

# **Analyst Conference Call**

Q3 2021 results

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# **Highlights**

# Good Q3 results demonstrate continued positive development

	Still uncertain environment	<ul> <li>Gradually normalising environment supporting positive development</li> <li>Covid-19 related uncertainties continue, esp. for the running winter quarter</li> <li>Swoosh scenario expected to remain intact (economic recovery)</li> </ul>							
Aareal Bank Group	Encouraging performance	<ul> <li>Successfully executing our strategy - significant top line driven profit increase continued</li> <li>Strong NII development based on profitable, risk conscious portfolio growth</li> <li>LLP as expected still above normalised average due to remaining Covid-19 related uncertainties</li> <li>SPF: - Strong new business with attractive margins further supporting growth plan         <ul> <li>Portfolio-YoD significantly recovered</li> <li>Portfolio volume already above original YE-target</li> </ul> </li> <li>BDS: - NCI further increased         <ul> <li>Deposit volume at high level</li> </ul> </li> <li>Aareon: - Successful M&amp;A activities         <ul> <li>Sales revenue growth still diluted by Covid-19</li> </ul> </li> </ul>							
	Outlook	<ul> <li>Operating profit target for 2021 confirmed,         FY-tax rate as communicated between 50% - 60% expected</li> <li>The Bank invited to an EGM to be held on 9 Dec. 2021 for shareholders to vote on the second tranche of the dividend for the 2020 financial year amounting to 1.10 € per share.</li> <li>However the discussions with Centerbridge and Advent are still ongoing. In the event of an offer being submitted the dividend proposal for the EGM might be reassessed</li> </ul>							



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# **Group Results**

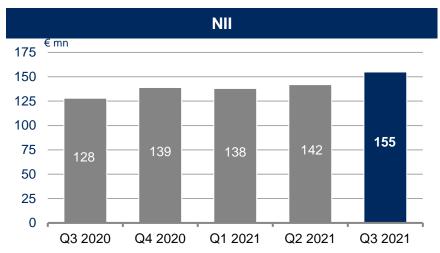
# Successfully executing our strategy - significant top line driven profit increase continued

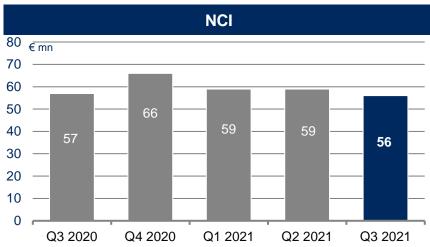
€ mn	Q3 '20	Q4 '20	Q1 '21	Q2 '21	Q3 '21	9M '20	9M '21	2021-Comments
Net interest income	128	139	138	142	155	373	435	Strong NII development based on profitable, risk conscious portfolio growth
Loss allowance	61	177	7	33	39	167	79	LLP as expected still above normalised average due to remaining uncertainties
Net commission income	57	66	59	59	56	168	174	9M growth driven by Aareon's recurring revenue and M&A. Sales revenue growth still diluted by Covid-19
Derecognition result	3	9	0	8	7	19	15	Positive effects from early loan repayments in line with expectations
FV- / hedge-result	-2	-19	-4	-2	-5	-7	-11	Q3 incl. € -7 mn value adjustments (NPLs)
Admin expenses	114	117	150	118	125	352	393	Cost discipline maintained; 9M increase mainly driven by Aareon growth and lower Covid-19 related underspend
Others	0	-1	-4	-15	1	-10	-18	
Operating profit (EBT)	11	-99	32	41	50	24	123	Successfully executing our strategy - significant top line driven profit increase continued
Income taxes	10	-13	11	29	27	7	67	FY-tax rate as communicated between 50% - 60% expected
Minorities	1	3	1	1	0	2	2	
AT1	4	4	4	3	3	12	10	
Consolidated net income allocated to ord. shareholders	-4	-93	16	8	20	3	44	
Earnings per share (€)	-0.05	-1.56	0.27	0.13	0.33	0.06	0.73	



#### **Net interest income (NII) / Net commission income (NCI)**

### Strongest NII in 4 years





# Strong NII development based on profitable, risk conscious portfolio growth

- Significant NII increase of >20% vs Q3/20, FY-guidance increased
- 9M NII up by € 62 mn (+16%) reflecting successful execution of our strategy on both sides of the B/S
- Q3 TLTRO contribution of € 7 mn vs. € 4 mn in Q3/20 (9M/21: € 19 mn vs. 9M/20: € 4 mn)
- Strong new business generation with good margins well above plan leveraging market opportunities
- Portfolio already increased above original YE-target

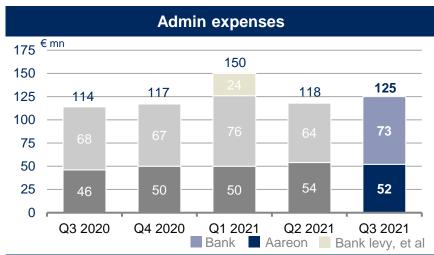
# 9M growth driven by recurring revenue and Aareon's M&A (9M/21: € 174 mn, 9M/20: € 168 mn). Sales revenue growth still diluted by Covid-19

- Aareon:
  - 9M sales revenue increased (incl. M&A) despite ongoing Covid-19 impact on professional service
  - NCI affected by seasonally earlier revenue recognition in Q2
  - Q4 regularly boosted by seasonal effects
- BDS continues positive underlying development towards defined target



#### Admin expenses / Loan loss provisions (LLP)

Cost discipline maintained; LLP as expected still slightly above normalised average due to remaining uncertainties



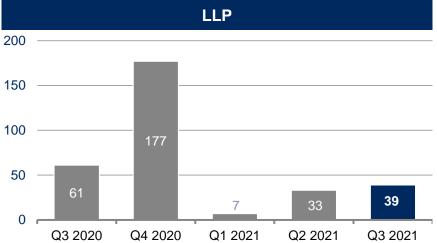


#### Bank:

- Lower Covid-19 related underspend
- Figures include transformation costs of € 1 mn in Q3/21 (Q3/20: € 0 mn) for "Aareal Next Level"

#### Aareon:

 Increase vs. Q3/20 driven by investments in organic growth (Value creation program) and M&A activities



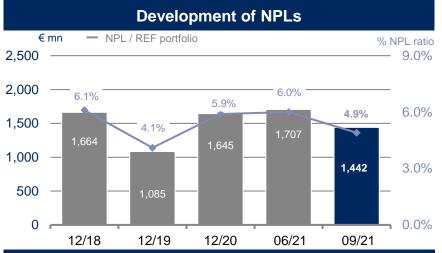
# LLP as expected still above normalised average due to remaining uncertainties

- Q3-LLP significantly below last year's Covid-19 burdened level
- Total Q3-LLP of € 46 mn incl. € 7 mn value adjustments in FVPL-line
- Despite 9M development confirming guidance for FY 2021 incl. FVPL. Uncertainties ongoing especially for the running winter quarter

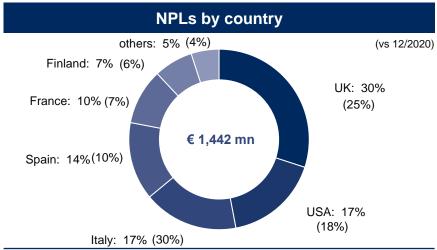


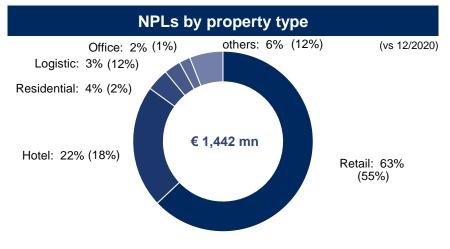
### Non performing loans (NPL)

#### NPLs reduced by concluded Italian de-risking initiative



- Close and dedicated monitoring of exposure continued
- Significant reduction in Q3 mainly driven by concluded Italian de-risking initiative as already communicated
  - ➤ NPL-ratio reduced to 4.9%







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#### Business environment recovering step by step

#### Business Environment

#### **General observations**

- Economic recovery ongoing, however impacted by:
  - Existing delta variant and potential new variants, which may lead to additional challenges
  - Speed of vaccination is slowing down and boosters may be needed
  - Delivery chains are slow to recover to pre Covid-19 levels
  - Inflation driven rise in energy prices
- Transaction volumes are further increasing across the globe, but are still below pre Covid-19 levels
- Significant increase of national budget expenditures and corresponding deficits
- Inflation rates are rising across the globe, increasing the likelihood of intervention by corresponding central banks
- Fed is expected to start tapering activities this winter to counter rising inflation rates

#### Our portfolio

- Lockdowns have been lifted and urban life is normalising around the world
- People are catching up with their (social) life: dining, shopping, vacation
- Pressure on CREF-portfolio is declining and KPIs are picking up

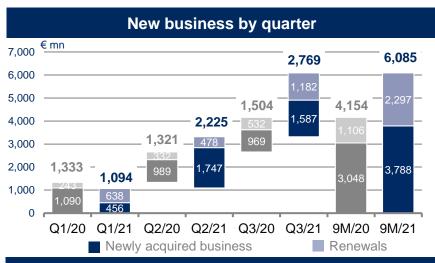


# Impact on asset classes

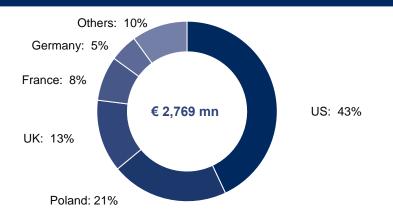
Hotel	<ul> <li>Hotels back open after lockdown measures have been lifted around the world</li> <li>Performance improvement driven by national and international tourism</li> <li>Business travel picking up and is expected to further increase during 2022</li> <li>Conference bookings for the next few years show positive and promising trend</li> <li>Filling open positions due to labour shortage remains major focus</li> </ul>
Retail	<ul> <li>Retail parks showed stable cash flows during the crisis, malls are recovering</li> <li>Market value decline is bottoming out – first transactions with stabilised values</li> <li>Declining demand for space, primarily in B- and C-locations, due to a greater focus on online retail and quality rather than quantity</li> <li>Structural change caused by online retailing = increased omnichannel development</li> </ul>
Logistic	<ul> <li>Supply chain problems will lead to an increased need for buffer capacities in the future</li> <li>Increasing importance of online trading</li> <li>Original speed of growth accelerated by Covid-19</li> <li>Rising importance of last-mile-logistics due to demands for fast delivery</li> </ul>
Office	<ul> <li>General trend towards more office presence</li> <li>Lower space demands due to more home office partially compensated by hygiene rules</li> <li>Increasing demands for flexible space options to enable hybrid working models</li> <li>Buildings must be "sustainable" or be adaptable via investments</li> </ul>



#### Strong new business further supporting growth plan



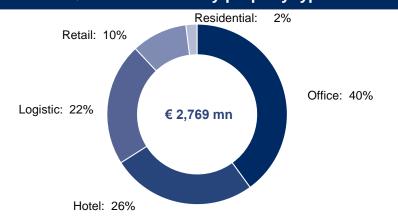
#### Q3 new business by country



#### Newly acquired business in Q3

- Strong new business generation with good margins leveraging market opportunities
- Pre-FX margins of >230 bps leading to a Ø-YtD margin of ~225 bps well above plan
- Conservative Ø-LTV of 57% after 9M
- Further green loans governed acc. to "Green Finance Framework" totalling € >275 mn
- FY-new business target of € 7 bn € 8 bn, upper end of range expected

#### Q3 new business by property type





More than 20% of the portfolio fulfills Aareal's demanding Green Finance Framework

#### Aareal Green Finance Framework (GFF) in place

#### **Green Building(s):**

#### Requirements to qualify as green buildings

- Meets EU Taxonomy criteria and / or
- Certified with an above-average rating from BREEAM, LEED, DGNB, HQE, Green Star, NABERS and / or
- Meets requirements as nearly zero-energy building (nZEB) / thresholds as defined in Aareal GFF



#### **Agreement:**

#### **Customer agrees to**

Maintaining "Aareal Green Finance Framework" requirements during the term of the loan



#### **Green Loan:**

#### **Combination of**

- Green Building(s)<sup>1)</sup>
   and
- Agreement

#### **Achievements:**

- After screening the majority of the CREF-portfolio ~65% thereof are identified as certified via building and/ or energy performance certificates - more than 2/3 have so far been validated & documented in the systems
- More than 20% of the portfolio fulfils the above-average demanding Green Building criteria acc. to Aareal's GFF
- Green Loan new business volume amounts to
   € >275 mn since launch of offering in June 2021
- ARL joined PCAF<sup>2)</sup> to report emissions of CREF portfolio within three years



#### Our way forward:

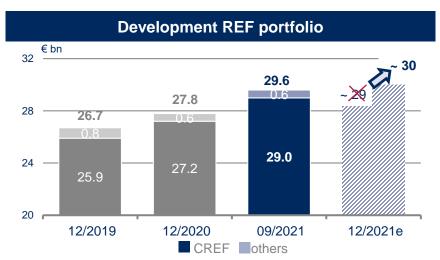
- Continue screening / documentation of portfolio for environmental portfolio data
- 2. Foster financing of green assets
- 3. Derive target KPI (e.g. "Share of green assets in CREF portfolio")
- 4. Improve extent, level of detail and quality of ESG-data (full transparency by end of 2022)
- 5. Regularly report on progress

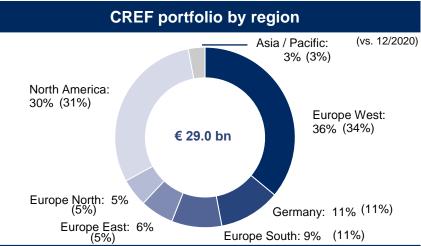


<sup>1)</sup> All buildings within a financing have to qualify as green buildings according to Aareal GFF

<sup>2)</sup> Partnership for Carbon Accounting Financials

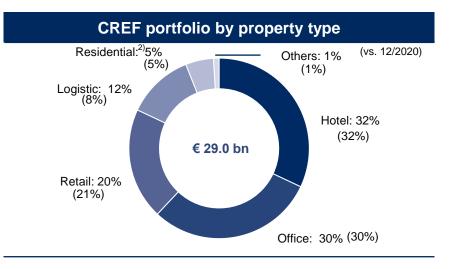
#### Portfolio already above original YE-target





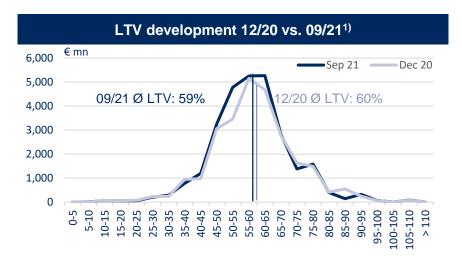
- 1) Performing CREF-portfolio only (exposure)
- Incl. Student housing (UK & Australia only)

- By leveraging market opportunities focusing on healthy risk-return profile REF-portfolio already increased to € 29.6 bn by end of Q3
- YE-portfolio target increased to € ~30 bn (from originally € ~29 bn)
- Sticking to overall country and asset diversification with increasing importance of logistics financings, as well as portfolios for risk improvement due to cross collateralisation
- Deal pipeline well filled with KPIs at or better than plan

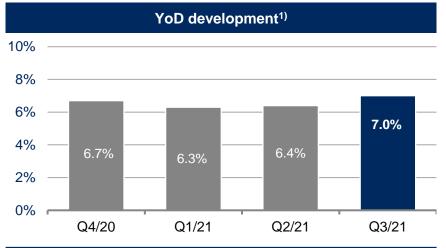


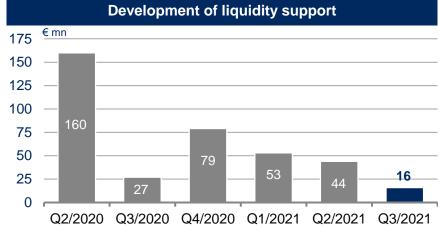


### Gradually normalising environment



- Ø-portfolio LTV<sup>1)</sup> further improved vs. YE 2020 figures
- Ø-portfolio YoD¹) significantly up at 7.0%
- Correspondingly, demand for liquidity support further declined in Q3

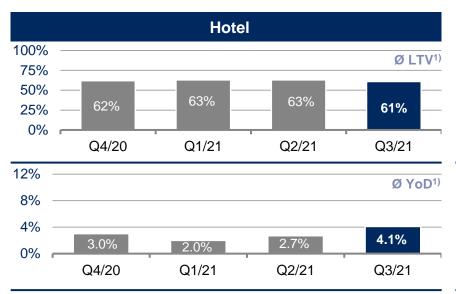






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#### Update on hotel- and retail portfolio





- The US has lifted the travel ban for international arrivals as of November 8<sup>th</sup>, marking a significant change in policy
- The average LTV has further improved to 61% for the portfolio, as performance and visibility increase
- YoD's have risen markedly to above YE-level of 2020, with further uplift expected by YE

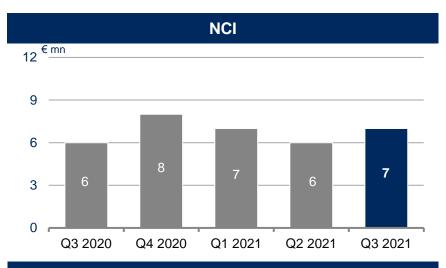
- Borrowers continue to adapt to the circumstances, working on and implementing new business strategies
- YoD has improved and represents a healthier overall level
- Updated valuations support further overall stabilisation of LTV level



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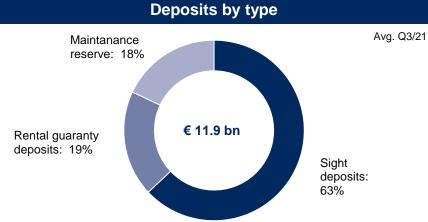
#### **Segment: Banking & Digital Solutions**

#### NCI further increased, deposits at high level



#### **NCI** further increased

- BDS continues positive underlying development towards defined target
- 9M-NCI further increase to € 20 mn in 9M/21
   vs. € 18 mn in 9M/20
- Q2 burdened by BGH-ruling of € ~1 mn



#### Deposits at high level

- YE-guidance raised to € 12 bn (from € 11 bn)
- Deposits from rental guarantees and maintenance reserves increased by € ~0.5 bn mn to € 4.4 bn vs. Q3/20
- Stable funding source during crisis continuously proven over last decade

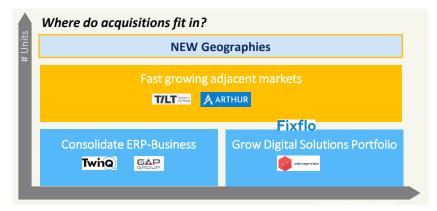


#### Segment: Aareon - on the way to become a "Rule of 40" company

## Strong investments in M&A and VCP to achieve our 2025 targets

#### M&A activities: strong execution in 2021

- Building on a strong pan-European M&A roll-up platform to realise growth opportunities in our target customers
- 6 acquisitions closed in 2021 financed by hunting line



#### Operational business: significantly strengthened

New products based on new technologies, e.g.

- Continuation of campaign for new ERP product generation Wodis Yuneo with focus on SaaS (VCP)
- New digital solutions developed to expand Aareon Smart World – marketing and product launches started, e.g. for Al-based products

<u>DACH</u>: Further increased market share, expanded product offering and increased cross-selling potentials

- GAP-Group (10/21): ERP solution for housing industry, crossselling potential for digital solutions of Aareon Smart World
- wohnungshelden (08/21): SaaS solution for lettings process, cross-selling opportunities and expansion of product portfolio

<u>UK</u>: Increased market reach by tapping and consolidating fast-growing adjacent SMB property management market

- Tilt (07/21): SaaS property management solution
- Fixflo (05/21): SaaS digital solution for repairs workflow
- Arthur Online (01/21): SaaS property management solution

<u>NL</u>: Strong platform further expanded – new client group, increased cross-selling potential

 Twinq (05/21): SaaS solution privately owned housing management

#### **Value Creation Program: substantial progress**

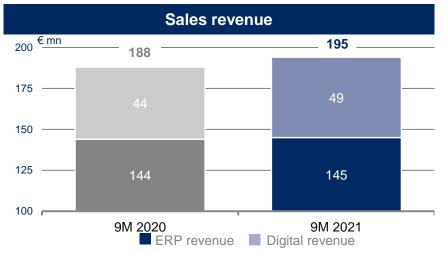
Focus on transforming process to become a full SaaS company

- SaaS/subscription campaign leading to higher recurring revenues (diluting revenue growth in 2021)
- Go-to-Market: campaign for higher client value product packages started in Gerrmany in Q2, now extended to France and NL for selected customers

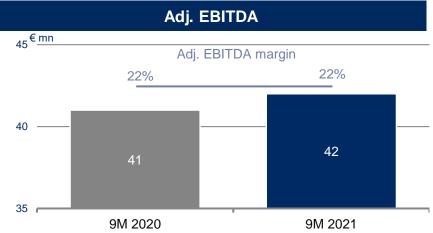


### **Segment: Aareon**

Growth driven by increased recurring revenues and acquisitions, remaining on sustainable growth path despite temporarily lower PS



- Sales revenue increased by € 7 mn to € 195 mn (+3%)
- Digital revenues ex PS<sup>1)</sup> up 19% yoy (incl. PS up 12%)
- ERP revenues ex PS up 2% yoy (incl. PS up 1%)
- Main driver in both product groups is the increase of recurring revenues from organic growth and acquisitions in UK, NL and DACH
- PS is on a lower level due to Covid-19 impacts
- FY-revenue guidance slightly adjusted due to Covid-19 impact



- Adj. EBITDA ahead by € 1 mn to € 42 mn (+2%) margin flat yoy due to lower contribution from PS mitigated by purposeful cost-conscious measures
- EBITDA 9M 2021 adjusted by € 16 mn (9M/20: € 4 mn) from ramping-up strategic M&A roadmap and investments in New Products and VCP strategy
- FY 2021 outlook regarding Adj. EBITDA confirmed incorporating effects from M&A transactions as well as ongoing related challenges within PS

Note: Numbers not adding up refer to rounding
1) PS (Professional Services) = Consulting business



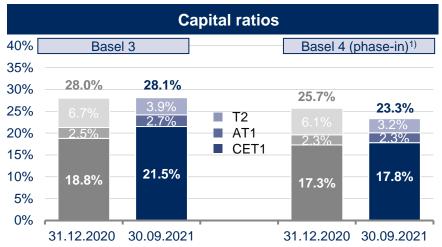
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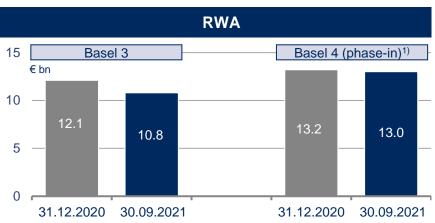
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# **Capital**

#### Solid capital position





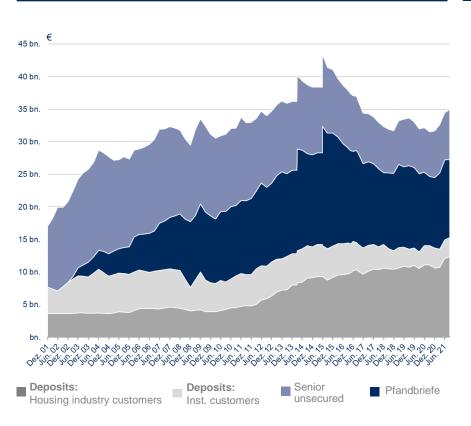
- Q3 increase in B3 and B4 (phase-in)<sup>1)</sup> CET1 ratios mainly resulting from lower RWAs
- RWA increase from strong and profitable portfolio growth more than compensated by positive effects from retroactively collateral recognition and from NPL reduction in Q3
- Following the publication of the Commission's proposal for the European implementation of B4 the standards have become more specific. To further align internal steering we currently consider to adjust the calculation of the B3 ratios accordingly from 2022 onwards
- Early redemption of € 300 mn Tier 2 Notes in Q1 reflected in total capital ratios, further optimisation potential
- Solid T1-Leverage ratio at 5.7% despite TLTRO participation and portfolio growth
- Remaining regulatory uncertainties (models, ICAAP, ILAAP, B4, etc.)



Underlying RWA estimate, incorporating the higher figure determined using the revised AIRBA or the revised CRSA (phased-in), based on the draft version dated 27 October 2021 of the European implementation of Basel IV by the European Commission. The conservative calculation of the material impact upon Aareal Bank is subject to the final EU implementation as well as the implementation of additional regulatory requirements, such as the EBA requirements.

#### **Funding & Liquidity**

### Diversified funding sources and distribution channels



- Sustainable and strong housing industry deposits increased by almost € 1 bn and verified as an important part of well diversified funding mix
- Larger CREF loan book to result in a higher number of public benchmark transactions
- Successful new issuance transactions of € 3.5 bn in 2021 incl.:
  - Two € 500 mn Pfandbrief Benchmarks
  - \$ 750 mn Pfandbrief Benchmark
  - Inaugural SONIA linked £ 500 mn Pfandbrief
  - € 250 mn increase of outstanding Senior preferred Bond (Nov/2027) to new notional amount of € 750 mn
- Participation in ECB's TLTRO (€ +1 bn) increased to a total of € 5.3 bn in Q1/21
- Liquidity ratios significantly over fulfilled:
  - NSFR > 100%
  - LCR >> 100%



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#### Outlook 2021

# Operating profit target confirmed

	METRIC	2020	OUTLOOK 2021 <sup>1)</sup>
Group	<ul><li>Net interest income</li><li>Net commission income</li><li>LLP</li><li>Admin expenses</li></ul>	€ 512 mn € 234 mn € 344 mn € 469 mn	€ 550 - 580 mn € 250 - 270 mn € 125 - 200 mn € 520 - 540 mn
	<ul><li>Operating profit</li><li>Earnings per share (EPS)</li></ul>	€ -75 mn € -1.50	€ 100 - 175 mn € ~0.40 - ~1.20 <sup>2)</sup>

	Aareal Next I	_evel	METRIC	2020	OUTLOOK 2021 <sup>1)</sup>					
ents	"Activate"	Structured Property Financing	<ul><li>REF Portfolio</li><li>New business</li></ul>	€ 27.8 bn € 7.2 bn	€ ~29 bn³) € 7 bn - € 8 bn	€ ~30 bn <sup>3)</sup>				
Segments	"Elevate"	Banking & Digital Solutions	<ul><li>Deposit volume</li><li>NCI</li></ul>	€ 11.0 bn € 26 mn	€~11 bn €~28 mn	€ ~12 bn				
	"Accelerate"	Aareon	<ul><li>Revenues</li><li>Adj. EBITDA</li></ul>	€ 258 mn € 62 mn	€ <del>276 - 280 mn</del> € 63 mn - € 65 mn	€ 270 - 274 mn				

<sup>1)</sup> Based on "Swoosh" scenario. In the current environment, this forecast is subject to significant uncertainty, especially with regard to the assumed duration and intensity of the crisis, the pace of recovery and the associated effects on our clients, as well as prevailing unclear regulatory and accounting provisions, and the possibility that individual loan defaults cannot be reliably predicted.



<sup>2)</sup> EPS calculation based on expected FY-tax ratio between 50% and 60%

<sup>3)</sup> Subject to FX development

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#### **Key takeaways**

#### Positive development continued in the third quarter



- Operating profit increased to € 50 mn in Q3
- Strong net interest income development based on profitable and risk conscious portfolio growth reflecting successful execution of our strategy "Aareal Next Level"
- Loan loss provisions significantly below last year, but Covid-19 related slightly above normalised level

#### **Growth initiatives paying off**



- SPF: By end of Q3 REF-portfolio already increased above original YE-target Strong new business focusing on healthy risk-return profile with attractive margins and good LtVs
- BDS: Net commission income further increased, deposits at high level
- Aareon: Successful M&A activities supporting further growth

#### Outlook: Operating profit target 2021 confirmed



- Swoosh-scenario intact, depending on the duration of the pandemic and the pace of recovery
- FY-operating profit target confirmed
- FY-loan loss provision remains in guided range due to remaining uncertainties caused by the pandemic
- Course set for further controlled growth in the future



Group results Q3 / 9M 2021

# Aareal

#### Results Q3 2021

	01.07 30.09.2021	01.07 30.09.2020	Change
Profit and loss account	€ mn	€ mn	
Net interest income	155	128	21%
Loss allowance	39	61	-36%
Net commission income	56	57	-2%
Net derecognition gain or loss	7	3	133%
Net gain or loss from financial instruments (fvpl)	-3	-4	-25%
Net gain or loss on hedge accounting	-2	2	-200%
Net gain or loss from investments accounted for using the equity method	0	0	0%
Administrative expenses	125	114	10%
Net other operating income / expenses	1	0	
Operating Profit	50	11	355%
Income taxes	27	10	170%
Consolidated net income	23	1	2200%
Consolidated net income attributable to non-controlling interests	0	1	-100%
Consolidated net income attributable to shareholders of Aareal Bank AG	23	0	
Earnings per share (EpS)			
Consolidated net income attributable to shareholders of Aareal Bank AG <sup>1)</sup>	23	0	
of which: allocated to ordinary shareholders	20	-4	-600%
of which: allocated to AT1 investors	3	4	-25%
Earnings per ordinary share (in €) <sup>2)</sup>	0.33	-0.05	-760%
Earnings per ordinary AT1 unit (in €) <sup>3)</sup>	0.03	0.04	-25%

<sup>3)</sup> Earnings per AT1 unit (based on 100,000,000 AT1 units with a notional amount of 3 € each) are determined by dividing the earnings allocated to AT1 investors by the weighted average of AT1 units outstanding during the financial year. Earnings per AT1 unit (basic) correspond to (diluted) earnings per AT1 unit.



<sup>1)</sup> The allocation of earnings is based on the assumption that net interest payable on the AT1 bond is recognised on an accrual basis.

<sup>2)</sup> Earnings per ordinary share are determined by dividing the earnings allocated to ordinary shareholders of Aareal Bank AG by the weighted average of ordinary shares outstanding during the financial year (59,857,221 shares). Basic earnings per ordinary share correspond to diluted earnings per ordinary share.

# Results Q3 2021 by segments

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	01.07 30.09. 2021	01.07 30.09. 2020	01.07 30.09. 2021	01.07 30.09. 2020	01.07 30.09. 2021	01.07 30.09. 2020	01.07 30.09. 2021	01.07 30.09. 2020	01.07 30.09. 2021	
€mn										
Net interest income	146	119	11	9	-2	0	0	0	155	128
Loss allowance	39	61			0	0			39	61
Net commission income	2	1	7	6	50	53	-3	-3	56	57
Net derecognition gain or loss	7	3							7	3
Net gain or loss from financial instruments (fvpl)	-3	-4				0			-3	-4
Net gain or loss on hedge accounting	-2	2							-2	2
Net gain or loss from investments accounted for using the equity method					0	0			0	0
Administrative expenses	59	56	17	15	52	46	-3	-3	125	114
Net other operating income / expenses	-1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0
Operating profit	51	4	1	0	-2	7	0	0	50	11
Income taxes	28	9	0	-1	-1	2			27	10
Consolidated net income	23	-5	1	1	-1	5	0	0	23	1
Allocation of results										
Cons. net income attributable to non-controlling interests	0	0	0	0	0	1			0	1
Cons. net income attributable to shareholders of Aareal Bank AG	23	-5	1	1	-1	4	0	0	23	0



#### Results 9M 2021

	01.01 30.09.2021 € mn	01.01 30.09.2020 € mn	Change
Profit and loss account	e min	CIIIII	
Net interest income	435	373	17%
Loss allowance	79	167	-53%
Net commission income	174	168	4%
Net derecognition gain or loss	15	19	-21%
Net gain or loss from financial instruments (fvpl)	-7	-11	-36%
Net gain or loss on hedge accounting	-4	4	-200%
Net gain or loss from investments accounted for using the equity method	-1	0	
Administrative expenses	393	352	12%
Net other operating income / expenses	-17	-10	70%
Operating Profit	123	24	413%
Income taxes	67	7	857%
Consolidated net income	56	17	229%
Consolidated net income attributable to non-controlling interests	2	2	0%
Consolidated net income attributable to shareholders of Aareal Bank AG	54	15	260%
Earnings per share (EpS)			
Consolidated net income attributable to shareholders of Aareal Bank AG <sup>1)</sup>	54	15	260%
of which: allocated to ordinary shareholders	44	3	
of which: allocated to AT1 investors	10	12	-17%
Earnings per ordinary share (in €) <sup>2)</sup>	0.73	0.06	
Earnings per ordinary AT1 unit (in €) <sup>3)</sup>	0.10	0.12	-17%

<sup>3)</sup> Earnings per AT1 unit (based on 100,000,000 AT1 units with a notional amount of 3 € each) are determined by dividing the earnings allocated to AT1 investors by the weighted average of AT1 units outstanding during the financial year. Earnings per AT1 unit (basic) correspond to (diluted) earnings per AT1 unit.



<sup>1)</sup> The allocation of earnings is based on the assumption that net interest payable on the AT1 bond is recognised on an accrual basis.

<sup>2)</sup> Earnings per ordinary share are determined by dividing the earnings allocated to ordinary shareholders of Aareal Bank AG by the weighted average of ordinary shares outstanding during the financial year (59,857,221 shares). Basic earnings per ordinary share correspond to diluted earnings per ordinary share.

# Results 9M 2021 by segments

		tured perty noing	Bank Dig Solu	ital	Aar	eon		idation/ ciliation	Aarea Gro	l Bank oup
	01.01 30.09. 2021	01.01 30.09. 2020								
€mn										
Net interest income	406	345	33	29	-4	-1	0	0	435	373
Loss allowance	79	167			0	0			79	167
Net commission income	6	4	20	18	157	155	-9	-9	15	168
Net derecognition gain or loss	15	19							15	19
Net gain or loss from financial instruments (fvpl)	-7	-11		0		0			-7	-11
Net gain or loss on hedge accounting	-4	4							-4	4
Net gain or loss from investments accounted for using the equity method			-1		0	0			-1	0
Administrative expenses	193	173	53	50	156	138	-9	-9	393	352
Net other operating income / expenses	-21	-11	0	0	4	1	0	0	-17	-10
Operating profit	123	10	-1	-3	1	17	0	0	123	24
Income taxes	68	4	-1	-2	0	5			67	7
Consolidated net income	55	6	0	-1	1	12	0	0	56	17
Allocation of results										
Cons. net income attributable to non-controlling interests	0	0	0	0	2	2			2	2
Cons. net income attributable to shareholders of Aareal Bank AG	55	6	0	-1	-1	10	0	0	54	15



# Results – quarter by quarter

	St	ructui Fir	red Pı nancir		ty	Banking & Digital Solutions					Aareon					Consolidation / Reconciliation					Aareal Bank Group				
	Q3	Q2	Q1	Q4	Q3	Q3	Q2	Q1	Q4	Q3	Q3	Q2	Q1	Q4	Q3	Q3	Q2	Q1	Q4	Q3	Q3	Q2	Q1	Q4	Q3
		2021		20	20		2021		20:	20		2021		202	20		2021		202	20		2021		20	20
€mn																									
Net interest income	146	133	127	129	119	11	11	11	10	9	-2	-2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	155	142	138	139	128
Loss allow ance	39	33	7	177	61				0		0	0		0	0						39	33	7	177	61
Net commission income	2	2	2	4	1	7	6	7	8	6	50	54	53	58	53	-3	-3	-3	-4	-3	56	59	59	66	57
Net derecognition gain or loss	7	8	0	9	3																7	8	0	9	3
Net gain / loss from fin. instruments (fvpl)	-3	-3	-1	-21	-4									0	0						-3	-3	-1	-21	-4
Net gain or loss on hedge accounting	-2	1	-3	2	2																-2	1	-3	2	2
Net gain / loss from investments acc. for using the equity method				2			-1				0	0	0	-1	0						0	-1	0	1	0
Administrative expenses	59	50	84	54	56	17	17	19	18	15	52	54	50	50	46	-3	-3	-3	-5	-3	125	118	150	117	114
Net other operating income / expenses	-1	-15	-5	-3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	-1	0	1	-14	-4	-1	0
Operating profit	51	43	29	-109	4	1	-1	-1	0	0	-2	-1	4	10	7	0	0	0	0	0	50	41	32	-99	11
Income taxes	28	30	10	-18	9	0	-1	0	1	-1	-1	0	1	4	2						27	29	11	-13	10
Consolidated net income	23	13	19	-91	-5	1	-1	-1	-1	1	-1	-1	3	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	23	12	21	-86	1
Cons. net income attributable to non-controlling interests	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	1						0	1	1	3	1
Cons. net income attributable to ARL shareholders	23	13	19	-91	-5	1	0	-1	-1	1	-1	-2	2	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	23	11	20	-89	0

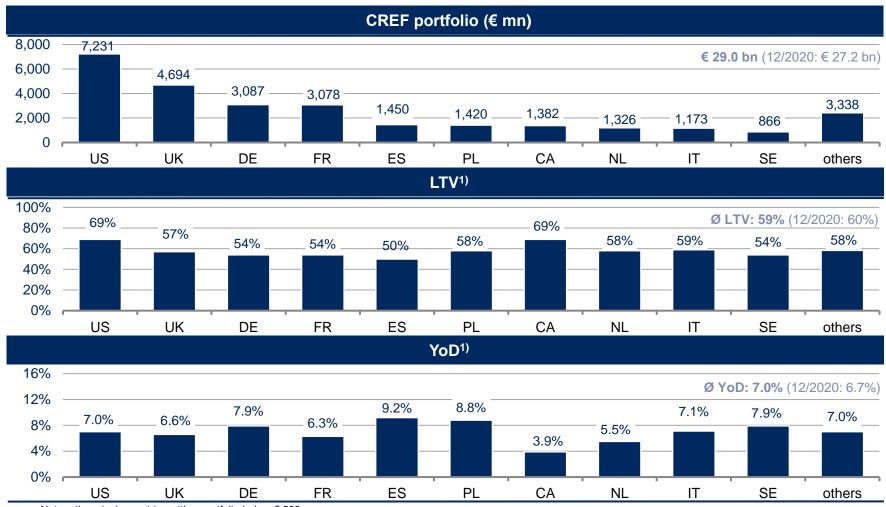


**Asset quality** 

# Aareal

### **CREF** portfolio by country

### € 29.0 bn highly diversified



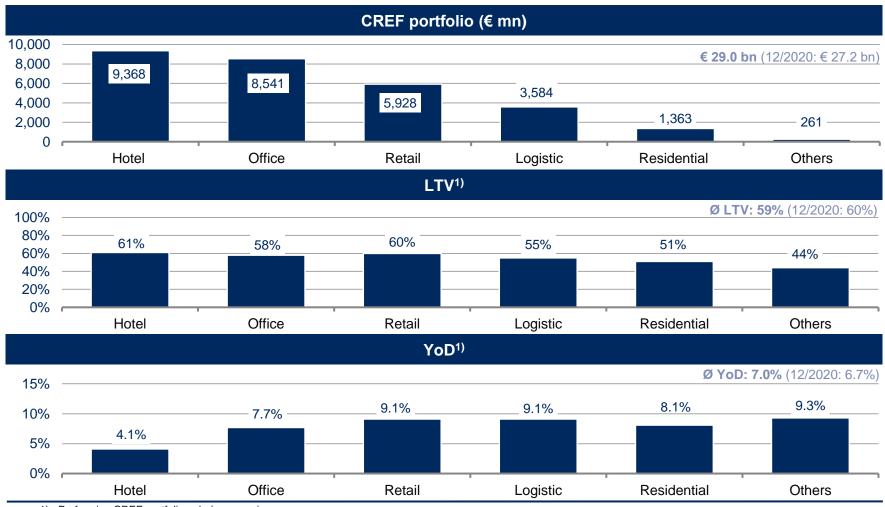
Note: others incl. countries with a portfolio below € 500 mn

1) Performing CREF-portfolio only (exposure)



#### **CREF** portfolio by property types

€ 29.0 bn highly diversified

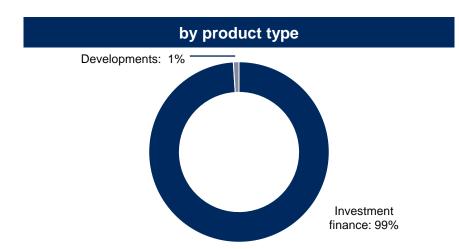


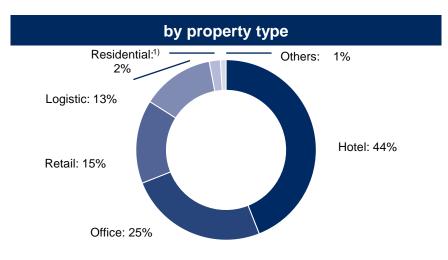
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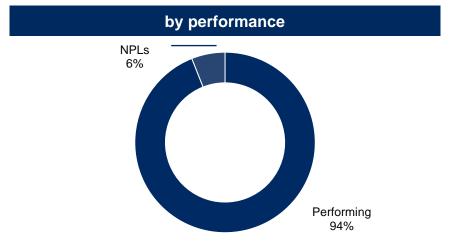


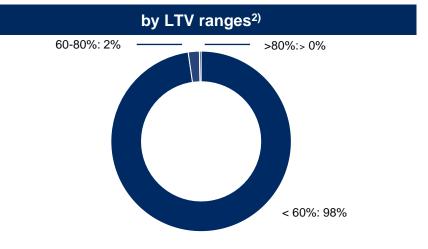
# Western Europe (ex Germany) CREF portfolio

Total volume outstanding as at 30.09.2021: € 10.4 bn









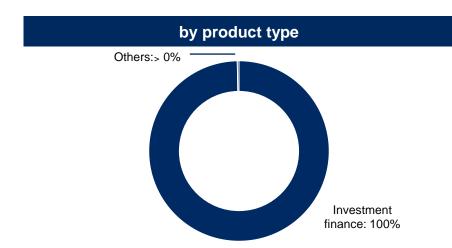


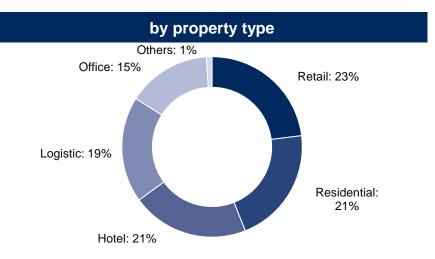
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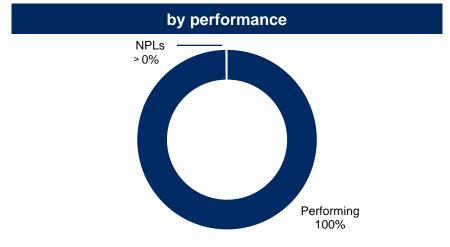
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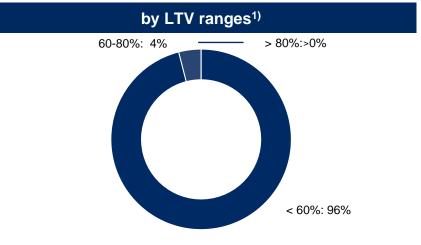
# **German CREF portfolio**

# Total volume outstanding as at 30.09.2021: € 3.1 bn







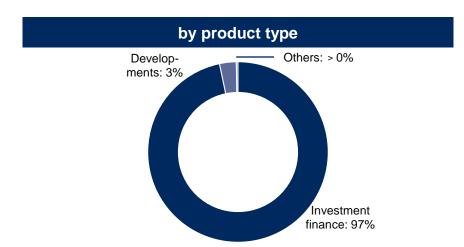


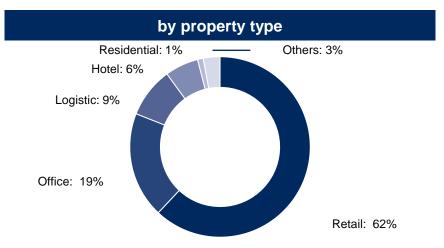


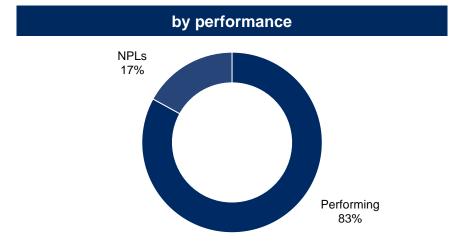
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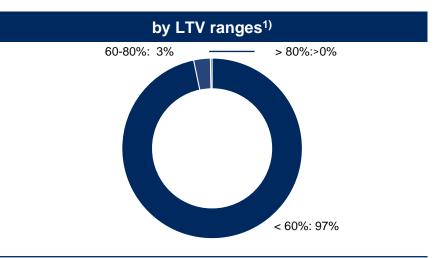
# Southern Europe CREF portfolio

# Total volume outstanding as at 30.09.2021: € 2.6 bn







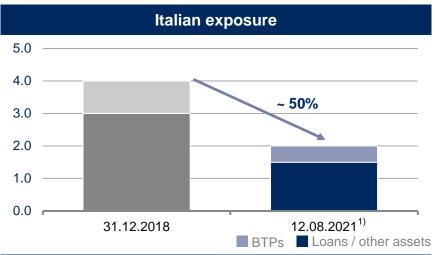


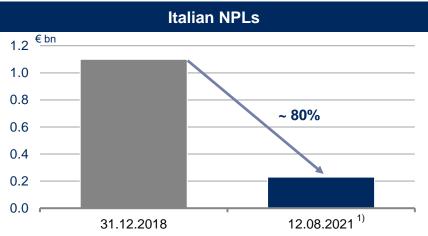


<sup>1)</sup> Performing CREF-portfolio only (exposure)



## Accelerated Italian De-Risking initiative successfully concluded





- De-Risking initiative started in 2019 which in itself led to a significant reduction of the Italian legacy exposure by € 1.6 bn
  - NPLs reduction of € 730 mn<sup>2</sup>) or ~65%
  - Performing loans with LtV > 90% reduced by € 350 mn
  - BTPs<sup>3)</sup> reduced by € 530 mn
- Significant net capital release resulting from de-risking initiative exceeding P&L burden
  - Net capital release eco. ICAAP: € ~150 mn
  - Net capital release reg. Capital (B3<sup>4)</sup>): € ~140 mn
  - Net capital release reg. Capital (B4<sup>5</sup>): € ~110 mn



<sup>1)</sup> Figures as of 30/06/21 less two NPLs derecognised in 08/21

<sup>2)</sup> Foreclosed Italian assets taken on own book for future development of € 137 mn not included

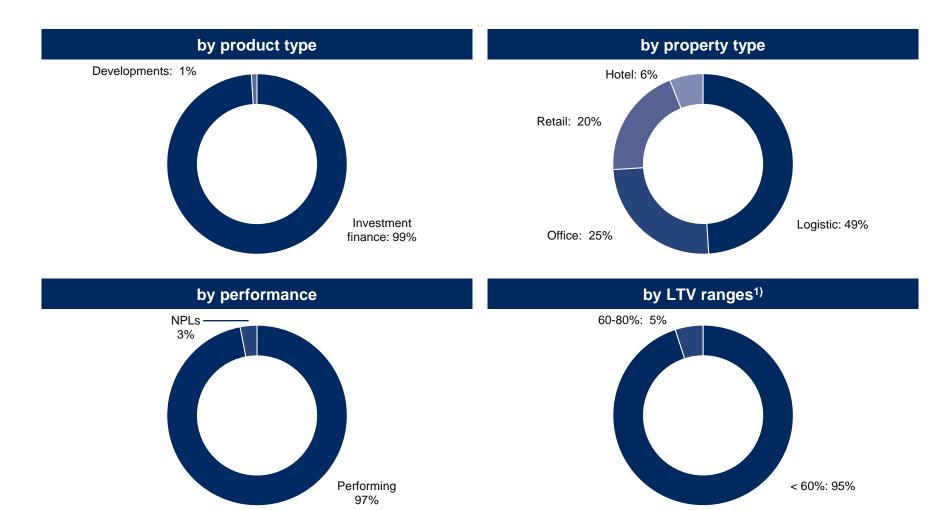
<sup>3)</sup> BTP = Buono del Tesoro Poliennali

<sup>4)</sup> Based on B3 CET1-ratio of 18.8%

<sup>5)</sup> Based on B4 CET1-ratio (phase-in) of 17.3%

# **Eastern Europe CREF portfolio**

Total volume outstanding as at 30.09.2021: € 1.9 bn

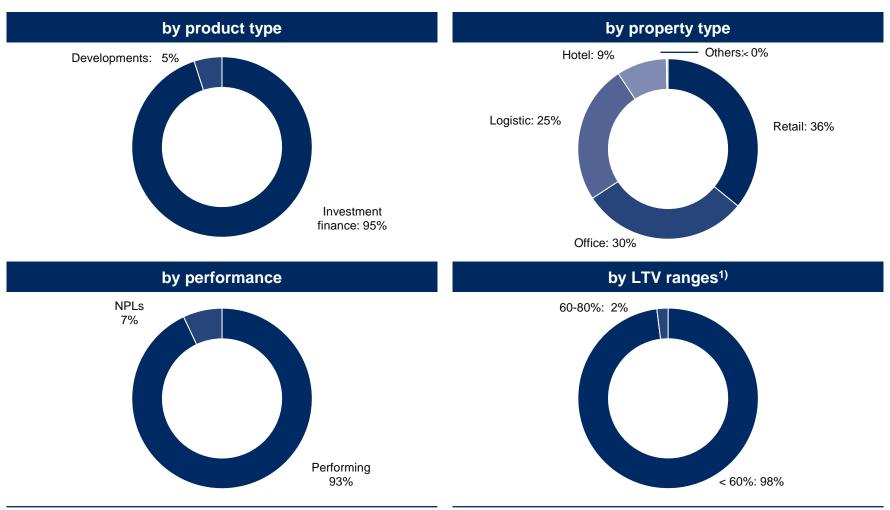


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# Northern Europe CREF portfolio

# Total volume outstanding as at 30.09.2021: € 1.4 bn

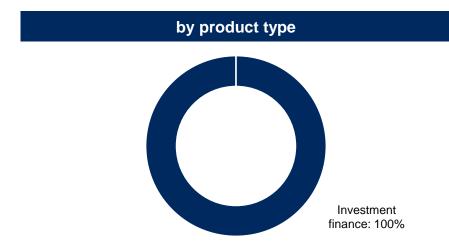


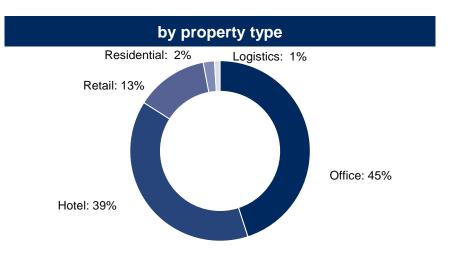
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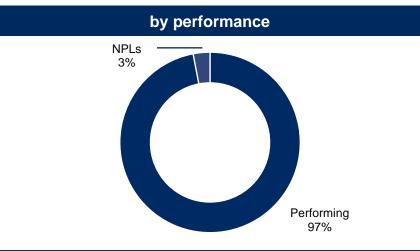


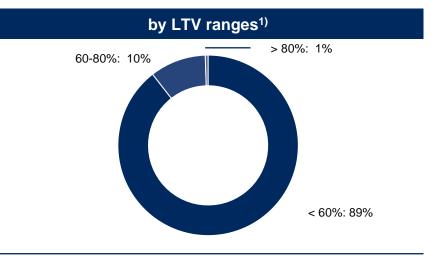
# **North America CREF portfolio**

# Total volume outstanding as at 30.09.2021: € 8.6 bn







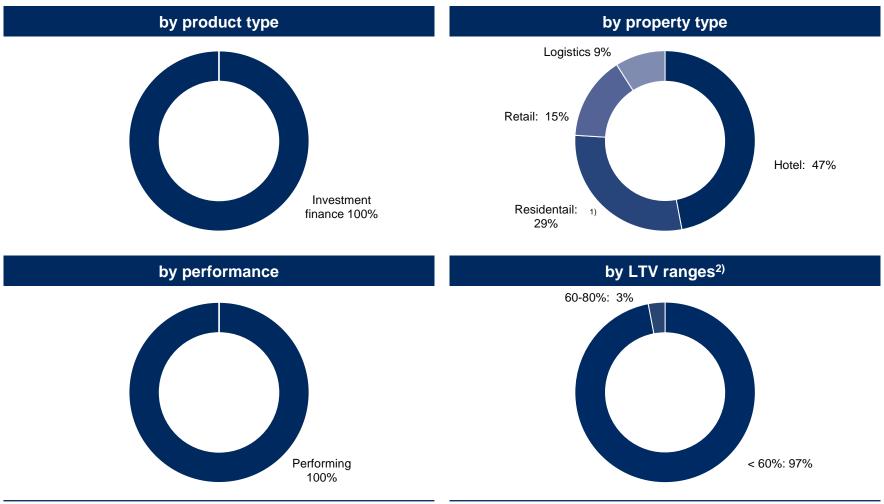




<sup>1)</sup> Performing CREF-portfolio only (exposure)

# Asia / Pacific CREF portfolio

Total volume outstanding as at 30.09.2021: € 1.0 bn



<sup>1)</sup> Incl. Student housing (UK & Australia only)



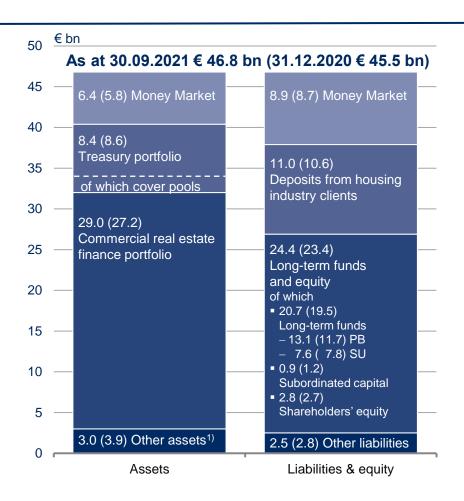
<sup>2)</sup> Performing CREF-portfolio only (exposure)

**B/S & Treasury Portfolio** 

# Aareal

# B/S structure according to IFRS

#### Well balanced

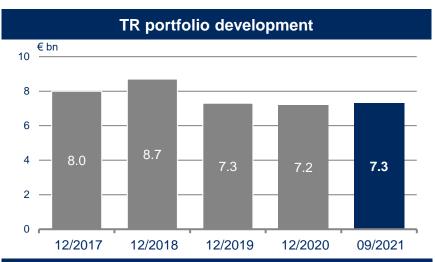


<sup>1)</sup> Other assets includes € 0.3 bn private client portfolio and WIB's € 0.3 bn public sector loans

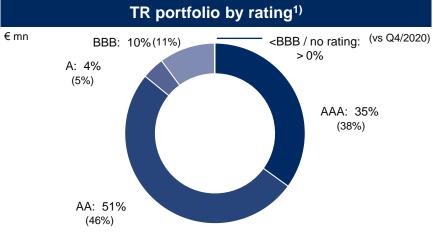


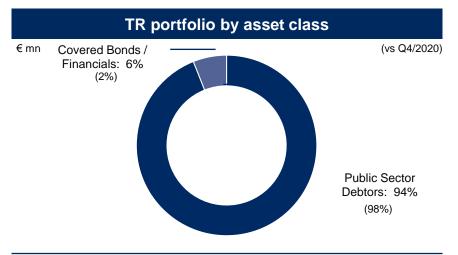
# **Treasury portfolio**

# € 7.3 bn of high quality and highly liquid assets



- Portfolio further diversified with additional investments in new agencies and Covered Bonds
- Investments in Covered Bonds supporting spread improvement





As at 30.06.2021 – all figures are nominal amounts

1) Composite Rating



**Segment: Aareon** 

# Aareal

# **Segment: Aareon**

### P&L and other KPIs

P&L Aareon segment - Industry format¹) € mn	Q3'20	9M'20	Q3'21	9M'21	∆ Q3 '21/'20	∆ 9M '21/'20
Sales revenue Thereof ERP Thereof Digital	63 49 14	188 144 44	62 46 16	195 145 49	-2% -6% 13%	3% 1% 12%
Costs <sup>2)</sup> • Thereof material	-50 -10	-150 -34	-54 -12	-169 -38	8% 16%	11% 12%
EBITDA	13	36	8	25	-40%	-31%
Adjustments <sup>2)</sup>	-2	-4	-5	-16	>100%	>100%
Adj. EBITDA	15	41	13	42	-12%	2%
EBITDA	13	36	8	25	-40%	-31%
D&A / Financial result	-6	-20	-9	-24	42%	24%
EBT / Operating profit	6	17	-2	1	<-100%	-94%

R&D, RPU and operating cashflow			
Revenue per unit (RPU) – LTM (€)	22		
R&D spend as % of software revenue – YTD	23%		
YTD Operating Cash Flow (€ mn)	13		

- RPU (last 12 months) at 22 € (H1/21: 24€)
- R&D spend picking up in line with communicated pattern of gradual increase in the short term up to 25%
- VCP- as well as M&A-related investments led to higher costs growth in relation to revenue growth as planned
- Operating Cash Flow at € 13 mn (9M/20: € 34 mn) mainly driven by lower operating result due to higher investments



<sup>1)</sup> Calculation refers to unrounded numbers

<sup>2)</sup> Incl. New product, VCP, Ventures, M&A and one-offs

**Aareal Next Level – 360°-review** 

# Aareal

# Aareal enters into first stage evolution of 'Aareal Next Level'



Operating profit target of € ~300 mn to be achieved already in 2023<sup>1)</sup>

#### January 2020

 We introduced our strategy 'Aareal Next Level' with three strategic pillars ACTIVATE!, ELEVATE! and ACCELERATE!

#### Q4 2020

- Management initiated a 360° review of 'Aareal Next Level' in the context of Covid-19 and its mid term structural implications supported by McKinsey
- Key focus of 360° review: i) create sustainable shareholder value in a new normal after Covid-19 with the aim of earning our CoE mid-term<sup>1)</sup> and ii) resume our track record as reliable dividend payer<sup>2)</sup>

#### **Early 2021**

- 360° review confirms 'Aareal Next Level' remaining a successful and attractive strategy even in a post Covid-19 environment. Thus, we will enter into first stage evolution of 'Aareal Next Level'
- We identified 1 2 3 4 5 additional levers within the 'Aareal Next Level' strategic framework to significantly improve our successful performance in the future
- We envisage to achieve an operating profit target of € ~300 mn already in 2023<sup>3)</sup> which translates into a return on equity after taxes of ~8%<sup>1)</sup> on Group as well as on Bank level
- Free capital retained for either M&A and/or capital management



<sup>1) 15%</sup> CET 1 reference ratio (Basel IV, phase-in, revised IRBA) exceeding the market average as a reference; excluding any potential acquisitions; subject to the Covid 19 crisis being fully overcome by then

<sup>2)</sup> Subject to ECB approval

<sup>3)</sup> Excluding any potential acquisitions, and subject to the Covid-19 crisis being fully overcome by then Note: All 2020 figures preliminary and unaudited

# 'Aareal Next Level' strategy confirmed as successful and attractive

Operating profit target of € ~300 mn to be achieved already in 2023<sup>1)</sup>



Strategy and business model confirmed, being successful in a normalised environment post Covid-19



First evolution of 'Aareal Next Level' enables utilising market opportunities in Covid-19 environment and increase efficiency in organisation, of processes and infrastructure



Operating profit target of € ~300 mn to be achieved already in 2023¹¹) translating into a RoE after taxes of ~8%²¹ on Group and Bank level



#### Transformation, innovation and investment budgets

- Aareal Bank: i) transformation budget of € 10 mn fully financed by related positive one-offs and ii) innovation budget for growth initiatives of on avg. € ~2 mn p.a. (2021 - 2023) to boost NCI in Banking & Digital Solutions<sup>3)</sup>
- Additional investment budget<sup>4)</sup> for Aareon with growth costs in context of VCP implementation (2021: € ~8 mn) leading to a temporary dilution of EBT
- 1) Excluding any potential acquisitions, and subject to the Covid-19 crisis being fully overcome by then
- 2) 15% CET 1 reference ratio (Basel IV, phase-in, revised IRBA) exceeding the market average as a reference; excluding any potential acquisitions; subject to the Covid 19 crisis being fully overcome by then
- 3) Formerly known as Consulting / Services Bank: has been renamed effective from Jan. 2021
- 4) Excluding costs for Aareon M&A and M&A financing Note: All 2020 figures preliminary and unaudited



## **ACTIVATE! Structured Property Financing**

Take advantage of market opportunities, grow book and optimize funding

We continue to leverage on expanded origination, structuring and exit opportunities – "Play the Matrix" i.e. countries, property types and structures

#### Lever First stage evolution of 'Aareal Next Level'

#### **Targets**



Continue to pursue risk-conscious and ESG conform, organic expansion of financing business based on attractive margins to increase our on-balance credit portfolio

REF portfolio: YE 21: € ~29 bn

 As done in Q4, utilizing market opportunities in the Covid-19 environment with attractive risk / return profiles building on our USPs YE 22: € ~30 bn

- Increase our NII, leverage our platform and enhance profitability through RoE accretive business, syndication capability is continuously used to improve structure of new business and profitability / return
- We will continue to further develop our asset light strategy

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#### Optimisation of funding mix and capital structure to enhance profitability and return

- Review and fine-tune our liquidity and ALM strategy, but maintain prudent liquidity ratios
- Enhance our funding mix regarding new products e.g. establishing a CP programme and optimize funding costs, by speeding up our cover pool process
- Optimize our regulatory capital structure

Q1 21:

Termination of T2 € 300 mn

YE 22:

Executed ALM / liquidity strategy



# **ACTIVATE!** We continue to strive towards greater ESG-transparer

Preliminary data on climate performance for about 85% of our existing CREF portfolio has been collected – pursuit of further data ongoing



#### **Improvement of ESG-Transparency**

- Together with our clients we are striving to achieve maximum transparency relating to the environmental performance of our commercial real estate finance portfolio
- Through an ongoing dialogue with our clients and research in external databases we have been able to gather preliminary data on about 85% of our CREF portfolio
- For approximately 65% of our CREF portfolio we know of robust building certificates (i.e. DGNB, BREEAM, HQE, LEED, NABERS) or energyperformance certificates or both
- We continue our effort in improving the extent, level of detail and quality of our ESG-data together with our clients
- At the same time we are implementing further enhancements to our IT-Systems in order to accommodate documentation of relevant climate-performance data

Our target remains to achieve full transparency relating to climate performance in 2022





## **ELEVATE!** Banking & Digital Solutions<sup>1)</sup>

Leverage on our deeply embedded customer integration and increase

We continue to leverage and grow our housing and adjacent industries business through elevation and expansion of our product suite with focus on NCI based income and take opportunities in cooperation with customers and other partners

#### First stage evolution of 'Aareal Next Level' Lever **Targets** Increase our opportunities for a further expansion with a particular focus on Ø 23: Deposit our net commission income in our Digital Solutions business volume of € >11 bn Sharpening our strategic profile and enhance our development capabilities Continue to leverage and grow our housing and adjacent industries business through **Grow NCI with** a CAGR of 13% cross selling with an increasing contribution of our innovation portfolio until 2023 grow NCI with a CAGR of 13% until 2023 On top: Innovation budget for growth initiatives of on average € ~2 mn p.a. between **Ambition to** 2021 and 2023 together with pursuing selected M&A opportunities with the ambition double NCI to double NCI until 2025 until 2025

We reconfirm the attractiveness of our deposit base in our Banking business which is deeply imbedded in our clients' processes

 Sticky deposit base at attractive terms and costs from group perspective, further upside in a rising rate environment and the opportunity of additional cross selling



<sup>1)</sup> Formerly known as Consulting / Services Bank: has been renamed effective from Jan. 2021

#### **ACCELERATE!** Aareon

VCP to increase mid-term adj. EBITDA target to € 135 mn, M&A on top

We continue to strengthen Aareon's position as the leading and independent software company for the property industry with a strong value proposition

#### First stage evolution of 'Aareal Next Level' Lever



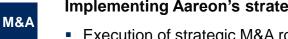
#### VCP, developed with Advent, Aareon and Aareal, to increase mid-term adj. EBITDA target from € >110 mn to € 135 mn and M&A on top

- Accelerate investment in developing new digital products and offerings to add to Aareon's growing portfolio of Digital Solutions
- Go to market excellence and accelerate "new logo" wins
- Leveraging Aareon's core ERP installed base to upsell / cross sell new modules and digital solutions from Aareon's Smart World
- Additional investment budget<sup>1)</sup> for Aareon with growth costs in context of VCP implementation (2021: € ~8 mn) leading to a temporary dilution of EBT

#### **Targets**

YE 23: VCP with add. positive EBT impact (organic)

YE 25: Increase adj. EBITDA from € >110 mn to € ~135 mn: achieve Rule of 40<sup>2)</sup>



#### Implementing Aareon's strategic M&A roadmap

- Execution of strategic M&A roadmap and EBITDA contribution from M&A activities on top
- Initially up to € 250 mn debt funding of M&A roadmap negotiated
- Recent acquisition of SaaS company Arthur being the first evidence of the successful partnership with Advent

**EBITDA from** M&A on top



<sup>1)</sup> Excluding costs for Aareon M&A and M&A financing

<sup>2)</sup> Rule of 40: Sum of Aareon's annual revenue growth and adj. EBITDA margin will at least reach 40%



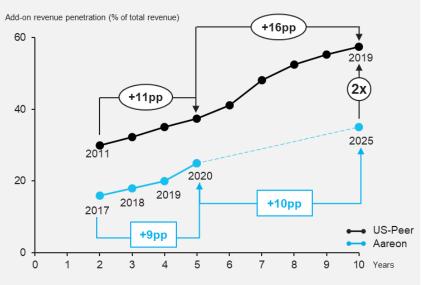
# Aareon unmatched growth opportunity

Substantial upside unlocked through a combination of RPU growth and unit expansion

- Highly integrated digital ecosystem Aareon Smart World
- End-to-end product suite and roadmaps, from ERP to Digital Solutions
- Strong pan-European M&A roll-up platform

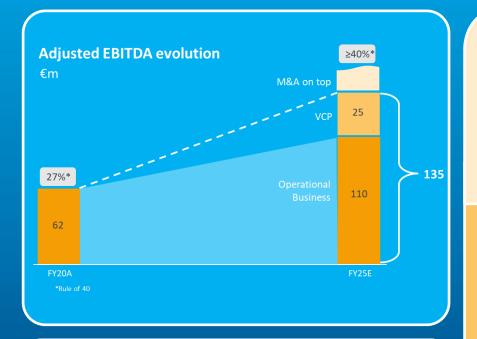


# Increase RPU – Following the US Market experience





# Aareon elevated to a "Rule of 40 company"



#### Operational business (as presented at Investor Day)

- ERP 2025: Ambitious continuation of implementation of new ERP product generations
- Offer Digital Solutions, continued investment in developing innovative and competitive digital products
- Employee Engagement Program: Empower people for success

#### Well structured M&A process

- Highly attractive M&A platform, with opportunity to further scale internationally
- New M&A and PMI teams implemented
- Sharpened & expanded M&A pipeline is systematically pursued – considering mature business & high growth ventures
- Financing structure for M&A has been negotiated (€250m)

#### **Value Creation Program**

- Go-To-Market: Improve GTM excellence with focus on targeting new logos and driving up-/cross-sell. Opportunity to extend value based packages to customers while driving digitalisation of industry
- SaaS Acceleration: Drive SaaS to realise higher share of recurring revenues
- Software Implementation Efficiency: Accelerate growth from recurring software through highly efficient software implementations
- Operations Excellence: Leverage potential organisational value creation levers that could support growth
- 36One: Provide a data lake for reporting excellence.
   Improve back office performance and automation



Aareon further increased strong financial outloo

Despite Covid-19 pandemic KPIs remained rather solid in 2020

	2020A	Former Mid- Term	2025E
Revenue growth	2%	7-9%	10%*
% Recurring revenues of total revenue	67%	-	70%
Revenue per unit (RPU) in €	24	35-40	40
Adj. EBITDA in €m (without M&A)	62	110	135
Rule of 40	27%	-	≥40%
% R&D spend** (of software revenue)	22%	20%	20%
**short-term up to 25%			*CAGR 20/25





# Organisation: Implementation of group wide efficiency measures

Maintaining strict cost discipline and implement further efficiency measure

#### Lever First stage evolution of 'Aareal Next Level'

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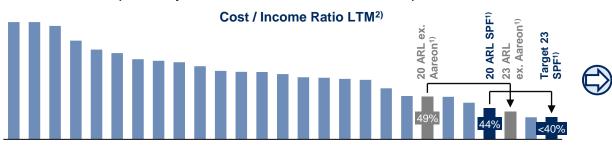
#### Objective of further efficiency measures in organisation, processes & infrastructure

- IT Next Level: Further reduction of specific internal developments and implementation of standardized applications in our S4 Hana environment will i) further reduce complexity of Aareal's IT platforms and ii) enable cloud-based business and IT operating models. Thus, leading to lower running and change costs
- Efficiency measures optimising marginal costs of portfolio expansion, i.e. automatisation of the credit and adjacent processes as well as reporting procedures
- Campus: i) recalibrate workfloor concepts to address new way of working, ii) optimise self-owned real estate incl. residential development realising a related capital gain of € ~10 mn and iii) create an attractive source of income for our CTA (pensions)
- Implementation of young talent programme already started in 2020; first positive effects already achieved
- Cost reduction through streamlining of management structure: number of members of first management level (Managing Director) to be reduced by 15 percent; Supervisory Board to consider size and composition of Executive Board

#### **Targets**

YE 23: SPF CIR of <40%<sup>1)</sup>

Transformation budget financed by related one off effects



Continued cost discipline, additional efficiency measures and growth at low marginal costs underlines our compared to peers best in class Cost/Income Ratio

1) Excluding bank levy; 2020 ARL ex Aareon incl. bank levy 54% / 2020 ARL SPF incl. bank levy 48%

2) Euro StoxxBanks plus Deutsche Pfandbriefbank as of 15.02.2021, total non-interest expense LTM divided by revenue before loan losses LTM (excluding unusual Items like goodwill impairments, restructuring costs etc.); Source: S&P Capital IQ



# 'Aareal Next Level': Our KPIs and targets

Operating profit target of € ~300 mn to be achieved already in 2023<sup>1)</sup>

	2020	On track to achieve 'Aareal Next Level'	Our KPIs and targets			
	2020	<b>objectives</b> (February 2020)	2023	2025		
Aareal Bank Group						
■ Revenues <sup>2)</sup>	€ 746 mn	✓	Mid-single digit growth CAGR			
<ul> <li>Operating profit</li> </ul>	€ -75 mn		€ ~300 mn <sup>1)</sup> Incl. positive impact of VCP			
<ul> <li>RoE post tax Group</li> </ul>	-3.5%		~8% <sup>3)</sup>			
<ul> <li>Dividend policy</li> </ul>	Announced	Unchanged, 50% base	e dividend plus 20-30% supplementary dividend <sup>4)</sup>			
<u>Aareal Bank</u>						
• CIR SPF <sup>5)</sup>	44%		<40%			
<u>Aareon</u>			,			
<ul> <li>Revenue</li> </ul>	€ 258 mn	✓	10% CAGR			
<ul> <li>Adj. EBITDA</li> </ul>	€ 62 mn	<b>✓</b>		€ ~135 mn Achieve rule of 40		
,			EBITDA from M&A on top			

- 1) Excluding any potential acquisitions, and subject to the Covid-19 crisis being fully overcome by then
- 2) Net interest income and net commission income
- 3) 15% CET 1 reference ratio (Basel IV, phase-in, revised IRBA) exceeding the market average as a reference; excluding any potential acquisitions; subject to the Covid-19 crisis being fully overcome by then
- 4) Subject to ECB approval according to conditions mentioned on page 68
- 5) Excluding bank levy

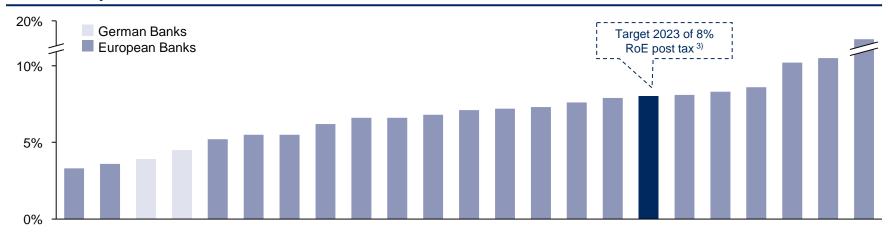


## 2023 Target RoE post tax above peers...

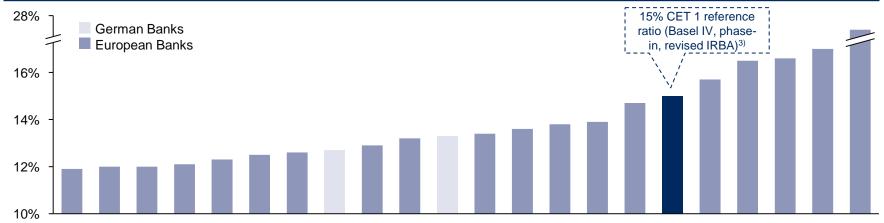


## ...despite higher CET1 Ratio

#### 2023 RoE post tax - Broker estimates<sup>1)</sup>



#### 2023 CET1 Ratio - Broker estimates<sup>2)</sup>



- 1) Euro Stoxx Banks as of 18.02.2021, Average FactSet Consensus, where available: EPS divided by average book value per share (Source: Factset)
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## **Next Steps in our ESG Journey**

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Strengthening ESG as an integral part of our DNA by refining our strategy and setting ambitious goals and targets

		by 2021		and beyond	
	Strategy Development & Implementation	■ ESG targets for long-term compensation	ation schemes in place	Quantitative measures <sup>1)</sup>	
+ KPIs)		by 2021		and beyond	
Selected Examples (Action Areas + Measures + KPIs)	Attractive Employer	<ul> <li>Feedback Culture: Frequent employe</li> <li>Young Talent Management</li> <li>Lifelong learning: Learning@Aareal</li> </ul>	e surveys and disclosure	External recognition <sup>1)</sup> Top-Employer, Fair Pay, Gender Equality	
Areas +		by 2021		and beyond	
ction /	Green Offering	■ ESG product offering (lending, funding	ng)	No. of products <sup>1)</sup>	
es (A		Establish	Expand		
xamp			by 2022	and beyond	
Selected E	Transparency	<ul> <li>Continued improvement of extent, lev of ESG-data for our CREF portfolio to</li> </ul>		Full ESG transparency <sup>1)</sup>	

e.g. Building certificates (i.e. DGNB, BREEAM, HQE, LEED, NABERS) or energy-performance certificates based on an ongoing dialogue with our clients as well as research in external databases

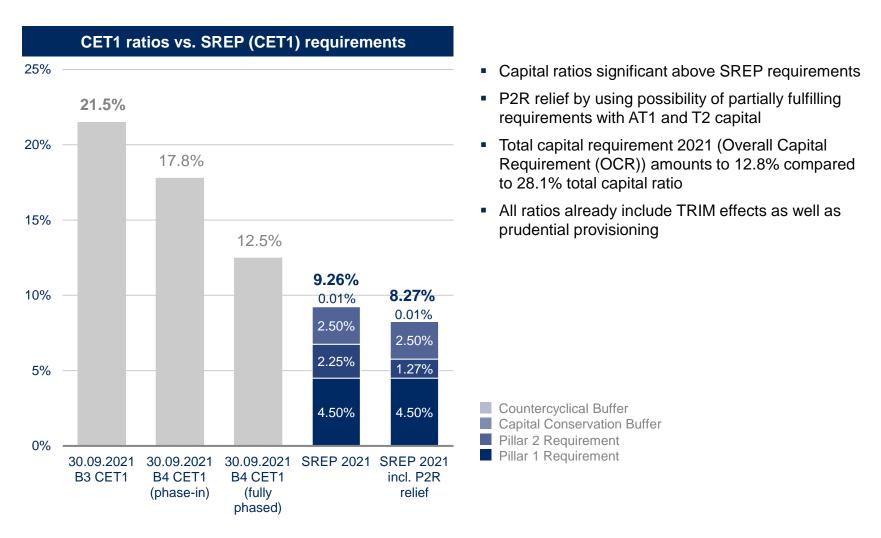


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# **SREP (CET 1) requirements**

## Demonstrating conservative and sustainable business model





# **Dividend Policy**

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## **Dividend Policy and BVPS-development**

#### Base Dividend<sup>1)</sup>

Distribute **approx. 50%** of the earnings per ordinary share (EpS) as base dividend

#### Potential Supplementary Dividend<sup>1)</sup>

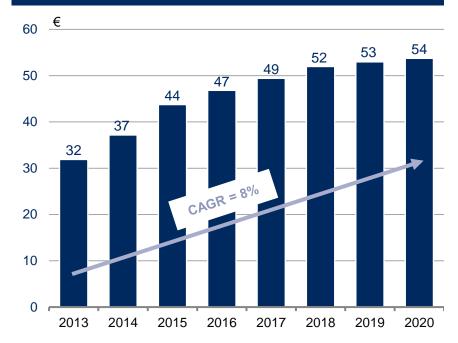
A supplementary dividend **up to 20 - 30%** of the EpS to be considered, if

- No material deterioration of the environment (with longer-term and sustainably negative effects) and
- No material changes in regulation incl. sufficient capital buffers in a forward looking perspective and
- No attractive investment opportunities and
- No positive growth environment beyond current planning

#### For FY 2021, payable in 2022:

Further development of Covid-19 and above-mentioned factors to be considered regarding supplementary dividend

#### Significant book value per share growth incl. dividend





Attractive dividend policy and significant book value growth created sustainable value for Aareal and hence our shareholders





AT1: ADI of Aareal Bank AG

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# Interest payments and ADI of Aareal Bank AG

Available Distributable Items (as of end of the relevant year)

€ mn		31.12. 2017		31.12. 2019	31.12. 2020
Net Retained Profit  Net income Profit carried forward from previous year Net income attribution to revenue reserves	122 122 - -	147 147 -	126 126 -	120 120 -	90 90 - -
+ Other revenue reserves after net income attribution	720	720	720	720	840
= Total dividend potential before amount blocked <sup>1)</sup>	842	870	846	840	930
<ul> <li>./. Dividend amount blocked under section 268 (8) of the German Commercial Code</li> <li>./. Dividend amount blocked under section 253 (6) of the German Commercial Code</li> </ul>	235 28	283 35	268 42	314 40	320 43
= Available Distributable Items <sup>1)</sup>	579	552	536	486	566
+ Increase by aggregated amount of interest expenses relating to Distributions on Tier 1 Instruments <sup>1)</sup>	46	32	24	23	21
<ul> <li>Amount referred to in the relevant paragraphs of the terms and conditions of the respective Notes as being available to cover Interest Payments on the Notes and Distributions on other Tier 1 Instruments<sup>1)</sup></li> </ul>	625	584	560	509	587

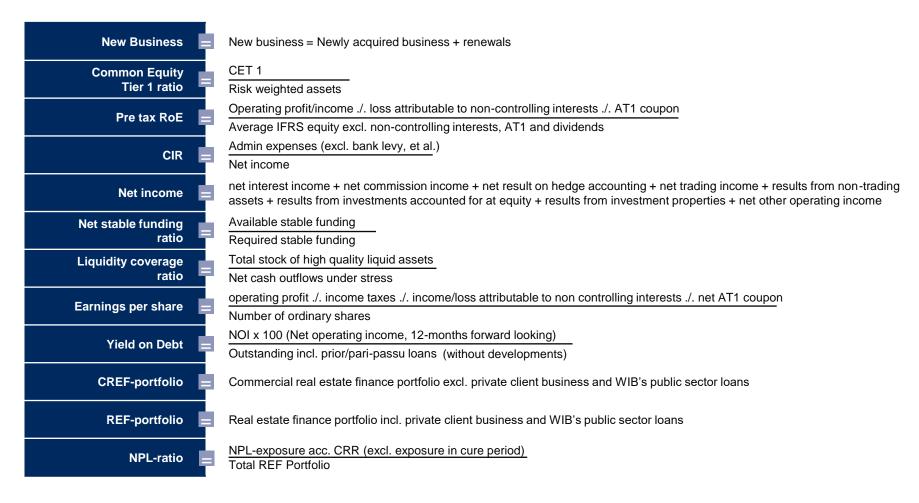


<sup>1)</sup> Unaudited figures for information purposes only

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