

## **Results DNB Group**

Fourth quarter 2024



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#### Strong performance in all customer segments



#### **Return on equity of 19.0 per cent in the quarter**

Driven by strong growth and activity across customer segments and product areas. 16.1 per cent adjusted for low tax rate in the quarter.

#### **Net interest income up 3.7 per cent from 3Q24** Profitable lending and deposit growth in all segments.

#### Net commissions and fees up 12.3 per cent from 4Q23

All-time high fourth quarter result driven by strong results across products areas – solid and well-diversified fee platform.

#### Robust and well-diversified portfolio

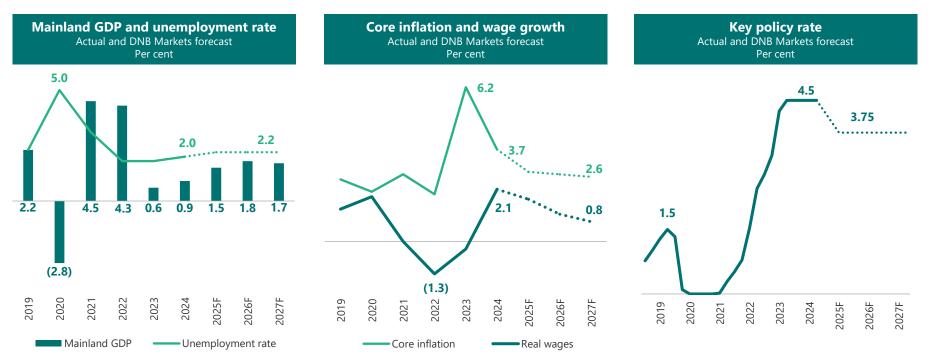
99.3 per cent of portfolio in stages 1 and 2. Impairment provisions of NOK 157 million in the quarter.

#### Proposed dividend of NOK 16.75 per share

Earnings per share of NOK 8.21 in the quarter and NOK 29.34 in 2024 – up 18.2 per cent from 2023.

## Solid outlook for the Norwegian economy

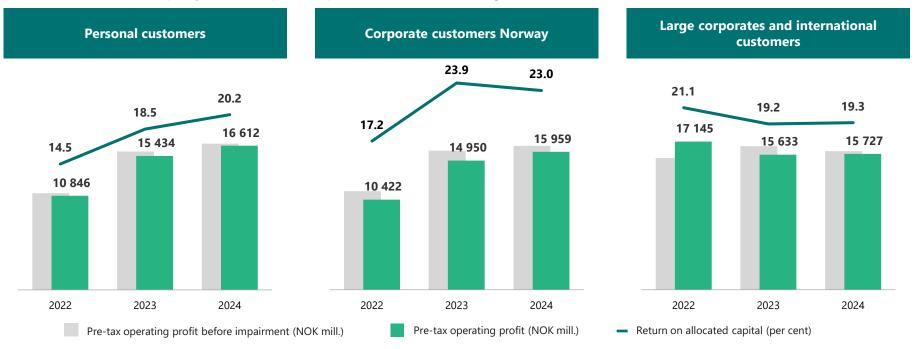
- Moderate growth expected in the mainland economy with low unemployment rate throughout the forecasting period
- Continued decline in inflation levels, with positive real wage development expected from 2024 onwards
- First key policy rate cut anticipated in March 2025 expected to stabilize at 3.75 per cent from September 2025



Sources: Statistics Norway, DNB Markets, Norges Bank (Norwegian central bank), NAV (Norwegian Labour and Welfare Administration).

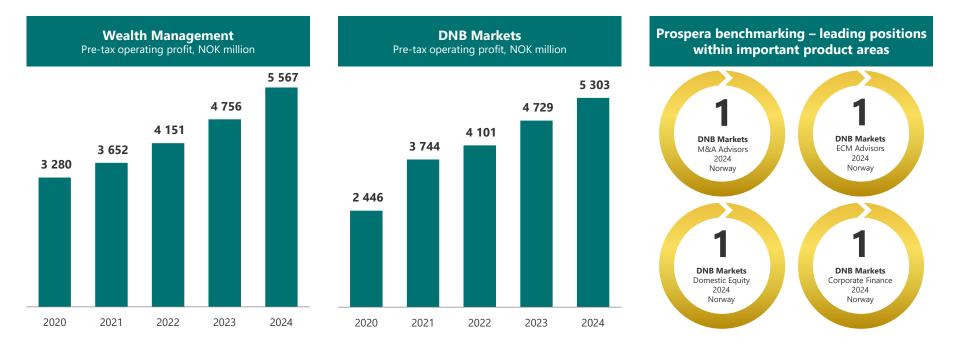
#### High level of activity across all customer segments

- Personal customers: high activity and strong performance in all areas, lending growth of 1.7 per cent in second half of 2024
- Corporate customers Norway: solid growth in loans and deposits and high cross-sales activity, other income up 18.8 per cent from 2023
- Large corporates and international customers: profitable volume growth and increased income from Markets products of 21.1 per cent from 2023
- Continued solid credit quality and low impairment provisions in all customer segments



## All-time high income from Wealth Management and DNB Markets

- Continued growth in AUM<sup>1</sup> up NOK 183 billion from 4Q23 positive net in-flow from both retail and institutional customers of NOK 34 billion
- Customer income from DNB Markets of NOK 8.3 billion in 2024, up 18.0 per cent from 2023 strong performance in both IBD<sup>1</sup> and FICC<sup>1</sup>
- Solid and well-diversified platform positioned to further accelerate growth with announced acquisition of Carnegie



1 AUM: assets under management – IBD: Investment Banking Division – FICC: fixed income currency and commodities.

## Key figures reflecting high activity and solid performance across the Group



Proposed dividend of

## 2.2 внок

to the DNB Savings Bank Foundation for 2024<sup>1</sup>



Employer in Norway ranked by business students, and #5 among tech students<sup>2</sup>



Positioned for Nordic acceleration with acquisition of Carnegie

Making a social impact while maintaining a relentless customer focus

uses DNB's digital channels

**46%** of Norwegian population actively

Mobilised a cumulative total of

752 внок

at the end of 2024 to the sustainable transition, through lending and facilitation



Stopped attempted fraud worth

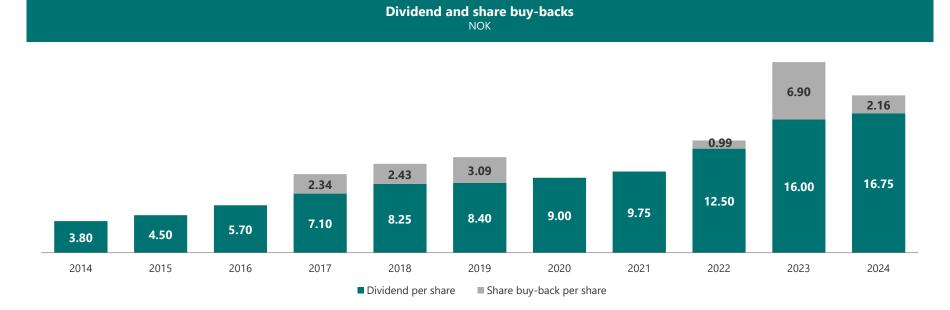
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1 Pending approval by the Annual General Meeting.

2 Source: Universum.

#### Strong commitment to dividend policy – continued increase in dividend per share

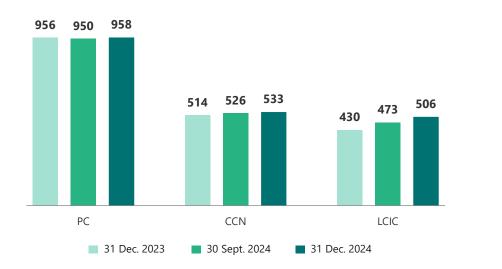
- Dividend per share of NOK 16.75 to be proposed by Board of Directors increase of NOK 0.75 from 2023
- Total share buy-back programme of 1.0 per cent initiated in 2024 completed in September 2024
- Board of Directors expected to request authorisation from Annual General Meeting for share buy-back programme in line with previous years
- Solvency II margin of 248 per cent in DNB Liv enabled capital repayment of NOK 1.5 billion in 4Q24 dividend of NOK 1.5 billion to be paid in 1Q25



#### Solid growth in loans and deposits in all customer segments

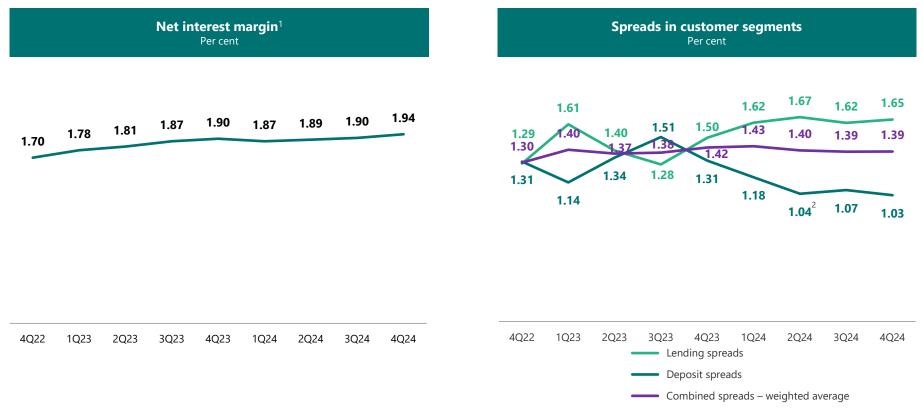
- Loan growth of 2.5 per cent in the quarter
  - up 0.8 per cent in Personal customers (PC), 1.4 in Corporate customers Norway (CCN), 7.0 in Large corporates and international customers (LCIC)
- Deposit growth of 4.7 per cent in the quarter
  - up 1.3 per cent in Personal customers, 7.3 in Corporate customers Norway and 7.0 in Large corporates and international customers







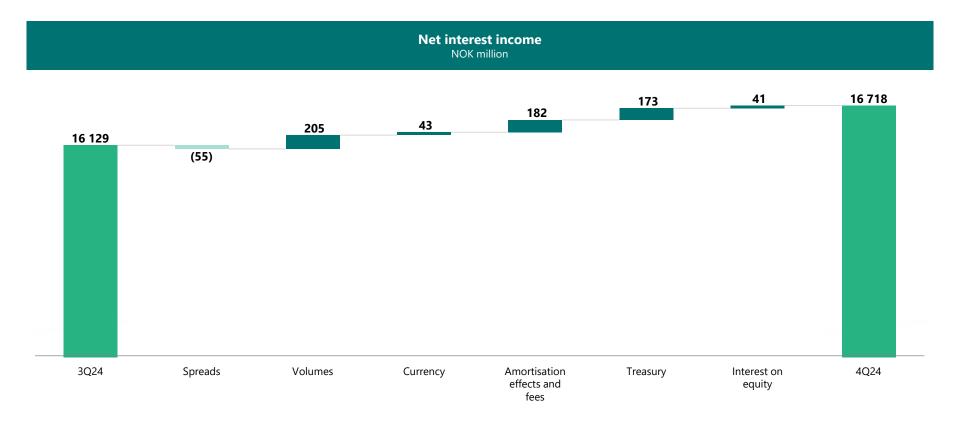
#### Positive development in net interest margin and stable combined spreads



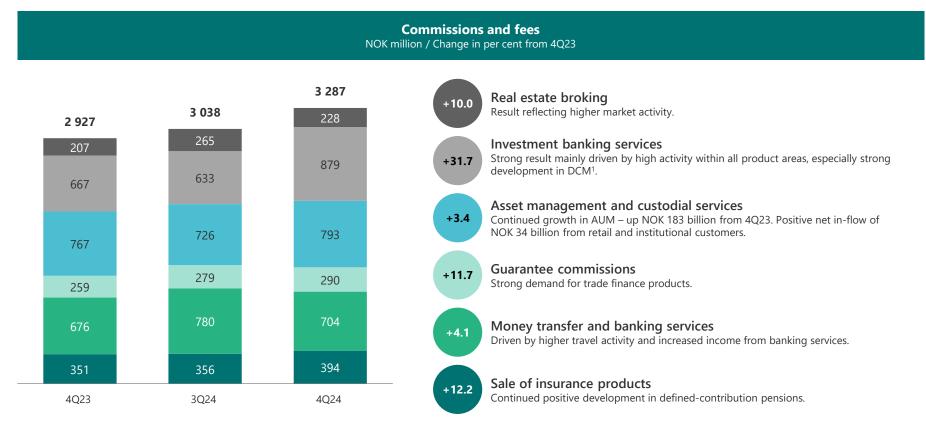
1 Total net interest income relative to average loans and deposits in the customer segments.

2 The principles relating to calculation of margins on short-term deposits were revised in 2Q24 – adjusted for this change, combined spreads were stable from 1Q24.

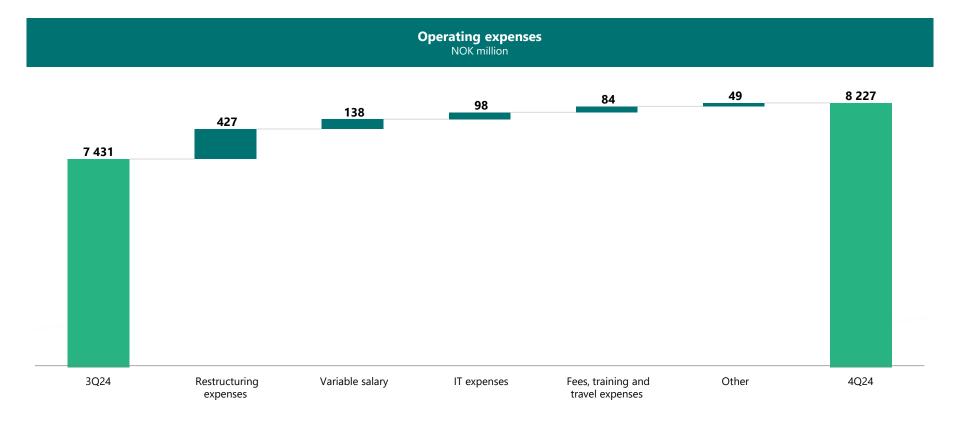
#### Net interest income up 3.7 per cent from 3Q24



## Commissions and fees – all-time high fourth quarter result

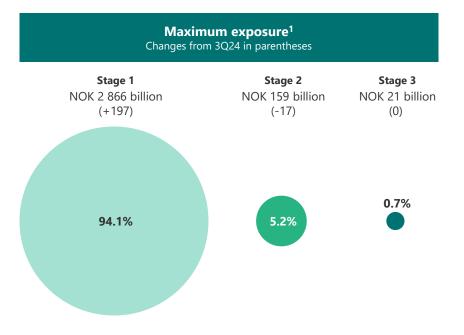


## Operating expenses driven by non-recurring item and seasonally high activity



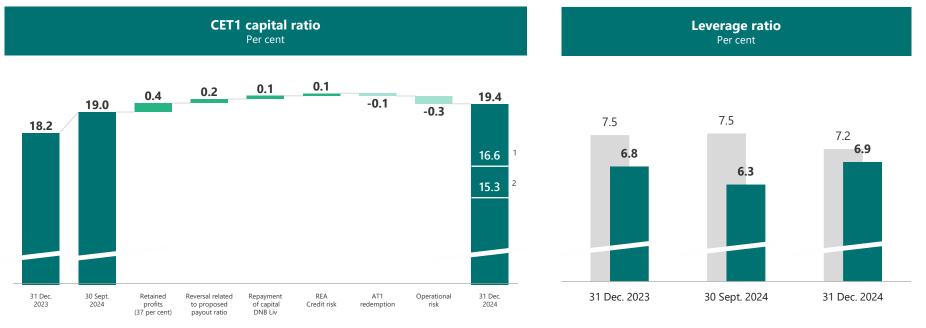
### Continued strong credit quality in all customer segments

Impairment of financial instruments by customer segment NOK million								
	4Q24	3Q24	4Q23					
Total	(157)	(170)	(920)					
Of which:								
Personal customers								
- Stages 1 and 2	3	52	(3)					
- Stage 3	(58)	(86)	(146)					
Corporate customers Norway								
- Stages 1 and 2	5	1	(103)					
- Stage 3	(49)	(148)	(315)					
Large corporates and international customers								
- Stages 1 and 2	(213)	(26)	4					
- Stage 3	155	38	(356)					



#### Strong capital position

- CET1 capital ratio of 19.4 per cent 280 basis-points (bps) headroom to the Financial Supervisory Authority's (FSA's) current expectation
- NOK 1.5 billion repayment of excess capital from DNB Livsforsikring in 4Q24 ordinary dividend of NOK ~1.5 billion to be paid in 1Q25
- Future capital headwinds CRR3: ~20 bps, Carnegie acquisition: ~120 bps, risk weight floors on residential real estate from 1 July 2025: ~70 bps
- Board of Directors expected to request authorisation from the Annual General Assembly for share buy-back programs in line with previous years



Excluding central bank deposits

- 1 The FSA's current expectation: 16.6 per cent according to new SREP.
- 2 The FSA's current requirement: 15.3 per cent according to new SREP.

# Appendix



#### Income statement

NOK million	4Q24	3Q24	4Q23	Change from 3Q24	Change from 4Q23
Net interest income	16 718	16 129	15 997	589	721
Other operating income	4 998	6 722	3 991	(1 724)	1 006
Total income	21 716	22 851	19 988	(1 135)	1 727
Operating expenses	(8 227)	(7 431)	(7 703)	(795)	(524)
Pre-tax operating profit before impairment	13 489	15 419	12 286	(1 930)	1 203
Impairment of loans and guarantees and gains on assets	(155)	(169)	(920)	14	765
Pre-tax operating profit	13 334	15 250	11 366	(1 916)	1 968
Tax expense	(765)	(3 050)	(1 824)	2 285	1 059
Profit from operations held for sale, after taxes	106	(40)	(138)	146	244
Profit for the period	12 675	12 160	9 403	515	3 271
Portion attributable to shareholders	12 178	11 632	9 019	546	3 159

## Other operating income

NOK million	4Q24	3Q24	4Q23	Change from 3Q24	Change from 4Q23
Net commissions and fees	3 287	3 038	2 927	249	360
Customer revenues in DNB Markets	894	921	816	(27)	78
Trading revenues in DNB Markets	268	138	222	129	45
Hedging of defined-benefit pension scheme	(5)	42	82	(47)	(87)
Credit spreads on bonds	(50)	32	(16)	(82)	(33)
Credit spreads on fixed-rate loans	(28)	(55)	22	27	(50)
CVA/DVA/FVA	77	(153)	(137)	230	214
Other mark-to-market adjustments	(930)	947	(260)	(1 877)	(671)
Basis swaps	(836)	(194)	(500)	(642)	(336)
Exchange rate effects related to additional Tier 1 capital	982	(19)	(392)	1 001	1 374
Net gains on financial instruments at fair value	372	1 660	(162)	(1 288)	533
Net life insurance result	467	318	326	149	141
Profit from investments accounted for by the equity method	256	1 016	274	(760)	(18)
Other	617	690	626	(73)	(9)
Net other operating income, total	4 998	6 722	3 991	(1 724)	1 007

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