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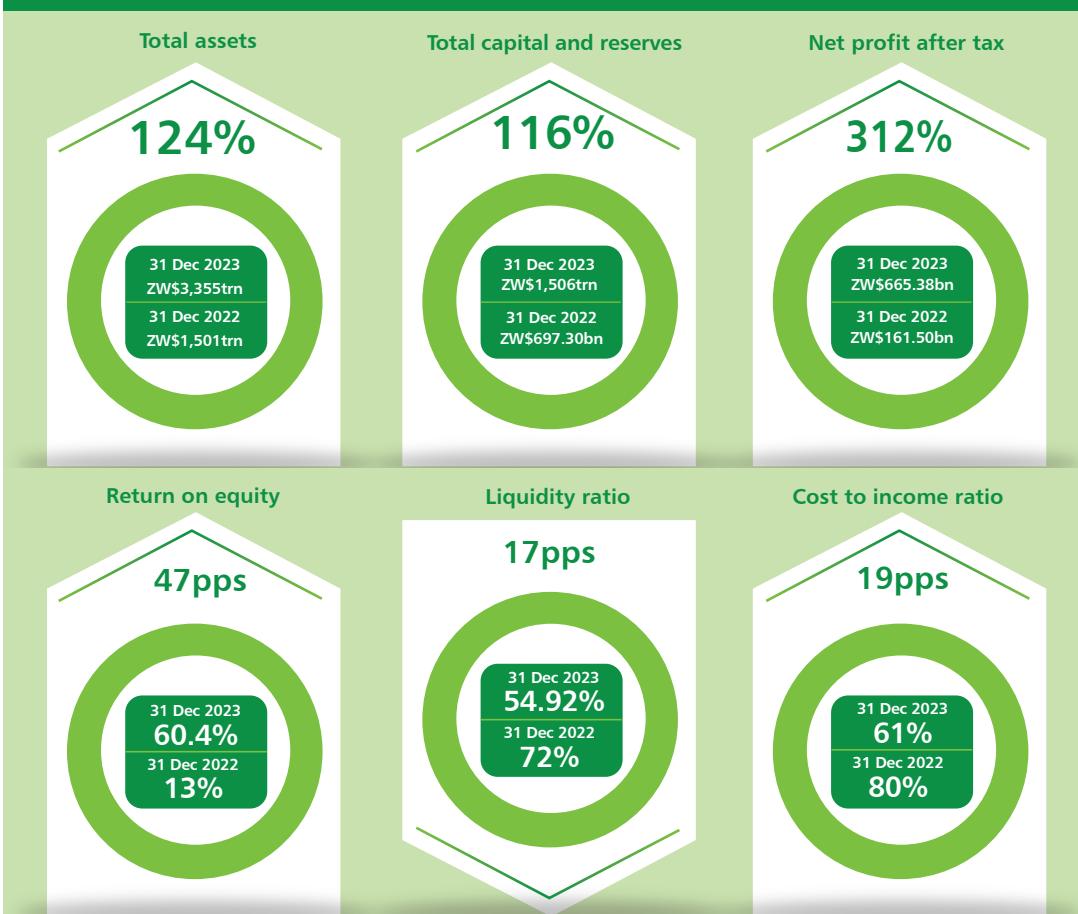


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Audited Financial Results for the year ended 31 December 2023

INFLATION ADJUSTED FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS



ACTING CHAIRMAN'S STATEMENT

Operating Environment:

The operating environment was characterized by exchange rate volatility, with the first half of the year experiencing rapid depreciation of the local currency and upward inflationary pressures which caused some sharp price increases, ultimately resulting in increased business operating costs for the Group. However, in the second half of the year, economic variables such as inflation and the exchange rate improved resulting in relative stability in the operating environment. This was mainly attributable to the tightening of monetary policy by The Central Bank, which curtailed speculative behaviour in the market. On the other hand, the downside of tight monetary stance was the deceleration of credit creation as a result of liquidity challenges. This negatively affected funded income performance for the Group and reversing some of the foreign exchange gains recorded in the first half of the year.

The economy also witnessed an increase in usage of USD across all sectors of the economy. This increased the demand for USD resulting in increased USD revenues for the Group.

Group Performance:

The Group's operations continued to be profitable, posting an inflation adjusted profit after tax (PAT) of ZW\$665.383bn, a 312% improvement from ZW\$161.465bn in 2022. The Group's profit performance is discussed in greater detail by the Group Chief Executive Officer (GCEO) in his report.

Capital Requirements:

As at 31 December 2023, all Group companies, with the exception of ZB Building Society, were in compliance with prescribed minimum capital requirements. The Group is still working to consolidate all its banking operations under one licence, that is, merging ZB Bank Limited, ZB Building Society and Intermarket Banking Corporation.

Dividends:

The Board has declared a final dividend of ZW1 472 .22 cents and US0.56 cents per share for the year ended 31 December 2023. This brings the aggregate dividend for the year ended 31 December 2023 to ZW1960.69 cents and US0.65 cents. The ZWL portion of the dividend will be settled in ZIG at the rate ruling at 5 April 2024; which is the date of introduction of the new currency. A separate dividend notice will be published to this effect.

Sustainability and Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) Reporting

The Group's strategic drive is on sustainability underpinned by integrating environmental, social and governance into economic decisions, operations, strategy, products and services, and practices. The Group will leverage of being one of 14 financial institutions in Zimbabwe seeking sustainability certification through the Reserve Bank of Zimbabwe (RBZ)-led Sustainability Standards Certification Initiative (SSCI) which is awarded by European Organisation for Sustainable Development (E OSD). While the Group could not attain certification by 31 December 2023 as planned, we are targeting certification in FY2024 given that substantial work that has already been done. Our desire is to ensure sustainability is a defining factor in how we deliver financial services to our stakeholders while redefining the future of sustainable financial services in Zimbabwe and beyond. Lastly, the Group continues to strengthen the building blocks underpinning the efforts in implementing sustainability across the business.

In addition, to the Group's sustainability drive, the Group has made progress towards adopting Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) Reporting.

Directorate:

Mrs Pamela Chiromo, the then chairman of the board resigned on 1 July 2023. On behalf of the Board and management, I extend my gratitude for her contributions and leadership during her term of office. I wish her success in her future endeavours.

Mr Jacob Mutevedzi retired from the Board on 1 July 2023. I would also like to extend my gratitude and appreciation to him for his distinguished service to the Group. I wish him success in his future endeavours.

Mr Luxon Zembe resigned from the Board on the 12th of April 2024. I would like to extend my gratitude and appreciation to him for his distinguished service to the Group as both director and Chairman of the board.

Outlook:

Although the economic environment is likely to remain challenging in 2024 as characterized by high levels of inflation, exchange rate volatility and climatic changes particularly, effects of El-Nino, the Group is confident that set strategies will assist it to navigate these erratic economic conditions through the implementation of effective front-end systems, brand equity promotion and continuation with its mantra of creating happy people.

Furthermore, the Group endeavours to deliver growth and value for its shareholders through implementation of sustainable revenue generation and cost management strategies.

Conclusion:

I extend my continued appreciation to our valued customers and other key stakeholders, without whom the Group would not have been able to sustain its operations. Furthermore, I remain grateful to Board colleagues, Management and Staff, whose collective contributions enabled the Group to attain this performance for the financial year ended 31 December 2023. The operating environment has continued to pose its challenges, but through the combined interventions and inputs from all of us, the Group continues to hold its own.

A. Makamure
Acting Chairman

27 May 2024

GROUP CHIEF EXECUTIVE'S REPORT

Introduction:

The Group's primary financial statements are adjusted for inflation in terms of International Accounting Standards (IAS) 29– Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies.

Historical cost financial statements have been issued for information purposes only.

Performance Outturn:

For the full year to 31 December 2023, the Group recorded a 394% rise in total income from ZW\$252.445bn for the prior year period in 2022, to ZW\$1.247tn in 2023. Income performance continued to be mainly underpinned by fair value adjustments. Fair value adjustments rose by 530%, from ZW\$74.443bn in 2022 to ZW\$468.635bn in 2023. Performance was also supported by a 344% improvement in Other Operating Income, from ZW\$107.200bn in 2022 to ZW\$452.680bn, as well as 287% increase in Commissions and Fees from ZW\$76.451bn in 2022 to ZW\$296.036bn.

Net interest income rose by 95%, from ZW\$96.144bn in 2022 to ZW\$187.904bn in 2023. Loan impairment charges rose by 73%, from a negative ZW\$32.762bn in 2022 to a negative ZW\$56.627bn in 2023. Resultantly, net income from lending activities rose by 107%, from ZW\$63.382bn in 2022 to ZW\$131.277bn in 2023.

Insurance service result fell by 486%, from a deficit of ZW\$26.127bn in 2022, to a deficit of ZW\$153.235bn in 2023, largely as a result of an increase of 327% in insurance service expenses from ZW\$88.407bn in 2022 to ZW\$377.642bn in 2023.

Meanwhile, operating costs grew by 275% from ZW\$202.673bn in 2022 to ZW\$760.111bn in 2023, largely reflecting the macro level general price increases.

Profit from ordinary activities rose by 878%, from ZW\$49.771bn in 2022 to ZW\$486.939bn in 2023.

Profit After Tax (PAT) improved by 312%, from ZW\$161.465bn achieved in 2022 to ZW\$665.383bn in 2023.

Meanwhile, the Group's total assets increased by 124% in real terms, from ZW\$1.501tn as at 31 December 2022 to ZW\$3.355tn as at 31 December 2023. The growth rate outperformed average inflation over the same period (blended 26.5%).

Deposits and other related funding account balances grew by 113%, from ZW\$524.796bn as at 31 December 2022 to ZW\$1.120tn as at 31 December 2023.

Earning assets increased by 147% from ZW\$931.333bn as at 31 December 2022 to ZW\$2.300tn as at 31 December 2023 whilst constituting 69% of total assets (62% at 31 December 2022).

The Group maintained a comfortable liquidity margin of safety, with the average ratio of liquid assets to customer deposits being above 60% throughout the year against a prescribed ratio of 30%.

The Group's total equity increased by 116%, from ZW\$697.270bn as at 31 December 2022 to ZW\$1.506tn as at 31 December 2023, underpinned by the positive performance outturn for the year, reflected by a 202% rise in retained earnings.

Operations Review:

Banking Operations:

ZB Bank Limited posted a profit after tax of ZW\$366.751bn in 2023 up from ZW\$68.464bn in 2022. Its total assets stood at ZW\$2.168tn as at 31 December 2023, from ZW\$911.032bn as at 31 December 2022.

ZB Building Society posted a profit after tax of ZW\$60.907bn in 2023 up from a profit of ZW\$21.492bn in 2022. The Society's total assets stood at ZW\$156.069bn as at 31 December 2023, from ZW\$85.256bn as at 31 December 2022.

During the year under review, the Banking Cluster progressed the project to upgrade its core banking system, and the project continues into FY2024.

Insurance Operations:

ZB Reinsurance posted a profit after tax of ZW\$51.089bn in 2023 up from ZW\$11.462bn in 2022. Its total assets increased in real terms from ZW\$60.205bn as at 31 December 2022 to close the year 2023 at ZW\$182.335bn.

ZB Life Assurance posted a profit of ZW\$98.174bn in 2023 up from a profit of ZW\$5.060bn in 2022. Its total assets increased in real terms from ZW\$135.421bn as at 31 December 2022 to ZW\$279.765bn as at 31 December 2023.

Investments:

In 2023, the Group progressively increased its shareholding in Mashonaland Holdings (Mash), from 50.59% as at 31 December 2022 to 56.89% as at 31 December 2023.

Mash posted a profit after tax of ZW\$324bn in 2023 up from ZW\$83bn in 2022. Its total assets increased in real terms from ZW\$351bn as at 31 December 2022 to close the year 2023 at ZW\$697bn. In 2023, Mash commissioned Mashview Graders Housing project and is also looking forward to commission Pomana commercial Centre and 12 Van Praagh Day Hospital projects in 2024.

Internal Processes:

The Group's organisational transformation program (OTP) continued to progress in FY2023, with some projects under the Program having been finalised, whilst some are at various level of completion. The new customer-centric business model and organisational design has been fully adopted, with 100% staff deployment. Meanwhile, Digital Transformation and Culture Transformation continue into FY2024. In FY2023, a further 10 bank branches were repurposed into Group-wide customer service centres, serving the whole bouquet of banking, insurance and investments services under the #OneZB concept. This is over and above the 25 repurposed Service Centres in FY2022. Dedicated Premium Service Centres established in Harare and Bulawayo are now fully functional. All other Service Centres across the country also have functionality to offer Premium Service at a limited scale.

The Group's medium-term plan for 2021-2025 embedded long term sustainability of operations as a key theme underpinning its strategy. This entails striking a balance between the welfare of the People it serves, preservation and promotion of the Environment (Planet) in which it operates for current and future generations, and the quest for Profit and sustained growth. The Group endeavours to live up to its Purpose Statement "improving people's lives through service", as evidenced by its new customer-centric operating model, which seeks to create happiness for people [customers, staff, shareholders, regulators and all other stakeholders]. In fact, going into FY2024, the Group's strategy is summarised in one statement: sustainable growth through creating happy people.

Under the Group's 3 High Impact Goals, namely "Promote financial inclusion", "Foster investments in Sustainable Infrastructure" and "Stimulate the Real Economy" ZBFH aims to avail resources towards supporting Government priorities, including the National Development Strategy 1 (NDS1), as well as Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) being prioritised by Government in the country's Vision 2030 towards attaining upper middle income status.

Innovation is also one of the major tenets underpinning the Group's medium term plan. In FY2023 the Group laid the base for further developments in innovation by partnering with 3 national universities, University of Zimbabwe (UZ), National University of Science and Technology (NUST) and Midlands State University (MSU) – the Group signed Memoranda of Agreement (MOA) with the 3 state universities. In early 2024, the Group launched its Innovation Hub, through which it seeks to promote idea generation and incubation of business ventures with a view to supporting them for growth. This initiative also seeks to align with Government of Zimbabwe policy on innovation, empowering the youths and helping to fight the scourge of drug and substance abuse within the country's youth.

People & Culture:

Following adoption of a new structure supportive of the new business model and organisational design, the Group undertook a job evaluation exercise, closely linked to deployment of staff to fill all positions across the Group. As at 31 December 2023, this project had been completed. As the new Group Structure settled, the Group adopted a Voluntary Disengagement Scheme (VDS) which was taken up by 59 staff members, mostly those who were nearing retirement. However, some staff members could not be accommodated within the new organisational design, thus necessitating a Compulsory Disengagement Scheme (CDS) which saw 36 staff members being disengaged.

The Group staff complement as at 31 December 2023 stood at 1 061 (2022:965). Industrial relations remained cordial during the year under review.

Appreciation:

My profound gratitude goes to our valued customers and stakeholders for the support and commitment that they continue to render to the ZBFH Group.

I would also like to extend my appreciation to the Group's Staff and Management team for their various contributions, inputs and efforts which enabled the Group to attain this performance for the full year to December 2023.

Finally, I remain indebted to the Board for its valuable contribution and counsel.

S. T. Fungura
Group Chief Executive Officer

27 May 2024

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Audited Financial Results for the year ended 31 December 2023

AUDITOR'S STATEMENT

These financial results should be read in conjunction with the full set of financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2023, which have been audited by Ernst & Young Chartered Accountants (Zimbabwe). A qualified audit opinion ("except for") has been issued in respect of non-compliance with the requirements of International Financial Reporting Standards, International Accounting Standard 21 ("IAS 21"), 'The Effects of Foreign Exchange Rates' with regards to an inappropriate functional currency for Mashonaland Holdings Limited, a subsidiary of the group for the period ended 31 December 2023. The audit report includes key audit matters on Impairment of mortgages and other advances, IFRS 17 - Insurance Contracts - Implementation and Reporting and Valuation of Life and Non-life Insurance Contract liabilities and assets.

The auditor's report on these financial statements is available for inspection at the Company's registered office. The Engagement Partner on the audit resulting in the independent auditor's report is Mrs Elina Bvurere, PAAB Practice Certificate Number 0462.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at 31 December 2023

Notes	Inflation adjusted						Historical cost (Unaudited)*					
	31 Dec 2023		Restated 31 Dec 2022		Restated 1 Jan 2021		31 Dec 2023		Restated 31 Dec 2022		Restated 1 Jan 2021	
	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS
ASSETS												
Cash and cash equivalents	466 561 757 988	296 565 430 507	160 433 357 916	466 561 757 988	61 715 351 709	9 712 078 202						
Treasury bills	3 148 617 308 256	80 552 503 786	39 816 141 864	148 617 308 256	16 762 999 294	2 410 330 922						
Mortgages and other advances	4 947 121 776 721	287 506 913 224	198 631 763 120	947 121 776 721	59 830 271 647	12 024 476 966						
Financial assets held at fair value through profit or loss												
Financial assets held at amortised cost	139 238 939 630	76 857 299 610	67 305 932 564	139 238 939 630	15 994 026 238	4 074 467 362						
Inventories	15 802 617 820	51 319 659 054	9 765 465 487	15 802 617 820	1 107 018 423	591 167 359						
Trade and other receivables	3 558 605 589	1 474 037 575	1 305 628 022	2 420 001 198	299 322 399	72 791 173						
Investments in associates	153 501 779 888	54 236 369 066	34 352 420 502	138 323 327 119	11 183 781 416	2 079 636 746						
Reinsurance Contract Assets	45 929 890 598	6 382 235 230	84 975 495 613	13 736 623 605	905 091 617	4 816 276 853						
Insurance Contract Assets	13 50 104 427 583	2 543 674 025	5 622 511 639	50 104 427 583	529 339 299	352 474 629						
Right of use assets	10 57 778 592 813	19 648 704 490	6 055 797 162	50 778 592 813	4 088 901 077	366 596 925						
Property and equipment	6 16 558 471 717	7 592 270 591	3 656 542 456	5 845 261 021	372 877 689	102 568 596						
Assets held for sale	7 379 963 944 358	197 889 721 201	154 898 444 644	363 257 528 242	41 008 606 392	9 373 518 085						
Investment properties	21 316 529 100	21 366 529 100										
Intangible assets	5 902 768 230 676	452 621 995 041	73 491 985 206	902 768 230 676	94 190 767 843	4 448 949 501						
Deferred tax assets	2 687 447 671	8 047 329 521	3 344 331 360	2 595 045 031	703 404 671	22 206 622						
Total assets	3 355 293 027 851	1 501 037 592 899	843 963 236 410	3 274 480 205 567	309 664 230 288	50 447 641 174						
LIABILITIES												
Deposits and other accounts	9 1 120 063 971 769	524 796 306 212	324 922 657 538	1 120 063 971 769	109 210 262 835	19 669 689 027						
Trade and other payables	3 341 813 539 727	120 214 360 619	66 585 615 508	335 416 412 674	24 891 872 925	4 030 862 049						
Investment contract liabilities	43 430 077 531	27 008 005 040	16 967 140 027	43 430 077 531	4 328 071 830	1 010 766 858						
Current tax liabilities	8 538 027 168	2 898 062 688	1 987 937 141	8 538 027 168	603 087 682	120 342 809						
Short term borrowings	11 18 684 807	85 511 919	279 957 769	18 684 807	17 795 055	16 947 671						
Offshore borrowings	12 99 895 460 705	32 265 529 480	10 868 004 541	99 895 460 705	6 714 466 000	657 911 243						
Re-Insurance Contract Liabilities	13 6 124 287 655	8 744 196 216	4 095 427 140	6 124 287 655	1 819 669 757	247 922 933						
Insurance Contract Liabilities	13 115 914 210 663	53 063 675 751	28 513 432 832	115 914 210 663	11 042 627 009	1 726 104 179						
Lease liabilities	10 12 370 438 601	3 950 663 763	1 977 112 782	12 370 438 601	82 132 144 270	116 687 540						
Deferred tax liabilities	10 101 437 043 092	34 325 819 325	82 093 584 032	101 437 043 092	7 709 609 744	1 959 431 203						
Total liabilities	1 849 604 281 718	803 767 194 834	95 025 718 734	1 823 863 695 605	167 159 597 107	29 963 017 020						
EQUITY												
Share capital	1 930 627 211	1 930 627 211	1 930 627 211	1 751 906	1 751 906	1 751 906						
Share premium	30 000 256 856	29 844 435 573	29 844 435 573	128 373 801	27 081 696	27 081 696						
Other components of equity	335 705 693 234	120 294 295 029	139 238 925 655	312 499 255 678	29 998 673 847	8 077 241 786						
Retained income	617 848 082 222	225 616 886 982	120 131 686 102	622 977 552 758	56 589 351 692	9 296 708 000						
Functional currency translation Reserve	985 481 665 523	429 596 224 795	300 145 674 541	935 606 934 143	86 718 151 246	17 504 075 493						
Attributable to equity holders of parent	520 207 080 610	267 674 173 270	48 791 843 135	515 009 575 819	55 786 481 935	2 980 548 661						
Non-controlling interests	1 505 688 746 133	697 270 398 065	348 937 517 676	1 450 616 509 962	142 504 633 181	20 484 624 154						
Total equity and liabilities	3 355 293 027 851	1 501 037 592 899	843 963 236 410	3 274 480 205 567	309 664 230 288	50 447 641 174						
*The historical cost financial information is shown as supplementary information. This information does not comply with the International Financial Reporting Standards in that it has not taken into account the requirements of International Accounting Standard 29 – Financial Reporting for Hyperinflationary Economies. As a result, the auditors have not expressed an opinion on the historical financial information.												

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

For the year ended 31 December 2023

Notes	Inflation adjusted				Historical cost (Unaudited)*			
31 Dec 2023		Restated 31 Dec 2022		31 Dec 2023		Restated 31 Dec 2022		
ZWS								

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the year ended 31 December 2023

1. BASIS OF PREPARATION

1.1 Reporting currency

All Group entities have Zimbabwean dollar (ZWS) as their functional currency as at the reporting date. All information presented has been rounded off to the nearest dollar.

1.2 Statement of compliance

The consolidated and separate annual financial statements as at, and for the year ended 31 December 2023, have been prepared under the supervision of E Mungoni CA(Z), Group Chief Finance Officer of ZB Financial Holdings Limited. The consolidated and separate financial statements are based on accounting records maintained under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of property and equipment, investment properties and certain financial instruments carried at fair value.

The preparation of the consolidated and separate financial statements, in conformity with IAS 29 "Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies" is required by IFRS Accounting Standards. The consolidated and separate inflation adjusted financial statements are to be the principal financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries. The consolidated and separate historical cost financial statements have been provided as supplementary information and as a result the auditors have not expressed an opinion on them.

The consolidated and separate financial statements have been prepared in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards promulgated by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) which includes standards and interpretations approved by IASB, the International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee (IFRIC) and in the manner required by the Companies and Other Business Entities Act (Chapter 24:31), the Banking Act (Chapter 24:20), the Building Societies Act (Chapter 24:02, the Insurance Act (Chapter 24:07), the Microfinance Act (24:29), Securities and Exchange Act (Chapter 24:25) and relevant regulations made thereunder.

The consolidated and separate financial statements were authorised for issue by the board of directors on 27 May 2024.

1.3 Changes in material accounting policies and disclosures

Adoption of IFRS 17- Insurance Contracts

In May 2017, the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) issued IFRS 17, which replaces IFRS 4 Insurance Contracts (IFRS 4) for reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023. In addition, further amendments were issued in June 2020.

IFRS 17 provides comprehensive guidance on accounting for insurance contracts issued, investment contracts with discretionary participation features and reinsurance contracts. IFRS 17 provides the principles for recognition, measurement, presentation and disclosure of insurance contracts and reinsurance contracts. The standard introduces defined accounting models that measure insurance contracts at their current fulfilment estimates using one of three measurement models, depending on the nature and terms of the contract. IFRS 17 provides consistent principles for all aspects of accounting for insurance contracts.

The Group has initially applied IFRS 17, including any consequential amendments to other standards, from 1 January 2023 with transition date for the group being 1 January 2022, i.e. the IFRS 17 measurement principles has been applied to all contracts in-force at 1 January 2022, as if IFRS 17 had always been in existence. As a result, the Group has restated certain comparative amounts and presented a third statement of financial position as at 1 January 2022.

IFRS 17 Transition

Changes in accounting policies resulting from the adoption of IFRS 17 have been applied using a full retrospective approach unless it is impracticable to do so. Under the full retrospective approach, at 1 January 2022 the Group:

- identified, recognized, and measured each group of insurance and reinsurance contracts as if IFRS 17 had always been applied.
- identified, recognized, and measured any assets for insurance acquisition cash flows as if IFRS 17 had always been applied.
- derecognised previously reported balances that would not have existed if IFRS 17 had always been applied. These included some deferred acquisition costs for insurance contracts, intangible assets related to insurance contracts (previously referred to as 'value of business acquired'), insurance receivables and payables, and provisions for levies that are attributable to existing insurance contracts.

The Group has applied the transition provisions in IFRS 17 and has not disclosed the impact of the adoption of IFRS 17 on each financial statement line item and EPS. The effects of adopting IFRS 17 on the consolidated financial statements at 1 January 2022 are presented in the statement of changes in equity.

The Group adopted the following transition approaches for its insurance contracts:

- Full Retrospective Approach: Applied to contracts classified as (PAA) contracts under IFRS 17.
- Modified Retrospective Approach: Applied to contracts classified as General Measurement Model (GMM), contracts under IFRS 17. For the modified retrospective approach, the Group has maximised the use of information that would have been used to apply the full retrospective approach.

Adoption of IFRS 17 has material impact on consolidated inflation adjusted financial statements. A detailed impact disclosure together with IFRS 17 accounting policies are discussed in the accounting policy notes in the Group's annual report as at 31 December 2023.

1.4 Effects of inflation adjustments

The Public Accountants and Auditors Board (PAAB), through circular 01/19 indicating the conditions required for the application of International Accounting Standard ("IAS") 29, Financial Reporting in Hyper-Inflationary Economies. All entities reporting in Zimbabwe were now required to apply the requirements of IAS 29 with effect from 1 July 2019. These financial statements were based on current cost approach in accordance with IAS 29

The Zimbabwe consumer price index (CPI) has been used by the Group as the general price index to generate inflation-adjusted financial statements since IAS 29 was introduced on 1 October 2018. However, Statutory Instrument (SI) 17 of 2023 dropped the publication of pure ZWS annual and monthly inflation rates in February of 2023 and operationalized blended inflation. IAS 29 dictates that the general price index must be for specific currency not for multi-currencies, but it allows for the estimation of the consumer price index when a general consumer price index is not easily accessible. Due to this change, The Total Consumption Poverty Line (TCP) released by Zimbabwe Central Statistical Office (ZIMSTAT), was used to estimate and apply inflation rates for the period under review, in accordance with International Accounting Standard (IAS) - "Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies" in the preparation of its consolidated financial statements.

The conversion factors used to restate the consolidated and separate financial statements at 31 December 2023 are as follows:

	Index	Conversion factors
31 December 2023	65 703.45	1.00
31 December 2022	13 672.91	4.81
31 December 2021	3 977.46	16.52

The main guidelines for the restatement are as follows:

- All amounts not already expressed in terms of the measuring unit current at the statement of financial position date are restated by applying a general CPI. Comparative figures are restated using general inflation indices in terms of the measuring unit current at the statement of financial position date.
- Comparative figures are restated using general inflation indices in terms of the measuring unit current at the statement of financial position date.
- Monetary assets and liabilities are not restated because they are already expressed in terms of the monetary unit current at the statement of financial position date. Monetary items are money held, assets and liabilities to be recovered or paid at the nominal value recorded at the original cost.
- The non-monetary assets and liabilities that are not carried at amounts current at the balance sheet date and components of shareholder's equity are restated by applying the relevant conversion factors from the date of transaction to the statement of financial position date.
- Additions to non-monetary items in the current period are restated using the relevant conversion factors from the date of the transaction to the statement of financial position date.
- Non-monetary assets and liabilities carried at current cost will not be restated because they are already expressed in the monetary unit current at the statement of financial position date.
- All items in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income are restated by applying the respective monthly factors.
- The capitalisation of borrowing costs during construction of a qualifying asset is considered to be a partial recognition of inflation and is reversed to the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income and replaced by indexed cost.
- Items in the cashflow statement are expressed in terms of the measuring unit current at the Statement of Financial Position date. The effect of inflation is attributed to each single item on the statement of cash flows, and the monetary gain or loss on cash and cash equivalents is presented separately in the reconciliation of opening to closing cash and cash equivalents

1.5 Basis of reporting

The same accounting policies and methods of computation were applied to the financial results as at the reporting date of ZB Bank Limited and ZB Building Society, incorporated in this reporting package.

1.6 Basis of consolidation

Subsidiaries

A subsidiary is an entity controlled by another entity, that is the parent. The Group controls an entity when it is exposed to, or has rights to variable returns from its involvement with the investee and has the ability to exert control over the entity's financial and operational decisions through its power over the investee. The results of subsidiaries are included in the consolidated financial statements from the date on which control commences until the date on which control ceases.

Business combinations

The Group accounts for business combinations using the acquisition method when control is transferred to the entity parent. The consideration transferred in the acquisition is measured at fair value, as are the identifiable net assets acquired. Any excess of the consideration over the fair values of the identifiable net assets acquired is recognised as goodwill. Where the fair values of the identifiable net assets acquired exceed the consideration, a bargain purchase (negative goodwill) is recognised in profit or loss in the period of acquisition. Transaction costs are expensed, except if related to the issue of debt or equity securities.

The consideration transferred does not include amounts related to the settlement of pre-existing relationships. Such amounts are generally recognised in profit or loss.

Non-controlling interests (NCI)

Non-controlling interests are measured at their proportionate share of the fair values of the assets and liabilities recognised.

Changes in the Group's interest in a subsidiary that do not result in a loss of control are accounted for as equity transactions.

Where necessary, adjustments are made to the financial statements of subsidiaries and associates to bring the accounting policies used into line with those used by the Group.

Transactions eliminated on consolidation

Intra-Group transactions, balances, and unrealised income and expenses are eliminated on consolidation.

1.7 Key sources of judgement and estimation uncertainty

Significant assumptions and estimations, as at the date of financial reporting, with material implications on the reported financial outturn and balances have been made in the following areas:

- The computation of insurance and reinsurance assets and liabilities (IFRS 17)
- Determination of the fair value of financial assets (IFRS 13)
- Valuation of property (including investment properties) and equipment (IAS 16 and IAS 40)
- Estimation of liabilities under insurance contracts including life funds valuation (IFRS 4)
- Ascertaining of the degree of control or significant influence in investee companies (IAS 27 and IAS 28)
- Determination of carrying amounts of right of use assets and lease liabilities (IFRS 16)
- Estimation of CPI used to generate inflation adjusted numbers (IAS 29) (note 1.3).

The nature of assumptions made and processes involved in the development of estimates, and relevant models used, where applicable, are discussed in the accounting policy notes in the Group's annual report as at 31 December 2023.

The same above significant assumptions and estimates were applied to the extent where relevant, to the financial results as at the reporting date of ZB Bank Limited and ZB Building Society, incorporated in this reporting package.

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2. SEGMENT INFORMATION

	Inflation adjusted				
	Banking operations ZWS	Insurance operations ZWS	Investments operations ZWS	Other operations incl. consolidation adjustments ZWS	Consolidated ZWS
31 December 2023					
External revenue					
Interest income calculated using the effective interest rate method	218 207 334 059	1 015 331 324	10 991 475 449	(2 905 180 340)	227 308 960 492
Other interest and related income	1 468 402 672	460 772 418	5 193 993	-	1 934 369 083
Interest expense calculated using the effective interest rate method	(41 464 152 382)	(171 174 016)	(2 209 822 650)	2 905 180 340	(40 939 668 708)
Other interest and related expenses	(288 855 788)	-	(110 491 605)	-	(399 347 192)
Net interest income	177 922 728 762	1 304 929 726	8 676 355 187	-	187 904 013 675
Fees and commission income	290 485 848 182	45 451 029	4 278 996 314	1 225 984 594	296 036 280 119
Corporate Banking	-	-	-	-	-
Retail Banking	43 572 877 227	-	-	-	43 572 877 227
Other commissions	246 912 970 955	45 451 029	4 278 996 314	1 225 984 594	249 912 970 955
Insurance revenue	-	199 010 788 228	-	-	199 010 788 228
Insurance insurance service expense	-	(377 642 250 921)	-	-	(377 642 250 921)
Fair value adjustments	93 077 741 500	48 958 038 613	321 821 031 939	4 778 225 701	468 635 037 753
Other revenue	275 614 414 420	173 113 560 901	64 048 403 627	(60 096 173 999)	452 680 204 949
Total segment revenue	837 100 732 864	44 790 517 576	398 824 787 067	(54 091 963 704)	1 226 624 073 803
Inter-segmental Revenue	(13 937 761 171)	(559 274 944)	(1 434 917 789)	15 931 953 904	-
Total segment operating expenses	(603 863 510 977)	(28 516 951 599)	(75 524 484 059)	(52 206 285 612)	(760 111 232 247)
Material non-cash items included in the above figures:					
Expected credit losses	(53 355 838 784)	-	(3 270 984 597)	-	(56 626 823 381)
Depreciation	(32 027 496 998)	(283 863 427)	(167 107 641)	(949 816 888)	(33 428 284 954)
Amortisation of intangible assets	(689 328 379)	(1)	(91 252 838)	(780 581 218)	-
Profit from associates net of tax	-	90 119 491 490	-	-	-
Reportable segment profit before taxation	233 237 221 887	(70 552 644 542)	323 032 393 430	57 284 337 984	32 835 153 506
Income tax expense	(23 919 421 498)	(21 952 309 531)	(21 306 734 076)	(4 793 172 801)	(71 971 637 906)
Reportable segment assets as at 31 December 2023	2 428 186 751 596	471 374 938 222	722 406 319 389	(266 674 981 356)	3 355 293 027 851
Reportable segment liabilities as at 31 December 2023	1 610 702 075 834	226 639 805 417	77 090 202 502	(64	

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3. TREASURY BILLS	Inflation adjusted		Historical cost (Unaudited)	
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	Restated 31 Dec 2022 ZWS	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	Restated 31 Dec 2022 ZWS
Treasury bills include: Assets classified as 'at fair value through profit or loss' (FVTPL): Short term treasury bills ¹	6 889 284 386	32 312 347 175	6 889 284 386	6 724 208 776
Assets classified as 'at fair value through other comprehensive income' (FVTOCI): Medium term treasury bills acquired from the market ²	141 688 612 014	48 046 492 248	141 688 612 014	9 998 488 908
Assets classified as 'amortised cost' (AMCO): Treasury bills issued as substitution for debt instruments ³	20 727 050	99 601 255	20 727 050	20 727 050
Capitalisation treasury bills ⁴	18 684 806	94 063 108	18 684 806	19 574 560
Maturity within 1 year	148 617 308 256	80 552 503 786	148 617 308 256	16 762 999 294
Maturity after 1 year	9 059 083 970	31 509 965 896	9 059 083 970	6 557 233 000
	139 558 224 286	49 042 537 890	139 558 224 286	10 205 766 294
	148 617 308 256	80 552 503 786	148 617 308 256	16 762 999 294
1. The Group invested in treasury bills issued by the RBZ over an average period of 161 days (December 2022: 61 days) which were at an average rate of 27.83% (December 2022: 63%).				
2. The Group purchased treasury bills from the secondary market. These treasury bills have an average coupon rate of 0.1755% (December 2022: 0%) with an average maturity period of 2 years (December 2022: 297 days).				
3. The Group received treasury bills as substitution for debt instruments from the Zimbabwe Asset Management Company (ZAMCO). The treasury bills have a coupon rate of 5% (December 2022: 5%) and an average maturity period of 6 years (December 2022: 6 years).				
4. Capitalisation Treasury Bills (CTBs) with a face value of ZW\$20 000 000 were acquired on 26/05/2015 from the Government of Zimbabwe by the holding company, ZB Financial Holdings Limited (ZBFH). The CTBs were then used to recapitalise ZB Group Limited, a 100% owned subsidiary of ZBFH. The CTBs mature on 26/05/2025 and carry a coupon of 1% which is payable on maturity.				
Treasury bills amounting to ZW\$94.952 billion (2022: ZW\$4.060 billion) were used as security for the Group to access fixed deposits.				
3.2 Determination of fair value of treasury bills				
The fair value of treasury bills was determined using level 2 and level 3 inputs for treasury bills which are classified as FVTPL and FVTOCI respectively. The use of level 2 and level 3 inputs is due to lack of active market for treasury bills which are classified as "FVTPL" and FVTOCI. The Group used the discounted cash flow valuation technique by applying an average yield market rate on the contractual cash flows in order to determine the fair value of the treasury bills.				
Treasury bills purchased from the secondary market value were fair valued using TBs average yield market rate of 68%.				
USD denominated Treasury bills fair value was computed using a proxy discount rate of 5% by reference to US Federal Reserve TBs with same tenor and adjusted for country risk.				
3.3 Impairment assessment of treasury bills				
Treasury bills at FVTOCI and AMCO were assessed for ECL in the current year in line with IFRS 9. Treasury bills, being local sovereign exposures have been assessed as "low risk" instruments and there were no defaults recorded in past on all Government Instruments. In addition, the Government of Zimbabwe has a strong capacity to meet its contractual cashflow obligations in the near term and an adverse in the economics and business conditions in the longer term may but will not necessarily reduce the Government of Zimbabwe's ability to fulfil its obligations. The amount of ECL was immaterial as such no adjustment for impairment was recognized.				
4. MORTGAGES AND OTHER ADVANCES				
4.1 Gross loan book	Inflation adjusted		Historical cost (Unaudited)	
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	Restated 31 Dec 2022 ZWS	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	Restated 31 Dec 2022 ZWS
Mortgage advances	55 778 343 616	10 518 771 510	55 778 343 616	2 188 959 388
Other advances:				
Loans, overdraft and other accounts	822 736 311 401	283 389 231 055	822 736 311 401	58 973 380 799
Finance leases	119 460 456 513	13 046 763 899	119 460 456 513	2 715 035 334
Bills discounted		664 474 244		138 277 282
Total other advances	942 196 767 914	297 100 469 198	942 196 767 914	61 826 693 415
Gross advances	997 975 111 530	307 619 240 708	997 975 111 530	64 015 652 803
Off balance sheet exposures				
In respect of guarantees	42 449 612 577	15 058 970 583	42 449 612 577	3 133 776 126
In respect of Loan commitments	478 206 882 581	32 984 817 429	478 206 882 581	6 864 150 030
Gross credit exposure	1 518 631 606 688	355 663 028 720	1 518 631 606 688	74 013 578 959
Gross advances	997 975 111 530	307 619 240 708	997 975 111 530	64 015 652 803
Less: Allowance for loan impairments	(50 853 334 809)	(20 112 327 484)	(50 853 334 809)	(4 185 381 156)
Net advances	947 121 776 721	287 506 913 224	947 121 776 721	59 830 271 647
4.2 Maturity analysis				
On demand	61 725 682 047	15 164 404 325	61 725 682 047	3 155 716 918
Within 1 month	85 893 690 855	7 825 394 694	85 893 690 855	1 628 466 895
Between 1 and 6 months	269 802 971 321	69 206 479 052	269 802 971 321	14 401 888 271
Between 6 and 12 months	285 796 047 370	10 404 814 572	285 796 047 370	22 350 972 921
After 12 months	815 413 215 095	156 061 936 077	815 413 215 095	32 476 533 954
	1 518 631 606 688	355 663 028 720	1 518 631 606 688	74 013 578 959
4.3 Non-performing loans				
Included in the above are the following:				
Non-performing loans	15 438 308 686	1 106 063 307	15 438 308 686	230 172 094
Less: Allowance for loan impairments	(4 395 485 071)	(360 539 374)	(4 395 485 071)	(75 028 348)
Value to be received from security held	11 042 823 615	745 523 933	11 042 823 615	155 143 746
For the secured non-performing loans, security exists in the form of liens registered over funded accounts, bonds registered over landed property and guarantees in various forms. The Group discounts the value of the security at hand using internal thresholds for prudential purposes. Generally, no security value is placed on ordinary guarantees. The internally discounted value of the security held in respect of the non-performing book amounted to ZW\$41 007 892 695 as at 31 December 2023 (2022: ZW\$80 018 592).				
4.4 Sectorial analysis				
4.4 Sectorial analysis	Inflation adjusted		Historical cost (Unaudited)	
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	As a % of Total	31 Dec 2022 ZWS	As a % of Total
Gross advances:				
Private	306 305 098 539	20%	81 072 748 486	23%
Agriculture	87 943 663 445	6%	14 926 751 089	4%
Mining	138 725 610 726	9%	55 011 335 685	15%
Manufacturing	47 742 282 807	3%	10 944 127 686	3%
Distribution	53 555 677 756	3%	30 275 574 102	8%
Construction	15 512 735 274	1%	1 229 727 271	0%
Transport	33 225 856 824	2%	17 866 120 676	5%
Services	261 795 342 254	17%	261 795 342 254	17%
Financial Services	53 040 890 480	3%	18 266 994 650	5%
Communication	126 953 425	0%	38 474 484	0%
Total	997 975 111 530	66%	307 619 240 708	66%
Guarantees:				
Manufacturing	28 593 615 204	1.9%	14 636 923 946	4%
Distribution	259 572 805	0.02%	197 118 727	0%
Construction	11 615 243 918	0.75%	0%	11 615 243 918
Transport	-	0.05%	-	0%
Services	1 981 180 650	0.13%	224 927 910	0%
Communication	-	0%	0%	0%
Financial Services	-	0%	0%	0%
Total guarantees	42 449 612 577	3%	15 058 970 583	4%
Loan commitments:				
Private	-	0%	-	0%
Agriculture	63 910 701 099	4%	5 693 008 589	2%
Mining	51 740 701 106	3%	210 314 759	0%
Manufacturing	31 268 783 191	2%	5 933 489 562	2%
Distribution	46 874 219 843	3%	2 781 601 374	1%
Construction	16 432 463 368	1%	30 739 472	0%
Transport	29 467 700 140	2%	5 770 523 109	2%
Communication	28 847 794	0%	195 334 381	0%
Services	228 372 342 150	15%	12 340 507 905	3%
Financial Services	10 108 753 990	1%	28 938 278	0%
Total Loan commitments	478 206 882 581	31%	32 984 817 429	10%
Total credit exposure	1 518 631 606 688	100%	355 663 028 720	100%
	1 518 631 606 688	100%	1 518 631 606 688	100%
	74 013 578 959	100%	74 013 578 959	100%
4.5 Mortgage advances				
Mortgage advances were spread as follows:				
To land property:-				

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	Inflation adjusted		Historical cost (Unaudited)					
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	Restated 31 Dec 2022 ZWS	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	Restated 31 Dec 2022 ZWS				
18 OTHER OPERATING INCOME								
Exchange income	388 395 116 369	89 776 725 847	376 766 746 671	18 138 442 328				
Dividends from investment securities	4 346 457 401	2 211 543 938	2 214 397 507	321 401 726				
Loss on lease liability reasseessment	-	(20 403 526 369)	-	(86 737 877)				
Profit / (loss) on disposal of property and equipment	1 301 939 230	(163 404 795)	796 946 166	(26 647 427)				
Rent received	46 562 231 789	6 601 363 268	34 057 444 388	1 129 076 784				
Other	12 074 459 890	29 177 476 479	6 325 580 768	4 928 612 133				
Commission and fees income composed of:	452 680 204 949	107 200 178 368	420 161 115 500	24 404 147 667				
Digital channels	51 915 475 142	18 377 858 382	32 394 577 768	2 572 957 520				
Insurance underwriting commissions	45 451 029	48 165 770	37 834 626	6 294 405				
Management and service fees	215 552 221 646	52 730 492 492	134 492 294 492	8 397 228 063				
Other commissions	28 523 132 302	5 294 849 906	17 492 873 840	858 231 167				
	296 036 280 119	76 451 368 539	184 417 580 726	11 834 711 155				
19 OPERATING EXPENSES								
Staff expenses	336 977 888 471	94 825 527 791	209 821 725 580	14 779 546 792				
Communication expenses	9 854 952 460	3 138 838 058	7 080 408 258	488 300 092				
National Social Security Authority expenses	2 457 152 135	1 004 116 694	1 505 253 756	153 903 195				
Pension fund expenses	10 309 239 464	2 451 929 265	6 315 236 095	356 253 640				
Marketing expenses	15 639 826 011	-	3 205 766 025	-				
Computers and information technology expenses	71 550 796 584	18 427 484 074	41 408 181 880	2 402 007 389				
Occupation expenses	45 147 980 413	6 302 447 580	15 730 056 830	781 218 010				
Transport expenses	6 539 858 721	2 124 522 881	3 861 909 152	312 533 484				
Travelling expenses	8 570 600 417	2 427 202 087	5 449 071 178	387 436 786				
Security costs	25 228 284 731	-	13 142 267 786	-				
Depreciation of property and equipment	33 428 284 954	14 250 098 130	10 662 733 921	1 913 860 456				
Amortisation of intangible assets	780 581 218	1 027 173 082	74 655 105	8 171 322				
Depreciation of right of use asset	3 076 298 187	570 364 533	1 644 081 189	79 470 830				
Consultancy fees	13 970 423 940	-	5 636 796 089	-				
Consumables and statinery	25 794 572 074	-	11 487 933 480	-				
Bank Charges	28 131 159 024	-	14 740 806 424	-				
Impairment of property and equipment	1 392 953 514	31 724 595 977	-	20 417 035				
Impairment of intangible assets	9 353 502	494 005 432	282 426	2 192 314				
Administration expenses	104 149 391 233	18 706 119 836	53 531 111 510	6 562 035 490				
Amortisation of valuation discount on the long term borrowings	(1 664 846)	(6 081 702)	(889 752)	(847 384)				
Directors fees	7 250 512 001	1 732 243 152	4 589 406 928	260 534 714				
IMTT expenses	4 755 650 883	-	3 170 433 922	-				
Auditors' remuneration	5 097 137 157	3 472 807 916	2 481 064 020	473 617 064				
	760 111 232 247	202 673 394 786	415 538 291 802	28 980 651 229				
20 INCOME TAX EXPENSE								
Current income tax	19 000 263 206	15 197 905 782	19 000 263 204	3 153 231 923				
Deferred tax expense	52 971 374 700	(12 707 459 276)	38 986 032 265	441 818 048				
Current year	51 954 253 868	(12 707 459 276)	38 201 570 408	441 818 048				
Change in tax rate	1 017 120 832	-	784 461 857	-				
	71 971 637 906	2 490 446 506	57 986 295 469	3 595 049 971				
21 EARNINGS PER SHARE								
Basic earnings per share (ZW cents)								
The inflation adjusted calculation of basic earnings per share for the period ended 31 December 2023 of ZW\$233 980 cents (2022: ZW\$77 759 cents) is based on the attributable profit after tax of ZW\$368.581 billion (2022: ZW\$138.241 billion) and weighted average number of shares of 157 522 902 (2022:157 522 902).								
The unaudited historical cost calculation of basic earnings per share for the period ended 31 December 2023 of ZW\$348 289 cents (2022: ZW\$33 620 cents) is based on the attributable profit after tax of ZW\$548.636 billion (2022: ZW\$152.959 billion) and weighted average number of shares of 157 522 902 (2022:157 522 902).								
There were no dilutive instruments for the period.								
22 RISK MANAGEMENT								
22.1 Capital risk management								
The primary objectives in managing capital at the Group are:								
- To guarantee the ability of entities within the Group to continue as going concerns whilst providing an equitable return to the Group's shareholders and benefit to customers and other stakeholders.								
- To maintain a strong fallback position which is commensurate with the level of risk undertaken by the entities within the Group in the normal course of their business.								
- To comply with the regulatory capital requirements as prescribed by relevant authorities.								
The Group's capital consists of equity attributable to the shareholders of the parent Company, comprising the issued share capital, reserves and retained income (all referred to as shareholder's equity) and debt, which includes direct loans plus the residual funding from deposit taking activities after deducting the associated liquidity buffer (referred to as operational funding).								
The Group's operating target is to maintain operating assets at a level that is lower than the available operating funds at all times in order to restrict recourse on shareholders' equity for operational funding. Gearing was maintained at below 1%, throughout the year, the Group borrowed funds with a maturity value of ZW\$20 million in 2025.								
The gearing level, and the loan instrument used are considered comfortable for the Group's operations and are not expected to cause a strain in cash resources in the foreseeable future.								
The banking and insurance operations in the Group are subject to prescribed minimum regulatory capital requirements and minimum capital adequacy and solvency ratios as prescribed from time to time.								
Management of the Group monitors the level of capital adequacy on a continual basis, employing techniques adopted from the guidelines developed by the Basel Committee and contained in the Basel II capital accord as implemented by the supervisory authorities for each of the affected entities. For the life assurance business, regular actuarial reviews are undertaken to establish the solvency of the business.								
An Internal Capital Adequacy Assessment Plan (ICAAP) has been developed for Banking operations and defines capital targets which are generally set above regulatory levels, stress test scenarios and risk appetite across different lines of operations.								
22.2 Financial risk management								
The Group maintains active trading positions in a variety of non-derivative financial instruments in anticipation of customer demand. The Group manages its trading activities by the type of risk involved and on the basis of the categories of trading instruments held. Regular feedback on risk related matters is provided to the Board through the Board Governance, Risk and Compliance Committee.								
22.2.1 Classification and measurement of financial assets and liabilities								
Inflation adjusted								
CARRYING AMOUNT								
31 December 2023	Designated at FVTPL ZWS	Designated at AMCO ZWS	Designated at FVTOCI ZWS	Total ZWS	Level 1 ZWS	Level 2 ZWS	Level 3 ZWS	Total ZWS
Financial assets measured at fair value:								
Listed equity securities	51 823 848 418	-	-	51 823 848 418	-	-	-	51 823 848 418
Unlisted equity investments	78 718 214 597	-	-	78 718 214 597	-	-	-	78 718 214 597
Treasury bills	6 889 284 386	-	141 688 612 014	148 577 896 400	-	6 889 284 386	141 688 612 014	148 577 896 400
Financial assets not measured at fair value:								
Trade and other receivables	-	113 927 070 283	-	113 927 070 283	-	-	-	113 927 070 283
Cash and cash equivalents	-	466 561 757 988	-	466 561 757 988	-	-	-	466 561 757 988
Treasury bills	-	39 411 856	-	39 411 856	-	-	-	39 411 856
Advances and other accounts	-	947 121 776 721	-	947 121 776 721	-	-	-	947 121 776 721
Total	137 431 347 401	1 527 650 016 848	141 688 612 014	1 806 769 976 263	-	-	-	1 806 769 976 263
Financial liabilities								
Deposit and other accounts	-	(1 120 063 971 769)	-	(1 120 063 971 769)	-	-	-	(1 120 063 971 769)
Trade and other payables	-	(341 813 539 727)	-	(341 813 539 727)	-	-	-	(341 813 539 727)
Offshore borrowings	-	(99 895 460 050)	-	(99 895 460 050)	-	-	-	(99 895 460 050)
Long term borrowings	-	(18 684 807)	-	(18 684 807)	-	-	-	(18 684 807)
Investment contract liabilities	-	(43 430 077 531)	-	(43 430 077 531)	-	-	-	(43 430 077 531)
Total	(43 430 077 531)	(1 561 791 657 098)	-	(1 605 221 734 539)	-	-	-	(1 605 221 734 539)
Inflation adjusted								
CARRYING AMOUNT								
Restated 31 December 2022	Designated at FVTPL ZWS	Designated at AMCO ZWS	Designated at FVTOCI ZWS	Total ZWS	Level 1 ZWS	Level 2 ZWS	Level 3 ZWS	Total ZWS
Financial assets measured at fair value:								
Listed equity securities	8 479 545 929	-	-	8 479 545 929	-	-	-	8 479 545 929
Unlisted equity investments	68 312 860 551	-	-	68 312 860 551	-	-	-	68 312 860 551
Treasury bills	32 312 347 175	-	48 046 492 247	80 358 839 422	-	32 312 347 175	48 046 492 247</	

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22.2.1.3 Level 3 valuation

Level 3 recurring fair values

A reconciliation from the opening balances to the closing balances for level 3 fair values is shown below:

	Inflation adjusted		Historical cost (Unaudited)	
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	Restated ZWS	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	Restated ZWS
Balance at beginning of year	116 359 352 798	54 964 743 922	24 214 414 911	3 327 374 670
Fair value adjustments	(48 699 013 922)	56 534 583 398	47 806 107 692	19 951 828 292
Additions	26 573 273 343	11 326 252 115	11 066 092 271	2 060 160 886
Disposals	(15 515 397 622)	(6 466 226 637)	(4 368 400 277)	(1 124 948 937)
Balance at end of year	78 718 214 597	116 359 352 798	78 718 214 597	24 214 414 911

The Group defines financial risk collectively to include liquidity risk, market risk and credit risk.

22.2.2 Liquidity risk

Definition

There are two types of liquidity risk, funding liquidity risk and market liquidity risk. Funding liquidity risk is the risk that the Group is unable to meet its payment obligations as they fall due. These payment obligations could emanate from depositor withdrawals, the inability to roll over maturing debt or meet contractual commitments to lend. Market liquidity risk is the risk that the Group will be unable to sell assets, without incurring an unacceptable loss, in order to generate cash required to meet payment obligations under a stress liquidity event.

Through the robust Liquidity Risk Management Framework, the Group manages the funding and market liquidity risk to ensure that the Group's operations continue uninterrupted under normal and stressed conditions. The key objectives that underpin the Liquidity Risk Management Framework include maintaining financial market confidence at all times, protecting key stakeholder interests and meeting regulatory requirements.

Identification techniques

This risk is identified through the analyses of contractual maturity mismatch between assets and liabilities and stress testing.

Measurement methods

Liquidity risk is measured using the gap analysis techniques and the term structure of assets and liabilities.

The Group uses liquidity management tools such as the liquidity ratio, maturity gap analysis (contractual and behavioural), daily cash flow summary & forecasting and stress testing to measure liquidity risk.

Liquidity gap analysis as at 31 December 2023

The tables below set out the remaining contractual maturities of the Group's financial assets and financial liabilities.

22.2.2 Liquidity risk (continued)

	Inflation adjusted				
	Up to 1 month ZWS	2 to 6 months ZWS	7 to 12 months ZWS	Above 12 months ZWS	Carrying amount ZWS
FINANCIAL ASSETS BY TYPE:					
Cash and cash equivalents	368 122 881 350	38 243 449 201	60 195 427 437	-	466 561 757 988
Trade and other receivables	75 551 625 311	38 375 444 972	-	113 927 070 283	113 927 070 283
Treasury bills	6 481 890 788	4 433 209 596	-	140 201 801 333	151 116 901 717
Mortgages and other advances	137 082 154 183	174 764 698 265	153 019 245 794	943 707 890 440	1 408 573 988 682
Financial assets held at fair value through profit or loss	-	7 978 954 286	-	131 259 985 344	139 238 939 630
Financial assets held at amortised cost	-	3 926 716 299	-	12 082 801 563	16 009 517 862
Total	587 238 551 632	267 722 472 619	213 214 673 231	1 227 252 478 680	2 295 428 176 162
FINANCIAL LIABILITIES BY TYPE:					
Deposits and other accounts	(1 103 098 205 920)	(63 488 617 260)	(224 432)	(12 601 109)	(1 166 599 648 721)
Trade and other payables	(244 689 042 505)	(33 433 701 977)	(63 690 795 245)	-	(341 813 539 727)
Long term loan	-	-	-	(20 000 000)	(20 000 000)
Offshore borrowings	-	(102 380 064 916)	-	(102 380 064 916)	(99 895 460 705)
Lease liabilities	(206 173 977)	(1 030 869 883)	(1 237 043 860)	(13 536 755 532)	(16 010 843 252)
Loan commitments	(6 330 050 382)	(59 355 799 393)	(103 391 058 501)	(309 129 974 303)	(478 206 882 581)
Guarantees	(3 999 648 112)	(29 185 307 636)	(9 264 656 828)	-	(42 449 612 576)
Investment contracts liabilities	(86 015 506)	(34 744 062 025)	-	(43 430 077 531)	(43 430 077 531)
Period gap	(1 367 009 136 402)	(288 874 361 067)	(212 327 840 891)	(322 699 330 944)	(2 190 910 669 304)
Cumulative gap	(779 770 584 770)	(21 151 888 448)	(886 832 340)	(904 553 147 736)	(1 831 269 470 698)

Liquidity gap analysis as at Restated 31 December 2022

The tables below set out the remaining contractual maturities of the Group's financial assets and financial liabilities.

	Inflation adjusted				
	Up to 1 month ZWS	2 to 6 months ZWS	7 to 12 months ZWS	Above 12 months ZWS	Carrying amount ZWS
FINANCIAL ASSETS BY TYPE:					
Cash and cash equivalents	231 159 566 058	4 184 961 955	61 220 902 495	-	296 565 430 508
Trade and other receivables	46 177 413 706	8 148 955 360	-	54 326 369 066	54 326 369 066
Treasury bills	-	34 379 019 224	-	82 664 288 987	80 552 503 786
Mortgages and other advances	49 830 729 858	69 855 690 102	186 532 756 553	324 576 607 735	630 795 784 248
Financial assets held at fair value through profit or loss	-	-	-	76 857 299 610	76 857 299 610
Financial assets held at amortised cost	-	-	-	5 319 639 054	5 319 639 054
Total	327 167 709 622	116 568 626 641	247 753 659 048	455 038 816 162	1 146 528 811 473
FINANCIAL LIABILITIES BY TYPE:					
Deposits and other accounts	(33 538 848 785)	(928 663 647)	(739 788)	(519 054 909 608)	(553 523 161 827)
Trade and other payables	(87 429 636 787)	(32 640 557 878)	(144 165 954)	-	(120 214 360 619)
Long term loan	-	-	-	(96 107 507)	(96 107 507)
Offshore borrowings	-	(32 400 289 110)	-	(32 400 289 110)	(32 265 529 480)
Lease liabilities	(65 844 397)	(329 221 980)	(395 066 376)	(5 129 360 515)	(5 193 919 268)
Loan commitments	(258 150 042)	(11 890 505 557)	(3 955 797 197)	(16 880 364 639)	(32 884 817 436)
Guarantees	-	(15 058 970 583)	-	(15 058 970 583)	(15 058 970 583)
Investment contracts liabilities	(4 159 601 008)	-	-	(16 638 404 032)	(20 798 005 040)
Period gap	(125 452 081 019)	(78 189 238 172)	(36 193 143 903)	(557 799 146 301)	(780 995 205 390)
Cumulative gap	201 715 628 603	38 379 388 469	211 560 515 118	(86 121 926 107)	365 533 606 083

Liquidity gap analysis as at 31 December 2023

The tables below set out the remaining contractual maturities of the Group's financial assets and financial liabilities.

	Historical cost (Unaudited)				
	Up to 1 month ZWS	2 to 6 months ZWS	7 to 12 months ZWS	Above 12 months ZWS	Carrying amount ZWS
FINANCIAL ASSETS BY TYPE:					
Cash and cash equivalents	368 122 881 350	38 243 449 201	60 195 427 437	-	466 561 757 988
Trade and other receivables	75 551 625 311	38 375 444 972	-	113 927 070 283	113 927 070 283
Treasury bills	6 481 890 788	4 433 209 596	-	140 201 801 333	148 617 308 256
Mortgages and other advances	137 082 154 183	174 764 698 265	153 019 245 794	943 707 890 440	1 408 573 988 682
Financial assets held at fair value through profit or loss	-	7 978 954 286	-	131 259 985 344	139

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22.2.3.1 Interest rate gap analysis (continued)

Interest rate gap analysis as at Restated 31 December 2022

	Historical cost (Unaudited)				
	Up to 1 month	2 to 6 months	7 to 12 months	Above 12 months	Carrying amount
	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS
FINANCIAL ASSETS BY TYPE:					
Cash and cash equivalents	61 715 351 709	-	-	-	61 715 351 709
Treasury bills	-	6 724 208 777	-	10 038 790 517	16 762 999 294
Advances and other accounts	5 296 734 847	10 275 130 548	7 519 570 335	36 738 835 917	59 830 271 647
Financial assets held at fair value through profit or loss	-	-	15 994 026 238	15 994 026 238	
Financial assets held at amortised cost	-	167 788 875	52 908 490	886 321 058	1 107 018 423
	67 012 086 556	17 167 128 200	7 572 478 825	63 657 973 730	155 409 667 311
FINANCIAL LIABILITIES BY TYPE					
Deposits and other accounts	(106 969 718 139)	-	(2 240 544 696)	(109 210 262 835)	
Long term loan	-	-	(17 795 055)	(17 795 055)	
Offshore borrowings	-	(6 714 466 000)	-	-	(6 714 466 000)
Short term borrowings	-	-	-	-	
	(106 969 718 139)	(6 714 466 000)	-	(2 258 339 751)	(115 942 523 890)
Period gap	(39 957 631 583)	10 452 662 200	7 572 478 825	61 399 633 979	39 467 143 421
Cumulative gap	(39 957 631 583)	(29 504 969 383)	(21 932 490 558)	39 467 143 421	-
Sensitivity analysis					
A 10% change in the interest rate sensitive assets would result in the reported profit / loss and equity increasing or decreasing by ZW\$129.282 billion (December 2022: ZW\$56.219 billion).					
A 10% change in the interest rate sensitive liabilities would result in the reported profit / loss and equity increasing or decreasing by ZW\$91.840 billion (December 2022: ZW\$41.942 billion).					

22.2.3.2 Foreign exchange risk

Foreign currency position

The carrying amount of the Group's foreign denominated monetary assets and liabilities as at 31 December 2023 were as follows:

	Inflation adjusted		Historical cost (Unaudited)	
	31 Dec 2023	Restated 31 Dec 2022	31 Dec 2023	Restated 31 Dec 2022
	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS
Botswana pula	20 979 057 109	11 984 594 325	20 979 057 109	2 493 997 539
British pound	113 998 908 272	56 666 692 825	113 998 908 272	11 792 355 137
Euro	464 542 219 169	155 742 828 294	464 542 219 169	32 410 127 532
South African rand	599 732 507 079	220 812 367 986	599 732 507 079	45 951 117 528
Zambian kwacha	-	-	-	-
USD	3 357 898 666 049	1 216 559 907 444	3 357 898 666 049	253 166 467 968
Total assets	4 557 151 357 678	1 661 766 390 874	4 557 151 357 678	345 814 065 704
Botswana pula	(19 199 728 409)	(12 053 656 757)	(19 199 728 409)	(2 508 369 451)
British pound	(103 177 232 750)	(58 839 920 003)	(103 177 232 750)	(12 244 604 340)
Euro	(451 864 438 066)	(145 785 380 057)	(451 864 438 066)	(30 337 979 679)
South African rand	(583 703 776 380)	(230 536 084 419)	(583 703 776 380)	(47 974 625 725)
USD	(1 163 866 440 711)	(1 007 918 978 919)	(1 163 866 440 711)	(209 748 230 506)
Total liabilities	(2 321 811 616 316)	(1 455 134 020 155)	(2 321 811 616 316)	(302 813 809 701)
	2 235 339 741 362	206 632 370 719	2 235 339 741 362	43 000 256 003

The Group's main exposure to foreign currency risk arises from the commitments for licence and support fees for information technology platforms that were sourced from foreign suppliers.

Sensitivity analysis

A 50% change in exchange rates would result in the reported profit being reduced or increased by ZW\$84 billion (December 2022: ZW\$77.78 billion) and equity being reduced or increased by ZW\$84 billion (December 2022: ZW\$77.78 million).

A 100% change in exchange rates would result in the reported profit being reduced or increased by ZW\$1.68 trillion (December 2022: ZW\$155.55 billion) and equity being reduced or increased by ZW\$1.68 trillion (December 2022: ZW\$155.55 billion).

22.2.4 Internal rating grade

	Inflation adjusted December 2023			Inflation adjusted Restated December 2022				
	STAGE 1	STAGE 2	STAGE 3	TOTAL	STAGE 1	STAGE 2	STAGE 3	TOTAL
	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS	ZWS
Total loans and advances	932 666 286 532	49 781 420 713	15 527 404 285	997 975 111 530	298 132 786 659	8 358 413 735	1 128 040 314	307 619 240 708
Guarantees	42 449 612 577	-	-	42 449 612 577	15 058 970 583	-	-	15 058 970 583
Loan commitments	478 206 882 581	-	-	478 206 882 581	32 984 817 429	-	-	32 984 817 429
Treasury bills	148 617 308 256	-	-	148 617 308 256	80 552 503 786	-	-	80 552 503 786
Other financial assets	-	-	-	1 060 533 680	-	-	-	1 060 533 680
Total financial assets	1 601 940 089 946	49 781 420 713	15 527 404 285	1 667 248 914 944	427 789 612 137	8 358 413 735	1 128 040 314	437 276 066 186
Total loans and advances	932 560 065 212	862 412 837	85 249 396	933 507 727 455	298 068 021 266	131 162 875	20 106 469	298 219 290 610
Good (AAA to -BBB-)	106 221 320	48 919 007 876	3 335 082	49 028 564 278	64 765 393	8 227 250 860	1 870 536	8 293 886 789
Special Mention (BB+ to CCC-)	-	-	15 438 819 807	15 438 819 807	-	-	1 106 063 309	1 106 063 309
Total loans and advances	932 666 286 532	49 781 420 713	15 527 404 285	997 975 111 530	298 132 786 659	8 358 413 735	1 128 040 314	307 619 240 708
Corporate Lending	629 339 754 189	-	-	629 339 754 189	206 961 275 467	-	-	206 961 275 467
Good (AAA to -BBB-)	-	34 927 807 461	-	34 927 807 461	-	6 478 986 634	-	6 478 986 634
Special Mention (BB+ to CCC-)	-	-	8 410 236 370	8 410 236 370	-	-	138 858 039	138 858 039
Total corporate lending	629 339 754 189	34 927 807 461	8 410 236 370	672 677 979 020	206 961 275 467	6 478 986 634	138 858 039	213 579 120 140
Small business Lending	27 815 351 329	1 615 880	2 312 919	27 819 280 128	13 905 038 825	754 353	150 432	13 905 943 610
Good (AAA to -BBB-)	-	3 599 756 163	-	3 599 756 163	-	92 280 550	11 836	92 292 386
Special Mention (BB+ to CCC-)	-	-	1 516 516 048	1 516 516 048	-	-	388 124 613	388 124 613
Total small business Lending	27 815 351 329	3 601 372 043	1 518 828 967	32 935 552 339	13 905 038 825	93 034 903	388 286 881	14 388 360 609
Consumer Lending	225 494 764 682	860 796 957	82 935 507	226 438 497 146	67 172 523 526	130 408 522	19 952 817	67 322 884 865
Good (AAA to -BBB-)	106 221 320	6 804 275 914	3 335 082	6 913 832 316	64 765 393</			

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22.2.4 Internal rating grade (continued)

An analysis of changes in the ECLs in relation to loans and advances are as follows:

	Historical cost (Unaudited) December 2023				Historical cost (Unaudited) Restated December 2022			
	STAGE 1 ZWS	STAGE 2 ZWS	STAGE 3 ZWS	TOTAL ZWS	STAGE1 ZWS	STAGE 2 ZWS	STAGE 3 ZWS	TOTAL ZWS
Total loans and advances	44 266 214 102	3 090 259 636	3 496 861 071	50 853 334 809	3 711 735 280	395 918 398	77 727 478	4 185 381 156
Treasury bills	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Insurance debtors	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other financial assets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total impairment allowances	44 266 214 102	3 090 259 636	3 496 861 071	50 853 334 809	3 711 735 280	395 918 398	77 727 478	4 185 381 156
In respect of guarantees	314 298 008	-	-	314 298 008	315 142 226	-	-	315 142 226
In respect of Letter of credit	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
In respect of Loan commitments	-	-	14 176 165 912	26 134 882	-	-	26 134 882	-
In respect of other financial assets	-	-	-	6 591 447	-	-	6 591 447	-
Total	58 756 678 022	3 090 259 636	3 496 861 071	65 343 798 729	4 059 603 835	395 918 398	77 727 478	4 533 249 711
Total loans and advances	44 259 367 050	169 640 157	29 467 260	44 458 474 467	3 711 252 807	8 319 241	1 553 238	3 721 125 286
Good (AAA to -BBB)	6 847 052	2 920 619 479	1 706 773	2 929 173 304	482 473	387 599 157	172 018	388 253 648
Special Mention (BB+ to CCC-)	-	-	3 465 687 038	3 465 687 038	-	-	76 002 222	76 002 222
Non performing (CC to D)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Impairment allowance for total loans and advances	44 266 214 102	3 090 259 636	3 496 861 071	50 853 334 809	3 711 735 280	395 918 398	77 727 478	4 185 381 156
Impairment allowance for loans and advances by lending category:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Corporate Lending	30 987 444 405	-	-	30 987 444 405	2 877 317 838	-	-	2 877 317 838
Good (AAA to -BBB)	-	1 045 722 887	-	1 045 722 887	-	296 643 087	-	296 643 087
Special Mention (BB+ to CCC-)	-	-	2 264 155 745	2 264 155 745	-	8 935 369	-	8 935 369
Non performing (CC to D)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Impairment allowance for corporate lending	30 987 444 405	1 045 722 887	2 264 155 745	34 297 323 037	2 877 317 838	296 643 087	8 935 369	3 182 896 294
Small business Lending	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Good (AAA to -BBB)	1 146 614 784	1 007 501	1 969 035	1 149 591 320	156 691 274	64 257	13 901	156 769 432
Special Mention (BB+ to CCC-)	-	68 078 814	-	68 078 814	-	782 134	-	782 134
Non performing (CC to D)	-	-	102 215 195	102 215 195	-	29 576 361	-	29 576 361
Impairment allowance for small business lending	1 146 614 784	69 086 315	104 184 230	1 319 885 329	156 691 274	846 391	29 590 262	187 127 927
Consumer Lending	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Good (AAA to -BBB)	12 092 262 318	168 632 656	27 498 042	12 288 393 016	621 611 833	8 254 984	1 539 323	631 406 140
Special Mention (BB+ to CCC-)	6 847 052	1 806 817 778	1 706 773	1 815 371 603	482 473	62 774 076	172 018	63 428 567
Non performing (CC to D)	-	-	1 097 142 826	1 097 142 826	-	-	36 386 614	36 386 614
Impairment allowance for consumer lending	12 099 109 370	1 975 450 434	1 126 347 641	15 200 907 445	622 094 306	71 029 060	38 097 955	731 221 321
Mortgage Lending	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Good (AAA to -BBB)	33 045 543	-	183	33 045 726	55 631 862	-	14	55 631 876
Special Mention (BB+ to CCC-)	-	-	2 173 272	2 173 272	-	27 399 860	-	27 399 860
Non performing (CC to D)	-	-	-	-	-	1 103 878	-	1 103 878
Impairment allowance for mortgage lending	33 045 543	-	2 173 455	35 218 998	55 631 862	27 399 860	1 103 892	84 135 614
Impairment allowances on guarantees and loan commitments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guarantees	314 298 008	-	-	314 298 008	315 142 226	-	-	315 142 226
Good (AAA to -BBB)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Special Mention (BB+ to CCC-)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non performing (CC to D)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Impairment allowances for guarantees	314 298 008	-	-	314 298 008	139 817	-	-	315 142 226
Loan commitments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Good (AAA to -BBB)	14 176 165 912	-	-	14 176 165 912	26 134 882	-	-	26 134 882
Special Mention (BB+ to CCC-)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non performing (CC to D)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Impairment allowances for loan commitments	14 176 165 912	-	-	14 176 165 912	26 134 882	-	-	26 134 882
Other financial assets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debturies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non performing (CC to D)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bonds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Good (AAA to -BBB)	-	-	-	-	6 591 447	-	-	6 591 447
Impairment allowances for other financial assets	-	-	-	-	6 591 447	-	-	6 591 447

An analysis of changes in the gross carrying amount are as follows:

	Inflation adjusted 31 December 2023				Inflation adjusted Restated December 2022			
	STAGE 1 ZWS	STAGE 2 ZWS	STAGE 3 ZWS	TOTAL ZWS	STAGE1 ZWS	STAGE 2 ZWS	STAGE 3 ZWS	TOTAL ZWS
Total loans and advances	932 666 286 532	49 781 420 713	15 527 404 285	997 975 111 530	298 132 786 661	8 358 413 735	1 128 040 314	307 619 240 710
Guarantees	42 449 612 577	-	-	42 449 612 577	15 058 970 583	-	-	15 058 970 583
Loan commitments	478 206 882 581	-	-	478 206 882 581	32 984 817 429	-	-	32 984 817 429
Treasury bills	148 617 308 256	-	-	148 617 308 256	80 552 503 786	-	-	80 552 503 786
Other financial assets	1 601 940 089 946	49 781 420 713	15 527 404 285	1 667 248 914 944	427 789 612 137	8 358 413 735	1 128 040 314	437 276 066 186
Balance at the beginning of the year	427 789 612 137	8 358 413 735	1 128 040 314	437 276 066 186	272 425 881 667	1 932 254 133	8 485 903 038	282 844 038 838
Effects of inflation adjustments	(1 691 222 710 809)	(48 470 131 006)	(15 222 513 009)	(1 754 915 354 824)	(207 978 013 327)	(1 370 159 990)	(6 017 347 630)	(215 365 520 947)
New assets	2 977 232 623 691	91 055 558 918	30 975 362 199	3 099 263 544 808	415 252 547 116	8 047 345 818	784 102 055	424 083 994 989
Repayments	(108 301 739 478)	(2 144 846 659)</td						

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22.4 Other business risks

- Operational risk
- Legal, reputational and compliance risk
- Technological risk
- Solvency risk
- Underwriting risk

22.5 Risk rating

22.5.1 Regulatory risk rating

The Reserve Bank of Zimbabwe conducts regular offsite and onsite examinations of the institutions that it regulates. The last on-site examination of the Group was concluded on the 9th of December 2014 using data as at 30 September 2014.

Being a Bank Holding Group (BHG), the condition of ZB Financial Holdings Limited was assessed using the RFI/(CD) rating system which is an acronym for Risk Management; Financial Condition; Potential Impact of the parent Group and non-depository subsidiaries on the subsidiary depository institutions; Composite rating based on an evaluation and rating of its managerial and financial condition; and assessment of the subsidiary Depository institutions.

ZB Bank Limited and ZB Building Society were assessed using the Risk Assessment System (RAS) and the CAMELS5 rating model.

The individual components of the rating systems were rated as follows:

RFI/(CD)/CAMELS/CEFM Component		Latest Rating	
	ZB Bank Limited	ZB Building Society	
Capital Adequacy	4	4	
Asset Quality	4	2	
Management	3	3	
Earnings	4	3	
Liquidity and Funds Under Management	2	2	
Sensitivity to Market Risk	2	2	
Composite rating	4	3	

Key: 1 = Strong; 2 = Satisfactory; 3 = Fair; 4 = Weak; 5 = Critical

Summary of Risk Assessment

RAS Component		Latest Rating	
	ZB Bank Limited	ZB Building Society	
Aggregate inherent risk	High	Moderate	
Quality of aggregate risk management systems	Acceptable	Acceptable	
Overall composite risk	High	Moderate	
Direction of overall composite risk	Increasing	Stable ¹	

¹ "CAMELS" stands for Capital Adequacy Asset Quality Management Earnings, Liquidity management and Sensitivity to market risk

Overall Risk Matrix – ZB Bank Limited

Type of Risk	Level of Aggregate Inherent Risk	Adequacy of Aggregate Risk Management Systems	Overall Composite Risk	Direction of Overall Composite Risk
Credit Risk	High	Inadequate	High	Increasing
Liquidity Risk	Moderate	Acceptable	Moderate	Stable
Interest Rate Risk	Moderate	Acceptable	Moderate	Stable
Foreign Exchange Risk	Low	Acceptable	Low	Stable
Strategic Risk	Moderate	Acceptable	Moderate	Increasing
Operational Risk	High	Acceptable	Moderate	Stable
Legal & Compliance Risk	High	Inadequate	High	Increasing
Reputational Risk	High	Acceptable	High	Stable
Overall Risk	High	Acceptable	High	Increasing

Overall Risk Matrix – ZB Building Society

Type of risk	Level of Aggregate Inherent Risk	Adequacy of Aggregate Risk Management Systems	Overall Composite Risk	Direction of Overall Composite Risk
Credit Risk	Low	Acceptable	Low	Stable
Liquidity Risk	Moderate	Acceptable	Moderate	Stable
Interest Rate Risk	Moderate	Acceptable	Low	Stable
Foreign Exchange Risk	Low	Acceptable	Low	Stable
Strategic Risk	Moderate	Acceptable	Moderate	Stable
Operational Risk	Moderate	Acceptable	High	Increasing
Legal & Compliance Risk	High	Weak	High	Increasing
Reputational Risk	Moderate	Acceptable	Moderate	Stable
Overall Risk	Moderate	Acceptable	Moderate	Stable

Entity	2023	2022	2021
ZB Bank Limited	BBB+	BBB+	BBB+
ZB Building Society	B-	B-	B-
ZB Reinsurance Company	A-	A-	BBB

The ratings for ZB Bank Limited and ZB Building Society expires in September 2023, whilst the rating for ZB Reinsurance expires in May 2024.

23. COMPLIANCE WITH REGULATIONS

23.1 Regulatory capital requirements

Commercial banks and building societies in Zimbabwe were required to maintain a minimum capital level of ZW\$ equivalent of USD30 million and USD20 million respectively, using the spot rate as at the reporting date. ZB Bank Limited met this requirement as at 31 December 2023, whilst ZB Building Society was not in compliant with this minimum regulatory capital requirement as at 31 December 2023. The Directors are confident that the Society will meet the rest of ZB Financial Holdings Limited's banking operations or through organic growth and capital injection as required and committed to in a letter of support provided by ZB Financial Holdings Limited to the Society.

23.2 Insurance operations

In terms of paragraph 3 of Statutory Instrument 206 of 2021, Amendment Regulations of 2021 (Number 22), paragraph 11B (1) was inserted to the principal regulations of the Insurance Act (Chapter 24:07) with the effect of setting the minimum prescribed assets ratios for insurers at the rate of 15% of the market value of total adjusted assets in the case life assurance businesses and 10% of the market value of total adjusted assets in the case of short-term re-insurance businesses.

ZB Life Assurance Limited did not comply with these ratios as at 31 December 2023, closing the year with ratio at 6.04% (Dec 2022: 6.01%). As further required by paragraph 11B sub-section 4, ZB Life Assurance has collaborated with the Insurance and Pensions Commissions (IPC) on the non-compliance as required by the Regulations, and provided a roadmap to remedy the non-compliance which is being tracked on a monthly basis. Compliance has been affected by the shortage of qualifying assets on the market. Furthermore, the ratio has been impacted on by an inflationary growth in the value of assets. The non-compliance persisted up to the date of release of these financial statements. No penalties have been levied on ZB Life Assurance Limited for the non-compliance.

ZB Reinsurance complied with this requirement as at 31 December 2023 with a ratio of 12% (2022: 10%).

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23.3 Other compliance issues

The directors are not aware of any other material cases of non-compliance with regulations governing the operations of all companies within the Group.

24. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

24.1 Introduction of new currency

Subsequent to 31 December 2023, on 5 April 2024, through the 2024 Monetary Policy Statement, the Reserve Bank of Zimbabwe (RBZ) (Central Bank) introduced a structured currency which is generally defined as a currency that is pegged to a specific exchange rate or currency basket and backed by a bundle of foreign exchange assets (potentially including gold). This means that the Central Bank can only issue domestic notes and coins when fully backed by a foreign "reserve" currency or foreign exchange assets and that the currency is fully convertible into the reserve currency on demand. The structured currency introduced is anchored by a composite basket of foreign currency and precious metals (mainly gold) held as reserves by the Reserve Bank of Zimbabwe.

With effect from 5 April 2024, Banks were required to convert the Zimbabwe Dollar (ZW\$) balances into the new currency called Zimbabwe Gold (ZiG). The new currency is co-circulating with other foreign currencies in the economy. The swap rate on 5 April 2024 was guided by the closing interbank exchange rate and the price of gold as at that date. The swap rate was used to make legitimate conversions of all ZW\$ balances into ZiG; these included deposits, loans and advances made by the sector; ZW\$ treasury bills; outstanding auction allotments; export surrender obligations.

On conversion of all current ZW\$ balances, banks were directed to rename all the current ZW\$ accounts as ZiG accounts. Gold-backed Digital Token (GBDT) accounts will no longer be called ZiG accounts but will be known as GBDT accounts. All ZW\$ notes and coins held by account holders will be credited into their ZiG accounts using the applicable conversion factor. Banks were directed to continue accepting ZW\$ deposits for a period of 21 days after 5 April 2024.

24.2 ZB Building Society Capitalisation

On 14 May 2024, in response to ZBFH's request for an extension of deadline to meet minimum capital requirement for ZB Building Society to 31 December 2024; the RBZ gave notice of intention to issue a written instruction directing ZB Building Society to comply with Section 29 of the Banking Act and Section 12 of the Banking Regulations Statutory Instrument 205 of 2000 which deal with the minimum capital compliance of financial institutions. The Group will respond to RBZ by 31 May 2024 detailing the timelines and processes to the proposed consolidation of banking operations namely ZB Bank Limited and ZB Building Society.

25. GOING CONCERN

The Board undertakes regular assessment of whether the Company and its subsidiaries is a going concern in the light of current economic conditions and all available information about future risks and uncertainties. The country's macroeconomic conditions have persisted in having a detrimental impact on the Group's operating environment. The negative factors, such as liquidity challenges, and price volatility will continue to affect how well the business performs. The Group have put in place strategies to avert the current economical challenges.

The Board has reviewed budgets for 2024 and the cash flow projections for the Group. The Board does not have any reason to conclude that the Group will not be a going concern for the foreseeable future. The going concern assumption has therefore been applied in the preparation of the inflation adjusted financial statements.

26. BOARDS ATTENDANCE YEAR 2023

ENTITY	ZBFH	ZBBL	ZBBS	ZBRE	ZBLA
TOTAL MEETINGS	7	5	4	4	4
*P CHIROMO (MRS)	3	X	X	X	X
*J MUTEVEDZI	3	X	X	X	X
T SIBANDA (MS)	7	X	X	X	X
****A MAKAMURE (MRS)	6	X	X	X	X
***S FUNGURA	7	5	2	4	X
***E MUNGONI (MRS)	7	X	2	X	X
****L ZEMBE	7	X	X	X	X
P M V WOOD	7	X	X	X	X
S DIMAIRHO	7	X	X	X	X
**S A SIBANDA	X	3	X	X	X
**P M MATUPIRE	X	4	X	X	X
**C MANDIZVIDZA	X	4	X	X	X
**G N MAHLANGU (MS)	X	4	X	X	X
F NYAMBIRI	X	5	X	X	X
P MURENA (MRS)	X	5	X	X	X
E MASINIRE	X	5	X	X	X
**E CHIVBURI	X	5	X	X	X
**P PARADZA	X	2	X	X	X
**T B VHIRIRI	X	2	X	X	X
**O MANDIMIKA	X	2	2	X	X
***S K CHIGANZE	X	X	2	X	X
T KAPUMHA	X	X	4	X	X
C MUCHINGAMI	X	X	4	X	X
***J KATSIDZIRA	X	2	2	X	X
***T F A MASIWA	X	X	2	X	X
F B CHIRIMUITA	X	X	X	4	X
****B SHUMBA	X	X	X	3	X
****K NYATSINE	X	X		4	
P MURAMBINDA (MRS)	X	X	X	4	X
A NYAKONDA	X	X	X	4	X
M SHONIWA (MRS)	X	X	X	4	X
C MASIMBE (MRS)	X	X	X	4	X
E T Z CHIDZONGA	X	X	X	X	4
L MAWIRE (MRS)	X	X	X	X	4
C MAKONI	X	X	X	X	4
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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION As at 31 December 2023

Notes	Inflation adjusted		*Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZW\$	Restated 31 Dec 2022 ZW\$	31 Dec 2023 ZW\$	Restated 31 Dec 2022 ZW\$
ASSETS				
Cash and cash equivalents	1 433 419 934 265	244 824 870 638	433 419 934 265	50 948 126 262
Treasury bills	2 146 462 737 890	80 552 503 787	146 462 737 890	16 762 999 295
Advances and other accounts	3 932 520 164 313	291 005 413 955	932 520 164 313	60 558 310 658
Inventories	4 3 171 561 506	1 365 034 955	2 376 014 907	277 343 553
Trade and other receivables	5 129 301 289 104	54 824 804 933	117 909 874 241	11 409 057 738
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	6 77 019 349 794	39 485 612 395	77 019 349 794	8 216 967 339
Financial assets held at amortised cost	7 3 926 716 299	3 135 936 427	3 926 716 299	652 589 276
Investment in subsidiary company	8 222 460 212 669	101 281 198 189	222 460 212 669	21 076 562 656
Right of use assets	9 63 224 961 152	10 492 992 451	27 108 990 725	1 108 645 780
Intangible assets	10 7 334 574 015	6 637 800 401	1 896 384 732	628 356 561
Property and equipment	11 144 522 819 728	75 194 509 572	129 602 955 322	15 647 999 153
Current Tax Asset	4 954 771 931	-	4 954 771 931	-
Deferred tax asset	16 -	2 231 093 845	7 019 570 430	312 520 108
Total assets	2 168 319 092 666	911 031 771 548	2 106 677 677 518	187 599 478 379
LIABILITIES				
Deposits from customers	12 1 132 046 409 464	516 517 192 913	1 132 046 409 464	107 487 376 967
Trade and other payables	13 298 979 632 686	89 284 242 699	292 582 505 631	18 580 076 684
Lease liabilities	14 40 404 309 314	28 419 198 785	40 404 309 314	5 914 043 472
Offshore borrowings	15 99 895 460 705	32 265 529 480	99 895 460 705	6 714 466 000
Current tax liabilities	-	2 043 593 272	-	425 272 350
Deferred tax	-	-	-	-
Total liabilities	1 583 312 170 562	668 529 757 149	1 564 928 685 114	139 121 235 473
EQUITY AND RESERVES				
Share capital	25 1 995 089 822	1 995 089 822	1 810 402	1 810 402
Share premium	25 36 390 145 325	36 320 246 459	78 396 005	32 958 032
Functional currency translation reserve	-	-	-	-
Property revaluation reserves	137 159 454 154	91 534 306 637	92 479 625 750	45 437 973
Investment reserves	(71 130 682 669)	(12 294 621 810)	(8 922 911 724)	(1 684 591 291)
Retained income	480 592 915 472	124 946 993 291	458 112 071 971	38 417 387 951
Total equity	585 006 922 104	242 502 014 399	541 748 992 404	48 478 242 906
Total equity and liabilities	2 168 319 092 666	911 031 771 548	2 106 677 677 518	187 599 478 379
STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME				
For the year ended 31 December 2023				
Notes	Inflation adjusted		*Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZW\$	Restated 31 Dec 2022 ZW\$	31 Dec 2023 ZW\$	Restated 31 Dec 2022 ZW\$
	Interest income calculated using the effective interest rate method	17.1.1 210 182 955 775	116 090 938 730	117 834 229 898
Other interest and related income	17.1.2 1 013 690 579	78 039 115	673 008 342	15 411 098
Interest expense calculated using the effective interest rate method	17.2.1 (94 410 437 386)	(26 063 047 520)	(64 890 124 972)	(4 033 349 954)
Other interest and related expenses	17.2.2 (54 646 840)	(5 463 604)	(36 357 533)	(864 970)
Net interest and related income received	116 731 562 128	90 100 466 721	53 580 755 735	14 043 786 418
Loan impairment charges, net of recoveries	18 (52 488 486 470)	(32 383 783 417)	(50 639 914 148)	(4 854 228 135)
Net income from lending activities	64 243 075 658	57 716 683 304	2 940 841 587	9 189 558 283
Commission and fee income	19 272 530 842 085	71 156 518 632	170 055 682 510	10 976 479 988
Operating income	20 303 048 788 657	78 378 983 671	290 625 884 784	14 760 156 324
Fair value adjustments	21 132 822 180 217	42 181 991 909	260 472 596 029	22 689 395 302
Total income	772 644 886 617	249 434 177 516	724 095 004 910	57 615 589 897
Operating expenses	22 (546 953 764 364)	(183 064 226 456)	(323 046 839 163)	(24 226 785 782)
Operating profit before taxation	225 691 122 253	66 369 951 060	401 048 165 747	33 388 804 115
Net monetary gain / (loss)	147 951 678 007	(2 180 077 759)	-	-
Profit before tax	373 642 800 260	64 189 873 301	401 048 165 747	33 388 804 115
Income tax (expense) / credit	23 (6 892 270 843)	4 274 286 310	21 611 881 087	(1 088 681 517)
Profit for the year	366 750 529 417	68 464 159 611	422 660 046 834	32 300 122 598
Other comprehensive income				
Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss				
Gain on revaluation-property, plant and equipment	11 60 948 016 944	1 935 566 998	103 716 904 709	7 836 069 967
Related tax	(15 048 971 306)	(351 328 447)	(22 628 620 677)	(693 988 838)
Items that may be reclassified to profit or loss				
Fair value loss on FVTOCI financial assets	(61 377 362 564)	(16 293 418 340)	(9 779 622 139)	(2 235 440 457)
Related tax	2 541 301 705	4 027 733 013	2 541 301 706	552 600 881
Other comprehensive income net of tax	(12 937 015 221)	(10 681 446 776)	73 849 963 599	5 459 241 553
Total comprehensive income for the year	353 813 514 196	57 782 712 835	496 510 010 433	37 759 364 151
Basic and fully diluted earnings per share (ZW cents)	2 025.80	378.17	2 334.62	178.41
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY				
For the year ended 31 December 2023				
Notes	Inflation adjusted		*Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZW\$	Restated 31 Dec 2022 ZW\$	31 Dec 2023 ZW\$	Restated 31 Dec 2022 ZW\$
	Share Capital	ZW\$	Share Premium	ZW\$
Balance 1 January 2022	1 995 089 822	36 320 246 459	90 087 118 052	(28 936 483)
Changes in equity for 2022	-	-	-	68 464 159 611
Profit or loss	-	-	-	68 464 159 611
Other comprehensive income, net of tax	-	-	-	68 464 159 611
**Revaluation of property	-	-	-	68 464 159 611
**Fair value gains on financial assets at FVTOCI	-	-	-	68 464 159 611
Distributions	-	-	-	68 464 159 611
Dividend to shareholders	-	-	-	68 464 159 611
Other movements	-	-	-	68 464 159 611
Transfer to retained income	-	-	-	68 464 159 611
Balance as at 1 January 2023	1 995 089 822	36 320 246 459	114 145 478 736	(8 095 093 483)
Correction of errors	-	-	-	124 946 993 291
Restated balance as at 1 January 2023	1 995 089 822	36 320 246 459	91 534 306 637	(12 294 621 810)
Changes in equity for 2023	-	-	-	124 946 993 291
Profit or loss	-	-	-	124 946 993 291
Other comprehensive income, net of tax	-	-	-	124 946 993 291
Revaluation of property	-	-	-	124 946 993 291
Fair value gains on financial assets at FVTOCI	-	-	-	124 946 993 291
Distributions	-	-	-	124 946 993 291
Dividend to shareholders	-	-	-	124 946 993 291
Other movements	-	-	-	124 946 993 291
Transfer to retained income	-	-	-	124 946 993 291
Movement in share premium	-	-	-	124 946 993 291
Balance as at 31 December 2023	1 995 089 822	36 390 145 325	137 159 454 154	(71 130 682 669)

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

For the year ended 31 December 2023

	Share capital ZW\$	Share premium ZW\$	Functional currency translation reserve ZW\$	Property and equipment revaluation reserve ZW\$	*Unaudited historical cost		
Financial assets at FVTOCI reserve ZW\$	Retained income ZW\$	Total ZW\$					

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2. TREASURY BILLS (continued)

- The Bank invested in treasury bills issued by the RBZ over an average period of 161 days (December 2022: 61 days) which were at an average rate of 27.83% (December 2022: 63%).
- The Bank purchased treasury bills from the secondary market. These treasury bills have an average coupon rate of 0.1755% (December 2022: 0%) with an average maturity period of 2 years (December 2022: 297 days).
- The Bank received treasury bills as substitution for debt instruments from the Zimbabwe Asset Management Company (ZAMCO). The treasury bills have a coupon rate of 5% (December 2022: 5%) and an average maturity period of 6 years (December 2022: 6 years).
- Capitalisation Treasury Bills (CTBs) with a face value of ZW\$20 000 000 were acquired on 26/05/2015 from the Government of Zimbabwe by the holding company, ZB Financial Holdings Limited (ZBFH). The CTBs were then used to recapitalise ZB Bank Limited, a 100% owned subsidiary of ZBFH. The CTBs mature on 26/05/2025 and carry a coupon of 1% which is payable on maturity.

Treasury bills amounting to ZW\$94 billion (2022: US\$665.1 million) were used as security for the Bank to access fixed deposits.

2.2 Determination of fair value of treasury bills

The fair value of treasury bills was determined using level 2 inputs due to lack of active market for treasury bills which are classified as "FVTPL". The Group used the discounted cash flow valuation technique by applying a risk discounted rate for comparable risk profiles on the contractual cash flows in order to determine the present value of the treasury bills.

Treasury bills purchased from the secondary market value were fair valued using TBs average yield market rate of 68%.

USD denominated Treasury bills fair value was computed using a proxy discount rate of 5% by reference to US Federal Reserve TBs with same tenor and adjusted for country risk.

Impairment assessment of treasury bills

Treasury bills were assessed for ECL in the current year in line with IFRS 9. Treasury bills, being local sovereign exposures have been assessed as "low risk" instruments and there were no defaults recorded in past on all Government Instruments. In addition, the Government of Zimbabwe has a strong capacity to meet its contractual cashflow obligations in the near term and an adverse in the economics and business conditions in the longer term may, but will not necessarily reduce the Government of Zimbabwe's ability to fulfil its obligations. The amount of ECL was insignificant as such no adjustment for impairment was recognized.

	Inflation adjusted		Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS

3. ADVANCES AND OTHER ACCOUNTS

3.1. Loans, overdrafts and other accounts at amortised cost

Mortgage loans	825 488 927 838	301 258 748 854	825 488 927 838	62 692 032 611
*Finance leases	55 765 144 946	10 456 720 724	55 765 144 946	2 176 046 601
Bills discounted	119 460 456 513	13 046 763 901	119 460 456 513	2 715 035 335
Gross advances	1 000 714 529 297	325 426 707 725	1 000 714 529 297	67 721 391 829

Off balance sheet exposures

In respect of guarantees

In respect of loan commitments

Gross credit exposure

Gross advances

Less: Allowance for loan impairment

Less: Staff benefit liability

Net advances

3.2 Maturity analysis

- On demand

- Within 1 month

- Between 1 and 6 months

- Between 6 and 12 months

- After 12 months

	Inflation adjusted		Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS

3.3 Loans and advances by business line:

Corporate lending

Small business lending	1 190 970 535 667	272 566 298 390	1 190 970 535 667	56 721 125 386
Consumer lending	31 884 028 832	13 169 842 301	31 884 028 832	2 740 647 985
Mortgage lending	242 751 315 010	77 277 634 328	242 751 315 010	16 081 498 014
Gross advances	55 765 144 946	10 456 720 724	55 765 144 946	2 176 046 601

Corporate lending includes guarantees and loan commitments.

3.4 Mortgage loans

Mortgage advances were spread as follows:

Type of property:

High density

Medium density

Low density

Commercial

	Inflation adjusted		Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS
1 553 724 921	538 557 059	1 553 724 921	112 073 879	
23 449 013 405	543 336 892	23 449 013 405	113 068 564	
12 621 919 155	6 089 081 959	12 621 919 155	1 267 139 714	
18 140 487 465	3 285 744 814	18 140 487 465	683 764 444	
55 765 144 946	10 456 720 724	55 765 144 946	2 176 046 601	

3.5 Finance lease receivables

	Inflation adjusted		Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS
Gross investment in finance leases:				
Maturing within 1 year	71 192 321 545	6 886 415 338	71 192 321 545	1 433 065 020
Maturing after 1 year	191 281 544 610	46 420 708 379	191 281 544 610	9 660 162 816
Gross investment in finance leases	262 473 866 155	53 307 123 717	262 473 866 155	11 093 227 836
Unearned finance charges	(143 013 409 642)	(40 260 359 816)	(143 013 409 642)	(8 378 192 501)
Net investment in finance leases	119 460 456 513	13 046 763 901	119 460 456 513	2 715 035 335
Maturing within 1 year	33 243 223 102	2 054 527 582	33 243 223 102	427 547 783
Maturing after 1 year	86 217 233 411	10 992 236 319	86 217 233 411	2 287 487 552
119 460 456 513	13 046 763 901	119 460 456 513	2 715 035 335	

	Inflation adjusted		Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	% Contribution	31 Dec 2022 ZWS	% Contribution
Private	294 648 203 018	29.44%	89 002 297 352	27.35%
Agriculture	87 943 663 445	8.79%	14 926 664 702	4.59%
Mining	138 725 610 726	13.86%	55 004 772 312	16.90%
Manufacturing	47 735 588 135	4.77%	9 606 822 274	2.95%
Distribution	53 539 175 877	5.35%	30 208 713 183	9.28%
Construction	15 506 893 165	1.55%	1 310 826 764	0.37%
Transport	33 225 856 824	3.32%	17 855 978 239	5.49%
Services	273 592 678 789	27.34%	87 120 232 243	26.77%
Financial	55 669 905 894	5.56%	20 451 916 166	5.56%
Communication	126 953 424	0.01%	38 474 490	0.01%
1 000 714 529 297	100%	325 426 707 725	100%	67 721 391 829

	Inflation adjusted		Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	% Contribution	31 Dec 202	



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3.12 Impairment allowance for loans and advances

	Inflation adjusted							
	ECL STAGE CLASSIFICATION							
	STAGE 1 ZWS	STAGE 2 ZWS	STAGE 3 ZWS	2023 TOTAL ZWS	STAGE 1 ZWS	STAGE 2 ZWS	STAGE 3 ZWS	2022 TOTAL ZWS
3.12.1 Total loans and advances								
Good (AAA to -A)	40 299 500 582	-	-	40 299 500 582	17 397 578 115	-	-	17 397 578 115
Special Mention (BBB+ to B-)	-	2 916 125 114	-	2 916 125 114	-	1 862 156 151	-	1 862 156 151
Non performing (CC to D)	-	3 460 087 456	-	3 460 087 456	-	360 539 371	-	360 539 371
TOTAL	40 299 500 582	2 916 125 114	3 460 087 456	46 675 713 152	17 397 578 115	1 862 156 151	360 539 371	19 620 573 637
Corporate Lending								
Good (AAA to -A)	27 745 220 363	-	-	27 745 220 363	13 694 528 197	-	-	13 694 528 197
Special Mention (BBB+ to B-)	-	1 045 722 887	-	1 045 722 887	-	1 425 481 384	-	1 425 481 384
Non performing (CC to D)	-	2 264 155 745	-	2 264 155 745	-	42 937 800	-	42 937 800
TOTAL	27 745 220 363	1 045 722 887	2 264 155 745	31 055 098 995	13 694 528 197	1 425 481 384	42 937 800	15 162 947 381
Small business Lending								
Good (AAA to -A)	1 061 586 577	-	-	1 061 586 577	750 408 448	-	-	750 408 448
Special Mention (BBB+ to B-)	-	63 708 744	-	63 708 744	-	3 736 554	-	3 736 554
Non performing (CC to D)	-	99 021 447	-	99 021 447	-	141 541 233	-	141 541 233
TOTAL	1 061 586 577	63 708 744	99 021 447	1 224 316 768	750 408 448	3 736 554	141 541 233	895 686 235
Consumer Lending								
Good (AAA to -A)	11 459 648 099	-	-	11 459 648 099	2 686 569 958	-	-	2 686 569 958
Special Mention (BBB+ to B-)	-	1 806 693 483	-	1 806 693 483	-	301 271 602	-	301 271 602
Non performing (CC to D)	-	1 094 736 992	-	1 094 736 992	-	170 771 698	-	170 771 698
TOTAL	11 459 648 099	1 806 693 483	1 094 736 992	14 361 078 574	2 686 569 958	301 271 602	170 771 698	3 158 613 258
Mortgage Lending								
Good (AAA to -A)	33 045 543	-	-	33 045 543	266 071 512	-	-	266 071 512
Special Mention (BBB+ to CCC-)	-	-	-	2 173 272	2 173 272	-	-	2 173 272
Non performing (CC to D)	-	-	-	2 173 272	2 173 272	-	-	5 288 640
TOTAL	33 045 543	-	-	35 218 815	266 071 512	131 666 611	5 288 640	403 028 763
Unaudited Historical cost								
	STAGE 1 ZWS	STAGE 2 ZWS	STAGE 3 ZWS	2023 TOTAL ZWS	STAGE 1 ZWS	STAGE 2 ZWS	STAGE 3 ZWS	2022 TOTAL ZWS
3.12.1 Total loans and advances								
Good (AAA to -A)	40 299 500 582	-	-	40 299 500 582	3 620 441 028	-	-	3 620 441 028
Special Mention (BBB+ to CCC-)	-	2 916 125 114	-	2 916 125 114	-	387 515 232	-	387 515 232
Non performing (CC to D)	-	3 460 087 456	-	3 460 087 456	-	75 028 348	-	75 028 348
TOTAL	40 299 500 582	2 916 125 114	3 460 087 456	46 675 713 152	3 620 441 028	387 515 232	4 082 984 608	
Corporate Lending								
Good (AAA to -A)	27 745 220 363	-	-	27 745 220 363	2 849 835 271	-	-	2 849 835 271
Special Mention (BBB+ to CCC-)	-	1 045 722 887	-	1 045 722 887	-	296 643 087	-	296 643 087
Non performing (CC to D)	-	2 264 155 745	-	2 264 155 745	-	8 935 369	-	8 935 369
TOTAL	27 745 220 363	1 045 722 887	2 264 155 745	31 055 098 995	2 849 835 271	296 643 087	8 935 369	3 155 413 727
Small business Lending								
Good (AAA to -A)	1 061 586 577	-	-	1 061 586 577	156 160 214	-	-	156 160 214
Special Mention (BBB+ to CCC-)	-	63 708 744	-	63 708 744	-	777 578	-	777 578
Non performing (CC to D)	-	99 021 447	-	99 021 447	-	29 454 771	-	29 454 771
TOTAL	1 061 586 577	63 708 744	99 021 447	1 224 316 768	156 160 214	777 578	29 454 771	186 392 563
Consumer Lending								
Good (AAA to -A)	11 459 648 099	-	-	11 459 648 099	559 075 984	-	-	559 075 984
Special Mention (BBB+ to CCC-)	-	1 806 693 483	-	1 806 693 483	-	62 694 707	-	62 694 707
Non performing (CC to D)	-	1 094 736 992	-	1 094 736 992	-	35 537 640	-	35 537 640
TOTAL	11 459 648 099	1 806 693 483	1 094 736 992	14 361 078 574	559 075 984	62 694 707	35 537 640	657 308 331
Mortgage Lending								
Good (AAA to -A)	33 045 543	-	-	33 045 543	55 369 559	-	-	55 369 559
Special Mention (BBB+ to CCC-)	-	-	-	2 173 272	2 173 272	-	-	2 173 272
Non performing (CC to D)	-	-	-	2 173 272	2 173 272	-	-	1 100 568
TOTAL	33 045 543	-	-	35 218 815	55 369 559	27 399 860	1 100 568	83 869 987
	STAGE 1 ZWS	STAGE 2 ZWS	STAGE 3 ZWS	2023 TOTAL ZWS	STAGE 1 ZWS	STAGE 2 ZWS	STAGE 3 ZWS	2022 TOTAL ZWS
3.12.2 Financial guarantees and loan commitments								
Guarantees	314 298 007	-	-	314 298 007	1 514 376 687	-	-	1 514 376 687
Total	314 298 007	-	-	314 298 007	1 514 376 687	-	-	1 514 376 687
Loan commitments								
Good (AAA to -A)	14 176 165 912	-	-	14 176 165 912	125 587 919	-	-	125 587 919
Total	14 176 165 912	-	-	14 176 165 912	125 587 919	-	-	125 587 919
	STAGE 1 ZWS	STAGE 2 ZWS	STAGE 3 ZWS	2023 TOTAL ZWS	STAGE 1 ZWS	STAGE 2 ZWS	STAGE 3 ZWS	2022 TOTAL ZWS
Inflation adjusted								
	STAGE 1 ZWS	STAGE 2 ZWS	STAGE 3 ZWS	2023 TOTAL ZWS	STAGE 1 ZWS	STAGE 2 ZWS	STAGE 3 ZWS	2022 TOTAL ZWS
ECL STAGE CLASSIFICATION								
	STAGE 1 ZWS	STAGE 2 ZWS	STAGE 3 ZWS	2023 TOTAL ZWS	STAGE 1 ZWS	STAGE		

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	Unaudited Historical cost					
	Computer software ZWS		Capital work in progress ZWS		Total ZWS	
10. INTANGIBLE ASSETS (continued)						
2023						
Cost or valuation						
Balance at 1 January 2023	173 062 734	483 965 397	657 028 131			
Additions	1 273 983 597	49 709 937	1 323 693 534			
Balance at 31 December 2023	1 447 046 331	533 675 334	1 980 721 665			
Accumulated amortisation						
Balance at 1 January 2023	28 671 570	-	28 671 570			
Charge to income statement (Note 22)	55 665 363	-	55 665 363			
Balance at 31 December 2023	84 336 933	-	84 336 933			
Carrying value at 31 December 2023	1 362 709 398	533 675 334	1 896 384 732			
2022						
Cost or valuation						
Balance at 1 January 2022	23 077 903	17 202 845	40 280 748			
Additions	149 984 831	466 762 552	616 747 383			
Balance at 31 December 2022	173 062 734	483 965 397	657 028 131			
Accumulated amortisation						
Balance at 1 January 2022	21 583 672	-	21 583 672			
Charge to income statement (Note 22)	7 087 898	-	7 087 898			
Balance at 31 December 2022	28 671 570	-	28 671 570			
Carrying value at 31 December 2022	144 391 164	483 965 397	628 356 561			
11. PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT						
2023						
Cost or valuation						
Balance at 1 January 2023	3 468 532 523	38 861 839 166	52 978 313 663	68 040 819 445	16 693 065 206	2 337 778 753
Additions	-	9 791 254 136	3 989 793 068	6 081 850 725	5 730 337 363	5 858 248 993
Gains on revaluation	3 109 123 168	-	4 845 785 506	42 368 736 918	10 624 371 352	-
Disposals	-	-	(132 753 727)	(26 706 466)	(495 369 011)	(654 829 204)
Transfer between categories	-	5 750 997 277	7 531 046	-	-	(5 758 528 323)
Other movements	-	-	-	-	-	(96 339 826)
Balance at 31 December 2023	6 577 655 691	54 404 090 579	61 688 669 556	116 464 700 622	32 552 404 910	2 341 159 597
Accumulated depreciation						
Balance at 1 January 2023	272 765 691	31 023 013 860	34 214 260 874	32 232 554 855	8 001 421 329	1 441 822 575
Charge to statement of profit or loss (Note 22)	-	1 552 584 921	3 618 514 231	12 545 801 487	4 784 890 114	-
Disposals	-	-	(26 104 453)	(6 811 921)	(148 952 336)	(181 868 710)
Balance at 31 December 2023	272 765 691	32 575 598 781	37 806 670 652	44 771 644 421	12 637 359 107	1 441 822 575
Net book value at 31 December 2023	6 304 890 000	21 828 491 798	23 881 998 904	71 693 056 201	19 915 045 803	899 337 022
2022						
Cost or valuation						
Balance at 1 January 2022	2 823 787 516	31 047 290 025	48 776 626 766	65 283 896 155	11 829 969 195	959 294 452
Additions	-	75 940 542	3 525 642 073	2 784 182 740	3 600 915 835 10 387	978 813
Gains on revaluation	644 745 007	-	-	-	1 290 821 991	-
Disposals	-	-	(139 266 230)	(27 259 450)	(28 641 815)	(195 167 495)
Transfer between categories	-	7 738 608 599	815 311 054	-	-	(8 553 919 653)
Other movements	-	-	-	-	-	(455 574 859)
Balance at 31 December 2022	3 468 532 523	38 861 839 166	52 978 313 663	68 040 819 445	16 693 065 206	2 337 778 753
Accumulated depreciation						
Balance at 1 January 2022	272 765 691	29 164 228 325	14 129 708 404	16 456 825 050	7 302 534 159	893 644 678
Charge to statement of profit or loss (Note 27)	-	304 778 095	1 411 937 350	6 615 032 433	704 794 544	-
Disposals	-	-	(10 280 267)	(6 132 866)	(5 907 374)	(22 320 507)
Impairment	-	1 554 007 440	18 682 895 387	9 166 830 238	548 177 897	29 951 910 962
Balance at 31 December 2022	272 765 691	31 023 013 860	34 214 260 874	32 232 554 855	8 001 421 329	1 441 822 575
Net book value at 31 December 2022	3 195 766 832	7 838 825 306	18 764 052 789	35 808 264 590	8 691 643 877	895 956 178
12. DEFERRED TAX ASSETS / (LIABILITIES)						
2023						
Cost or valuation						
Balance at 1 January 2023	665 040 000	1 705 280 487	4 142 701 228	8 640 157 908	1 961 267 087	186 448 739
Additions	-	4 477 463 642	2 408 956 038	3 745 300 104	3 219 759 770	1 941 297 514
Gains on revaluation	5 639 850 000	-	18 460 298 489	63 278 202 875	16 338 553 345	-
Disposals	-	-	(98 946 900)	(20 574 901)	(306 488 700)	(426 010 501)
Transfer between categories	-	1 953 931 333	7 531 046	-	-	(1 961 462 379)
Other movements	-	-	-	-	(20 048 346)	(20 048 346)
Balance at 31 December 2023	6 304 890 000	8 136 675 462	24 920 539 901	75 643 085 986	21 213 091 502	146 235 528
Accumulated depreciation						
Balance at 1 January 2023	-	74 018 680	237 896 424	1 188 447 707	152 533 485	-
Charge to statement of profit or loss (Note 27)	-	400 927 896	819 844 646	2 766 920 934	1 250 483 287	-
Disposals	-	-	(19 200 073)	(5 338 856)	(104 971 073)	(129 510 002)
Balance at 31 December 2023	-	474 946 576	1 038 540 997	3 950 029 785	1 298 045 699	-
Net book value at 31 December 2023	6 304 890 000	7 661 728 886	23 881 998 904	71 693 056 201	19 915 045 803	146 235 528
2022						
Cost or valuation						
Balance at 1 January 2022	154 430 000	143 754 049	2 135 968 632	3 217 374 052	326 694 490	478 522
Additions	-	14 134 137	616 027 230	404 831 338	589 889 342	1 944 683 667
Gains on revaluation	510 610 000	-	1 251 964 180	5 022 852 162	1 050 643 625	-
Disposals	-	-	(28 280 656)	(4 899 644)	(5 960 370)	(39 140 670)
Transfer between categories	-	1 547 392 301	167 021 842	-	-	(1 714 414 143)
Other movements	-	-	-	-	(44 299 307)	(44 299 307)
Balance at 31 December 2022	665 040 000	1 705 280 487	4 142 701 228	8 640 157 908	1 961 267 087	186 448 739
Accumulated depreciation						
Balance at 1 January 2022	-	29 760 038	38 564 543	261 552 773	52 619 298	-
Charge to statement of profit or loss (Note 27)	-	44 258 6				

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	Inflation adjusted		Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS
17. NET INTEREST AND RELATED INCOME				
17.1 Interest income calculated using the effective interest rate method				
Advances	137 015 797 864	88 878 609 956	75 517 093 023	13 911 824 371
Overdrafts	21 558 375 340	11 422 162 924	13 137 791 813	1 865 623 463
Establishment fees	19 312 789 912	6 884 473 635	10 321 429 417	941 022 097
Placements with other banks	11 106 339 881	7 445 164 354	155 262 740	
Financial assets at amortised cost	87 346 794	1 315 237 231	18 400 114	203 226 409
Treasury bills at FVTOCI	15 732 296 621	2 053 494 766	9 409 597 953	235 303 129
Treasury bills at FVTPL	5 370 009 363	4 486 198 459	1 984 753 224	750 328 035
	210 182 955 775	116 090 938 730	117 834 229 898	18 062 590 244
17.1.2 Other interest and related income				
Other interest categories	1 013 690 579	78 039 115	673 008 342	15 411 098
	1 013 690 579	78 039 115	673 008 342	15 411 098
17.2 Interest expense calculated using the effective interest rate method				
Customer deposits	27 846 017 477	16 901 087 477	14 515 385 133	2 511 191 851
Placements from other banks	17 144 282 005	3 087 023 108	10 696 067 442	543 064 362
Offshore borrowings	13 152 710 380	2 054 106 121	8 115 707 427	329 280 095
Lease liabilities	32 634 294 411	2 915 747 970	29 219 156 962	508 029 915
Productive sector facility	3 633 133 113	1 105 082 844	2 343 808 008	141 783 731
	94 410 437 386	26 063 047 520	64 890 124 972	4 033 349 954
17.2.2 Other interest and related expenses				
Other interest expenses	54 646 840	5 463 604	36 357 533	864 970
	54 646 840	5 463 604	36 357 533	864 970
Net interest and related income				
	116 731 562 128	90 100 466 721	53 580 755 735	14 043 786 418
18. ANALYSIS OF LOAN IMPAIRMENT CHARGES / (RECOVERIES) TO STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS				
Impairment charges on loans and overdrafts (Note 3.10)	48 712 002 517	31 685 180 374	42 593 499 535	4 793 409 611
Impairment (reversal) / charges on other financial assets (Note 7.3)	(10 139 860)	(116 180 132)	(6 591 447)	(6 523 746)
Impairment charges on guarantees (Note 24.1)	(42 950 447)	1 679 163 884	(844 218)	276 864 188
Impairment charges / (reversal) on undrawn facilities (Note 24.2)	14 450 907 239	230 895 300	14 150 031 030	24 546 943
Recoveries during the year	(10 621 332 979)	(1 095 276 009)	(6 096 180 752)	(234 068 861)
	52 488 486 470	32 383 783 417	50 639 914 148	4 854 228 135
19 COMMISSION AND FEE INCOME COMPRISES INCOME FROM:				
Digital channels	51 915 475 142	16 679 545 708	32 394 577 768	2 572 957 520
Management and service fees	215 597 672 675	43 536 646 868	134 530 129 118	6 715 886 925
Other commissions	5 017 694 268	10 940 326 056	3 130 975 624	1 687 635 543
	272 530 842 085	71 156 518 632	170 055 682 510	10 976 479 988
20. OPERATING INCOME				
Exchange gains realised	15 213 412 070	25 389 047 112	5 225 267 498	3 990 490 342
Net exchange gains (unrealised)	281 109 840 347	48 563 266 765	281 109 840 347	10 106 029 834
Dividends from other investments	2 155 757 224	1 460 356 599	1 017 242 753	216 804 845
Recoveries	2 166 686 713	2 230 334 121	1 824 433 620	359 077 900
Gain / (loss) on sale of equipment	1 204 068 750	(119 334 754)	766 663 245	(24 205 656)
Sundry	1 199 023 553	855 313 828	682 437 321	111 959 059
	303 048 788 657	78 378 983 671	290 625 884 784	14 760 156 324
21. FAIR VALUE ADJUSTMENTS				
Arising from fair value through profit or loss instruments				
Investment securities at fair value through profit or loss (Note 6.2)	21 709 598 414	1 133 944 579	52 978 243 472	5 361 617 844
Investment in subsidiary company (Note 8)	121 179 014 480	41 753 046 597	201 383 650 013	17 474 488 007
Treasury bills at fair value through profit or loss	(11 006 017 395)	(704 999 267)	140 847 943	(146 710 549)
Fair value adjustments of virtual tokens (note 6.2.)	939 584 718	-	5 969 854 601	-
	132 822 180 217	42 181 991 909	260 472 596 029	22 689 395 302
22. OPERATING EXPENSES				
Staff expenses	227 620 410 877	60 200 444 872	138 434 094 553	9 305 919 248
Communication expenses	9 451 860 679	2 868 628 443	6 819 059 302	448 072 739
Computer and information technology	61 325 443 206	16 558 138 790	35 604 265 680	2 719 964 538
Occupation expenses	41 056 684 239	5 046 103 189	15 905 385 326	710 469 145
Transport expenses	3 977 535 652	1 306 564 781	2 291 963 102	196 268 649
Travelling expenses	4 217 615 210	1 213 872 328	2 611 418 621	201 198 592
Administration expenses	199 304 214 501	95 870 474 053	121 380 651 579	10 644 892 871
	546 953 764 364	183 064 226 456	323 046 839 163	24 226 785 782
Included in administration expenses are the following:				
Depreciation charges on property and equipment (Note 11)	22 501 890 753	9 036 542 422	5 238 176 763	1 274 933 979
Amortisation of intangible assets (Note 10)	689 328 379	1 010 186 019	55 665 363	7 087 898
Depreciation charges on right of use Asset (Note 9)	7 965 469 643	2 102 308 196	6 438 485 928	255 326 523
Auditor's remuneration	2 617 994 188	1 960 263 362	1 175 208 988	283 873 238
23. INCOME TAX EXPENSE				
Current income tax expense	5 182 488 206	12 682 025 328	5 182 488 206	2 639 133 130
Deferred taxation charge / (credit)	1 709 782 637	(16 956 311 638)	(26 794 369 293)	(1 550 451 613)
- current	14 592 365 010	(16 956 311 638)	(22 189 369 084)	(1 550 451 613)
- effect of change in tax rate	(12 882 582 373)	-	(4 605 000 209)	-
	6 892 270 843	(4 274 286 310)	(21 611 881 087)	1 088 681 517
24. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES				
In respect of guarantees	42 449 612 577	15 058 970 583	42 449 612 577	3 133 776 126
In respect of undrawn loan commitments	478 206 882 581	32 984 817 435	478 206 882 581	6 864 150 031
	520 656 495 158	48 043 788 018	520 656 495 158	9 997 926 157
24.1 Impairment movement on guarantees				
Opening balance	1 514 376 686	632 313 090	315 142 225	38 278 037
Charge to statement of profit or loss (Note 18)	(42 950 447)	1 679 163 884	(844 218)	276 864 188
Effect of inflation adjusted	(1 157 128 232)	(797 100 288)	-	-
	314 298 007	1 514 376 686	314 298 007	315 142 225
24.2 Impairment movement on undrawn commitments				
Opening balance	125 587 919	26 231 089	26 134 882	1 587 939
Charge to statement (Note 18)	14 450 907 239	230 895 300	14 150 031 030	24 546 943
Profit or loss	(400 329 246)	(131 538 470)	-	-
	14 176 165 912	125 587 919	14 176 165 912	26 134 882
25. CAPITAL ADEQUACY				
Ordinary share capital	1 995 089 822	1 995 089 822	1 810 402	1 810 402
Share premium	36 390 145 325	36 320 246 459	78 396 005	32 958 032
Reserves	546 621 686 957	204 186 678 118	541 668 785 997	48 443 474 472
IFRS capital	585 006 922 104	242 502 014 399	541 748 992 404	48 478 242 906
Add / (less) Regulatory adjustments:				
Fair value adjustment on capitalization treasury bills	(889 753)	2 044 399	(889 753)	425 440
Interest in reserve	(2 089 220 657)	(875 187 077)	(2 089 220 657)	(182 126 683)
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26.2 Liquidity risk (continued)

The tables below set out the remaining contractual maturities of the Bank's financial assets and financial liabilities.

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26.3 Interest rate risk

Inflation adjusted					
Up to 1 month ZWS	2 to 6 months ZWS	7 to 12 months ZWS	Above 12 months ZWS	Carrying amount ZWS	
210 913 014 956	-	-	-	210 913 014 956	
6 471 304 005	433 209 596	-	139 558 224 289	146 462 737 890	
134 631 582 449	161 356 971 674	126 130 916 748	510 400 693 442	932 520 164 313	
352 015 901 410	161 790 181 270	126 130 916 748	649 958 917 731	1 289 895 917 159	
1 069 335 432 523	62 710 976 941	-	-	1 132 046 409 464	
-	99 895 460 705	-	-	99 895 460 705	
4 040 430 931	8 080 861 863	16 835 128 882	11 447 887 638	40 404 309 314	
1 073 375 863 454	170 687 299 509	16 835 128 882	11 447 887 638	1 272 346 179 483	
(721 359 962 044)	(8 897 118 239)	109 295 787 866	638 511 030 093	17 549 737 676	
(721 359 962 044)	(730 257 080 283)	(620 961 292 417)	17 549 737 676		
71 363 041 424	-	-	-	71 363 041 424	
-	32 312 347 179	-	48 240 156 608	80 552 503 787	
19 500 716 460	49 315 326 464	69 115 057 354	153 074 313 671	291 005 413 949	
-	806 288 526	254 245 155	-	1 060 533 681	
90 863 757 884	82 433 962 169	69 369 302 509	201 314 470 279	443 981 492 841	
498 432 502 878	17 363 880 698	720 809 337	-	516 517 192 913	
-	32 265 529 480	-	-	32 265 529 480	
-	-	11 841 332 827	16 577 865 958	28 419 198 785	
498 432 502 878	49 629 410 178	12 562 142 164	16 577 865 958	577 201 921 178	
(407 568 744 994)	32 804 551 991	56 807 160 345	184 736 604 321	(133 220 428 337)	
(407 568 744 994)	(374 764 193 003)	(317 957 032 658)	(133 220 428 337)		
Unaudited Historical Cost					
Up to 1 month ZWS	2 to 6 months ZWS	7 to 12 months ZWS	Above 12 months ZWS	Carrying amount ZWS	
210 913 014 956	-	-	-	210 913 014 956	
6 471 304 005	433 209 596	-	139 558 224 289	146 462 737 890	
134 631 582 449	161 356 971 674	126 130 916 748	510 400 693 442	932 520 164 313	
352 015 901 410	161 790 181 270	126 130 916 748	649 958 917 731	1 289 895 917 159	
1 069 335 432 523	62 710 976 941	-	-	1 132 046 409 464	
-	99 895 460 705	-	-	99 895 460 705	
4 040 430 931	8 080 861 863	16 835 128 882	11 447 887 638	40 404 309 314	
1 073 375 863 454	170 687 299 509	16 835 128 882	11 447 887 638	1 272 346 179 483	
(721 359 962 044)	(8 897 118 239)	109 295 787 866	638 511 030 093	17 549 737 676	
(721 359 962 044)	(730 257 080 283)	(620 961 292 417)	17 549 737 676		
14 850 669 523	-	-	-	14 850 669 523	
-	6 724 208 777	-	10 038 790 518	16 762 999 295	
4 058 104 725	10 262 553 675	14 382 863 389	31 854 808 869	60 558 310 658	
-	167 788 875	52 908 490	-	220 697 365	
18 908 774 248	17 154 531 327	14 435 771 879	41 893 599 387	92 392 676 841	
103 723 947 750	3 613 428 586	150 000 631	-	107 487 376 967	
-	6 714 466 000	-	-	6 714 466 000	
-	-	2 464 184 780	3 449 858 692	5 914 043 472	
103 723 947 750	10 327 894 586	2 614 185 411	3 449 858 692	120 115 886 439	
(84 815 173 502)	6 826 636 741	11 821 586 468	38 443 740 695	(27 723 209 598)	

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION As at 31 December 2023

Notes	Inflation adjusted		*Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZW\$	31 Dec 2022 ZW\$	31 Dec 2023 ZW\$	31 Dec 2022 ZW\$
ASSETS				
Cash and cash equivalents	15 730 542 024	19 972 376 665	15 730 542 024	4 156 257 350
Treasury bills	2 154 570 368	-	2 154 570 368	-
Loans and other advances	15 480 078 940	7 576 953 551	15 480 078 940	1 576 766 221
Trade and other receivables	13 796 859 722	2 295 237 360	13 796 256 707	477 639 557
Inventories	84 390 337	84 390 337	17 146 166	17 146 166
Financial assets "at Fair Value Through Profit or Loss"	7 296 623 408	4 384 375 358	7 296 623 408	912 389 778
Right of use assets	454 006 018	501 777 265	92 288 516	104 419 994
Property and equipment	1 375 459 676	1 392 731 470	984 345 293	289 827 821
Investment properties	65 265 197 000	31 837 317 676	65 265 197 000	6 625 355 000
Investment in subsidiaries	34 430 848 075	17 211 056 534	34 430 848 075	3 581 624 075
Total assets	156 068 575 568	85 256 216 216	155 247 896 497	17 741 425 962
LIABILITIES				
Deposits from customers	30 988 161 213	15 709 504 562	30 988 161 213	3 269 152 435
Trade and other payables	5 498 624 488	11 390 624 304	5 498 624 488	2 370 392 206
Lease liabilities	810 549 032	578 009 535	810 549 032	120 283 951
Deferred tax liabilities	3 263 259 850	1 591 865 884	3 263 259 850	331 267 750
Total liabilities	40 560 594 583	29 270 004 285	40 560 594 583	6 091 096 342
EQUITY				
Share capital	1 052 219 370	1 052 219 370	954 814	954 814
Share premium	9 832 360 539	9 804 575 787	26 958 516	8 896 953
Reserves	104 623 401 076	45 129 416 774	114 659 388 584	11 640 477 853
Total equity	115 507 980 985	55 986 211 931	114 687 301 914	11 650 329 620
Total equity and liabilities	156 068 575 568	85 256 216 216	155 247 896 497	17 741 425 962

*The historical cost financial information is shown as supplementary information. This information does not comply with the International Financial Reporting Standards in that it has not taken into account the requirements of International Accounting Standard 29 – Financial Reporting for Hyperinflationary Economies. As a result, the auditors have not expressed an opinion on the historical cost financial information.

STATEMENT OF PROFIT OR LOSS AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME For the year ended 31 December 2023

Notes	Inflation adjusted		*Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZW\$	31 Dec 2022 ZW\$	31 Dec 2023 ZW\$	31 Dec 2022 ZW\$
Interest income calculated using effective interest rate				
16.1.1	6 379 968 300	2 818 582 848	3 199 801 103	412 743 032
Other interest and related income	2 089 124 761	1 082 317 029	831 114 532	180 253 578
Interest expense calculated using effective interest rate	(125 823 789)	(56 317 739)	(74 290 867)	(7 991 957)
Other interest and related expense	(169 853 239)	(35 866 405)	(64 756 165)	(4 109 812)
Net interest and related income	8 173 416 033	3 808 715 733	3 891 868 603	580 894 841
Allowance for loan impairment	(867 352 313)	(272 267 909)	(860 483 634)	(56 659 030)
Net income from lending activities	7 306 063 720	3 536 447 824	3 031 384 969	524 235 811
Commissions, fees and operating income	32 417 221 289	8 226 380 100	23 501 399 019	1 252 543 865
Fair value adjustments	53 559 918 915	20 553 523 082	95 873 299 630	9 128 978 872
Total income	93 283 203 924	32 316 351 006	122 406 083 618	10 905 758 548
Total operating expenses	(29 297 772 806)	(7 658 670 680)	(16 789 945 098)	(1 174 010 465)
Operating profit	63 985 431 118	24 657 680 326	105 616 138 520	9 731 748 083
Net monetary loss	(1 407 059 446)	(2 499 508 503)	-	-
Profit before taxation	62 578 371 672	22 158 171 823	105 616 138 520	9 731 748 083
Income tax expense	(1 671 393 966)	(666 342 017)	(2 931 992 100)	(275 239 750)
Profit for the year	60 906 977 706	21 491 829 806	102 684 146 420	9 456 508 333
Other comprehensive income:				
Items that will not be reclassified to profit or loss				
Gains on property and equipment revaluation	202 976 658	243 726 546	715 664 970	121 397 227
Items that will be reclassified to profit or loss:				
Fair value losses on FVTOCI financial instruments	(1 615 970 062)	-	(362 839 096)	-
Other comprehensive income for the year	(1 412 993 404)	243 726 546	352 825 874	121 397 227
Total comprehensive income for the year	59 493 984 302	21 735 556 352	103 036 972 294	9 577 905 560

*The historical cost financial information is shown as supplementary information. This information does not comply with the International Financial Reporting Standards in that it has not taken into account the requirements of International Accounting Standard 29 – Financial Reporting for Hyperinflationary Economies. As a result, the auditors have not expressed an opinion on the historical cost financial information.

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY For the year ended 31 December 2023

	Inflation adjusted				
	Ordinary shares ZWS	Share premium ZWS	Property revaluation reserve ZWS	Financial assets held at FVTOCI reserve ZWS	Retained income ZWS
Balance at 1 January 2022					
1 052 219 370	9 804 575 787	642 222 951	-	22 751 637 471	34 250 655 579
Changes in equity for 2022					
Profit or loss					
Profit for the year	-	-	-	21 491 829 806	21 491 829 806
Other comprehensive income, net of tax					
Revaluation of property and equipment			243 726 546	-	243 726 546
Balance at 31 December 2022	1 052 219 370	9 804 575 787	885 949 497	- 44 243 467 277	55 986 211 931
Changes in equity for 2023					
Profit or loss					
Profit for the period	-	-	-	60 906 977 706	60 906 977 706
Other comprehensive income, net of tax					
Revaluation of property and equipment			202 976 658	-	202 976 658
Fair value losses on medium term Treasury bills			- (1 615 970 062)	-	- (1 615 970 062)
Other movements	-	27 784 752	-	-	27 784 752
Transfer to Share premium					
Balance at 31 December 2023	1 052 219 370	9 832 360 539	1 088 926 155	(1 615 970 062)	105 150 444 983
					115 507 980 985

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (continued)

For the year ended 31 December 2023

	*Unaudited Historical cost						
	Ordinary shares ZWS	Share premium ZWS	Functional currency translation reserve ZWS	Property revaluation reserve ZWS	Financial assets held at FVTOCI reserve ZWS	Retained income ZWS	Total ZWS

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	Inflation adjusted		Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS
3.5 Non-performing debt				
Non-performing loans and advances	28 134 684	32 696 502	28 134 684	6 804 151
Less: Allowance for loan impairment	(15 811 872)	(18 375 642)	(15 811 872)	(3 823 976)
Value to be received from security held	12 322 812	14 320 860	12 322 812	2 980 175

3.6 Non-performing debt

For the secured non-performing loans, security exists in the form of liens registered over funded accounts, bonds registered over landed property and guarantees in various forms. The Society discounts the value of the security at hand using internal thresholds for prudential purposes. Generally, no security value is placed on ordinary guarantees. In inflation adjusted terms the internally discounted value of security held in respect of the non-performing book amounted to ZW\$273 845 416 as at 31 December 2023 (2022: ZW\$9 584 970) and unaudited historic cost terms it was ZW\$273 854 416 as at 31 December 2023 (2022: ZW\$1 994 635).

	Inflation adjusted			
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	Percentage Contribution	31 Dec 2022 ZWS	Percentage Contribution
3.7 Sectorial analysis				
Private Manufacturing	13 477 924 851	82%	6 720 425 043	85%
Distribution	2 219 672 295	14%	1 189 446 573	15%
Construction	2 040 502	0%	2 179 942	0%
Services	1 377 981	0%	-	0%
	714 460 926	4%	24 891 793	0%
	16 415 476 555	100%	7 936 943 351	100%

	Unaudited Historical cost			
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	Percentage Contribution	31 Dec 2022 ZWS	Percentage Contribution
Private Manufacturing	13 477 924 851	82%	1 398 522 391	85%
Distribution	2 219 672 295	14%	247 524 175	15%
Construction	2 040 502	0%	453 646	0%
Services	1 377 981	0%	-	0%
	714 460 926	4%	5 179 989	0%
	16 415 476 555	100%	1 651 680 203	100%

	Inflation adjusted		Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS
4. TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES				
Sundry debtors and other accounts	13 796 087 847	2 294 422 022	13 796 087 847	477 469 885
Intercompany balances	10 396	53 859	10 396	11 208
Prepayments	761 479	761 479	158 464	158 464
	13 796 859 722	2 295 237 360	13 796 256 707	477 639 557

	Inflation adjusted		Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS
5. INVENTORIES				
Inventories comprise of;				
Serviced land held for resale	84 390 337	84 390 337	17 146 166	17 146 166

	Inflation adjusted		Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS
6. FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS				
6.1 Equity investments				
Unlisted equity investments				
Balance at beginning of year	4 384 375 358	4 020 635 500	912 389 778	243 395 307
Fair value gain (note 22)	2 912 248 050	363 739 858	6 384 233 630	668 994 471
Balance at end of year	7 296 623 408	4 384 375 358	7 296 623 408	912 389 778

All equity investments are non-current assets.

6.2 Measurements of fair value

The fair value of the investment in unlisted equity investments has been categorized into Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy.

	Inflation adjusted			
	Level 1 ZWS	Level 2 ZWS	Level 3 ZWS	Total ZWS
2023				
Unlisted equity investments	-	-	7 296 623 408	7 296 623 408
2022				
Unlisted equity investments	-	-	4 384 375 358	4 384 375 358

	Unaudited Historical cost			
	Level 1 ZWS	Level 2 ZWS	Level 3 ZWS	Total ZWS
2023				
Unlisted equity investments	-	-	7 296 623 408	7 296 623 408
2022				
Unlisted equity investments	-	-	912 389 778	912 389 778

7. RIGHT OF USE ASSETS

The Society recognises right of use assets in respect of non-cancellable lease agreements that are classified as neither short-term nor low value leases in terms of accounting policy note 3.10.2. Right of use assets relate to leased branch premises, there are no residual value guarantees. Lease modifications relate to changes in lease rentals and incremental borrowing rates. The movement in the right of use asset during the year was as follows:

	Inflation adjusted		Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS
Balance at beginning of year	501 777 265	11 386 683	104 419 994	689 310
Arising from lease modification	39 697 861	531 907 520	21 215 923	110 690 109
Depreciation charge	(87 469 108)	(41 516 938)	(33 347 399)	(6 959 425)
Balance at end of year	454 006 018	501 777 265	92 288 518	104 419 994

The corresponding lease liabilities matching the above assets are discussed in note 16.

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8. PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

	Inflation adjusted				
Leasehold improvements ZWS	Motor vehicles ZWS	Office furniture & equipment ZWS	Computer equipment ZWS	Total ZWS	

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	Inflation adjusted		Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZW\$	31 Dec 2022 ZW\$	31 Dec 2023 ZW\$	31 Dec 2022 ZW\$
11. DEPOSITS FROM CUSTOMERS				
11.1 Deposit by type				
Demand accounts	30 967 754 820	15 620 817 525	30 967 754 820	3 250 696 637
Savings accounts	3 799 369	5 382 372	3 799 369	1 120 073
Fixed deposits	16 607 024	83 304 665	16 607 024	17 335 725
	30 988 161 213	15 709 504 562	30 988 161 213	3 269 152 435

Interest for demand accounts was paid at an average paying rate of 0.5% per annum for the year ended 31 December 2023 (2022: 0.5%), for savings accounts interest was paid at 4% (2022: 4%), while for fixed deposits interest was paid at an average rate of 9% per annum (2022: 9%).

	Inflation adjusted		Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZW\$	31 Dec 2022 ZW\$	31 Dec 2023 ZW\$	31 Dec 2022 ZW\$
11.2 Maturity analysis				
On demand	30 974 290 465	15 621 478 380	30 974 290 465	3 250 834 161
Within 1 month	842 916	2 761 324	842 916	574 632
1 month to 6 months	904 873	3 004 138	904 873	625 162
6 months to 12 months	216 399	713 309	216 399	148 440
More than 1 year	11 906 560	81 547 411	11 906 560	16 970 040
	30 988 161 213	15 709 504 562	30 988 161 213	3 269 152 435

	Inflation adjusted		Unaudited Historical cost					
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	% Contribution	31 Dec 2022 ZWS	% Contribution				
31 Dec 2023 ZWS	% Contribution	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	% Contribution	31 Dec 2022 ZWS	% Contribution			
11.3 Sectoral analysis								
Private individuals	27 474 901 098	89%	10 628 785 099	68%	27 474 901 098	89%	2 211 853 247	68%
Financial institutions	61 291 012	0%	3 593 652	0%	61 291 012	0%	747 840	0%
Communication	196 124 074	1%	10 932 906	0%	196 124 074	1%	2 275 141	0%
Manufacturing	74 231 321	0%	160 399 695	1%	74 231 321	0%	33 379 223	1%
Distribution	698 120 123	2%	495 944 174	3%	698 120 123	2%	103 206 126	3%
Construction	1 939 745 613	6%	3 467 450 055	22%	1 939 745 613	6%	721 577 358	22%
Agriculture	324 185 624	1%	481 404 011	3%	324 185 624	1%	100 180 314	3%
Services	219 562 348	1%	460 994 970	3%	219 562 348	1%	95 933 186	3%
	30 988 161 213	100%	15 709 504 562	100%	30 988 161 213	100%	3 269 152 435	100%

	Inflation adjusted		Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZW\$	31 Dec 2022 ZW\$	31 Dec 2023 ZW\$	31 Dec 2022 ZW\$
12. TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES				
Leave pay provision	85 070 809	48 978 988	85 070 809	10 192 541
Creditors and other accounts	2 251 309 519	8 781 002 294	2 251 309 519	1 827 329 113
Deferred income	302 485 120	153 116 348	302 485 120	31 863 556
Intercompany balances	2 859 759 040	2 407 526 674	2 859 759 040	501 006 996
	5 498 624 488	11 390 624 304	5 498 624 488	2 370 392 206

All trade and other payables are current liabilities

13. LEASE LIABILITIES

The Society leases a banking hall under non-cancellable lease agreements. The lease terms are between 4 and 10 years, and the majority of lease agreements are renewable at the end of the lease period at market rate.

In terms of note 3.9 the Society recognises a lease liability in respect of discounted future payment commitments and accrued notional interest cost, net of any actual payments made during the period for all non-cancellable lease commitments that are assessed as neither short-term nor low value leases.

The movement in the lease liability during the year was as follows:

	Inflation adjusted		Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZW\$	31 Dec 2022 ZW\$	31 Dec 2023 ZW\$	31 Dec 2022 ZW\$
Balance at beginning of year	578 009 535	12 064 570	120 283 951	730 347
Lease modification	39 697 861	531 907 520	21 215 923	110 690 109
Accrued interest expense posted to profit or loss	169 853 239	35 866 405	64 756 165	4 109 812
Lease commitments paid during the year	(935 957 773)	(18 848 595)	(194 773 083)	(2 638 863)
Gain on lease modification	(15 175 418)	(521 539 985)	(8 110 273)	(108 532 621)
Exchange loss on lease liabilities	807 176 348	557 063 942	807 176 349	115 925 167
Effects of inflation adjustment	166 945 240	(18 504 322)	-	-
Balance at end of year	810 549 032	578 009 535	810 549 032	120 283 951

There were no lease additions during the year.

The Society has estimated that the potential future lease payments, should it exercise the extension option, would be;

	Inflation adjusted		Unaudited Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZW\$	31 Dec 2022 ZW\$	31 Dec 2023 ZW\$	31 Dec 2022 ZW\$
Below 1 year	323 061 920	1 552 433 790	323 061 920	323 061 920
Between 1 and 5 years	969 185 760	6 209 735 162	969 185 760	1 292 247 680
	1 292 247 680	7 762 168 952	1 292 247 680	1 615 309 600

14. DEFERRED TAX LIABILITIES

	Inflation adjusted		
	Balance at 1 January ZW\$	Recognised in profit or loss ZW\$	Balance at 31 December ZW\$
2023			
Investment properties	1 591 865 884	1 671 393 966	3 263 259 850
2022			
Investment properties	925 523 867	666 342 017	1 591 865 884
2023			
Investment properties	331 267 750	2 931 992 100	3 263 259 850
2022			
Investment properties	56 028 000	27	

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22. RISK MANAGEMENT

22.1 Capital risk management

Capital adequacy ratio

	Inflation adjusted		Historical cost	
	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS	31 Dec 2023 ZWS	31 Dec 2022 ZWS
Share capital	1 052 219 370	1 052 219 370	954 814	954 814
Share premium	9 832 360 539	9 804 575 787	26 958 516	8 896 953
Retained income	105 150 444 983	44 243 467 277	114 154 806 784	11 470 660 364
Tier 1 Capital	116 035 024 892	55 100 262 434	114 182 720 114	11 480 512 131
Functional currency translation reserve	-	-	-	18 061 563
Revaluation reserves	1 088 926 155	885 949 497	867 420 896	151 755 926
Revaluation reserves	(1 615 970 062)	-	(362 839 096)	-
Tier 2 Capital	(527 043 907)	885 949 497	504 581 800	169 817 489
Total capital base	115 507 980 985	55 986 211 931	114 687 301 914	11 650 329 620
Credit risk weighted assets	134 348 890 156	64 848 292 494	134 348 890 156	13 494 948 390
Operational risk equivalent assets	64 871 321 565	30 560 240 334	64 871 321 565	6 359 594 837
Total risk weighted assets	199 220 211 721	95 408 532 828	199 220 211 721	19 854 543 227

22.2.2 Classification and measurement of financial assets and liabilities

The following table shows the carrying amounts and the fair values of financial assets and financial liabilities, including their levels in the fair value hierarchy. It does not include fair value information for financial assets and financial liabilities not measured at fair value if the carrying amount is not a reasonable approximation of fair value.

	Inflation adjusted								
	CARRYING AMOUNT				FAIR VALUE				
	Instruments at FVTPL ZWS	Amortised cost ZWS	Instruments at FVOCI ZWS	Non-financial instruments ZWS	Total ZWS	Level 1 ZWS	Level 2 ZWS	Level 3 ZWS	Total ZWS
As at 31 December 2023									
Financial assets measured at fair value									
Financial assets at FVTPL	7 296 623 408	-	-	-	7 296 623 408	-	-	7 296 623 408	7 296 623 408
Treasury bills	-	-	2 154 570 368	-	2 154 570 368	-	-	2 154 570 368	2 154 570 368
Investments in subsidiaries	34 430 848 075	-	-	-	34 430 848 075	-	-	34 430 848 075	34 430 848 075
41 727 471 483	-	2 154 570 368	-	43 882 041 851	-	-	43 882 041 851	43 882 041 851	
Financial assets not measured at fair value									
Trade and other receivables	-	13 745 171 143	-	51 688 579	13 796 859 722	-	-	-	-
Loans and advances	-	15 480 078 940	-	-	15 480 078 940	-	-	-	-
Cash and cash equivalent	-	15 730 542 024	-	-	15 730 542 024	-	-	-	-
-	44 955 792 107	-	51 688 579	45 007 480 866	-	-	-	-	-
Financial liabilities not measured at fair value									
Trade and other payables	-	(5 196 139 368)	-	(302 485 120)	(5 498 624 488)	-	-	-	-
Deposits from customers	-	(30 988 161 213)	-	-	(30 988 161 213)	-	-	-	-
-	(36 184 300 581)	-	(302 485 120)	(36 486 785 701)	-	-	-	-	-
As at 31 December 2022									
Financial assets measured at fair value									
Financial assets at FVTPL	4 384 375 358	-	-	-	4 384 375 358	-	-	4 384 375 358	4 384 375 358
Investments in subsidiaries	17 211 056 534	-	-	-	17 211 056 534	-	-	17 211 056 534	17 211 056 534
21 595 431 892	-	-	-	21 595 431 892	-	-	21 595 431 892	21 595 431 892	
Financial assets not measured at fair value									
Trade and other receivables	-	2 293 017 560	-	2 219 800	2 295 237 360	-	-	-	-
Loans and advances	-	7 576 953 551	-	-	7 576 953 551	-	-	-	-
Cash and cash equivalents	-	19 972 376 665	-	-	19 972 376 665	-	-	-	-
-	29 842 347 776	-	2 219 800	29 844 567 576	-	-	-	-	-
Financial liabilities not measured at fair value									
Trade and other payables	-	(11 237 507 956)	-	(153 116 348)	(11 390 624 304)	-	-	-	-
Deposits from customers	-	(15 709 504 562)	-	-	(15 709 504 562)	-	-	-	-
-	(26 947 012 518)	-	(153 116 348)	(27 100 128 866)	-	-	-	-	-

	Unaudited Historical cost								
	CARRYING AMOUNT				FAIR VALUE				
	Instruments at FVTPL ZWS	Amortised cost ZWS	Instruments at FVOCI ZWS	Non-financial instruments ZWS	Total ZWS	Level 1 ZWS	Level 2 ZWS	Level 3 ZWS	Total ZWS
As at 31 December 2023									
Financial assets measured at fair value									
Financial assets at FVTPL	7 296 623 408	-	-	-	7 296 623 408	-	-	7 296 623 408	7 296 623 408
Treasury bills	-	-	2 154 570 368	-	2 154 570 368	-	-	2 154 570 368	2 154 570 368
Investments in subsidiaries	34 430 848 075	-	-	-	34 430 848 075	-	-	34 430 848 075	34 430 848 075
41 727 471 483	-	2 154 570 368	-	43 882 041 851	-	-	43 882 041 851	43 882 041 851	
Financial assets not measured at fair value									
Trade and other receivables	-	13 745 171 143	-	51 085 564	13 796 256 707	-	-	-	-
Loans and advances	-	15 480 078 940	-	-	15 480 078 940	-	-	-	-
Cash and cash equivalent	-	15 730 542 024	-	-	15 730 542 024	-	-	-	-
-	44 955 792 107	-	51 085 564	45 006 877 671	-	-	-	-	-
Financial liabilities not measured at fair value									
Trade and other payables	-	(5 196 139 368)	-	(302 485 120)	(5 498 624 488)	-	-	-	-
Deposits from customers	-	(30 988 161 213)	-	-	(30 988 161 213)	-	-	-	-
-	(36 184 300 581)	-	(302 485 120)	(36 486 785 701)	-	-	-	-	-

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22.4.1 Interest rate gap analysis (continued)

	Unaudited Historical cost				
	Up to 1 month ZW\$	2 to 6 months ZW\$	7 to 12 months ZW\$	Above 12 months ZW\$	Carrying amount ZW\$
As at 31 December 2023					
Financial assets by type					
Balances with banks	8 804 295 328	-	-	-	8 804 295 328
Treasury bills	2 154 570 368	-	-	-	2 154 570 368
Loans and other advances	1 748 738 846	2 630 726 841	3 597 108 137	7 503 505 116	15 480 078 940
	12 707 604 542	2 630 726 841	3 597 108 137	7 503 505 116	26 438 944 636
Financial liability by type					
Deposits from customers	30 975 133 381	904 873	216 399	11 906 560	30 988 161 213
Sensitivity gap	(18 267 528 839)	2 629 821 968	3 596 891 738	7 491 598 556	(4 549 216 577)
Cumulative gap	(18 267 528 839)	(15 637 706 871)	(12 040 815 133)	(4 549 216 577)	-
As at 31 December 2022					
Financial assets by type					
Balances with banks	3 647 721 458	-	-	-	3 647 721 458
Money market investments	-	-	-	-	-
Loans and other advances	85 933 493	118 341 697	735 730 213	636 760 818	1 576 766 221
	3 733 654 951	118 341 697	735 730 213	636 760 818	5 224 487 679
Financial liability by type					
Deposits from customers	3 251 408 793	625 162	148 440	16 970 040	3 269 152 435
Sensitivity gap	482 246 158	117 716 535	735 581 773	619 790 778	1 955 335 244
Cumulative gap	482 246 158	599 962 693	1 335 544 466	1 955 335 244	-

22.5 Credit risk

22.5.1 Total loans and advances

	Inflation adjusted 2023				Inflation adjusted 2022			
	STAGE 1 ZW\$	STAGE 2 ZW\$	STAGE 3 ZW\$	TOTAL ZW\$	STAGE1 ZW\$	STAGE 2 ZW\$	STAGE 3 ZW\$	TOTAL ZW\$
Total loans and advances								
Good (AAA to BBB-)	15 321 527 361	862 412 837	85 249 396	16 269 189 594	7 683 979 236	131 162 875	20 106 469	7 835 248 580
Special mention (BB+ to CCC-)	106 221 320	8 084 754	3 335 082	117 641 156	64 765 393	2 362 342	1 870 536	68 998 271
Non-performing (CC+ to D)	-	-	28 645 805	-	-	-	32 696 500	-
Total loans and advances	15 427 748 681	870 497 591	117 230 283	16 415 476 555	7 748 744 629	133 525 217	54 673 505	7 936 943 351
Treasury bills	2 154 570 368	-	-	2 154 570 368	-	-	-	-
Total exposures	17 582 319 049	870 497 591	117 230 283	18 570 046 923	7 748 744 629	133 525 217	54 673 505	7 936 943 351
Mortgage lending								
Good (AAA to BBB-)	13 197 550	-	970	13 198 520	62 011 500	-	3 220	62 014 720
Special mention (BB+ to CCC-)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-performing (CC+ to D)	-	-	150	150	-	-	36 069	36 069
Total	13 197 550	-	1 120	13 198 670	62 011 500	-	39 289	62 050 789
Consumer lending								
Good (AAA to BBB-)	12 382 845 732	860 796 957	82 938 507	13 326 578 196	6 408 663 432	130 408 522	19 952 817	6 559 024 771
Special mention (BB+ to CCC-)	106 221 320	3 376 728	3 335 082	112 933 130	64 765 393	2 313 236	1 858 700	68 937 329
Non-performing (CC+ to D)	-	-	25 214 855	25 214 855	-	-	30 412 154	30 412 154
Total	12 489 067 052	864 173 685	111 485 444	13 464 726 181	6 473 428 825	132 721 758	52 223 671	6 658 374 254
Small business lending								
Good (AAA to BBB-)	2 925 484 079	1 615 880	2 312 919	2 929 412 878	1 213 304 304	754 353	150 432	1 214 209 089
Special mention (BB+ to CCC-)	-	4 708 026	-	4 708 026	-	49 106	11 836	60 942
Non-performing (CC+ to D)	-	-	3 430 800	3 430 800	-	-	2 248 277	2 248 277
Total	2 925 484 079	6 323 906	5 743 719	2 937 551 704	1 213 304 304	803 459	2 410 545	1 216 518 308
Treasury bills								
Good (AAA to BBB-)	2 154 570 368	-	-	2 154 570 368	-	-	-	-

22.5.2 Expected credit loss for total loans and advances

An analysis of changes in ECL in relation to loans and advances are as follows

	Inflation adjusted 2023				Inflation adjusted 2022			
	STAGE 1 ZW\$	STAGE 2 ZW\$	STAGE 3 ZW\$	TOTAL ZW\$	STAGE1 ZW\$	STAGE 2 ZW\$	STAGE 3 ZW\$	TOTAL ZW\$
Total ECL for loans and advances								
Good (AAA to BBB-)	717 642 426	169 640 157	29 467 260	916 749 843	304 320 635	39 977 076	7 463 892	351 761 603
Special mention (BB+ to CCC-)	6 647 052	4 494 365	1 706 773	13 048 190	2 318 464	403 291	826 611	3 548 366
Non-performing (CC+ to D)	-	5 599 582	-	5 599 582	-	-	4 679 831	4 679 831
Total	724 489 478	174 134 522	36 773 615	935 397 615	306 639 099	40 380 367	12 970 334	359 989 800
ECL for mortgage lending								
Good (AAA to BBB-)	-	-	183	183	1 260 464	-	67	1 260 531
Special mention (BB+ to CCC-)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-performing (CC+ to D)	-	-	-	-	-	-	15 906	15 906
Total	-	-	183	183	1 260 464	-	15 973	1 276 437
ECL for consumer lending								
Good (AAA to BBB-)	632 614 219	168 632 656	27 498 042	828 744 917	300 508 228	39 668 297	7 397 025	347 573 550
Special mention (BB+ to CCC-)	6 847 052	124 295	1 706 773	8 678 120	2 318 464	381 398	826 611	3 526 473
Non-performing (CC+ to D)	-	-	2 405 834	2 405 834	-	-	4 079 639	4 079 639
Total	639 461 271	168 756 951	31 610 649	839 828 871	302 826 692	40 049 695	12 303 275	355 179 662</td

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To the Shareholders of ZB Financial Holdings Limited

Report on the Audit of the Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements of ZB Financial Holdings Limited and its subsidiaries ('the group and company') set out on pages 17 to 236 which comprise of the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate statements of financial position as at 31 December 2023, the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate statements of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate statements of changes in equity and the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate statements of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements, including material accounting policy information.

In our opinion, except for the effects of the matter described in the 'Basis for Qualified Opinion' paragraph, the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial position of the group and company as at 31 December 2023, and their inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial performance and inflation adjusted consolidated and separate cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board and the requirements of the Companies and Other Business Entities Act (Chapter 24:31), the Banking Act (Chapter 24:20), the Building Society Act (Chapter 24:02), the Insurance Act (Chapter 24:07), the Securities and Exchange Act (Chapter 24:25) and the Microfinance Act (Chapter 24:29).

Basis for Qualified Opinion

Non-compliance with IAS 21 "The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates"

As indicated on Note 3.1.1 to the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements, the functional currency of the Group and its subsidiaries is the Zimbabwean Dollar (ZWL). The inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements are presented in Zimbabwean Dollars. However, during our audit, we identified discrepancies related to the functional currency used by Mashonaland Holdings Limited, "Mash", a subsidiary of the Group. The functional currency was incorrectly identified as Zimbabwean Dollars (ZWL), whereas our audit procedures have evidenced that effective the 3rd quarter of 2023, the United States Dollars (USD) would have been the appropriate functional currency as per IAS 21 "The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates."

We believe that events in the market as well as specific circumstances at Mashonaland Holdings Limited supports that there was a change in its functional currency from ZWL to USD. This impacts the basis for measuring transactions that occurred during the year ended 31 December 2023, the valuation of assets and liabilities at year end as well as the accounting for foreign exchange differences. We believe that the inflation adjusted consolidated financial statements should have been adjusted for these changes.

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Therefore, had the USD been designated as the functional currency of Mashonaland Holdings Limited; the following financial statement line items in the accompanying inflation adjusted consolidated financial statements, would have been materially different.

Inflation Adjusted Consolidated Statement of Financial Position

- Investment Property - ZWL646 773 075 000 of Mash included in ZWL902 768 230 521 of the Group.
- Retained Income - ZWL320 569 199 640 of Mash included in ZWL617 845 088 222 of the Group.
- Foreign currency translation reserve - ZWL Nil of Mash included in ZWL1 928 832 319.

Inflation Adjusted Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss and other Comprehensive Income

- Fair value adjustments -ZWL320 800 163 652 of Mash included in ZWL468 635 037 753 of the Group.

Consequently deferred tax and income tax may be impacted.

The misstatements have however not been quantified due to the magnitude of the transactions requiring translation and availability of information.

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the inflation adjusted Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the group and company in accordance with the International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including International Independence Standards) (IESBA Code) and other independence requirements applicable to performing audits of financial statements in Zimbabwe. We have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with those requirements and the IESBA Code.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our qualified opinion.

Key Audit Matters

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements of the current period. In addition to the matter described in the Basis for qualified opinion section, we have determined the matters described below to be the key audit matters to be communicated in our report. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters. For each matter below, our description of how our audit addressed the matter is provided in that context.

We have fulfilled the responsibilities described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Inflation adjusted Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements* section of our report, including in relation to these matters. Accordingly, our audit included the performance of procedures designed to respond to our assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements. The results of our audit procedures, including the procedures performed to address the matters below, provide the basis for our audit opinion on the accompanying inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements.

The Key Audit Matters apply only to the audit of the inflation adjusted consolidated financial statements.

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Key Audit Matter	How the matter was addressed in the audit
1. Impairment of mortgages and other advances	
<p>As disclosed in Note 7 to the inflation adjusted consolidated financial statements, the carrying value of mortgages and other advances is significant and amounted to ZWL 947 121 776 721 as at 31 December 2023 (2022: ZWL 287 506 913 224).</p> <p>The related accumulated impairment provision amounted to ZWL 50 853 334 809 (2022: ZWL 20 112 327 484) as disclosed in Note 7.1.</p> <p>The Group provides for impairment on mortgages and other advances based on the expected credit losses model (ECL) in terms of IFRS 9 - Financial Instruments.</p> <p>This was considered a key audit matter as the determination of the ECL requires significant judgements and assumptions such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The estimation of the key components of the expected credit loss ("ECL") provisions, that is, the probability of default (PD), loss given default (LGD) and exposure at default (EAD). • In the EAD calculation for ECL, collateral values bring about complexity due to their volatile nature, given the hyperinflationary economy in Zimbabwe. Fluctuating collateral values impact the assessment of net exposures and expected future cashflows. This require constant revaluation to ensure accurate exposure at default amounts are determined, ultimately impacting the expected credit loss under IFRS 9. • Determination of Impairment indicators, uncertainties and assumptions made by management in their assessment of the recoverability of the exposure especially as it relates to expected future cashflows and recoverability of collateral. • The allocation of assets to stage 1, 2, or 3 on a timely basis using criteria in accordance with IFRS 9. This includes allocation of appropriate credit grade ratings to customers. • Determination of appropriate forward-looking information to incorporate in the ECL model considering the current economic environment which is volatile. • Estimation of the loss rates for the non-performing loans including assessment of the ageing of defaulted assets, the type of collection process followed as well as the impact of the 	<p>We obtained an understanding of the approval of credit facilities; the subsequent monitoring and remediation of exposures including collateral management and the evaluation of credit risk ratings and tested the relevant controls relating to the approval of credit facilities. Furthermore, our procedures included the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We tested the completeness and accuracy of data used in the ECL computations by management. • We considered the impairment indicators, uncertainties and assumptions made by management in their assessment of the recoverability of the exposure. For a sample of loans, we independently recalculated the expected credit losses based on our assessment of the expected cash flows and recoverability of collateral. • For collateral held, we inspected valuation reports and supporting documentation to confirm the existence and adequacy of the collateral. • We also selected a sample of loans to trace back to their last date of repayment to confirm correct staging of the loans. <p>For model-based portfolio expected credit losses which considers the performing and the non-performing book, with the assistance of our experts we evaluated:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The design and implementation of the models, including significant assumptions and the quality of the observable data used to derive model parameters in relation to our understanding of industry norms. • The reasonableness of the expected credit losses model methodology used to determine the probability of default, loss given default, exposure at default and the emergence periods (together the "modelled parameters" excluding model parameter overrides) which are used to compute the performing portfolio provision in relation to their knowledge of the client and the industry. • The reasonableness of the probability of default and loss given default (loss rates) estimated by management for the non-performing book allowing for the ageing of defaulted assets, the type of collection process followed as well as the impact of the treatment of renegotiated and cured loans in the expected credit losses model.

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<p>treatment of renegotiated and cured loans in the expected credit losses model.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Additionally, the ECL models in use had their last calibration conducted in the year 2018. This considerable time gap since the last calibration poses a significant challenge, as the models are deemed outdated. Key inputs to the model such as loss given default require incorporation of forward-looking information in line with IFRS 9 requirements. Such information requires regular updates due to the hyperinflationary environment in which the company operates. To address this matter, management, with the guidance of an expert, sought to perform back testing procedures in order to determine whether the ECL models were still operating as intended. These procedures took considerable time and effort and required extensive discussions with Management. <p>Management's approach and key assumptions are included on accounting policy Note 2.2.2.5 - Key Sources of Estimation Uncertainty; Note 7 - Mortgages and other advances and Note 39.2.4 of the inflation adjusted consolidated financial statements.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The appropriateness of the modelling techniques (inputs, assumptions, methodology and performance) used by the Group against IFRS 9 and regulatory guidelines. This entailed Documentation reviews, Governance reviews, Conceptual Validation and Statistical Validation and back testing validation. • The appropriateness of the Macro Economic Variable Model which is used to incorporate a forward-looking probability of default to the ECL model for the Group. • For a sample of loans, through an independent computation of ECL to confirm the model results and conclusions on model performance reported by the Group, we performed the following procedures: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Replication of staging and computation of ECL b) Verification of ECL input data into the models c) Replication of ECL parameter computations. • An in-depth review process of the back testing back testing reports to closely scrutinize the performance of the ECL models. This involved examining the predictive accuracy of the models by comparing the estimated losses against the actual credit losses that occurred. • An impact assessment to understand the ramifications of relying on the outdated ECL models. The assessment focused on identifying the implications for financial reporting, risk management, and regulatory compliance. It looked at the potential distortions in estimated credit losses due to hyperinflation and the lack of updated data inputs. • Review of financial statements for adequacy of disclosures as per the requirements of IFRS 9.
Key Audit Matter	How the matter was addressed in the audit
2. IFRS 17 - Insurance Contracts - Implementation and Reporting	
<p>On 1 January 2023, the Group's Insurance Cluster entities adopted IFRS 17 - "Insurance Contracts" ('IFRS 17'), which replaced IFRS 4 - "Insurance Contracts". The Insurance Cluster applied IFRS 17 to insurance contracts issued and reinsurance contracts held as at 1 January 2022, as described in Note 2.1.3 to the inflation adjusted consolidated financial statements, in</p>	<p>Our procedures on the application of IFRS 17 included, amongst others:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We obtained an understanding and evaluated the design and implementation of management's controls over the adoption of IFRS 17 accounting policies and the significant estimates and

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<p>accordance with the accounting policies outlined in the same note.</p> <p>The standard was adopted using the full retrospective approach for contracts measured under the Premium Allocation Approach (PAA), and the modified retrospective approach for contracts measured in terms of the General Measurement Model (GMM) and the Variable Fee Approach. As a result, certain 2022 comparative amounts as presented in these financial statements have been restated for the adoption of IFRS 17.</p> <p>The impact of the initial application of IFRS 17 on the consolidated financial statements was an increase of ZW\$16.4 billion to the Group's total equity as at 1 January 2022.</p> <p>We assessed the impact of the initial application of IFRS 17 to be an area of focus due to the judgement applied and the complexity of the initial application. Such areas of key judgment and complexity included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consideration and preparation of key accounting policies under IFRS 17. • Determination of measurement models which are appropriate for the Group's insurance products. • With the support of management's actuaries, determination of key accounting estimates and assumptions which included measurement of the Group's life and re-insurance contract assets and liabilities, including the loss components or Contractual Service Margins (CSM) at the transition date. • Determination of key inputs such as future cashflows, contractual service margin, risk adjustment and discount rates. • Identification and application of appropriate transition approaches. • Computation of the transition balances. <p>This required the application of significant auditor judgment and involved specialised actuarial skills and knowledge to assist in evaluating and assessing management's judgements and assumptions.</p> <p>Accordingly, we have identified the initial application of IFRS 17 as a key audit matter. The critical accounting judgements and impact of the initial application of IFRS 17 are set out in Note 2.1.3.1 to the inflation adjusted consolidated financial statements.</p>	<p>assumptions used in the determination of the Group's insurance contracts.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • With the support of our internal Actuarial specialists, we evaluated the related accounting policies and actuarial methodologies to assess compliance with IFRS 17. The methodologies included classification of contracts in terms of the three different measurement approaches (the General Model, the Premium Allocation Approach and the Variable Fee Approach); the transition and valuation approaches and the wide range of financial & non-financial assumptions. • With respect to the transition approaches applied in the calculation of the CSM, evaluated the Group's assessment of the availability of reasonable and supportable historical information required by the full retrospective approach and the appropriateness of simplifications, under the modified retrospective approach, or fair value approach applied and where applicable conducted testing to underlying contracts and data. • Assessed the appropriateness and consistency of key assumptions (both new and revised) considering industry and other external sources of benchmarking where applicable, and knowledge of the products and the requirements of IFRS 17. • Performed testing of the completeness and accuracy of data used in the calculation of the transition balances to underlying source systems on a sample basis. • Considered whether the associated transition disclosures in the financial statements are in compliance with IFRS 17 parameters and with the methodologies and assumptions approved by the directors.
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Key Audit Matter	How the matter was addressed in the audit
3. Valuation of life and non-life Insurance contract liabilities and assets	
<p>As of December 31, 2023, the Group incurred insurance and reinsurance contract liabilities totalling ZW\$115.9 billion and ZW\$6.1 billion respectively. Similarly, as at that date, the Group held insurance and reinsurance contract assets of ZWL\$50.4 billion and ZWL\$50.1 billion respectively under the IFRS 17 guidelines. The valuation of these assets and liabilities relies heavily on forecasting the present value of future cash flows (PVFCF). Expert judgment, integrated within complex actuarial models, is essential, drawing from subjective assumptions regarding forthcoming events, including mortality rates, persistency, and economic conditions. Given the prolonged nature of life insurance commitments, even minor adjustments to these assumptions can profoundly impact future cash flow valuations.</p> <p>The actuarial assessments rely on sophisticated models and methodologies, for which the outcomes can be affected to a greater extent by flawed assumptions or inaccurate data inputs. Moreover, alterations in assumptions affecting the PVFCF for future coverage directly influence the release of the Contractual Service Margin (CSM) both in the current period and in subsequent years.</p> <p>Given the complexity and subjective nature of this process, we have identified life and non-life insurance contract assets and liabilities, as of most significance in our audit of the current year financial statements and therefore a key audit matter.</p> <p>The disclosures related to the insurance and reinsurance contract assets and liabilities are included on Note 22 to the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements.</p>	<p>Our procedures over the life and non-life Insurance contract liabilities and assets included, amongst others:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Obtained an understanding and evaluated the design and implementation of management's controls over the significant estimates and assumptions used in the determination of the Cluster's insurance contracts, including model data inputs. <p>In collaboration with our actuarial specialists, our audit procedures included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Evaluated the key assumptions used, including their reasonableness based on experience studies, our knowledge of the industry, the products offered and available market and macroeconomic data. This included the review of a sample of experience studies supporting specific assumptions. As data input and completeness is a critical component in the determination of insurance/reinsurance assets and liabilities, we performed completeness tests of policyholder data from policy administration systems to the actuarial systems, leveraging management's key reconciliation controls where applicable. Tested the methodology and logic of models used through independent recalculations on a sample of models, and a comparison of calculation logic to industry-comparable models. We assessed the appropriateness of management's data and assumptions applied in determining the CSM, including the coverage units for reasonability. For significant model changes, we performed a review of the model/code changes, as necessary, and where appropriate, replicated the change impacts or assessed the methodology, assumptions, and results of the significant model changes. Reviewed analysis of actual experience over expected results for any unusual or unexpected results, ensuring these results were consistent with our audit tests of detail.

Other matter

The prior year inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements were audited by another auditor who issued an unmodified opinion on 19 April 2023.

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Other Information

The other information comprises the Chairman's statement, the Group Chief Executive Officer's Statement, the Report of the Directors, the Directors' Responsibility Statement, and the unaudited historical cost financial information received before the date of this report. It also includes information included in the Annual Report expected to be received after the date of this report.

Our opinion on the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express an audit opinion or any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. As described in the Basis for qualified opinion section above Non-compliance with IAS 21 "The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates", we have concluded that the other information is materially misstated for the same reason with respect to non-compliance with IAS 21.

Responsibilities of the Directors for the inflation adjusted Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements

The directors are responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board and the requirements of the Companies and Other Business Entities Act (Chapter 24:31), , the Banking Act (Chapter 24:20), the Building Society Act (Chapter 24:02), the Insurance Act (Chapter 24:07), the Securities and Exchange Act (Chapter 24:25) and the Microfinance Act (Chapter 24:29). and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements, the directors are responsible for assessing the group and company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the group and company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the inflation adjusted Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with ISAs, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as

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fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.

- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the group and company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by the directors.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting and based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the group and company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the group and/or the company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the group to express an opinion on the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with the directors regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide the directors with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, actions taken to eliminate threats or safeguards applied.

From the matters communicated with the directors, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the inflation adjusted consolidated and separate financial statements of the current period and are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditor's report is Mrs Elina Bvurere (PAAB Practising Certificate Number 0462).

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Date: 27 May 2024