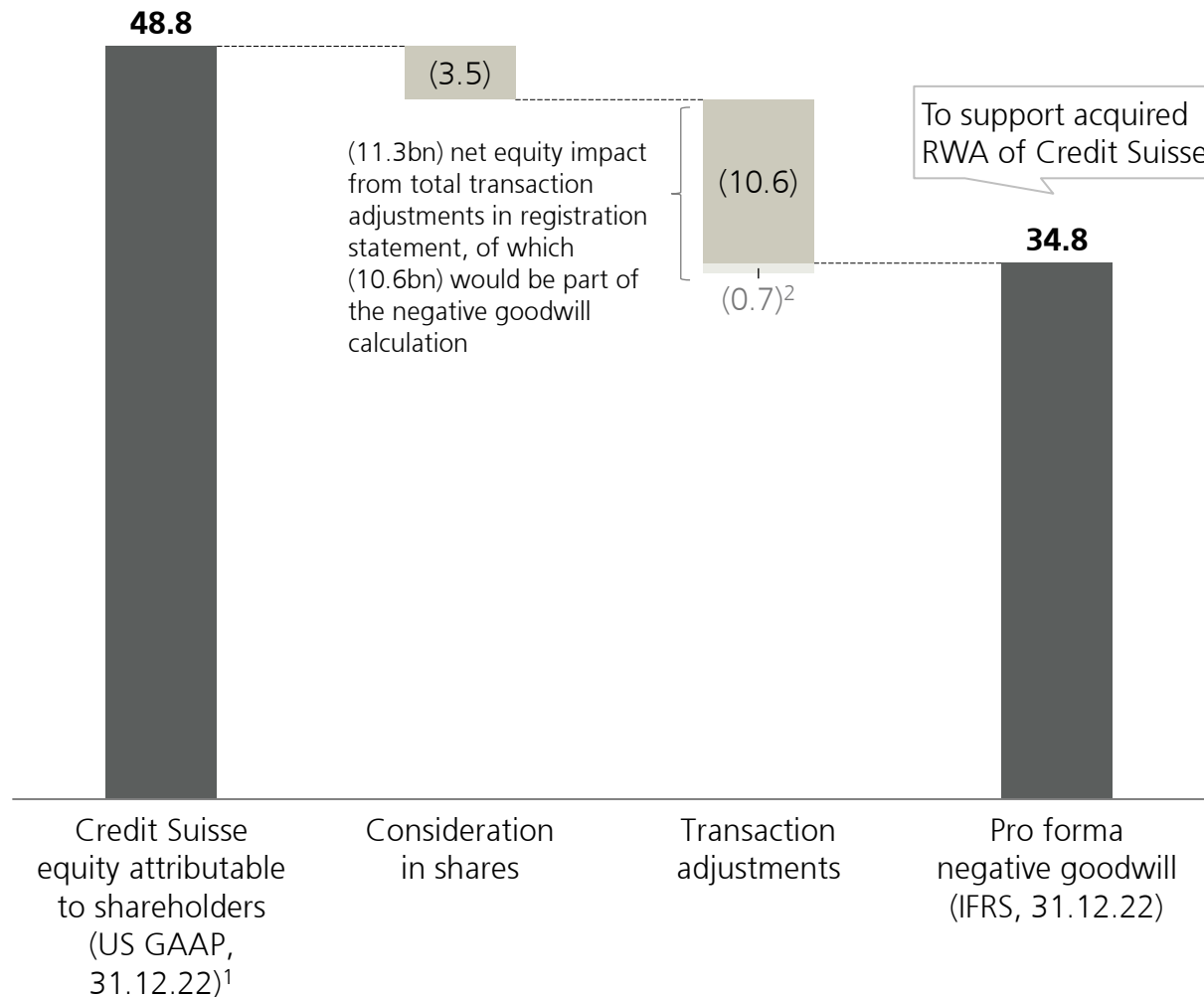
Other adjustments

- (5.1bn) net equity impact from Debt issued, including own credit which is assumed to be CET1 neutral.
 - Calculated using UBS funding spreads as at 31.3.23 to give an estimate of the impacts at the merger closure date, given the significant movement in funding spreads across 1Q23
- (0.5bn) net equity impact from expected credit losses (ECL) under IFRS 9, which do not impact negative goodwill or CET1 capital (as the Basel 3 expected losses exceed IFRS 9 ECL).

Preliminary negative goodwill will support the combined group's capital position and underpin acquired RWAs

Negative goodwill to be booked as a gain in the income statement upon closing; preliminary numbers subject to change

USD bn



- Consideration in shares based on UBS share price on 5 May 2023.
 - Each Credit Suisse share will be exchanged for 1/22.48 UBS shares.
 - Includes the estimated fair value of outstanding share-based compensation awards for Credit Suisse employees that is attributable to pre-combination service.
- The negative goodwill estimate is preliminary, and the final amount may differ materially from the amounts presented here.
 - IFRS 3 allows for a further 12 months to finalize provisional amounts after the acquisition date.
 - Includes 17.1bn of Credit Suisse events in 1Q23
 - See slides 4 and 9 for list of items relevant to CET1 capital
- Transaction adjustments totaling (0.7bn) net equity impacts will not be part of negative goodwill.
 - Estimated (546m) adjustment related to ECL recognition to be booked through the income statement on day-1.
 - Estimated (0.1bn) acquisition-related costs incurred by UBS until closing of the transaction, including (70m) already incurred in 1Q23.
- A restructuring provision may be booked after the transaction closes.



All balance sheet adjustments

USD bn	Adjustment	Assets	Liabilities	Equity	CET1 impact	Comments
Credit Suisse events in 1Q23	Write down of Credit Suisse AT1s		(15.9)			
	SPG sale to Apollo	(4.2)	(5.0)			
	Credit Suisse compensation cancellations		(0.4)			
	Subtotal	(4.2)	(21.3)	17.1	17	
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	Estimated acquisition-related costs		0.2			
	o/w: Incurred by UBS		0.1			Does not impact negative goodwill
	o/w: Incurred by Credit Suisse		0.1			
	Intercompany elimination adjustments	(4.1)	(4.1)			
	Expected credit losses under IFRS 9	(0.3)	0.2			Does not impact on negative goodwill or CET1
	Subtotal	(4.4)	1.4	(5.8)	1	
Total		50.8	62.1	(11.3)	(0)	

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