

Privatbanka, a.s.

Financial statements

Prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards,
as adopted by the European Union

Year ended 31 December 2010
and Independent Auditor's Report

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Shareholders and Board of Directors of Privatbanka, a.s.:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Privatbanka, a.s. (the "Bank"), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2010, and the income statement, statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in shareholder's equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Statutory Body's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

The Bank's statutory body is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the EU, and for such internal control as the statutory body determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Bank's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements 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 Bank's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the statutory body, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

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

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Privatbanka, a.s. as of 31 December 2010, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the EU.

Bratislava 14 March 2011



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Statement of Financial Position as at 31 December 2010
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	Note	2010 EUR '000	2009 EUR '000
Assets			
Cash and balances with central banks	4.	24 591	9 234
Loans and advances to banks	5.	10 887	72 239
Loans and advances to customers	6.	179 523	108 423
Securities available for sale	8.	286 920	245 537
Securities at fair value through profit or loss	9.	5 610	9 655
Securities held to maturity	10.	5 675	22 491
Investments in subsidiaries	11.	7	7
Tangible and intangible assets	12.	2 083	2 278
Other assets	14.	901	524
Total assets		516 197	470 388
Liabilities and equity			
Deposits from banks	15.	9 992	110 194
Deposits from customers	16.	423 285	279 336
Debt securities issued	17.	39 817	41 820
Current income tax liability	18.	242	171
Deferred tax liability	13.	202	414
Other liabilities	19.	7 495	5 862
Total liabilities		481 033	437 797
Equity			
Share capital	20.	25 121	25 121
Capital reserves and profit funds	20.	2 629	2 325
Revaluation reserves on securities available for sale, including deferred tax	20.	672	1 563
Retained earnings		6 742	3 582
Total equity		35 164	32 591
Total liabilities and equity		516 197	470 388

The notes on pages 9 to 70 form an integral part of these financial statements.

Income Statement for the year ended 31 December 2010
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	Note	2010 EUR '000	2009 EUR '000
Interest income and similar income	26.	18 734	14 625
Interest expense and similar expense	27.	(8 666)	(6 403)
Net interest income		10 068	8 222
Fee and commission income	28.	3 916	2 291
Fee and commission expense	29.	(895)	(711)
Net fee and commission income		3 021	1 580
Trading profit	30.	1 706	2 211
Other income		4	18
Operating income		14 799	12 031
General operating expenses	31.	(7 817)	(6 214)
Depreciation and amortisation	12.	(632)	(544)
Operating expense		(8 449)	(6 758)
Profit before impairment losses, provisions and write-offs		6 350	5 273
Additions to impairment losses and write-off of receivables	32.	(1 621)	(1 136)
Net income from sale of tangible assets		3	(97)
Release to impairment losses for tangible assets		-	37
Profit before income taxes		4 732	4 077
Current income tax	22.	(1 270)	(1 030)
Deferred income tax	22.	2	(12)
Net profit		3 464	3 035

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Statement of Comprehensive Income for the year ended 31 December 2010
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	Note	2010 EUR '000	2009 EUR '000
Profit after tax from the Income Statement		3 464	3 035
Revaluation of securities available for sale		(1 100)	2 290
Deferred tax on securities available for sale		209	(436)
Comprehensive income		2 573	4 889

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Statement of Changes in Shareholders' Equity
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	Share capital	Retained earnings	Capital reserves and profit funds	Revaluation reserves on securities available for sale (including deferred tax)	Total
	EUR '000	EUR '000	EUR '000	EUR '000	EUR '000
At 1 January 2009	25 124	769	2 100	(291)	27 702
Rounding of the conversion of registered capital to euros	(3)	-	3	-	-
Additions to statutory reserve fund	-	(222)	222	-	-
2009 comprehensive income	-	3 035	-	1 854	4 889
At 31 December 2009	25 121	3 582	2 325	1 563	32 591

	Share capital	Retained earnings	Capital reserves and profit funds	Revaluation reserves on securities available for sale (including deferred tax)	Total
	EUR '000	EUR '000	EUR '000	EUR '000	EUR '000
At 1 January 2010	25 121	3 582	2 325	1 563	32 591
Additions to statutory reserve fund	-	(304)	304	-	-
2010 comprehensive income	-	3 464	-	(891)	2 573
At 31 December 2010	25 121	6 742	2 629	672	35 164

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Cash Flow Statement for the year ended 31 December 2010
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	Note	2010 EUR '000	2009 EUR '000
Cash flow from operating activities			
Profit before changes in operating assets and liabilities	33.	7 729	3 876
(Increase)/decrease in minimum reserve deposits with the NBS		4 793	5 358
(Increase)/decrease of loans to customers		(72 580)	(13 321)
(Increase)/decrease in securities at fair value through profit or loss		3 936	10 460
(Increase)/decrease in securities available for sale		(58 001)	(123 844)
(Increase)/decrease in securities held to maturity		16 837	(22 245)
(Increase)/decrease in other assets		(377)	12
Increase/(decrease) in amounts due to banks		(100 009)	97 718
Increase/(decrease) in deposits from customers		143 806	41 101
Increase/(decrease) in debt securities issued – promissory notes		(10 153)	(92 464)
Income tax paid		(1 198)	(1 708)
Increase/(decrease) in other liabilities		1 631	3 210
Net cash flow from operating activities		(63 586)	(91 847)
Cash flow from investing activities			
Purchase of tangible and intangible assets		(438)	(1 123)
Sale of tangible and intangible assets		4	7
Net cash flow from investment activities		(434)	(1 116)
Cash flow from financing activities			
Increase upon issue of long-term debt securities - bonds		17 719	8 112
Decrease upon maturity of long-term debt securities - bonds		(9 876)	(13 276)
Net cash flow from financing activities		7 843	(5 164)
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents		(56 177)	(98 127)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	34.	89 419	187 546
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	34.	33 242	89 419

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1. GENERAL INFORMATION

Incorporation

Privatbanka, a.s. (hereinafter also the "Bank") was established on 2 August 1995 and incorporated on 9 August 1995. The Bank commenced its activities on 22 May 1996. The Bank's registered office is Einsteinova 25, 851 01 Bratislava. The Bank's identification number is 31 634 419 and its tax identification number is 2020461905.

Principal activities

The principal activities of the Bank, as a holder of a banking license, include the provision of a wide range of banking and financial services to corporate and private customers.

The banking licence was granted to the Bank for the following activities:

1. Receipt of deposits
2. Provision of loans
3. Domestic and cross-border transfers of funds (payment and settlement)
4. Trading on own account
 - a) With money market financial instruments in Slovak crowns and foreign currency including foreign exchange activities
 - b) With capital market financial instruments in Slovak crowns and foreign currency
 - c) With coins made of precious metal, commemorative banknotes and coins, sheets of banknotes, and sets of coins for circulation
5. Administration of customer's receivables on its account including advisory services
6. Finance lease
7. Provision of guarantees; opening and confirmation of letters of credit
8. Issue and administration of means of payment
9. Provision of business advisory services
10. Issue of securities, participation in issuing securities, and provision of related services
11. Financial intermediation
12. Custody of valuables
13. Safe hire
14. Provision of banking information
15. Acting as a depository according to a special regulation
16. Processing of banknotes, coins, commemorative banknotes and coins
17. Provision of investment services, investment activities, and ancillary services in accordance with Article 79 (1) and in connection with Article 6 (1) and (2) of Act 566/2001 Coll. on Securities and Investment Services and on an amendment to certain acts, as amended, in the following scope:
 - I. Acceptance and forwarding of the client's instructions for one or several financial instruments related to the following financial instruments:
 - a) Convertible securities
 - b) Money market instruments
 - c) Trustee shares or securities issued by foreign collective investment entities
 - d) Futures, swaps, forwards concerning currencies, interest rates or yields to be settled by their delivery or cash
 - II. Execution of the client's instructions on its account in relation to the following financial instruments:
 - a) Convertible securities
 - b) Money market instruments
 - c) Trustee shares or securities issued by foreign collective investment entities
 - d) Futures, swaps, forwards concerning currencies, interest rates or yields to be settled by their delivery or cash

- III. Trading on own account in relation to the following financial instruments:
 - a) Convertible securities
 - b) Money market instruments
 - c) Trustee shares or securities issued by foreign collective investment entities
 - d) Futures, swaps, forwards concerning currencies, interest rates or yields to be settled by their delivery or cash
- IV. Portfolio management in relation to the following financial instruments:
 - a) Convertible securities
 - b) Money market instruments
 - c) Trustee shares or securities issued by foreign collective investment entities
 - d) Futures, swaps, forwards concerning currencies, interest rates or yields to be settled by their delivery or cash
- V. Investment consulting in relation to the following financial instruments:
 - a) Convertible securities
 - b) Money market instruments
 - c) Trustee shares or securities issued by foreign collective investment entities
 - d) Futures, swaps, forwards concerning currencies, interest rates or yields to be settled by their delivery or cash
- VI. Underwriting and placement of financial instruments upon a firm commitment in relation to the following financial instruments:
 - a) Convertible securities
 - b) Money market instruments
 - c) Trustee shares or securities issued by foreign collective investment entities
- VII. Placement of financial instruments without a firm commitment in relation to the following financial instruments:
 - a) Convertible securities
 - b) Money market instruments
 - c) Trustee shares or securities issued by foreign collective investment entities
- VIII. Keeping in custody and management of financial instruments on the client's account, including custodian management and related services, in particular management of cash and financial collaterals in relation to the following financial instruments:
 - a) Convertible securities
 - b) Money market instruments
 - c) Trustee shares or securities issued by foreign collective investment entities
- IX. Granting of loans and borrowings to an investor to be able to trade one or several financial instruments if the lender or provider of the borrowing is involved in the business
- X. Trading of foreign exchange values if they are associated with investment services provision
- XI. Performance of investment surveys and financial analysis or other forms of general recommendations for trading the financial instruments
- XII. Services related to the underwriting of these financial instruments

Shareholders' structure

The shareholders' structure is as follows:

%	2010	2009
Penta Investments Ltd., Limassol	100,00	100,00
Total	100,00	100,00

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The immediate consolidating entity is Penta Investments Limited, which has its registered office at Agias Fylaxeos & Polygnostou, 212, C&I CENTER, 2nd floor, P.C. 3803, Limassol, Cyprus.

Penta Holding Limited prepares the consolidated financial statements for all groups of reporting entities in the Consolidation Group. Penta Holding Limited has its registered office at Agias Fylaxeos & Polygnostou, 212, C&I CENTER, 2nd floor, P.C. 3803, Limassol, Cyprus.

The consolidated financial statements are available at Penta Holding Limited. They are deposited with the Commercial Register administered by the Department of Registrar of Companies and Official Receiver, which has its registered office at Makarios Avenue, Xenios Building, PC 1427 Nicosia, Cyprus.

Investments in subsidiaries

As at 31 December 2010 and 31 December 2009, the Bank had the following subsidiary:

Name	Activity	Share (%)
Privatfin, s.r.o.	Factoring, forfeiting, business advisory services, leasing services	100

Privatfin, s.r.o., which has its registered office at Suché mýto 1, 811 03 Bratislava, Identification number: 36 037 869, is registered in the Commercial Register of the District Court, Bratislava I, section: Sro, No. 40865/B. The subsidiary does not perform activities in significant volumes. As at 31 December 2010, it reported a loss of EUR 0.4 thousand (2009: loss of EUR 0.4 thousand).

Geographical network

In 2010, the Bank performed its activities in the Slovak Republic through its network of four branches in Banská Bystrica, Brezno, and Bratislava (two branches) and eight retail offices for non-cash operations in Nitra, Košice, Dunajská Streda, Žilina, Trenčín, Prešov, Trnava and Prievidza. In 2010, the Bank also carried out banking activities in the Czech Republic based on the right of the free provision of cross-border banking services without establishing a branch in line with Directive No. 2006/48/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council dated 14 June 2006 on establishing and carrying out activities of credit institutions.

Members of the Board of Directors

The members of the Bank's Board of Directors as at 31 December 2010 are as follows:

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|---------------------------------|-----------------|---|
| 1. Mgr. Ing. Ľuboš Ševčík, CSc. | - Chairman | - Appointed on 4 September 2007 |
| 2. Ing. Ľubomír Lorencovič | - Vice-Chairman | - Appointed on 6 August 2003
- Position terminated on
1 February 2010 |
| 3. Ing. Peter Farkaš | - Member | - Appointed on 24 March 2010 |
| 4. Ing. Vladimír Hrdina | - Member | - Appointed on 6 August 2003 |

Supervisory Board

The members of the Bank's Supervisory Board as at 31 December 2010 are as follows:

Elected by the General Meeting:

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|------------------------------------|-----------------|---|
| 1. Mgr. Jozef Oravkin | - Chairman | - Appointed on 4 September 2007 |
| 2. Ing. Peter Benedikt | - Vice-Chairman | - Appointed on 4 September 2007 |
| 3. Mgr. Denisa Mikušová Schultzová | - Member | - Appointed on 4 September 2007 |
| 4. Ing. Jaromír Babinec | - Member | - Appointed on 4 September 2007
- Position terminated on
20 November 2010 |

Elected by the employees:

- | | | |
|-------------------------|----------|-------------------------------|
| 5. RNDr. Miron Zelina | - Member | - Appointed on 23 August 2007 |
| 6. Ing. Richard Pohranc | - Member | - Appointed on 23 August 2007 |

2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below.

(2.1) Basis of presentation

The Bank's financial statements (hereinafter the "financial statements") for 2010 and comparative data for 2009 have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as adopted by the European Union (EU) in Commission Regulation (EC) 1126/2008, and current interpretations issued by the International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee (IFRIC).

The following amendments to the existing standards issued by the International Accounting Standards Board and adopted by the EU are effective for the current reporting period:

- **IFRS 1 (revised) "First-time Adoption of IFRS"** (adopted by the EU on 25 November 2009, effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2010),
This revision resulted only in a reorganisation of the standard's content.
- **Amendments to IFRS 1 "First-time Adoption of IFRS"**- Additional Exemptions for First-time Adopters, adopted by the EU on 23 June 2010 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2010),
The amendments: (1) exempt entities using the full cost method from the retrospective application of IFRSs for oil and gas assets, (2) exempt entities with existing lease contracts from reassessing the classification of those contracts in accordance with IFRIC 4.
- **IFRS 3 (revised) "Business Combinations"** adopted by the EU on 23 June 2009 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 July 2009),
The revised IFRS 3 requires recognition of acquisition costs in the period expenses. Revisions to IFRS 3 and the related changes to IAS 27 limit application of acquisition accounting principles only to the moment of control takeover; in consequence, goodwill is calculated as at that date only. The change to the standard allows measurement of non-controlling interest in the acquiree at fair value or proportionally to its share in the identifiable net assets of the acquiree.
- **Amendments to IFRS 2 "Share-based Payment" - Group cash-settled share-based payment transactions** adopted by the EU on 23 March 2010 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2010),
The amendments clarify: (1) the scope of IFRS 2 and (2) the interaction of IFRS 2 and other standards. The Board clarified that in IFRS 2 a 'group' has the same meaning as in IAS 27 Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements, that is, it includes only a parent and its subsidiaries. The amendments to IFRS 2 also incorporate guidance previously included in IFRIC 8 Scope of IFRS 2 and IFRIC 11 IFRS 2—Group and Treasury Share Transactions. As a result, the IASB has withdrawn IFRIC 8 and IFRIC 11.
- **Amendments to IAS 27 "Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements"** adopted by the EU on 3 June 2009 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 July 2009),
According to the revised standard, changes in the acquiree's interest in its subsidiary that do not result in a loss of control are accounted for in equity as transactions with owners in their capacity as owners. For such transactions, no financial profit/loss is recognized or goodwill remeasured. Any difference between the change in the non-controlling interest and the fair value of the consideration paid or received is recognised directly in equity and attributed to the owners of the parent. The Standard defines accounting procedures to be applied by the parent if control of a subsidiary is lost.
- **Amendments to IAS 39 "Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement"** - Eligible hedged items, adopted by the EU on 15 September 2009 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 July 2009).

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The revised Standard explains two hedge accounting issues: identifying inflation as a hedged risk or its portion; and hedging with options. The amendments make clear that inflation may only be hedged in the instance where changes in inflation are a contractually specified portion of cash flows of a recognised financial instrument. The amendments also clarify that a risk-free or benchmark interest rate portion of the fair value of a fixed-rate financial instrument will normally be separately identifiable and reliably measurable and, therefore, may be hedged.

- **Amendments to various standards and interpretations “Improvements to IFRSs (2009)”** resulting from the annual improvement project of IFRS published on 16 April 2009, adopted by the EU on 23 March 2010 (IFRS 2, IFRS 5, IFRS 8, IAS 1, IAS 7, IAS 17, IAS 18, IAS 36, IAS 38, IAS 39, IFRIC 9 and IFRIC 16) primarily with a view to removing inconsistencies and clarifying wording, adopted by the EU on 23 March 2010 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2010)
- **IFRIC 12 “Service Concession Arrangements”** adopted by the EU on 25 March 2009 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 30 March 2009),
The Interpretation provides guidance for operators in service concession arrangements between the public and private sector with regard to the accounting recognition of such arrangements.
- **IFRIC 15 “Agreements for the Construction of Real Estate”** adopted by the EU on 22 July 2009 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2010),
IFRIC 15 deals with two (related) issues: determines whether a construction contract is subject to IAS 11 “Construction Contracts” or IAS 18 “Revenue” and when revenues from the construction of real estate are to be recognized.
- **IFRIC 16 “Hedges of a Net Investment in a Foreign Operation”** adopted by the EU on 4 June 2009 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 July 2009),
The Interpretation determines: (i) currency risk qualifying for the hedge and the amount that can be hedged; (ii) where to maintain a hedging instrument within the group; (iii) what amount should be recognized in the income statement if a foreign operation is sold.
- **IFRIC 17 “Distributions of Non-Cash Assets to Owners”** adopted by the EU on 26 November 2009 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 November 2009),
The Interpretation provides guidance on the appropriate accounting treatment when an entity distributes assets other than cash as dividends to its shareholders.
- **IFRIC 18 “Transfers of Assets from Customers”** adopted by the EU on 27 November 2009 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 November 2009),
The Interpretation clarifies the accounting for agreements where an entity receives an item of property, plant and equipment (or cash to construct such an item) from a customer and such equipment in turn is used to connect the customer to a network or to provide ongoing access to the supply of goods/services.

The adoption of these amendments to the existing standards has not led to any changes in the Bank's accounting policies.

Standards and Interpretations issued by IASB and adopted by the EU but not yet effective

At the date of authorisation of these financial statements the following standards, revisions and interpretations adopted by the EU were in issue but not yet effective:

- **Amendments to IAS 24 “Related Party Disclosures”** - Simplifying the disclosure requirements for government-related entities and clarifying the definition of a related party, adopted by the EU on 19 July 2010 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2011),

- **Amendments to IAS 32 “Financial Instruments: Presentation”** – Accounting for rights issues, adopted by the EU on 23 December 2009 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 February 2010),
- **Amendments to IFRS 1 “First-time Adoption of IFRS”**- Limited Exemption from Comparative IFRS 7 Disclosures for First-time Adopters, adopted by the EU on 30 June 2010 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 July 2010),
- **Amendments to IFRIC 14 “IAS 19 — The Limit on a defined benefit Asset, Minimum Funding Requirements and their Interaction”** - Prepayments of a Minimum Funding Requirement, adopted by the EU on 19 July 2010 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2011),
- **IFRIC 19 “Extinguishing Financial Liabilities with Equity Instruments”**, adopted by the EU on 23 July 2010 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 July 2010).
- **Amendments to various standards and interpretations “Improvements to IFRSs (2010)”** resulting from the annual improvement project of IFRS published on 6 May 2010 (IFRS 1, IFRS 3, IFRS 7, IAS 1, IAS 27, IAS 34, IFRIC 13) primarily with a view to removing inconsistencies and clarifying wording (most amendments are to be applied for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2011).

The Bank has elected not to adopt these standards, revisions and interpretations in advance of their effective dates. The Bank anticipates that the adoption of these standards, revisions and interpretations will have no material impact on the financial statements of the Bank in the period of initial application.

Standards and Interpretations issued by IASB but not yet adopted by the EU

At present, IFRS as adopted by the EU do not significantly differ from regulations adopted by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) except from the following standards, amendments to the existing standards and interpretations, which were not endorsed for use as at 31 December 2010:

- **IFRS 9 “Financial Instruments”** (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2013),
On 28 September 2010 IASB reissued IFRS 9, incorporating new requirements on accounting for financial liabilities and carrying over from IAS 39 the requirements for derecognition of financial assets and financial liabilities. Standard uses a single approach to determine whether a financial asset is measured at amortised cost or fair value, replacing the many different rules in IAS 39. The approach in IFRS 9 is based on how an entity manages its financial instruments (its business model) and the contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial assets. The new standard also requires a single impairment method to be used, replacing the many different impairment methods in IAS 39. The new requirements on accounting for financial liabilities address the problem of volatility in profit or loss arising from an issuer choosing to measure its own debt at fair value. The IASB decided to maintain the existing amortised cost measurement for most liabilities, limiting change to that required to address the own credit problem. With the new requirements, an entity choosing to measure a liability at fair value will present the portion of the change in its fair value due to changes in the entity’s own credit risk in the other comprehensive income section of the income statement, rather than within profit or loss.
- **Amendments to IFRS 1 “First-time Adoption of IFRS”**- Severe Hyperinflation and Removal of Fixed Dates for First-time Adopters (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 July 2011),
- **Amendments to IFRS 7 “Financial Instruments: Disclosures”**- Transfers of Financial Assets (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 July 2011),
- **Amendments to IAS 12 “Income Taxes”** - Deferred Tax: Recovery of Underlying Assets (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2012),

The Bank anticipates that adopting these standards, amendments to the existing standards, and interpretations will have no material impact on the financial statements of the Bank in the period of initial application. The Bank is analysing the potential effects of adopting IFRS 9 on the Bank's financial statements and at the reporting date the Bank is unable to estimate the impact on its financial statements at the period of initial application.

At the same time, hedge accounting regarding the portfolio of financial assets and liabilities, whose principles have not been adopted by the EU, is still unregulated. According to the Bank's estimates, application of hedge accounting for the portfolio of financial assets or liabilities pursuant to **IAS 39: "Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement"**, would not significantly impact the financial statements, if applied as at the balance sheet date.

(2.2) Statement of compliance

The purpose of preparing these financial statements in the Slovak Republic is to comply with Act on Accounting No. 431/2002 Coll. The Bank prepares its financial statements and annual report under special regulations – Regulation (EC) 1606/2002 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the Application of International Accounting Standards (IFRS).

Pursuant to Article 22 (12) of Act No. 431/2002 Coll. on Accounting as amended, the Bank does not prepare consolidated financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2010, since the subsidiary Privatfin, s.r.o. does not have a significant impact on Privatbanka's consolidated group. The judgment on the financial position, expenses, revenues and results of operations of Privatbanka's consolidated group has not been significantly affected by preparing only the Bank's separate financial statements.

On 30 April 2010, the Bank's General Meeting approved the Bank's financial statements prepared in accordance with IFRS as at 31 December 2009.

The financial statements are intended for general use and information, and are not intended for the purposes of any specific user or consideration of any specific transactions. Accordingly, users should not rely exclusively on these financial statements when making decisions.

(2.3) Basis of preparation

All data is stated in euros (EUR, €). The unit of measure are thousands of euros, unless specified otherwise. The data in parentheses represents negative values.

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention, as modified by the revaluation of certain financial investments, financial assets, financial liabilities, and derivatives at fair value.

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss and financial assets available for sale are measured at fair value. Other financial and non-financial assets and liabilities are measured at amortised cost or historical cost less provisions.

These financial statements were prepared under the assumption that the Bank will continue operating as a going concern for the foreseeable future.

The Bank has a controlling interest in the subsidiary as stated in Note 11. In these financial statements, the subsidiary is recognised at cost taking into account losses from impairment.

(2.4) Significant accounting judgements and estimates

The presentation of financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires the management of the Bank to make judgments about estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities as at the reporting date and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates, and future changes in the economic conditions, business strategies, regulatory requirements, accounting rules and/or other factors could result in a change in estimates that could have a material impact on the future reported financial position and results of operations.

Significant areas of judgment include the following:

- The ongoing financial crisis and its resulting impact on financial markets and economic environment have resulted in material adjustments to the valuation of the Banks assets. The management of the Bank has considered all relevant factors in making prudent and reasonable valuation estimates in the circumstances. The financial markets continue to be affected by market liquidity issues and high price volatility. There is also a continued increased level of uncertainty about future economic developments. These factors could result in future changes in the valuation of assets and such changes could be material.
- Provisions for liabilities are based on the management's judgments and represent the best estimate of expenditures required to settle a liability of an uncertain timing or amount resulting from an obligation. As at 31 December 2010, the Bank created no provisions for liabilities.
- The Bank regularly (on a quarterly basis) monitors the loan portfolio and performs an individual or portfolio assessment of receivables from loan transactions in order to identify loss events. Subsequently, the Bank quantifies an impact of a loss event on the recognised financial assets while taking into account estimated income from received collateral. In the case of an impairment of the underlying financial asset, the Bank creates a provision in the amount of a difference between the face value of an asset and anticipated impairment, and reclassifies the financial asset. For portfolio-recognised financial assets, the Bank tests the impact of objectively demonstrated events on the recognised financial assets. Considering the current economic conditions, the final outcome of these estimates could differ from the amounts of impairment losses recognised as at 31 December 2010.
- Income tax rules and regulations have undergone significant changes in recent years and there are little historical precedent and interpretative rulings with respect to the extensive and complex issues affecting the banking industry. Moreover, tax authorities have extensive powers in interpreting the application of the tax laws and regulations in the course of its tax examination of taxpayers. Accordingly, there is a high level of inherent uncertainty about the ultimate outcomes of examinations by the tax authorities.

(2.5) Summary of significant accounting policies

(1) Foreign currency translation

Transactions denominated in foreign currencies are translated to euros using the rates of exchange of the ECB or other commercial banks at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are reported at the rates of exchange prevailing at the reporting date. Exchange rate gains/losses are included in the Income Statement in "Trading profit".

(2) Cash and cash equivalents

The Bank considers cash, current accounts with the National Bank of Slovakia or other financial institutions, time deposits with other financial institutions with residual maturity up to three months, and treasury bills with a residual maturity up to three months, to be cash equivalents. For the purposes of determining cash flows, the minimum reserve deposit with the NBS is not included as cash equivalent due to restrictions on its availability.

(3) Financial instruments – recognition and measurement

(i) Date of initial recognition

Purchases or sales of financial assets that require delivery of assets within the time frame generally established by regulation or convention in the marketplace are recognised on the settlement date. Derivatives are recognised as at a trade date.

(ii) Initial measurement of financial instruments

The classification of financial assets and liabilities as at initial recognition depends on the purpose for which the financial assets and liabilities were acquired and also depends on their nature. At initial recognition, the financial instruments are measured at fair value including the transaction costs.

(iii) Held-to-maturity financial investments

Held-to-maturity financial investments are those which carry fixed or determinable payments and have fixed maturities, and those which the Bank has the intention and ability to hold to maturity. After initial recognition, held-to-maturity financial investments are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method, less provision for impairment. Amortised cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium on acquisition cost and fees that are an integral part of the effective interest rate. Amortisation is included in “Interest income and similar income” in the Income Statement. The losses arising from the impairment of such investments are recognised in the Income Statement line “Additions to impairment losses and write-off of receivables”.

(iv) Loans and advances to banks and Loans and advances to customers

“Loans and advances to banks” and “Loans and advances to customers” are financial assets with fixed or determinable payments and fixed maturities that are not quoted in an active market. They are not entered into with the intention of immediate or short-term resale and are not classified as “Securities available-for-sale”. After initial recognition, the loans and advances to banks and the loans and advances to customers are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method, less provision for impairment. Amortised cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium on acquisition cost and fees that are an integral part of the effective interest rate. Amortisation is included in “Interest income and similar income” in the Income Statement. The losses arising from impairment are recognised in the Income Statement in “Additions to impairment losses and write-off of receivables”.

(v) Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss comprise financial derivatives and securities at fair value through profit or loss. Securities at fair value through profit or loss are financial assets held for the purpose of trading and generating profit from short-term fluctuations in prices.

Securities held for trading are measured at fair value. Gains and losses from revaluation are presented in the Income Statement as “Trading profit”. Interest earned while holding securities held for trading is reported using the effective interest rate as interest income in the Income Statement as “Interest income and similar income”. Dividends earned while holding financial investments are recognised in the Income Statement as “Trading profit” when the right of the payment has been established.

Financial derivatives include currency and interest rate swaps, currency and interest rate forwards, FRA and currency options (call and put options) and other financial derivatives for the purposes of trading and interest rate risk and exchange rate risk management. Financial derivatives are measured at fair value. Unrealised gains and losses on financial derivatives are recognised as “Other assets” or “Other liabilities”. Realised and unrealised gains and losses on derivatives entered into for trading purposes are included in the Income Statement in “Trading profit/loss”.

Derivatives held as hedging instruments for risk management purposes are remeasured to fair value at the end of each reporting period. The treatment of changes in their fair value depends on their classification into the following categories:

(i) Fair Value Hedge

When a derivative is designated as a hedge of the change in fair value of a recognised asset or liability or a firm off-balance sheet commitment, changes in the fair value of the derivative are recognised immediately in the Income Statement together with changes in the fair value of the hedged item that are attributable to the hedged risk (in the same income statement line as the hedged item).

Hedge accounting is discontinued if the derivative expires or is sold, terminated, or exercised, no longer meets the criteria for fair value hedge accounting, or the designation is revoked. Any adjustment to a hedged item for which the effective interest method is used is amortised to income as part of the recalculated effective interest rate of the item over its remaining life.

(ii) Cash Flow Hedge

When a derivative is designated as a hedge of the variability in cash flows attributable to a particular risk associated with a recognised asset or liability or a highly probable forecast transaction that could affect income, the effective portion of changes in the fair value of the derivative are recognised directly in equity. The amount recognised in equity is removed and included in the Income Statement in the same period as the hedged cash flows affect the Income Statement under the same income statement line as the hedged item.

Any ineffective portion of changes in the fair value of the derivative is recognised immediately in the income statement.

If a derivative expires or is sold, terminated or exercised, no longer meets the criteria for cash flow hedge accounting, or the designation is revoked, then hedge accounting is discontinued and the amount recognised in equity remains in equity until the forecast transaction affects income. If the forecast transaction is no longer expected to occur, hedge accounting is discontinued and the balance in equity is recognised immediately in the income statement.

The relationship between the hedging instrument and the hedged item, risk management objectives, and the implementation strategy of various hedging transactions are documented at the beginning of the hedge relationship. From the origin of the hedging, the Bank continuously documents whether the hedging instrument is highly effective in offsetting changes in the fair values or cash flows of the hedged item.

Hedging derivatives are defined as derivatives following the Bank's risk management strategy, the hedge relationship is officially documented and the hedging is effective [run-on], ie at the beginning and during the existence of the hedge relationship changes in fair values or cash flows from hedged or hedging items are almost fully set off against final results within the range from 80% to 125%.

Embedded Derivatives

Derivatives may be embedded in another contractual arrangement (hereinafter the "host contract"). The Bank accounts for embedded derivatives separately from the host contract when the host contract is not itself carried at fair value through income and the characteristics of the embedded derivative are not clearly and closely related to the host contract. Separated embedded derivatives are recognised depending on their classification and are presented in the balance sheet together with the host contract.

(vi) Securities available-for-sale

Securities available for sale are all securities that are classified in this portfolio upon initial recognition. Also included in this portfolio are such financial investments that do not qualify to be classified in one of the following categories: investments held to maturity, financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss, or loans and advances to banks and loans and advances to customers. They include equity instruments, investments in mutual funds and money market, and other debt instruments.

Upon initial recognition, available-for-sale securities are measured at fair value. Unrealised gains and losses are recognised directly in equity in the “Revaluation reserves on securities available for sale including deferred tax”. When the financial asset is sold, the cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in equity is recognised in the Income Statement in “Trading profit”. Where the Bank holds more than one investment in the same financial asset, they are deemed to be disposed of on an average price basis. Interest earned while holding available-for-sale financial investments is reported using the effective interest rate as interest income in the Income Statement in “Interest income and similar income”. Dividends earned while holding financial investments are recognised in the Income Statement as “Trading profit”, when the right of the payment has been established. The losses arising from impairment of such investments are recognised in the Income Statement in “Additions to impairment losses and write-off of receivables”, and removed from the equity in the “Revaluation reserves on securities available for sale including deferred tax”.

(vii) Deposits from banks, deposits from customers and debt securities issued

Deposits from banks, deposits from customers, and debt securities issued are financial instruments, where the substance of the contractual arrangement results in the Bank having an obligation either to deliver cash or another financial asset to the holder or other banks.

After initial recognition, deposits from banks, deposits from customers, and debt securities issued are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method. Amortised cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium on the face value and initial costs that are an integral part of the effective interest rate. The corresponding interest expense is recognised in the Income Statement in line “Interest expense and similar expense”.

(4) Derecognition of financial assets and financial liabilities

(i) Financial assets

A financial asset (or, where applicable a part of a financial asset or part of a group of similar financial assets) is derecognised when:

- The rights to receive cash flows from the asset have expired; or
- The Bank has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from the asset or has assumed an obligation to pay the received cash flows in full without material delay to a third party under a “pass-through” arrangement; or
- The Bank has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset; or
- The Bank has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, but has transferred control of the asset.

When the Bank has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from an asset or has entered into a pass-through arrangement, and has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset nor transferred control of the asset, the asset is recognised to the extent of the Bank’s continuing exposure. Continuing exposure that takes the form of a guarantee over the transferred asset is measured at the lower of a) the original carrying amount of the asset, and b) the maximum amount of consideration that the Bank could be required to repay.

(ii) Financial liabilities

A financial liability is derecognised when the obligation under the liability is discharged or cancelled or expired. Where an existing financial liability is replaced by another from the same lender on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing liability are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification is treated as the derecognition of the original liability and recognition of a new liability, and the difference in the relevant carrying amounts is recognised in the Income Statement.

(5) Repurchase and reverse repurchase agreements

Transactions where securities are sold under a commitment to repurchase (repos) at a predetermined price or purchased under a commitment to resell (reverse repos) are treated as received loans in "Deposits from banks" or "Deposits from customers" with the security transfer of securities or as loans granted in "Loans and advances to banks" or "Loans and advances to customers". The Bank recognises interest income on securities transferred under a repurchase commitment while interest income on securities received under a resale commitment is not accrued.

Income and expenses arising from repurchase and reverse repurchase commitments, being the difference between the selling and purchase prices of the securities, are accrued over the period of the transaction and recorded in the Income Statement as "Interest income and similar income" or "Interest expense and similar expense".

(6) Determination of fair value

Based on the used input data for the fair value estimates, the calculation of the fair values of the Group's financial assets and liabilities can be classified into one of three levels:

Level 1: Quoted prices from active markets for identical assets or liabilities

Level 2: Inputs other than "Level 1" quoted prices, which can be obtained for assets or liabilities either directly (eg prices) or indirectly (derived from interest rates etc)

Level 3: Input data for assets or liabilities, which cannot be derived from market data

For the determination of a fair value of financial instruments, the following applies:

- The fair value for the financial instruments corresponds to their quoted price in an active market as at the reporting date, without any deduction for transaction costs.
- If the quoted market price is not available or there is no active market for the applicable financial instrument, the fair values of financial instruments are determined using valuation techniques such as theoretical price derived from the proceeds as read from the yield curve of government bonds and the credit margin of issuers' debt securities with comparable credit risk under generally accepted revaluation rules.

Where valuation techniques are used to determine fair values, financial instruments are measured and periodically reviewed by qualified personnel independent of the field of their creation. If practically feasible, models use only observable data; however, areas such as credit risk, volatilities and liquidity require expert estimates. Changes in the assumptions related to these factors could affect the reported fair value of financial instruments.

- Fair value of shares and other equity securities in companies, the price of which is not listed on an active market and the fair value of which cannot be determined reliably, are recognised at cost less impairment.
- The fair value of government and NBS treasury bills is determined by discounting the face value to present value by the required proceeds by maturity derived from the applicable rates effective on the interbank market.
- For OTC derivatives the fair value is determined by discounting future cash flows to their present value using verifiable market data.

With respect to the definition of the fair value of financial instruments that are not revalued to fair value, the Bank applies the net present value method using the prime interest rates of individual currencies disclosed by central banks, which approximate market values. More detailed information on the methods of calculation of fair values of financial instruments not revalued to fair value is provided in Note 43.

To determine the fair values of its financial assets and liabilities, the Bank uses the information from the Bloomberg system, where the value is determined by the values of various contributors (financial market entities contributing their prices into the information system) and other important market information.

(7) Impairment of financial assets

The Bank assesses at each reporting date whether there is any objective evidence that a financial asset or a group of financial assets is impaired. A financial asset or a group of financial assets is reduced if, and only if, there is objective evidence of impairment as a result of one or more events that has occurred after the initial recognition of the asset (an incurred "loss event") and that loss event (or events) has an impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset or the group of financial assets that can be reliably estimated. Evidence of impairment may include indications that the borrower or a group of borrowers is experiencing significant financial difficulty, default or delinquency in interest or principal payments, the probability that they will enter bankruptcy or necessary reorganisation and where observable data indicate that there is a measurable decrease in the estimated future cash flows.

(i) Loans and advances to banks and Loans and advances to customers

For loans and advances to banks and loans and advances to customers carried at amortised cost, the Bank first assesses individually whether objective evidence of impairment exists individually for financial assets that are individually significant, or collectively for financial assets that are not individually significant. If the Bank determines that no objective evidence of impairment exists for an individually assessed financial asset and such asset shows common indications characteristic for individual portfolios created by the Bank, whether significant or not, the Bank includes the asset in a group of financial assets with similar credit risk characteristics and collectively assesses them for impairment. Assets that are individually assessed for impairment are not included in a collective assessment of impairment.

If there is objective evidence that an impairment loss has been incurred, the amount of the loss is measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows (excluding future expected credit losses that have not yet been incurred as at the reporting date). The carrying amount of the asset is reduced through the use of an account of impairment losses and the amount of the loss is recognised in the Income Statement. Interest income continues to be accrued on the reduced carrying amount based on the original effective interest rate of the asset. If, in a subsequent year, the amount of the estimated impairment loss increases or decreases owing to an event occurring after the impairment was recognised, the previously recognised impairment loss is increased or reduced by adjusting the account of impairment losses. The unrecovered portion of the loans is written off by the Bank as a loss after all means for recovery of the receivable have been applied including the perfection of the collateral.

The present value of the estimated future cash flows is discounted at the financial asset's original effective interest rate. If a loan has a variable interest rate, the discount rate for measuring any impairment loss is the current effective interest rate. The calculation of the present value of the estimated future cash flows of a collateralised financial asset reflects the cash flows that will be generated from the realisation of the collateral less costs of sale.

For the purpose of the collective recognition of impairment, financial assets are grouped on the basis of the Bank's internal credit grading system that considers the same credit risk characteristics, in particular financial asset type, industry, method of collateral, and other relevant factors.

The selected types of loans and advances to corporate customers where no impairment was identified on an individual basis, loans and advances are classified into groups – portfolios with similar credit risk characteristics. For portfolios where risk was identified resulting from a change in economic conditions, downturn in the relevant markets and portfolio-based impairment losses are estimated. Portfolio-based impairment losses cover are intended to reflect risk of loss that has not yet been individually identified, but based on historical experience and mainly the anticipated impact of current economic market conditions, are deemed to be inherent in the portfolios as at the reporting date.

Anticipated future cash flows on a group of financial assets that are collectively assessed for impairment are estimated on the basis of historical loss experience for assets with credit risk characteristics, actual and expected developments on the relevant market, taking into account the anticipated value of collaterals after the stress test. As the Bank has no historical loss experience for groups of assets, similar to those in the group, the amount of such assets is adjusted on the basis of current observable data to reflect the effects of current conditions that did not affect the years on which the historical loss experience is based and to remove the effects of conditions in the historical period that no longer exist. Estimates of changes in future cash flows reflect changes in related observable data (such as changes in unemployment rates, property prices, commodity prices or other factors that are indicative of incurred losses in the group and their magnitude). The methodology and assumptions used for estimating future cash flows are reviewed regularly to reduce any differences between loss estimates and actual loss experience.

In the current year, the management considered indications of losses resulting from an impact of the financial crisis on projects related to land development and real estate construction. The management concluded that there is a possibility there could already be losses incurred in this portfolio that have not yet been identified at a specific customer level. As a result, the Bank identified two portfolios of loans with similar credit risk characteristics. These are loans granted to corporate clients for financing real estate development projects and loans granted to corporate clients engaged in real estate lease and operations:

- Which are at the start-up phase;
- Whose collateral is in the form of real estate; and
- Whose recovery of the loan is dependent on the final sale of the real estate.

The Bank does not have a sufficiently long time series for the calculation of a historical default rate for the loan portfolios. The portfolio provision is created based on management estimates, considering the current stagnation of economic conditions on the real estate market, the value of received collateral, and expected recovery rates. The recorded estimated provision relates to the impairment of the whole portfolio. The management assumes that the incurred but not reported losses are in the volume of 3% - 3.5% (2009: 3%) of total loans included in the portfolio of loans for real estate project financing and 2.5% (2009: 2.5%) of total loans included in the portfolio of loans for clients engaged in the real estate lease and operations sector (refer also to Note 6 and 7). It is expected that as future events and uncertainties develop, the management will be able to improve its estimates of incurred losses that will result in future adjustments to impairment losses.

Provisioning for incurred credit losses and identified contingencies involve uncertainties resulting from the aforementioned risks and require the management of the Bank to make subjective judgments in estimating the loss amounts. There are significant uncertainties connected mainly with the ultimate implementation of the real estate development projects that is outside the control of management.

The ultimate outcome could differ from those estimates and future changes in the economic conditions, and other factors impacting real estate markets could subsequently result in a change in estimates that could have a material impact on loan loss provisions.

(ii) Held-to-maturity financial investments

For held-to-maturity investments, the Bank assesses individually whether there is objective evidence of impairment. If there is objective evidence that an impairment loss has been incurred, the amount of the loss is measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows. The carrying amount of the asset is reduced and the amount of the loss is recognised in the Income Statement.

If, in a subsequent year, the amount of the estimated impairment loss decreases because of an event occurring after the impairment was recognised, any amounts previously disclosed in expenses are credited to the "Loss on impairment of financial investments".

(iii) Available-for-sale financial investments

For available-for-sale financial investments, the Bank assesses at each reporting date whether there is objective evidence that an investment or a group of investments is impaired.

In the case of equity investments classified as available-for-sale, objective evidence would include a significant or long-term decline in the fair value of the investment below its cost. Where there is evidence of impairment, the cumulative loss – measured as the difference between the acquisition cost and the current fair value, less any impairment loss on that investment previously recognised in the Income Statement – is removed from equity and recognised in the Income Statement. Provisions for equity investments are not reversed through the Income Statement. Increases in their fair value after impairment are recognised directly in equity.

In the case of debt instruments classified as available-for-sale, impairment is assessed based on the same criteria as financial assets carried at amortised cost. Interest continues to be accrued at the original effective interest rate and is recorded as part of “Interest income and similar income”. If, in a subsequent year, the fair value of a debt instrument increases and the increase can be objectively related to an event occurring after the impairment loss was recognised in the Income Statement, the provision for the financial assets is reversed through the Income Statement.

(iv) Renegotiated loans

The Bank prefers restructuring the loans rather than perfecting the collateral if such procedure improves or strengthens its position as a creditor. Restructuring may include the extension of repayment dates and the agreement of new credit terms and conditions. Once the terms have been renegotiated, the loan is no longer considered as an asset past due. Management continuously reviews renegotiated loans to ensure that all criteria are met and that future payments are likely to occur. The loans continue to be subject to an individual or collective impairment assessment, calculated using the loan’s original effective interest rate.

(8) Accrued interest income and expense

Accrued interest income and expense related to financial assets and liabilities are presented as at the reporting date together with the corresponding assets and liabilities in the statement of financial position.

(9) Tangible and intangible assets

Tangible and intangible assets are recognised at historical cost less accumulated depreciation and provisions for impairment losses. Tangible and intangible assets are depreciated on a straight-line basis over estimated useful economic life as follows:

Buildings and structures	20 to 40 years, linear
Software	Up to 5 years, linear
Other assets	4 to 12 years, linear

Land and assets under construction are not depreciated.

Gains and losses on sale of tangible and intangible assets are determined by reference to their net book value and are recognised in the Income Statement in the year of disposal. Low-value tangible and intangible assets and technical improvements costing less than EUR 1 700 in the case of tangible assets, and EUR 2 400 in the case of intangible assets, are recognised in the Income Statement when the expenditure is incurred.

Costs associated with the maintenance of existing software are expensed through “General administrative expenses” as incurred, while the costs of technical improvements are capitalised and increase the cost of software.

(10) Impairment of tangible and intangible assets

At each reporting date, the Bank reviews the carrying amounts of its tangible and intangible assets to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss. If any such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated in order to determine the extent of impairment loss (if any).

The recoverable amount is the higher of fair value less costs of sale and present value of future cash flows expected to be derived from the asset. If any of the above amounts exceeds the carrying amount, there is no need to estimate the other amount. If the estimated recoverable amount of an asset is lower than its carrying amount, the carrying amount of the asset shall be reduced to equal the recoverable amount. The impairment loss shall be recognised directly in the Income Statement.

(11) Guarantees issued

In the ordinary course of business, the Bank gives financial guarantees consisting of letters of credit, guarantees, and accepted notes. Financial guarantees are initially recognised at fair value, in "Other liabilities". Upon initial recognition, the Bank's liability under each guarantee granted is measured at the higher of the amortised cost and the best estimate of expenditures required to settle any financial obligation arising as a result of the guarantee, and is recognised in "Other liabilities".

(12) Provisions for liabilities

A provision is a liability of uncertain timing or amount. A reserve is recognised when the Bank has an obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of past events and it is probable that the satisfaction of the obligation will require a cash outflow and, at the same time, the amount of the obligation can be reliably estimated.

The amount of provisions for liability is recognised based on the best estimate of the consideration required to settle the present obligation at the reporting date, taking into account the risks and uncertainties surrounding the obligation. Where a provision for liability is measured using the cash flows estimated to settle the present obligation, its carrying amount is the present value of those cash flows.

When some or all of the economic benefits required to settle a provision for liability are expected to be recovered from a third party, the receivable is recognised as an asset if it is certain that a reimbursement will be received and the amount of the receivable can be measured reliably.

(13) Recognition of income and expenses

(i) Interest expense and interest income

Interest expense and interest income are recorded in the Income Statement on an accrual basis using the effective interest method.

The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial asset or a financial liability, or a group of financial assets or financial liabilities, by allocating interest income and income expenses over the relevant period. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash payments or receipts over the expected life of the financial instrument so that they correspond to the net carrying amount of the financial asset or financial liability.

Fees earned for the provision of loans and loan commitments that compensate activities performed to maintain the instrument are recorded on an accrual basis and recognised as effective interest rate adjustments.

Interest expenses and interest income also include transaction fees at the origin of the financial instrument.

(ii) Fee and commission income and expenses

Fees earned for the administration of loans and other received and paid fees are recorded in the Income Statement when the service is provided or received.

(iii) Income tax

Income tax includes current tax and deferred tax.

Current income tax represents the expected tax liability resulting from taxable income for the year calculated at the tax rate as at the reporting date with any current income tax adjustments from previous years.

Deferred income tax is calculated using the balance sheet liability method for all temporary differences arising between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts. Deferred income tax is calculated at the tax rates that are expected to apply to the period when the time differences are reversed.

Deferred income tax assets are only recognised to the extent that it is probable that taxable profits will be available against which non-utilised tax losses and credits can be applied. Deferred income tax assets are decreased to the extent that it is not probable that the related tax benefits can be realised.

Deferred income tax is charged or credited to the Income Statement, except when such deferred income tax relates to items charged or credited directly to equity, in which case the deferred tax is also recorded in equity. Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right to set off current income tax assets against current income tax liabilities, and when they relate to income taxes levied by the same tax authority and the Bank intends to settle its current income tax assets and liabilities on a net basis.

(14) Subsidiaries and other equity investments

The financial statements present the accounts and results of the Bank only.

Subsidiary Undertakings

An investment in a subsidiary is one in which the Bank holds, directly or indirectly, more than 50% of such subsidiary's share capital or in which the Bank can exercise more than 50% of the voting rights, or where the Bank can appoint or dismiss the majority of the Board of Directors or Supervisory Board members, or have other means of governing the financial and operating policies of an entity so as to obtain benefits from its activities.

Subsidiaries are valued at cost less provisions for impairment.

Other equity participations

Other equity participations represent investments with less than a 20% share on the share capital and voting rights. Such investments are measured using the fair value model applicable on the securities available for sale. Investments for which no quoted market prices on an active market are available or investments the fair value of which cannot be determined reliably are recognised at cost.

(15) Transactions with securities for clients

Securities received by the Bank into custody, administration, or deposition are recognised at face values in the off-balance sheet. The securities taken over by the Bank for management are recognised at fair value in the off-balance sheet. The Bank's amounts due to customers are recognised as "Other liabilities" in the balance sheet owing to cash received for purchase of securities, cash to be returned to clients etc.

(16) Regulatory requirements

The Bank is subject to the regulatory requirements of the central bank. These regulations include those pertaining to capital adequacy, classification of loans and off-balance sheet commitments, asset concentration, credit risks associated with the Bank's clients, liquidity, interest rates, and foreign currency position.

3. SEGMENT REPORTING

A segment is a distinguishable component of an entity that provides products and services with significantly different risk and return (hereinafter “business segment”), or this difference is determined by political, geographical, or other factors (eg geographical segment). The Bank’s activities and services represent primarily the provision of banking and other financial services in the Slovak Republic. The Bank acts on the market as a uniform segment.

An operating segment is a component of the reporting entity:

- a) That is engaged in business activities that may generate revenues and expenses (including revenues and expenses related to transactions with other components of the same reporting entity);
- b) Whose operating results are regularly reviewed by the executive decision-maker of the reporting entity to decide on funds to be allocated to the segment and to evaluate its performance, and
- c) To which separate financial information is available.

The Bank recognises segments by geographical areas as the segmentation by activities associated with the provision of products and services is inapplicable. The segments are recognised in compliance with IFRS.

The Bank does not classify segments by revenues as no such internal reports for the use by the Bank’s management that would be regularly reviewed by the executive decision-maker to allocate funds to the segment and to assess its performance are not prepared by the Bank. Costs of preparing such information solely for the purpose of the disclosure in the financial statements would be high.

Notes to the Financial Statements for the year ended 31 December 2010
Prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards,
as adopted by the European Union

Classification by geographical areas as at 31 December 2010:

EUR '000	Cash and balances with central banks	Loans and advances to banks	Loans and advances to customers	Securities available for sale	Securities at fair value through profit or loss	Securities held to maturity	Investments in subsidiaries
Australia	-	-	-	2 074	-	-	-
Cyprus	-	-	17 919	-	-	-	-
Czech Republic	187	5 244	9 154	17 765	4	-	-
Finland	-	-	-	1 097	-	-	-
France	-	-	-	5 483	-	-	-
Holland	-	-	46	10 316	-	-	-
Croatia	-	-	-	3 719	-	-	-
Ireland	-	-	-	5 506	-	-	-
South Korea	-	-	-	1 097	-	-	-
Canada	-	-	-	1 052	-	-	-
Luxembourg	-	-	-	-	20	-	-
Hungary	-	-	522	4 810	-	-	-
Germany	-	235	-	1 183	-	-	-
Poland	-	2 852	-	36 564	24	5 675	-
Portugal	-	-	-	2 916	-	-	-
Austria	-	3	-	6 200	722	-	-
Slovak Republic	24 040	362	157 221	144 130	4 054	-	7
USA	238	2 191	-	24 255	786	-	-
Spain	-	-	-	2 072	-	-	-
Switzerland	60	-	-	4 992	-	-	-
Sweden	-	-	-	1 413	-	-	-
Italy	-	-	-	2 498	-	-	-
Great Britain	66	-	-	7 848	-	-	-
Total gross	24 591	10 887	184 862	286 990	5 610	5 675	7
Provisions (Note 7)	-	-	(5 339)	(70)	-	-	-
Total net	24 591	10 887	179 523	286 920	5 610	5 675	7

The Bank did not recognise the balances of tangible and intangible assets and other assets as at 31 December 2010 by geographical segments owing to the immateriality of those amounts for the segment reporting.

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Classification by geographical areas as at 31 December 2009:

EUR '000	Cash and balances with central banks	Loans and advances to banks	Loans and advances to customers	Securities available for sale	Securities at fair value through profit or loss	Securities held to maturity	Investments in subsidiaries
Cyprus	-	-	6 494	-	-	-	-
Czech Republic	185	34 808	2 287	21 532	4	-	-
Finland	-	-	-	1 114	-	-	-
France	-	-	-	22 031	-	-	-
Holland	-	-	51	16 882	502	-	-
Croatia	-	-	-	5 466	-	-	-
Ireland	-	-	-	7 894	-	20 444	-
South Korea	-	-	-	1 098	-	-	-
Canada	-	-	-	2 103	-	-	-
Hungary	-	-	-	415	-	2 047	-
Germany	-	124	-	13 128	-	-	-
Poland	-	415	-	28 360	-	-	-
Austria	-	10 042	-	6 584	768	-	-
Slovak Republic	8 878	25 592	103 311	77 159	8 184	-	7
Slovenia	-	-	-	5 130	-	-	-
USA	45	1 258	-	22 886	197	-	-
Spain	-	-	-	2 113	-	-	-
Switzerland	76	-	-	-	-	-	-
Italy	-	-	-	6 577	-	-	-
Great Britain	50	-	-	3 841	-	-	-
Other countries	-	-	-	1 294	-	-	-
Total gross	9 234	72 239	112 143	245 607	9 655	22 491	7
Provisions (Note 7)	-	-	(3 720)	(70)	-	-	-
Total net	9 234	72 239	108 423	245 537	9 655	22 491	7

The Bank did not recognise the balances of tangible and intangible assets and other assets as at 31 December 2009 by geographical segments owing to the immateriality of those amounts for the segment reporting.

(b) Breakdown of loans and advances to customers per sectors:

EUR '000	2010	2009
Residents		
Financial institutions	2 294	418
Non-financial institutions	138 765	92 968
Non-profit organisations	1 456	407
Public administration	93	-
Self-employed	3 511	24
Individuals	11 102	9 494
Non-residents		
Non-financial institutions	24 477	8 612
Individuals	3 164	220
Total loans and advances to customers, gross	184 862	112 143
Provisions for amounts due from customers (Note 7)	(5 339)	(3 720)
Total loans and advances to customers, net	179 523	108 423

(c) Breakdown of loans and advances to customers per purpose:

EUR '000	2010	2009
Short-term loans	54 450	23 013
Of which: project financing	20 880	11 583
Operating	3 266	874
Consumer	124	-
Real estate loans	22 369	12 084
Overdrafts	9 055	4 513
Other	19 636	5 542
Long-term loans	130 412	89 130
Of which: project financing	27 277	18 824
Operating	-	331
Investment	13 031	17 962
Consumer	282	102
Real estate loans	54 663	32 150
Other	62 436	38 585
Total loans and advances to customers, gross	184 862	112 143
Provisions for amounts due from customers (Note 7)	(5 339)	(3 720)
Total loans and advances to customers, net	179 523	108 423

The share of project financing loans to the gross receivables from customers at the end of 2010 represents 26.1% (2009: 27.1%).

The share of real estate loans that include project financing loans and loans for real estate to be rented out to the gross receivables from customers at the end of 2010 represents 41.7% (2009: 39.4%).

(d) Risk categorisation of loans to customers

The table below details the breakdown of loans to customers according to the type of exposure and the level of risk identified within the Bank's portfolio of loans and advances as at 31 December 2010. Exposure information includes undrawn loan commitments and issued guarantees.

EUR '000	Exposure	Provisions	Provisions coverage	Estimated value of collateral	Provisions and collateral coverage
Portfolio provisions	80 257	2 281	2,84%	78 011	100,04%
Individuals	3 627	-	-	3 141	86,60%
<i>Of which: defaults</i>	-	-	-	-	-
Entrepreneurs and corporate entities	76 630	2 281	2,98%	74 870	100,68%
<i>Of which: defaults</i>	-	-	-	-	-
Individual provisions	104 605	3 058	2,92%	91 775	90,66%
Not impaired exposures	96 392	-	-	84 593	87,76%
Impaired exposures	8 213	3 058	37,23%	7 182	124,68%
Subtotal, balance-sheet credit risks	184 862	5 339	2,89%	169 786	94,73%
Off-balance sheet Retail Asset Class	2 468	-	-	-	-
Off-balance sheet Corporate Asset Class	23 091	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, off-balance sheet credit risks	25 559	-	-	-	-
Total	210 421	5 339	2,54%	-	-

In 2010 the interest income on impaired loans to customer amounted to EUR 611 thousand (2009: EUR 949 thousand).

The table below details the breakdown of loans to customers according the type of exposure and the level of credit risk identified within the Bank's portfolio of loans and advances as at 31 December 2009. Exposure information includes undrawn loan commitments and issued guarantees.

EUR '000	Exposure	Provisions	Provisions coverage	Estimated value of collateral	Provisions and collateral coverage
Portfolio provisions	51 273	1 380	2,69%	51 122	102,40%
Individuals	2 731	-	-	2 617	95,83%
<i>Of which: defaults</i>	-	-	-	-	-
Entrepreneurs and corporate entities	48 542	1 380	2,84%	48 505	102,77%
<i>Of which: defaults</i>	-	-	-	-	-
Individual provisions	60 870	2 340	3,84%	54 901	94,04%
Not impaired exposures	53 213	-	-	48 878	91,85%
Impaired exposures	7 657	2 340	30,56%	6 023	109,22%
Subtotal, balance-sheet credit risks	112 143	3 720	3,32%	106 023	97,86%
Off-balance sheet Retail Asset Class	1 669	-	-	-	-
Off-balance sheet Corporate Asset Class	13 427	-	-	-	-
Subtotal, off-balance sheet credit risks	15 096	-	-	-	-
Total	127 239	3 720	2,92%	-	-

7. IMPAIRMENT LOSSES

EUR '000	1 Jan 2010	(Additions)	Release	Exchange rate gain/loss	31 Dec 2010
Loans and advances to customers (Note 6)	(3 720)	(3 826)	2 207	-	(5 339)
Securities available for sale (Note 8)	(70)	-	-	-	(70)
Other assets (Note 14)	(1)	(5)	3	-	(3)
Total impairment losses	(3 791)	(3 831)	2 210	-	(5 412)

EUR '000	1 Jan 2009	(Additions)	Release	Exchange rate gain/loss	31 Dec 2009
Loans and advances to customers (Note 6)	(2 589)	(3 659)	2 528	-	(3 720)
Securities available for sale (Note 8)	(70)	-	-	-	(70)
Other assets (Note 14)	(27)	(1)	27	-	(1)
Total impairment losses for receivables	(2 686)	(3 660)	2 555	-	(3 791)
Tangible and intangible assets (Note 12)	(37)	-	37	-	-
Total impairment losses	(2 723)	(3 660)	2 592	-	(3 791)

8. SECURITIES AVAILABLE FOR SALE

EUR '000	2010	2009
State treasury bills domestic	19 869	-
State treasury bills foreign	5 875	14 974
State bonds domestic	109 692	64 787
State bonds foreign	49 307	57 388
Bank bonds domestic	14 388	11 991
Bank bonds foreign	38 626	49 150
Corporate bonds domestic	59	260
Corporate bonds foreign	48 828	42 287
Shares domestic	122	122
Shares foreign	15	17
Mutual fund certificates foreign	-	4 500
Other foreign shares	209	131
Total securities available for sale, gross	286 990	245 607
Provisions (Note 7)	(70)	(70)
Total securities available for sale, net	286 920	245 537

The method for measuring the fair value of available-for-sale securities is described in Note 43.

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As at 31 December 2010, in the portfolio of securities the Bank recognised available for sale state bonds domestic at the fair value of EUR 1 622 thousand (2009: EUR 1 739 thousand) provided as collateral for the deposits from customers and state bonds domestic at the fair value of EUR 1 936 thousand (2009: EUR 1 895 thousand) provided as collateral to a local bank.

The structure of securities provided as collateral for pooling to the National Bank of Slovakia is as follows:

EUR '000	2010	2009
State treasury bills domestic	19 869	-
State treasury bills foreign	2 960	-
State bonds domestic	93 893	37 162
State bonds foreign	12 475	40 687
Bank bonds domestic	12 563	9 050
Bank bonds foreign	15 606	10 349
Corporate bonds foreign	5 259	3 184
Total	162 625	100 432

As at 31 December 2010, the Bank's portfolio of available-for-sale securities included state bonds foreign at the fair value of EUR 13 438 thousand (2009: EUR 13 174 thousand), bank bonds foreign at the fair value of EUR 3 210 thousand (2009: EUR 3 201 thousand), and corporate bonds foreign at the fair value of EUR 14 050 thousand (2009: EUR 10 267 thousand), which are hedged by interest rate swaps against changes in fair value.

The shares domestic include the shares in two privately-held entities for which no market exists. The Bank does not expect to sell or otherwise dispose of these participations in the near future. A 100% provision in the amount of EUR 70 thousand was created for one company that is in bankruptcy, and after the completion of the bankruptcy proceedings the participation will be fully written off.

9. SECURITIES AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS

EUR '000	2010	2009
State bonds domestic	496	3 150
State bonds foreign	28	4
Bank bonds domestic	3 270	4 417
Bank bonds foreign	806	780
Corporate bonds domestic	288	616
Corporate bonds foreign	722	688
Total securities at fair value through profit or loss	5 610	9 655

The method for measuring the fair value of securities at fair value through profit or loss is described in Note 43.

As at 31 December 2010, the Bank's portfolio of securities at fair value through profit or loss included bank bonds domestic at the fair value of EUR 1 396 thousand (2009: EUR 2 990 thousand) provided to the NBS as collateral for pooling.

10. SECURITIES HELD TO MATURITY

EUR '000	2010	2009
State bonds foreign	5 675	2 047
Bank bonds foreign	-	20 444
Total securities held to maturity	5 675	22 491

As at 31 December 2009, the Bank's portfolio of securities held to maturity included bank bonds foreign at amortised cost of EUR 15 325 thousand provided to the NBS as collateral for pooling.

11. INVESTMENTS IN SUBSIDIARIES

Name	Registered office	Share on equity EUR '000	Share on reserve fund EUR '000	Share on equity (%)	Carrying amount EUR '000
At 31 Dec 2010					
Privatfin, s.r.o.	Bratislava	6,7	0,3	100	7
At 31 Dec 2009					
Privatfin, s.r.o.	Bratislava	6,7	0,3	100	7

12. TANGIBLE AND INTANGIBLE ASSETS
a) Changes in tangible and intangible assets as at 31 December 2010

EUR '000	Tangible assets				Intangible assets			Total
	Buildings	Furniture, fittings and equipment	Motor vehicles	Prepayment and acquisition of tangible assets	Software	Patents and licences	Prepayment and acquisition of intangible assets	
Cost								
At 1 Jan 2010	521	2 316	171	11	3 374	33	333	6 759
Additions	35	182	69	288	376	2	172	1 124
Disposals	-	(137)	(22)	(299)	(21)	-	(387)	(866)
At 31 Dec 2010	556	2 361	218	-	3 729	35	118	7 017
Accumulated depreciation								
At 1 Jan 2010	(39)	(1 378)	(96)	-	(2 937)	(31)	-	(4 481)
Depreciation and amortisation	(23)	(310)	(42)	-	(253)	(4)	-	(632)
Disposals	-	136	22	-	21	-	-	179
At 31 Dec 2010	(62)	(1 552)	(116)	-	(3 169)	(35)	-	(4 934)
Net book value								
At 31 Dec 2010	494	809	102	-	560	-	118	2 083

b) Changes in tangible and intangible assets as at 31 December 2009

EUR '000	Tangible assets						Prepayment and acquisition of intangible assets	Total
	Buildings	Furniture, fittings and equipment	Motor vehicles	Prepayment and acquisition of tangible assets	Software	Patents and licences		
Cost								
At 1 Jan 2009	233	1 731	202	199	3 204	33	338	5 940
Additions	364	764	17	961	171	-	172	2 449
Disposals	(76)	(179)	(48)	(1 149)	(1)	-	(177)	(1 630)
At 31 Dec 2009	521	2 316	171	11	3 374	33	333	6 759
Accumulated depreciation								
At 1 Jan 2009	(44)	(1 254)	(114)	-	(2 697)	(28)	-	(4 137)
Depreciation and amortisation	(9)	(260)	(30)	-	(242)	(3)	-	(544)
Disposals	14	136	48	-	2	-	-	200
At 31 Dec 2009	(39)	(1 378)	(96)	-	(2 937)	(31)	-	(4 481)
Provisions (Note 7)								
At 1 Jan 2009	(37)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(37)
Additions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disposals	37	-	-	-	-	-	-	37
At 31 Dec 2009	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Net book value								
At 31 Dec 2009	482	938	75	11	437	2	333	2 278

c) Sale of tangible assets

In 2010, the Bank sold tangible assets in the net book value of EUR 1 thousand before the creation of impairment losses (2009: EUR 104 thousand).

d) Insurance of assets

Tangible assets at the headquarters and the branches were insured against natural disasters for the full cost.

13. DEFERRED INCOME TAX

Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are as follows:

EUR '000	Assets		Liabilities		Net	
	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009
Tangible and intangible assets	-	-	(44)	(47)	(44)	(47)
Securities - revaluation in equity	-	-	(158)	(367)	(158)	(367)
Total	-	-	(202)	(414)	(202)	(414)

The deferred income tax assets and liabilities have been calculated using the corporate income tax rate of 19% (2009: 19%).

The Bank applies a conservative approach for recognising deferred income tax assets and liabilities. All deferred income tax liabilities are recognised in the full amount, while only those deferred income tax assets are recognised for which the Bank expects to realise tax benefits in the future.

The Bank does not expect to realise benefits from tax non-deductible impairment losses in the future. Therefore, as at 31 December 2010 the Bank did not recognise deferred income tax asset of EUR 884 thousand, arising both from tax non-deductible impairment losses (2009: EUR 565 thousand).

As at 31 December 2010, the Bank does not recognise a deferred income tax asset relating to provisions for benefits for the Bank's employees and management in the amount of EUR 130 thousand (2009: EUR 104 thousand).

14. OTHER ASSETS

EUR '000	2010	2009
Other debtors	454	164
Advance payments made	19	11
Inventory	47	34
Deferred expenses	163	133
Accrued income	193	169
Receivables from collection	1	11
Receivables from securities market	-	2
Other receivables from customers	2	1
Other	25	-
Total other assets, gross	904	525
Provisions for other debtors (Note 7)	(3)	(1)
Total other assets, net	901	524

15. DEPOSITS FROM BANKS

EUR '000	2010	2009
Loans from the NBS	-	100 191
Time deposits of banks	9 991	10 003
Other liabilities to banks	1	-
Total deposits from banks	9 992	110 194

Loans received from the NBS as at 31 December 2009 include two loans: EUR 70 000 thousand falling due on 30 September 2010 and EUR 30 000 thousand falling due on 23 December 2010. As at 31 December 2009, the loans are secured by securities at the fair value of EUR 103 422 thousand, which are disclosed in the Statement of Financial Position as "Securities available for sale" and "Securities at fair value through profit or loss" and securities at amortised cost of EUR 15 325 thousand, which are disclosed in the Statement of Financial Position as "Securities held to maturity".

All payables due to banks are within maturity.

16. DEPOSITS FROM CUSTOMERS

(a) Breakdown of deposits from customers per type

EUR '000	2010	2009
Current accounts	39 516	54 135
Time deposits	382 028	223 044
Saving deposits	1 246	1 658
Other	495	499
Total deposits from customers	423 285	279 336

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Deposits from customers as at 31 December 2009 in the amount of EUR 1 660 thousand are collateralised by securities with fair value of EUR 1 739 thousand and are stated in the Statement of Financial Position under "Securities available for sale".

As at 31 December 2010, the 15 largest clients accounted for 45.5% of the total deposits from customers, which represents the amount of EUR 192 416 thousand (2009: 47.6%, EUR 133 004 thousand).

A major portion of the deposits from customers comprises payables to related parties. Their share of the total deposits from customers as at 31 December 2010 represented 42.4%, totalling EUR 179 353 thousand (2009: 40.0%, EUR 111 822 thousand). Additional information on exposures to related parties is described in Note 36.

All deposits from customers are within maturity.

(b) Breakdown of deposits from customers per sectors

EUR '000	2010	2009
Residents		
Financial institutions	15 285	11 088
Non-financial institutions	63 618	55 430
Mutual funds	5 651	5 964
Insurance companies	565	5 559
Government	27	27
Non-profit companies	2 911	2 940
Self-employed	1 350	5 352
Individuals	178 999	110 704
Non-residents		
Financial institutions	502	-
Non-financial institutions	149 915	81 032
Non-profit companies	1 334	-
Individuals	3 128	1 240
Total deposits from customers	423 285	279 336

17. DEBT SECURITIES ISSUED

(a) Breakdown of debt securities issued according to type

EUR '000	2010	2009
Bills of exchange	12 661	22 846
Bonds without coupons	12 648	5 697
Bonds	14 508	13 277
Total debt securities issued	39 817	41 820

A portion of the debt securities issued comprises payables to related parties. Their share on the total debt securities issues as at 31 December 2010 represented 7.7%, totalling EUR 3 062 thousand (2009: 14.6%, EUR 6 109 thousand). Additional information on exposures to related parties is described in Note 36.

All payables under the debt securities issued are within maturity.

(b) Summary of bonds issued

EUR '000	Start of issue	Maturity of issue	Interest rate	Face value 2010	Face value 2009
Bond 03 - FRN 20111207	12/2006	12/2011	3M EURIBOR + 0,25%	3 336	3 336
Bond 04 - FRN 20100903	09/2008	09/2010	3M EURIBOR + 0,90%	-	9 958
Bond 05 - 20110601	06/2009	06/2011	-	6 000	6 000
Bond 06 - 20120114	01/2010	01/2012	-	6 995	-
Bond 07 - 3,50% 20120630	06/2010	06/2012	3,50%	5 719	-
Bond 08 - 3,50% 20120913	09/2010	09/2012	3,50%	5 441	-
Total face value				27 491	19 294
Accrued interest				13	15
Accrued discount				465	124
Total discount (difference between face value and selling price)				(813)	(459)
Total liabilities from debt securities				27 156	18 974

The issued bonds are bearer bonds and all bonds were issued as uncertified securities. Bonds were not issued under a public offering. Bonds, except for Privatbanka 04 bonds, were not accepted at the listed securities market or any other stock market. Bonds Privatbanka 04 were accepted at the listed security market of Burza cenných papierov v Bratislave, a.s. during the period from 24 June 2009 to their due date on 3 September 2010.

On 3 September 2010, the Bank repaid the face value of 3 000 Privatbanka 04 bonds (ISIN: SK4120006222) amounting to EUR 9 958 thousand.

On 14 January 2010, the Bank issued Privatbanka 06 bonds (ISIN: SK4120006982) with the face value of EUR 1 000, with the total issue amounting to EUR 7 000 thousand. The bonds are couponless and due on 14 January 2012.

On 30 June 2010, the Bank issued Privatbanka 07 bonds (ISIN: SK4120007352) with the face value of EUR 1 000, with the total issue amounting to EUR 6 000 thousand. Yields on bonds are paid on a quarterly basis and are set at a fixed interest rate of 3.50% p.a. of the bond's face value. Bonds are due on 30 June 2012. As at 31 December 2010, the Bank sold 5,719 units of Privatbanka 07 bonds in the total face value of EUR 5 719 thousand.

On 13 September 2010, the Bank issued Privatbanka 08 bonds (ISIN: SK4120007451) with the face value of EUR 1 000, with the total issue amounting to EUR 7 000 thousand. Yields on bonds are paid on a quarterly basis and are set at a fixed interest rate of 3.50% p.a. of the bond's face value. Bonds are due on 13 September 2012. As at 31 December 2010, the Bank sold 5,441 units of Privatbanka 08 bonds in the total face value of EUR 5 441 thousand.

The bonds are negotiable and are not subject to any pre-emptive right. The entitlement to receiving the face value plus yield is governed by generally binding legal regulations and the bond issue terms and conditions, the full wording of which is published as required pursuant to Act No. 530/1990 Coll. on Bonds as amended.

(c) Breakdown of debt securities issued per sectors of creditors

EUR '000	2010	2009
Residents		
Non-financial institutions	14 483	11 432
Government	53	103
Non-profit companies	1 611	2 164
Self-employed	136	25
Individuals	16 939	22 827
Non-residents		
Non-financial institutions	5 574	5 138
Individuals	1 021	131
Total liabilities from debt securities	39 817	41 820

18. CURRENT INCOME TAX LIABILITY

EUR '000	2010	2009
Current tax	1 270	1 030
Tax prepayments	(1 028)	(859)
Total current income tax liability	242	171

19. OTHER LIABILITIES

EUR '000	2010	2009
Negative fair value of derivatives for trading (Note 25)	338	-
Negative fair value of derivatives for hedging (Note 25)	655	395
Payables to creditors	220	256
Settlement with employees	228	194
Payables to employees	1	16
Payables to State budget	598	238
Payables to social and health insurance companies	112	97
Deferred income	17	15
Accrued expenses	989	831
Payables to securities market	4 052	3 115
Payables from collection	1	11
Other amounts due to customers	284	694
Total other liabilities	7 495	5 862

“Payables to securities market” includes the Bank’s payables to customers mainly as a result of funds received for investing in securities. The financial funds are not protected by the Deposits Protection Fund. They fall under the protection by the Investments Guarantee Fund.

20. SHARE CAPITAL, CAPITAL RESERVES FROM PROFIT AND REVALUATION RESERVES

Share capital

EUR '000	2010	2009
Issued and fully paid share capital:		
756,874 ordinary shares (ISIN SK1110001619 with nominal values of EUR 33.19 each)	25 121	25 121

The total amount of the share capital in the amount of EUR 25 121 thousand is registered with the Commercial Register. The rounding difference from the conversion of the share capital to euros in the Commercial Register is in the amount of EUR 3 thousand.

The structure of the Bank's shareholders as at 31 December 2010 and 31 December 2009:

Sharholder	Registered office	No. of shares (face value)	Share in registered capital (%)	Share in voting rights (%)
Penta Investments Ltd.	Limassol	25 121	100,00	100,00
Total		25 121	100,00	100,00

Legal reserve fund

Under the Slovak Commercial Code, all companies are required to maintain a legal reserve fund to cover future adverse financial conditions. The Bank is obliged to contribute an amount to the fund each year that is not less than 10% of its annual net profit (calculated in accordance with Slovak accounting regulations) until the aggregate amount reaches a minimum level equal to 20% of the issued share capital. The legal reserve fund is not available for distribution to shareholders.

Revaluation reserves on securities available for sale including deferred tax

Revaluation reserves on securities available for sale represent unrealised revaluation of securities available for sale. Revaluation reserves are disclosed net of deferred tax effect. Such revaluation reserves are not available for distribution to the shareholder.

21. PROPOSAL FOR DISTRIBUTION OF 2010 PROFIT

EUR '000	2010
Allotment to legal reserve fund	346
Allotment to retained earnings	3 118
Net profit for current accounting period	3 464

22. TAX REVENUE/(EXPENSE)

EUR '000	2010	2009
Current income tax		
Adjusted income tax	(1 270)	(1 030)
Use of tax losses from previous years carried forward	-	-
Deferred tax		
Due to temporary non-taxable revenues and expense	2	(12)
Total	(1 268)	(1 042)

23. RECONCILIATION OF THEORETICAL AND RECORDED TAX

	2010		Impact on tax
	Balance (EUR '000)	Applicable rate	
Theoretical tax base	4 732	19%	899
Permanent non-deductible differences	136	19%	26
Permanent deductible differences	(2)	19%	-
Effect of use of tax losses carried forward- previously unrecognised deferred tax asset	-	19%	-
Unrecognised deferred income tax asset - other	124	19%	24
Unrecognised deferred income tax asset owing to temporary differences for which realisation of future tax benefits is uncertain	1 679	19%	319
Adjusted tax			1 268
Effective tax			1 268

	2009		Impact on tax
	Balance (EUR '000)	Applicable rate	
Theoretical tax base	4 077	19%	775
Permanent non-deductible differences	137	19%	26
Permanent deductible differences	(28)	19%	(5)
Effect of use of tax losses carried forward- previously unrecognised deferred tax asset	-	19%	-
Unrecognised deferred income tax asset - other	6	19%	1
Unrecognised deferred income tax asset owing to temporary differences for which realisation of future tax benefits is uncertain	1 287	19%	245
Adjusted tax			1 042
Effective tax			1 042

24. OFF-BALANCE SHEET ITEMS

EUR '000	Off balance sheet assets	2010	2009
1. Receivables from spot operations:		3 624	2 121
a) With interest rate instruments		-	2 121
b) With FX instruments		3 624	-
2. Receivables from forwards, futures and swaps:		5 439	2 276
a) With interest rate instruments		1 697	2 115
b) With FX instruments		3 742	161
3. Received collaterals:		178 039	106 023
a) Immovables		94 547	75 398
b) Cash		8 350	497
c) Securites		45 556	27 109
d) Other		29 586	3 018

EUR '000	Off balance sheet liabilities	2010	2009
1. Undrawn loan facilities		24 541	14 299
2. Provided guarantees		1 018	797
3. Liabilities from spot transactions:		3 600	2 121
a) With interest rate instruments		-	2 121
b) With FX instruments		3 600	-
4. Liabilities from futures, forwards and swaps:		6 432	2 671
a) With interest rate instruments		2 593	2 510
b) With FX instruments		3 839	161
5. Securities provided as collaterals		167 579	122 381
6. Consigned values		327 959	293 859

25. FINANCIAL DERIVATIVES

In its ordinary business activities, the Bank carries out transactions with financial derivatives to manage its liquidity, interest rate, and foreign exchange risks.

The Bank performed the following cash flow hedge transactions to hedge the interest rate risk generated by the fixed interest rate of the purchased bonds classified as securities available for sale. The Bank uses interest rate swaps as an instrument to hedge the risk of changes in fair values of bonds resulting from changes in interest rates, under which the Bank receives a floating rate and pays a fixed rate.

In accordance with requirements of IAS 39 regulations each hedging derivative and every hedging transaction must be covered by the hedging strategy approved by the Bank's Assets and Liabilities Management Committee, documented at inception of the hedging relationship, with the hedging effectiveness proof of the cash flow hedging transactions calculated every month. Both the prospective and retrospective hedging relationship between cash flows of the hedging and hedged (underlying instrument) are tested regularly.

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During 2009 and 2010, the Bank fulfilled all efficiency conditions of hedging derivatives as according to IAS 39.

2010 EUR '000	Face value in off-balance sheet		Fair value		Net fair value
	Receivable	Payable	Positive	Negative	
Interest rate swaps for hedging	27 800	27 800	-	(655)	(655)
Interest rate swaps for trading	5 000	5 000	-	(241)	(241)
Currency swaps for trading	3 742	3 839	-	(97)	(97)
Total financial derivatives	36 542	36 639	-	(993)	(993)

2009 EUR '000	Face value in off-balance sheet		Fair value		Net fair value
	Receivable	Payable	Positive	Negative	
Interest rate swaps for hedging	24 300	24 300	-	(395)	(395)
Currency swaps for trading	160	161	-	-	-
Total financial derivatives	24 460	24 461	-	(395)	(395)

In 2010, the negative fair value of derivatives amounting to EUR 993 thousand (2009: EUR 395 thousand) is recognised in line "Other liabilities" (Note 19).

The breakdown of the face value of financial derivatives by residual maturity as at the end of 2010 is as follows:

EUR '000	Within 1 month	1 to 3 months	3 months to 1 year	1 year to 5 years	Over 5 years	Total
Interest rate swaps for hedging	-	-	1 750	26 050	-	27 800
Interest rate swaps for trading	-	-	-	5 000	-	5 000
Currency swaps for trading	3 742	-	-	-	-	3 742
Total receivables	3 742	-	1 750	31 050	-	36 542
Interest rate swaps for hedging	-	-	1 750	26 050	-	27 800
Interest rate swaps for trading	-	-	-	5 000	-	5 000
Currency swaps for trading	3 839	-	-	-	-	3 839
Total payables	3 839	-	1 750	31 050	-	36 639

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The breakdown of the face value of financial derivatives by residual maturity as at the end of 2009 is as follows:

EUR '000	Within 1 month	1 to 3 months	3 months to 1 year	1 year to 5 years	Over 5 years	Total
Interest rate swaps for hedging	-	-	-	24 300	-	24 300
Currency swaps for trading	160	-	-	-	-	160
Total receivables	160	-	-	24 300	-	24 460
Interest rate swaps for hedging	-	-	-	24 300	-	24 300
Currency swaps for trading	161	-	-	-	-	161
Total payables	161	-	-	24 300	-	24 461

The following table summarises the impact the hedging of changes in fair values of bonds by interest rate swaps has on the Income Statement:

EUR '000	2010	2009
Hedging instrument (interest rate swaps) - interest expense - fair value	(379)	(395)
Hedging instrument (interest rate swaps) - interest expense - payments	(454)	(109)
Hedging instrument (interest rate swaps) - interest income - payments	169	137
Hedged item (bonds) - interest income - accrued interest	1 454	901
Hedged item (bonds) - interest income - change in fair value owing to interest rate risk	530	157
Total	1 320	691

26. INTEREST INCOME AND SIMILAR INCOME

EUR '000	2010	2009
Interest income from amounts due from banks and central bank	477	1 072
Interest income from clients' current accounts	369	287
Interest income from clients' loans	9 051	6 717
Interest income from securities available for sale	8 113	5 816
Interest income from securities at fair value through profit or loss	181	475
Interest income from securities held to maturity	327	119
Interest rate swaps	205	137
Other	11	2
Total interest income and similar income	18 734	14 625

27. INTEREST EXPENSE AND SIMILAR EXPENSE

EUR '000	2010	2009
Interest expense from amounts due to banks	1 015	268
Interest expense from clients' current accounts	78	22
Interest expense from clients' time deposits	5 720	4 061
Interest expense from clients' savings deposits	13	23
Interest expense from debt securities	873	1 497
Interest rate swaps	937	504
Other	30	28
Total interest expense and similar expense	8 666	6 403

28. FEE AND COMMISSION INCOME

EUR '000	2010	2009
Income from fees and commissions:		
Loans	90	118
Payments	77	80
Itemised fees	124	115
Securities trading	2 737	1 286
Portfolio management	865	673
Other	23	19
Total fee and commission income	3 916	2 291

29. FEE AND COMMISSION EXPENSE

EUR '000	2010	2009
For the following areas:		
Payments	318	251
Interbank transactions	29	22
Securities trading	150	109
Intermediation	397	329
Other	1	-
Total fee and commission expense	895	711

30. TRADING PROFIT

EUR '000	2010	2009
Realised profit/loss from debt securities transactions (available for sale)	1 014	1 862
Profit/loss from debt securities transactions (at fair value through profit or loss)	49	(65)
Profit/loss from shares and units (available for sale)	19	15
Profit/loss from derivative transactions	(87)	71
Profit/loss from forex transactions	711	328
Total trading profit	1 706	2 211

31. GENERAL OPERATING EXPENSES

EUR '000	2010	2009
Personnel costs	4 620	3 937
Other general operating expenses	3 197	2 277
Of which: Expenses for audit of financial statements	96	93
Other services of audit company	2	1
Contribution to Deposits Protection Fund	293	143
Rent	636	376
Energy	136	114
Advertising costs	458	228
IT systems	197	401
Training and education	117	30
Car maintenance and fuel	41	29
Membership fees	146	139
Other services	443	329
Other operating expenses	632	354
Total general operating expenses	7 817	6 214

The average number of employees in 2010 was 134 (2009: 120). The average number of members of management in 2010 was 26 (2009: 26).

The Bank does not have any pension arrangements other than the state compulsory pension system. Pursuant to Slovak legal regulations, employers are obliged to pay contributions to social security, health insurance, medical insurance, accident insurance, unemployment insurance, and contributions to a guarantee fund set as a percentage of the gross salary. These expenses are recognised in the Income Statement in the period in which the employee was entitled to the salary.

32. ADDITIONS TO IMPAIRMENT LOSSES AND WRITE-OFF OF RECEIVABLES

EUR '000	2010	2009
(Additions to) provisions (Note 7)	(3 831)	(3 660)
Release of provisions (Note 7)	2 210	2 555
Net book value of written-off receivables	-	(31)
Total	(1 621)	(1 136)

33. PROFIT BEFORE CHANGES IN OPERATING ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

EUR '000	2010	2009
Profit before income taxes	4 732	4 077
Adjustments for non-cash items:		
Interest income	(18 734)	(14 625)
Interest expense	8 666	6 403
Depreciation and amortisation	632	544
Provisions for receivables and write-off of receivables	1 621	1 136
Net book value of tangible assets disposed	1	104
Income from sale of tangible assets	(4)	(7)
Provisions for tangible assets	-	(37)
Total before interest received / (paid)	(3 086)	(2 405)
Interest received	19 224	12 223
Interest paid	(8 409)	(5 942)
Profit before changes in operating assets and liabilities	7 729	3 876

34. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

EUR '000	2010	2009
Cash on hand (Note 4)	2 355	2 206
Time deposits in NBS (Note 4)	20 000	-
Loans and advances to banks (Note 5)	10 887	72 239
State treasury bills foreign (Note 8)	-	14 974
Cash and cash equivalents	33 242	89 419

35. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

(a) Legal disputes

The Bank conducted a review of legal proceedings pending against the Bank as at 31 December 2010. Pursuant to the review of risk of losses from major lawsuits and litigated amounts, the Bank has recorded no provision for these legal claims as at 31 December 2010.

b) Commitments arising from issue of guarantees

Commitments from guarantees include issued guarantees that represent an irrevocable commitment that the Bank will make payments in the event a customer cannot meet its obligations to third parties. Based on the risk assessment as at 31 December 2010, the Bank did not create any provisions to cover losses included in balances of undrawn loan commitments and guarantees, which are recognised in off-balance sheet accounts.

c) Commitments to extend credit, undrawn loan commitments, unused overdrafts, and approved overdraft loans

The primary purpose of commitments to extend credit is to ensure that funds are available to a customer as required. Commitments to extend credit represent unused authorisations to extend credits in the form of loans or guarantees. Commitments to extend credit issued by the Bank represent issued loan commitments or guarantees, undrawn and approved overdraft loans. Commitments to extend credit or guarantees issued by the Bank that are contingent upon customers maintaining specific credit standards (including the condition that a customer's solvency does not deteriorate) are revocable commitments. Irrevocable commitments represent undrawn portions of authorised loans and approved overdraft facilities as they result from contractual terms and conditions in loan agreements.

36. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Parties are considered to be related if one party has control over the other party or exercises significant influence over the other party in making financial or operational decisions. The Bank is controlled by Penta Investments Limited, which holds 100% of the voting rights of the Bank's total votes. Related parties include subsidiaries and associates of the Bank and other members of the Penta Group. The Bank receives significant funds from Penta Group entities. Management expects the Bank will receive continued funding from the Penta Group companies as part of the normal continuing operation of the Bank.

A number of banking transactions are entered into with related parties in the normal course of business. These primarily include loans and deposits. These transactions were carried out on an arm's length basis and at market prices.

EUR '000	31 Dec 2010 balance	31 Dec 2010 accruals	Interest income/ Interest expense Total	2010	Fee and commission income 2010	Trading profit 2010	General operating expenses 2010	(Creation)/ release of provisions 2010
Receivables from parent company								
Other assets	154	-	154	-	479	796	-	-
Payables to parent company								
Deposits from customers	83 143	-	83 143	(182)	12	-	-	-
Debt securities issued	2 590	-	2 590	(92)	-	-	-	-
Receivables from parent company's related parties								
Loans and advances to customers	5 909	-	5 909	329	22	-	-	(24)
Other assets	122	-	122	-	1 969	116	-	-
Payables to parent company's related parties								
Deposits from customers	94 975	73	95 048	(413)	32	-	-	-
Debt securities issued	207	-	207	(55)	-	-	-	-
Other liabilities	29	-	29	-	-	-	(492)	-
Undrawn loan facilities	232	-	232	-	-	-	-	-
Provided guarantees	-	-	-	15	-	-	-	-
Received collateral	5 704	-	5 704	-	-	-	-	-

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EUR '000	31 Dec 2010 balance	31 Dec 2010 accruals	Total	Interest income/ Interest expense 2010	Fee and commision income 2010	Trading profit 2010	General operating expenses 2010	(Creation)/ release of provisions 2010
Receivables from subsidiaries								
Investments in subsidiaries	7	-	7	-	-	-	-	-
Payables to subsidiaries								
Deposits from customers	9	-	9	-	-	-	-	-
Receivables from management members and their related parties								
Loans and advances to customers	243	-	243	10	1	-	-	-
Other assets	5	-	5	-	9	1	-	-
Payables due to management members and their related parties								
Deposits from customers	1 150	3	1 153	(14)	2	-	-	-
Debt securities issued	265	-	265	(8)	-	-	-	-
Other liabilities	284	-	284	-	-	-	(553)	-
Undrawn loan facilities	88	-	88	-	-	-	-	-
Provided guarantees	144	-	144	2	-	-	-	-
Received collateral	361	-	361	-	-	-	-	-

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EUR '000	31 Dec 2009 balance	31 Dec 2009 accruals	Total	Interest income/ Interest expense 2009	Fee and commision income 2009	Trading profit 2009	General operating expenses 2009	Income from sale of tangible assets 2009
Receivables from parent company								
Other assets	2	-	2	-	187	(64)	-	-
Payables to parent company								
Deposits from customers	37 899	-	37 899	(197)	17	-	-	-
Debt securities issued	172	-	172	(12)	-	-	-	-
Receivables from forwards, futures and swaps	161	-	161	-	-	-	-	-
Payables from forwards, futures and swaps	161	-	161	-	-	-	-	-
Receivables from parent company's related parties								
Loans and advances to customers	4 927	-	4 927	281	-	-	-	-
Other assets	47	-	47	-	775	44	-	-
Payables to parent company's related parties								
Deposits from customers	73 318	77	73 395	(731)	35	-	-	-
Debt securities issued	4 963	4	4 967	(558)	-	-	-	-
Other liabilities	46	-	46	-	-	-	(90)	-
Undrawn loan facilities	280	-	280	-	-	-	-	-
Received collateral	4 687	-	4 687	-	-	-	-	-

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EUR '000	31 Dec 2009 balance	31 Dec 2009 accruals	Total	Interest income/ Interest expense 2009	Fee and commision income 2009	Trading profit 2009	General operating expenses 2009	Income from sale of tangible assets 2009
Receivables from subsidiaries								
Investments in subsidiaries	7	-	7	-	-	-	-	-
Payables to subsidiaries								
Deposits from customers	10	-	10	-	-	-	-	-
Receivables from management members and their related parties								
Loans and advances to customers	294	-	294	12	-	-	-	-
Other assets	5	-	5	-	4	-	-	4
Payables due to management members and their related parties								
Deposits from customers	517	1	518	(10)	4	-	-	-
Debt securities issued	969	1	970	(21)	-	-	-	-
Other liabilities	273	-	273	-	-	-	(623)	-
Undrawn loan facilities	103	-	103	-	-	-	-	-
Provided guarantees	24	-	24	-	-	-	-	-
Received collateral	294	-	294	-	-	-	-	-

The remuneration and salaries of statutory representatives and members of the Supervisory Board (gross values) were in the amount of EUR 506 thousand as of 31 December 2010 (2009: EUR 592 thousand). Members of the Bank's bodies in 2010 and 2009 did not receive any non-cash remuneration.

37. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS – MARKET RISK

In carrying out its activities, the Bank is exposed to market risks that depend on the extent of exposure to individual risk factors, mainly changes in interest rates, exchange rates, and prices of capital and financial market instruments.

(a) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk of a change in the value of the Bank's portfolios as a result of changes in market interest rates. To measure the interest rate sensitivity of assets and liabilities, the Bank uses interest gap analysis. Assets and liabilities are classified into time segments depending on the time of revaluation of the instrument or its reinvestment. The size of the interest gap represents the extent of the risk of potential loss resulting from changes in market interest rates, represented by the value of the theoretical change of the net interest income under exactly specified restrictive conditions of the model. The Bank has set a limit for the maximum interest rate exposure defined by the maximum theoretical change of net interest income within one year starting from the moment of the valuation of the Bank's positions.

To measure the interest rate risk of the Banking and Trading Books, the Bank uses interest rate sensitivity based on modified duration and convexity. On a daily basis, this method is used to monitor the interest rate sensitivity of all the Bank's portfolios.

The Bank measures its interest rate risk of the Trading Book using the VaR and interest sensitivity model for which it has set and daily monitors the maximum risk exposures.

As the Bank's Banking Book includes substantial positions in fixed rate bonds, the Bank decided to partly hedge these positions. As hedging instruments the Bank uses interest rate swaps helping the Bank to keep the total interest rate position of the Banking Book at an acceptable level while the volatility of profit/loss is eliminated.

The average effective interest rates of assets and liabilities as at 31 December 2010 and the periods in which these rates are remeasured are as follows:

EUR '000	Effective interest rate	Up to 1 month	1 - 3 months	3 months to 1 year	1 year to 5 years	Over 5 years	Unspecified	Total
Cash and balances with central banks	0,25%	22 236	-	-	-	-	2 355	24 591
Loans to banks	1,37%	10 887	-	-	-	-	-	10 887
Loans to customers	5,96%	30 420	96 935	24 962	21 793	5 625	(212)	179 523
Securities available for sale	2,64%	24 997	50 936	93 479	110 980	6 252	276	286 920
Securities at fair value through profit or loss	1,58%	6	3 213	1 523	868	-	-	5 610
Securities held to maturity	3,24%	-	267	-	5 408	-	-	5 675
Investments in subsidiaries	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	7
Total assets		88 546	151 351	119 964	139 049	11 877	2 426	513 213
Deposits from banks	1,00%	9 992	-	-	-	-	-	9 992
Deposits from customers	1,70%	203 663	36 337	52 097	130 100	1 088	-	423 285
Debt securities issued	2,71%	6 550	3 659	10 819	18 789	-	-	39 817
Total liabilities		220 205	39 996	62 916	148 889	1 088	-	473 094
Difference		(131 659)	111 355	57 048	(9 840)	10 789	2 426	40 119
Cumulative difference		(131 659)	(20 304)	36 744	26 904	37 693	40 119	

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The average effective interest rates of assets and liabilities as at 31 December 2009 and the periods in which these rates are re-measured are as follows:

EUR '000	Effective interest rate	Up to 1 month	1 - 3 months	3 months to 1 year	1 year to 5 years	Over 5 years	Unspecified	Total
Cash and balances with central banks	0,76%	7 028	-	-	-	-	2 206	9 234
Loans to banks	0,49%	62 220	10 019	-	-	-	-	72 239
Loans to customers	6,23%	25 771	57 427	4 167	19 941	-	1 117	108 423
Securities available for sale	2,64%	16 995	40 899	37 816	132 163	12 964	4 700	245 537
Securities at fair value through profit or loss	1,50%	6	5 418	2 917	1 124	190	-	9 655
Securities held to maturity	2,09%	-	-	22 491	-	-	-	22 491
Investments in subsidiaries	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	7
Total assets		112 020	113 763	67 391	153 228	13 154	8 030	467 586
Deposits from banks	0,95%	10 003	-	100 191	-	-	-	110 194
Deposits from customers	1,49%	169 954	16 847	73 850	18 321	-	364	279 336
Debt securities issued	1,50%	18 143	15 250	2 376	6 051	-	-	41 820
Total liabilities		198 100	32 097	176 417	24 372	-	364	431 350
Difference		(86 080)	81 666	(109 026)	128 856	13 154	7 666	36 236
Cumulative difference		(86 080)	(4 414)	(113 440)	15 416	28 570	36 236	

The interest rate sensitivity analysis is based on the assumption of a parallel movement of the yield curve. The table below shows the change in net profit and equity of the Bank due to possible changes in interest rates of the major currencies.

EUR '000	Impact on net profit	Impact on equity
2010		
+ 0,5% for all currencies	(17)	(974)
- 0,5% for all currencies	17	988
2009		
+ 0,5% for all currencies	(22)	(1 383)
- 0,5% for all currencies	22	1 409

(b) Currency risk

Currency risk is the risk of a change in the value of the Bank's portfolios as a result of changes in the value of exchange rates and open unsecured positions. The Bank manages currency risk by determining and daily monitoring of maximum limits of open positions of the banking book for individual currencies. Currency risk of trading book is limited by maximum exposure using the VaR model. The following tables show the volumes of assets and liabilities according to the individual main currencies and the resulting unsecured open currency positions as at the year-end of 2010 and 2009.

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As at 31 December 2010, the Bank reported the following structure of financial assets and liabilities in individual currencies:

EUR '000	EUR	CZK	USD	Other FX	Total
Cash and balances with central banks	24 040	187	237	127	24 591
Loans to banks	372	5 243	2 191	3 081	10 887
Loans to customers	176 182	3 341	-	-	179 523
Securities available for sale	284 755	2 165	-	-	286 920
Securities at fair value through profit or loss	4 888	722	-	-	5 610
Securities held to maturity	5 675	-	-	-	5 675
Investments in subsidiaries	7	-	-	-	7
Total assets	495 919	11 658	2 428	3 208	513 213
Deposits from banks	9 991	-	1	-	9 992
Deposits from customers	407 827	10 710	4 364	384	423 285
Debt securities issued	34 736	557	1 794	2 730	39 817
Total liabilities	452 554	11 267	6 159	3 114	473 094
Net FX position	43 365	391	(3 731)	94	40 119

As at 31 December 2009, the Bank reported the following structure of financial assets and liabilities in individual currencies:

EUR '000	EUR	CZK	USD	Other FX	Total
Cash and balances with central banks	8 878	184	45	127	9 234
Loans to banks	44 378	1 453	25 554	854	72 239
Loans to customers	106 136	2 287	-	-	108 423
Securities available for sale	243 473	2 064	-	-	245 537
Securities at fair value through profit or loss	8 967	688	-	-	9 655
Securities held to maturity	22 491	-	-	-	22 491
Investments in subsidiaries	7	-	-	-	7
Total assets	434 330	6 676	25 599	981	467 586
Deposits from banks	110 194	-	-	-	110 194
Deposits from customers	247 478	6 294	25 342	222	279 336
Debt securities issued	41 069	335	104	312	41 820
Total liabilities	398 741	6 629	25 446	534	431 350
Net FX position	35 589	47	153	447	36 236

The table below indicates the summary of currencies in which the Bank has significant open positions as at 31 December 2010 and 31 December 2009. The sensitivity analysis calculates the effect of possible changes of the exchange rate against the selected currencies on the Income Statement. A positive amount reflects net potential gain and a negative amount reflects net potential loss on the Income Statement.

EUR '000	Change in exchange rate	Impact on net profit
2010		
CHF	+20,66%	15
GBP	+22,04%	(21)
USD	+26,33%	(24)
CZK	+12,63%	11
2009		
CHF	+ 14,80%	46
GBP	+ 29,63%	21
USD	+ 29,50%	25
CZK	+ 24,31%	84

Other than an impact on the Income Statement, changes in FX rates have no impact on equity.

38. MANAGEMENT OF CAPITAL

The Bank's regulatory capital is used to cover risks to which the Bank is exposed in performing its activities. The amount of the regulatory capital and requirements for regulatory capital are monitored on a regular basis, *inter alia*, by reference to and in compliance with the prudence principles set by the NBS. The Bank has complied with the statutory amount of requirements for the regulatory capital as well as with all other capital requirements set by the NBS.

In accordance with the prudence principles, regulatory capital is used to cover risks arising from the Banking Book, the Trading Book, as well as to cover other risks, in particular foreign exchange risks and commodity risks, and to cover operational risks.

The basic requirement of the regulatory capital management process is to ensure that the Bank has fulfilled all requirements as established by the regulatory body while simultaneously observing the effective adequacy of regulatory capital. The Bank manages the structure of its regulatory capital and may apply changes in the structure of its regulatory capital provided in the event that there is a change in economic terms and conditions or a change in the Bank's appetite for risk. The Bank may influence its regulatory capital based on the decision with regard to distribution of profit in a relevant accounting period, or based on the decision about an issue of subordinated debt or based on other decisions to increase capital. No changes occurred in the policy on regulatory capital management in the previous year.

The Bank also applies economic capital management procedures and assesses and calculates requirements for economic capital. Economic capital must cover not only legal requirements for individual types of regulatory risks, but also requirements for risks not covered by Pillar 1, which are set by the Bank based on the assessment of its risk profile and appetite for risk. The Bank has complied with all requirements for economic capital.

The Bank's regulatory capital comprises basic regulatory capital as well as deductible items. The basic regulatory capital comprises share capital, reserve fund, retained earnings from previous years, software value (as an item reducing basic regulatory capital), and negative financial investments revaluation reserves from the available for sale portfolio (as an item reducing basic regulatory capital). Deductible items are represented by an investment in the subsidiary Privatfin, s.r.o.

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The structure of the Bank's regulatory capital as at the year-end of 2010 (unaudited) and 2009 is as follows:

EUR '000	2010	2009
The Bank's basic regulatory capital	30 310	27 184
Creating items of basic regulatory capital	31 028	27 993
Paid up registered capital	25 121	25 121
Reserve fund and other profit funds	2 629	2 325
Retained earnings	3 278	547
(-) Creating items of basic regulatory capital	718	809
(-) Accumulated losses	-	-
(-) Intangible assets	678	770
(-) Negative revaluation reserves on securities available for sale	40	39
Additional regulatory capital	-	-
(-) Items deductible from the Bank's basic and additional regulatory capital	7	7
(-) From the Bank's basic regulatory capital	7	7
(-) From additional regulatory capital	-	-
Supplementary regulatory capital	-	-
Total regulatory capital	30 303	27 177

The indicators of the Bank's capital adequacy as at 31 December 2010 (unaudited) and 31 December 2009 are provided in the table below:

EUR '000	2010	2009
Adequacy of regulatory capital (%)	11,41%	12,87%
Regulatory capital	30 303	27 177
Risk-weighted assets (RWA)	265 488	211 125
RWA from receivables recorded in the Banking Book	236 313	184 762
RWA from positions recorded in the Trading Book	8 525	9 250
RWA from operating risk	20 650	16 238
Other RWA (foreign exchange risk)	-	875

39. MATURITY ANALYSIS OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

The table below shows the structure of the Bank's assets and liabilities according to whether they are expected to be recovered or settled within one year or later than one year after 31 December 2010:

EUR '000	Up to 1 year	Over 1 year	Not specified	Total
Cash and balances with central banks	24 591	-	-	24 591
Loans and advances to banks	10 887	-	-	10 887
Loans and advances to customers	96 553	83 113	(143)	179 523
Securities available for sale	120 668	165 976	276	286 920
Securities at fair value through profit or loss	1 405	4 205	-	5 610
Securities held to maturity	267	5 408	-	5 675
Investments in subsidiaries	-	-	7	7
Tangible and intangible assets	-	-	2 083	2 083
Other assets	34	67	800	901
Total assets	254 405	258 769	3 023	516 197
Deposits from banks	9 992	-	-	9 992
Deposits from customers	304 762	118 523	-	423 285
Debt securities issued	21 027	18 790	-	39 817
Current income tax liability	242	-	-	242
Deferred tax liability	-	-	202	202
Other liabilities	5 270	10	2 215	7 495
Total liabilities	341 293	137 323	2 417	481 033
Difference	(86 888)	121 446	606	35 164
Cummulative difference	(86 888)	34 558	35 164	

The amount in column "Not specified" in "Loans and advances to customers" includes the net amount of receivables overdue more than 90 days, net amount of defaulted receivables, and accrued fees related to the whole volume of loans and advances to customers, who enter the effective interest rate.

The table below shows the structure of the Bank's assets and liabilities according to whether they are expected to be recovered or settled within one year or later than one year after 31 December 2009:

EUR '000	Up to 1 year	Over 1 year	Not specified	Total
Cash and balances with central banks	9 234	-	-	9 234
Loans and advances to banks	72 239	-	-	72 239
Loans and advances to customers	54 584	52 648	1 191	108 423
Securities available for sale	70 158	170 679	4 700	245 537
Securities at fair value through profit or loss	4 802	4 853	-	9 655
Securities held to maturity	22 491	-	-	22 491
Investments in subsidiaries	-	-	7	7
Tangible and intangible assets	-	-	2 278	2 278
Other assets	-	-	524	524
Total assets	233 508	228 180	8 700	470 388
Deposits from banks	110 194	-	-	110 194
Deposits from customers	260 600	18 372	364	279 336
Debt securities issued	32 435	9 385	-	41 820
Current income tax liability	171	-	-	171
Deferred tax liability	-	-	414	414
Other liabilities	4 329	-	1 533	5 862
Total liabilities	407 729	27 757	2 311	437 797
Difference	(174 221)	200 423	6 389	32 591
Cummulative difference	(174 221)	26 202	32 591	

40. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS – LIQUIDITY RISK MANAGEMENT

Liquidity risk is the risk in the ability of the Bank to fulfil its obligations towards its business partners as a result of a difference in the maturity of assets and liabilities. The Bank monitors and manages liquidity on the basis of expected cash flow on assets and liabilities. To measure liquidity exposure, the Bank uses the liquidity gap method. The Bank defines and manages the risk of the ability to fulfil its obligations by means of specified limits of discrepancy in the maturity of assets and liabilities in individual time segments.

The remaining maturity of undiscounted amounts of financial liabilities as at 31 December 2010:

EUR'000	On demand	Less than 3 months	3 to 12 months	1 to 5 years	Over 5 years	Not specified	Total
Deposits from banks	-	9 999	-	-	-	-	9 999
Deposits from customers	40 762	215 021	49 339	127 927	1 405	-	434 454
Debt securities issued	-	6 973	15 390	19 402	-	-	41 765
Total liabilities	40 762	231 993	64 729	147 329	1 405	-	486 218

The remaining maturity of undiscounted amounts of financial liabilities as at 31 December 2009:

EUR'000	On demand	Less than 3 months	3 to 12 months	1 to 5 years	Over 5 years	Not specified	Total
Deposits from banks	-	10 004	101 017	-	-	-	111 021
Deposits from customers	55 793	129 817	75 443	19 897	-	-	280 950
Debt securities issued	-	20 173	12 536	10 635	-	-	43 344
Total liabilities	55 793	159 994	188 996	30 532	-	-	435 315

41. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS – CREDIT RISK

While conducting its activities, the Bank is exposed to credit risk representing a risk that the counterparty will not be able to repay the due amounts in full within the maturity period, as a result of its trading activities and the provision of loans, bank guarantees, hedging transactions, and investment and mediation activities.

The Bank mitigates the credit risk by setting limits for exposures with respect to an individual debtor or economically connected group of debtors or to individual sectors of the national economy in order to avoid inadequate credit risk concentration owing to the accumulation of receivables from a counterparty, economically connected group, and/or an economic sector. The actual exposure is regularly compared to the set limits. The Bank treats a receivable from a debtor or an economically connected group of debtors that exceeds 5% of the Bank's regulatory capital as a significant exposure. An excessive concentration of credit exposure to one entity has an effect on the ability of the debtor to pay its obligations. The Bank has created a system of internal reports on significant credit exposures to debtors which exceed the specified limit.

Credit risk is also managed by the regular monitoring of financial assets and the subsequent analysis of the debtor's ability to repay its liabilities and by obtaining solvent collateral for the Bank's receivables from credit activities.

Factors leading to the creation of impairment losses for financial assets assessed individually in 2010:

1. Client was unable to realise its business plan in the agreed time.
2. Client failed to meet the agreed contracting terms and conditions despite the Bank's notices.
3. Client failed to repay the granted loan in a due and timely manner.

Provisioning

The Bank has defined in its internal instructions loss events and assigned the corresponding reduction of future cash flows from debtors' economic activities; subsequently, it discounts all estimated cash flows, including cash flows from realising collateral, using the effective interest rate. In the event of impairment of a financial receivable, the Bank recognises a provision for the relevant financial asset to cover the identified risk.

In line with the IFRS rules, the Bank creates portfolios of financial assets that have common characteristics, and for which there is a possibility of their impairment if objective circumstances arise at the relevant market. Based on the amount of individual loans provided, financial asset portfolios are divided into significant and insignificant. For portfolios where loss events were identified in the form of changed economic conditions or other objective events in respect of the relevant market, impairment losses can be recorded. Portfolio-based impairment losses are intended to reflect a potential risk of loss that cannot be individually identified, but based on historical experience and an impact of current economic market conditions are deemed that their disclosure in the statement of financial position is required.

Portfolios of significant financial assets include portfolios of loans provided to corporate customers to finance real estate development projects and activities in real estate lease and operations. Given the changes in the market environment, the Bank anticipated changes in the quality of this group of financial assets and, as a result, a portfolio provision was recognised for the aforementioned portfolios. The percentage amount of the portfolio provision was determined by professional judgement taking into account the existing situation on the real estate market, the value of the received collateral, and the expected recovery rates.

Credit exposure, collaterals

EUR '000	2010	2009
Total credit exposure	184 862	112 143
Value of received collaterals accepted by the Bank	260 951	223 077
Secured portion of credit exposure	169 786	106 023
Unsecured portion of credit exposure	15 076	6 120

The value and type of collateral required to secure the credit risk of the counterparty in credit transactions depend on the extent of the credit risk in a specific credit transaction as identified by the Bank in the course of processing of the transaction. The Bank reassesses the value of collateral on a regular basis, including stress testing using the defined parameters.

In its internal instructions, the Bank has defined acceptance procedures as well as procedures for valuing individual collateral types depending on their liquidity.

The most frequently used collateral types:

- Project funding: real estate, current and future receivables resulting from sale agreements and other contracts for sale or lease of developed real estate;
- Operational funding: trade receivables;
- Investment funding: clients' movable and immovable assets;
- Acquisition funding: securities (in particular shares); and
- Credits granted to individuals: real estate, securities, personal guarantees.

Assumptions in estimates of collateral realisable value

The value of collateral is determined as follows:

- Immovable and movable assets: on the basis of a comparison between the general value of assets in an expert's opinion and the fair value of assets as identified by means of an expert's estimate. If there is a difference between these two values, the lower shall be considered the value of the immovable asset;
- Cash collateral: the value of the collateral equals the nominal value of a receivable from deposit; in respect of securities, market prices as at the date of valuation are used; and
- Receivables, promissory notes, and accession to liability by a third party: on the basis of their nominal value, net of ratings of a sub-debtor, debtor under a promissory note or a guarantor.

The value accepted by the Bank is the value that results from multiplying the collateral's value by the relevant coefficient representing the degree of acceptance of a specific type of collateral. This value is concurrently the value for calculating impairment losses.

The value of collaterals is regularly updated according to collateral types and any anticipated volatility in prices, and is performed at least on an annual basis. In the event of collateral impairment, the Bank will require additional security for the credit transaction or will realise other measures to reduce the credit risk.

The amount the Bank can receive from the sale of collateral could differ from the value accepted by the Bank for credit risk management purposes, and such difference could be material.

Credit quality of assets recognised as neither past due nor impaired

Overview of the quality of financial assets resulting from credit transactions that are recognised as neither past due nor impaired:

Clients - transaction rating - 2010	Receivables (EUR '000)	Share (%)
Rating A - very good	30 645	17,35
Rating B - good	54 306	30,74
Rating C - below average	58 234	32,97
Rating D - bad	19 811	11,22
Retail	13 653	7,72
Total	176 649	100,00

Clients - transaction rating - 2009	Receivables (EUR '000)	Share (%)
Rating A - very good	13 047	12,65
Rating B - good	34 970	33,92
Rating C - below average	36 171	35,08
Rating D - bad	9 961	9,66
Retail	8 959	8,69
Total	103 108	100,00

Based on the balances as at 31 December 2010 and 31 December 2009, there are no clients with accredited external ratings in the Bank's loan portfolio.

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The summary of external ratings of securities (Moody's Investors Service) that are not recognised as overdue or impaired as at 31 December 2010:

Available-for-sale securities	(EUR '000)	Share (%)
Aaa	2 066	0,72
Aa2	2 963	1,03
Aa3	18 245	6,36
A1	128 924	44,93
A2	49 626	17,30
A3	12 819	4,47
Baa1	4 862	1,69
Baa2	4 736	1,65
Baa3	8 289	2,89
No rating	54 390	18,96
Total	286 920	100,00

Out of the securities with no Moody's Investors Service rating, the securities at fair value of EUR 1 039 thousand have Standard & Poor's A- rating and securities at fair value of EUR 1 805 thousand have a BB+ rating.

Securities recognised at fair value through profit or loss	(EUR '000)	Share (%)
A1	706	12,58
A2	374	6,67
A3	230	4,10
No rating	4 300	76,65
Total	5 610	100,00

Securities held to maturity	(EUR '000)	Share (%)
A2	5 675	100,00
Total	5 675	100,00

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The summary of external ratings of securities (Moody's Investors Service) that are not recognised as overdue or impaired as at 31 December 2009:

Available-for-sale securities	(EUR '000)	Share (%)
Aaa	4 071	1,66
Aa1	19 360	7,88
Aa2	7 157	2,91
Aa3	11 780	4,80
A1	71 138	28,97
A2	40 196	16,37
A3	12 489	5,09
Baa1	7 402	3,01
Baa2	4 825	1,97
Baa3	8 357	3,40
No rating	58 762	23,94
Total	245 537	100,00

Out of the securities with no Moody's Investors Service rating, the securities at fair value of EUR 13 321 thousand have Standard & Poor's A+ rating, securities at fair value of EUR 1 063 thousand have A- rating and securities at fair value of EUR 415 thousand have a BB+ rating.

Securities recognised at fair value through profit or loss	(EUR '000)	Share (%)
Aaa3	502	5,20
A1	3 295	34,13
Baa1	80	0,83
No rating	5 778	59,84
Total	9 655	100,00

Securities held to maturity	(EUR '000)	Share (%)
Aa1	20 444	90,90
Baa1	2 047	9,10
Total	22 491	100,00

Method of determining transaction ratings

The Bank determines the internal rating of corporate clients on the basis of their financial analysis and non-financial analysis.

The financial analysis is based on an assessment of individual items of clients' assets, liabilities, expenses and revenues, realisation of assets and equity, and the subsequent calculation of basic financial ratios (indebtedness, liquidity, profitability, activity and cash flow). The financial situation of clients is denoted by letters: A (very good), B (good), C (below average), and D (bad).

The non-financial analysis is based on clients' payment discipline, use of banking services, business sector, market position, sales commitments, management level, and overall performance of companies.

The non-financial analysis results in the classification of clients into four business risk classes: 1 (low risk), 2 (adequate risk), 3 (prevailing risk), 4 (high risk)

The client's internal rating – A, B, C or D – results from a combination of the financial analysis and non-financial analysis.

The resulting value of the collateral to determine the extent of credit risk represents an actually achievable market price at the time of collateral realisation, where the period to realise the collateral (representing its liquidity) should not exceed three months from the commencement of enforcing the pledge and/or exercising other rights securing the loan.

The resulting value of the collateral and the client's internal rating represents a transaction rating as an objective evaluation of the Bank's financial asset quality.

The Bank is monitoring the development of the financial and non-financial situations of clients and updates the respective ratings on a regular quarterly basis. The Bank performs stress testing of the value of real estate on a six-month basis and then updates the value of this type of collateral. Other types of collateral are remeasured on an ongoing basis, upon identifying circumstances that have an impact on the recognised value of the collateral.

Ageing structure of financial assets overdue, recognised as unimpaired

As at 31 December 2010, the Bank recognised overdue loan receivables, which were classified as unimpaired in the total amount of EUR 31 thousand, of which principal in the amount of EUR 15 thousand overdue from 1 to 103 days, plus interest and charges in the amount of EUR 16 thousand overdue 1 day. The total amount of outstanding interest overdue was paid within 39 days after the maturity; the outstanding principal overdue was settled within 27 days.

As at 31 December 2009, the Bank recognised overdue loan receivables, which were classified as unimpaired in the total amount of EUR 94 thousand, of which principal in the amount of EUR 89 thousand overdue within 30 days, plus interest and charges in the amount of EUR 5 thousand overdue 1 day. The total amount of outstanding interest overdue was paid within 15 days after the maturity date; the outstanding principal overdue was settled before 31 January 2010.

Restructured assets

Pursuant to internal guidelines, the Bank considered as restructured assets those financial assets where certain risk was identified as a result of which the asset could be impaired or the receivable overdue could be recognised; however, based on the analysis, the Bank opted to change the agreed terms and conditions and did not terminate the credit relationship.

In 2010, the Bank mainly extended the maturity of financial assets – loan receivables in the total amount of EUR 27 076 thousand, whose operating financing was EUR 6 994 thousand, investment loans was EUR 6 437 thousand, and project financing was EUR 13 645 thousand.

In 2009, the Bank mainly extended the maturity of financial assets – loan receivables in the total amount of EUR 22 166 thousand, whose operating financing was EUR 3 950 thousand, investment loans was EUR 5 645 thousand, and project financing was EUR 12 571 thousand

There were mainly objective reasons that led to the failure to implement the business plan, ie exit from a project on the anticipated deadline, owing to the inability to obtain permits from the relevant authorities (mainly change in the zoning plan or granting of land permit), and owing to ongoing processes that did not allow the debtor to sell assets, the proceeds of which had been designated to repay the Bank's loan receivable. In all instances the Bank treated its position so that in the future the Bank is not exposed to higher risks than as at the moment of closing the deal.

Major credit risk exposures

(a) Concentrations to national economy sectors

EUR '000	2010	2009
Non-banking financial services	5 910	3 552
Manufacturing	16 974	6 466
<i>Of which: photovoltaic power plants</i>	9 390	-
Construction	3 371	1 411
Agriculture and forestry	1 263	1 234
Commercial real estate - cash flow based	27 429	17 987
Commercial real estate - collateral based	54 292	35 770
Commerce and services	24 460	8 048
Other	1 610	998
Individuals	14 266	9 714
Healthcare services	24 449	20 203
Leisure, cultural and sports activities	10 838	6 760
Total	184 862	112 143

(b) Concentrations to significant connected groups of debtors

The Bank does not recognise significant exposures to connected groups. As at 31 December 2010, the maximum rate of exposure to a debtor or an economically connected group is capped at EUR 7 582 thousand owing to the amount of the Bank's capital (2009: EUR 6 794 thousand).

Maximum credit exposure

EUR '000	2010	2009
Cash and balances with central bank	24 591	9 234
Loans and advances to banks	10 887	72 239
Loans and advances to customers	179 523	108 423
Securities available for sale	286 920	245 537
Securities at fair value through profit or loss	5 610	9 655
Securities held to maturity	5 675	22 491
Investments in subsidiaries	7	7
Other assets	901	524
Total	514 114	468 110
Undrawn loan facilities	24 541	14 299
Provided guarantees	1 018	797
Total	25 559	15 096
Total credit risk exposure	539 673	483 206

42. OPERATIONAL, LEGAL AND OTHER RISKS

The Bank creates a database of operational losses and events with potential risk of loss. This database is created as it is the Bank's intention to adopt more sophisticated techniques of quantifying operational risk.

Legal and other risks are monitored in the Bank's internal control system in the event of reviews made by the Department of Internal Control and Audit and by divisions of the headquarters.

43. FAIR VALUES

Fair value is the amount at which an asset could be exchanged or a liability settled in an arm's length transaction. The estimated fair values of the Bank's financial assets and financial liabilities at the year-end were as follows:

EUR '000	Carrying amount 2010	Fair value 2010	Carrying amount 2009	Fair value 2009
Financial assets				
Cash and balances with central banks	24 591	24 591	9 234	9 234
Loans and advances to banks	10 887	10 887	72 239	72 239
Loans and advances to customers	179 523	184 117	108 423	112 187
Securities available for sale	286 920	286 920	245 537	245 537
Securities at fair value through profit or loss	5 610	5 610	9 655	9 655
Securities held to maturity	5 675	5 663	22 491	22 481
Investments in subsidiaries	7	7	7	7
Financial liabilities				
Deposits from banks	9 992	9 992	110 194	110 271
Deposits from customers	423 285	422 416	279 336	277 561
Debt securities issued	39 817	39 902	41 820	42 587

Method used to determine the fair values of selected financial assets as at 31 December 2010:

EUR '000	Market value	Own model with reference to market rates	Own model without reference to market rates	Total
Loans and advances to customers	-	184 117	-	184 117
Securities available for sale	124 366	162 502	52	286 920
Securities at fair value through profit or loss	775	4 835	-	5 610
Securities held to maturity	5 663	-	-	5 663
Investments in subsidiaries	-	-	7	7

Method used to determine the fair values of selected financial assets as at 31 December 2009:

EUR '000	Market value	Own model with reference to market rates	Own model without reference to market rates	Total
Loans and advances to customers	-	112 187	-	112 187
Securities available for sale	161 597	83 888	52	245 537
Securities at fair value through profit or loss	3 380	6 275	-	9 655
Securities held to maturity	22 481	-	-	22 481
Investments in subsidiaries	-	-	7	7

The following methods and assumptions were used to estimate the fair values of the Bank's financial assets and financial liabilities:

Cash and balances with central banks

The carrying value of cash and balances with central banks approximate their fair value.

Loans and advances to banks

The fair value of current accounts with other banks approximates their carrying value. For amounts with a remaining maturity of less than three months, it is also reasonable to use the carrying value as an approximation of their fair value. The fair values of other loans and advances to banks are calculated by discounting the future cash flows using current interbank rates.

Loans and advances to customers

Loans and advances to customers are measured net of impairment losses for receivables. The fair values of loans and advances to customers are calculated by discounting the future cash flows using the current market rates increased by updated risk interest margin by loans with variable interest.

Securities available for sale

Securities available for sale are stated at quoted market prices. If the quoted market price is not available or if there is no active market for the relevant financial instrument, the fair value of a financial instrument is determined using valuation methods. The method of calculating financial instruments' fair value is described in Note 2.5.

Securities at fair value through profit or loss

Securities at fair value through profit or loss are stated at quoted market prices. If the quoted market price is not available or if there is no active market for the relevant financial instrument, the fair value of a financial instrument is determined using valuation methods. The method of calculating financial instruments' fair value is described in Note 2.5.

Securities held to maturity

Securities held to maturity are stated at quoted market prices. If the quoted market price is not available or if there is no active market for the relevant financial instrument, the fair value of a financial instrument is determined using valuation methods. The method of calculating financial instruments' fair value is described in Note 2.5.

Investments in subsidiaries

Net value of assets approximates fair value.

Deposits from banks

The fair value of current accounts with other banks approximates their carrying value. For other amounts due to banks with a remaining maturity of less than three months, it is also reasonable to use the carrying values as an approximation of their fair value. The fair values of other deposits by banks are calculated by discounting the future cash flows using the current interbank rates.

Deposits from customers

The fair values of deposits from customers are calculated by discounting the future cash flows using the current market rates effective as at year-ends.

Debt securities issued

The fair values of debt securities issued are calculated by discounting the future cash flows using the current market rates effective as at year-ends.

44. SIGNIFICANT SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

As at the date of preparation of the financial statements, there have been no significant events that would require a material adjustment to the amounts or disclosures in the financial statements as at 31 December 2010.

45. APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial statements were signed and authorised by the Board of Directors on 14 March 2011.



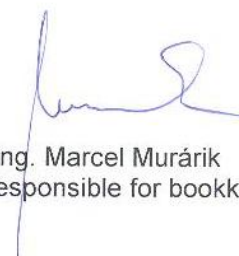
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