

pbb continues strong performance in 2019

PBT of EUR 216 mn

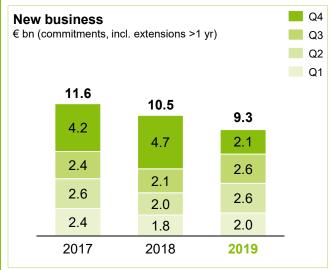
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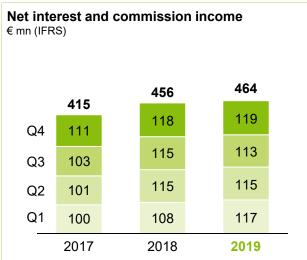
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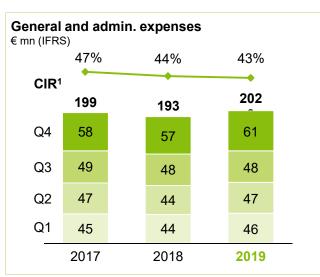
# **Highlights**

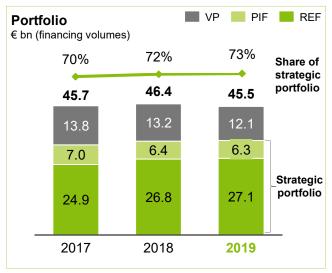
# **Operating and financial overview**

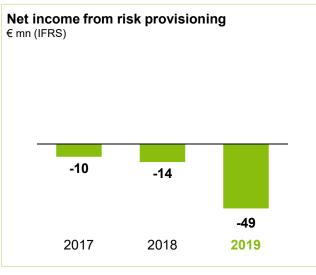




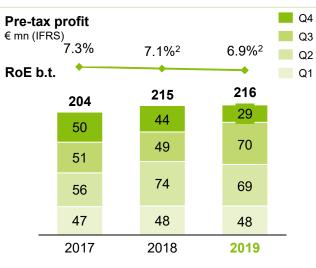








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Annual Results 2019 (IFRS, pbb Group, audited, approval from the Supervisory Board pending), 04 March 2020

#### **Financials**

NII benefited from higher financing volume and higher portfolio margin and was supported by lower funding costs – significantly higher prepayment fees



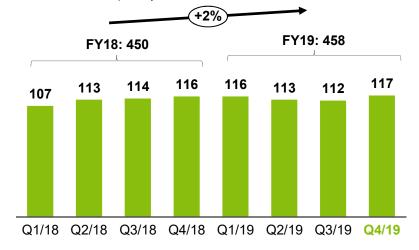
#### Income from lending business (€ mn)

	Q4/18	Q4/19	FY18	FY19
Net interest income	116	117	450	458
Net fee and commission income	2	2	6	6

	Q4/18	Q4/19	FY18	FY19
Net income from realisations	9	17	32	48

#### **Net interest income** (€ mn)

1 Incl. sale of assets and redemption of liabilities



#### Key drivers 2019:

- NII slightly up y-o-y
  - Avg. REF financing volume up by € +1.6 bn y-o-y to € 27.4 bn (2018: € 25.8 bn) overcompensating for slightly lower average REF portfolio margin and scheduled run-down of value portfolio
  - NII continues to benefit from floor income
  - As before: Low/negative interest rates lead to visibly lower income from equity and liquidity book; exacerbated by maturity of high yield bond in Q2
  - Funding costs reduced further y-o-y due to new funding at spreads below maturities – positive effect expected to diminish over time
  - Summing up all effects: Avg. total portfolio margin slightly up y-o-y due to higher share of strategic portfolio while liabilities support NII through relative spread advantage from new placements
- Net income from realisations positively driven by significant higher prepayment fees y-o-y
  - Prepayment fees: € 39 mn (2018: € 16 mn)
  - Realisation fees¹: € 9 mn (2018: € 16 mn)

#### **Financials**

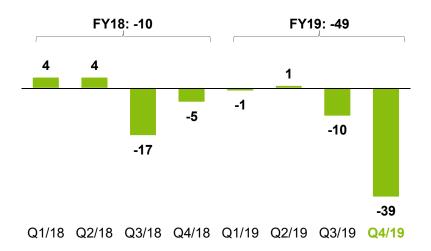
# Risk provisioning mainly reflecting the expectation of worsening market conditions as well as revaluation effects on UK shopping centres



# Net income from risk provisioning

€ mn

	Q4/18	Q4/19	FY18	FY19
Net income from risk provisioning	-5	-39	-14	-49
thereof Stage 1 Stage 2 Stage 3 other loan loss provisions <sup>2</sup>	-2 1 1 -5	-15 -7 -18 1	- 9 -19 -4	-15 -1 -33



#### **Key drivers 2019:**

- Risk provisioning mainly driven by two effects:
  - (a) Provisioning for Stage 1 and 2 accounting for expected worsening of market conditions (€ -16 mn; 2018: € +9 mn):
  - € 31 mn addition (gross) considering a more likely economic downturn affecting performing exposure and extension of underlying historical data period
  - — € 15 mn release (gross) due to maturity effects and LGD improvements, especially on Southern European bonds
  - (b) Individual development in sub-segments (Stage 3):
  - — € 14 mn higher addition compared to previous year
     (2019: € 33 mn; 2018: € 19 mn), resulting from valuation adjustments for UK shopping centres
  - No payment defaults

#### Coverage ratio:

- Stage 3 coverage ratio¹ down to 11% (2018: 18%) due to new additions with lower coverage (incl. a 100% ECA covered public sector loan of € 97 mn EaD without provision)
- REF coverage ratio at approx. 100% with additional collateral taken into account

1 Coverage ratio = credit loss allowances on financial assets in stage 3 / gross book values in stage 3 (loans and securities) 2 Incl. recoveries from written-off financial assets and provision in lending business

#### **Financials**

# Operating costs increased y-o-y as expected, mainly driven by investments and regulatory projects



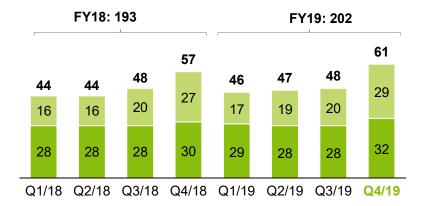
# General & administrative expenses and depreciations

€ mn

	Q4/18	Q4/19	FY18	FY19
General admin. expenses	-57	-61	-193	-202
Personnel Non-personnel	-30 -27	-32 -29	-114 -79	-117 -85
Net income from write- downs and write-ups on non- financial assets	-4	-5	-15	-18
CIR (%) <sup>1</sup>	50.4	48.9	44.2	43.5

Non-personnel

Personnel



#### Key drivers 2019:

- **GAE** slightly up y-o-y (€ 202 mn; 2018: € 193 mn) to a more normalised level - in line with expectations as 2018 benefited from releases
  - Personnel expenses slightly up by 2.6% (2019: € 117mn; 2018: € 114 mn)
  - FTE stable (2019: 752 FTE; 2018: 750 FTE), but higher personnel costs for strategic initiatives and projects
  - Non-personnel expenses increased to € 85 mn (2018: € 79 mn), mainly driven by regulatory projects and IT costs; 2018 benefited from release of provisions for completed projects
  - Similar to last year and in line with expectation, increase in Q4/19 driven by project related costs (esp. regulatory projects)
- Net income from write-downs and write-ups on non-financial assets mainly driven by scheduled depreciations; 2019 first-time application of lease contracts to be recognised as right-of-use-assets (IFRS 16)

1 CIR = (GAE + net income from write-downs and write-ups on non-financial assets) / operating income

#### Dividend

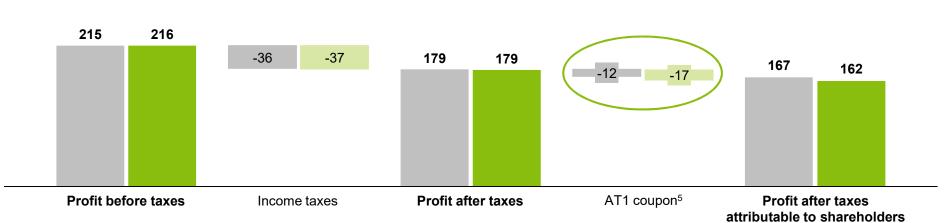
Shareholders to participate from continued strong performance – in line with pbb's dividend policy, management intends to propose dividend of € 0.90 per share (payout 75%1)



2019

#### Profit attributable to shareholders

€ mn (IFRS)



#### Dividend proposal for 2019

- Management intends to propose a dividend of € 0.90 per share (in line with dividend policy of 50% regular dividend plus 25% supplementary dividend)
  - PAT attributable to shareholders: € 162 mn
  - Earnings per share<sup>2</sup>: € 1.20
  - Dividend per share<sup>2</sup>: € 0.90
- 2019 dividend proposal underscores pbb's positioning as a dividend/yield share - dividend yield above sector average
  - Payout ratio of 75%<sup>1</sup>
  - Dividend yield 6.2%<sup>3</sup> / 7.9%<sup>4</sup>

#### Proposed dividend policy for 2020-2022

- Confirmation of dividend policy for next three years 2020-2022
- Payout ratio of 50% regular dividend plus 25% supplementary dividend
- The dividend payment is subject to
  - economic viability, a potentially more cautious expectation on overall macroeconomic and in particular CRE markets developments as well as regulatory demands and needs
  - regular review

<sup>1</sup> Based on IFRS group profit after tax attributable to shareholders weighted daily XETRA closings) of 11.43€ 5 2018: pro rata

<sup>2</sup> Number of outstanding shares 134,475,308

<sup>3</sup> Based on XETRA year-end closing price 2019 of 14.56€ 4 Based on annual average price 2019 (volume

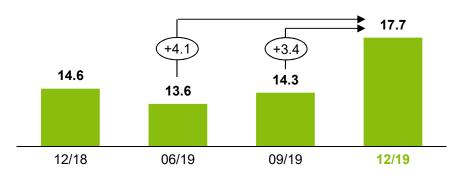
## Capital

# Capitalisation remains strong – as expected and already communicated RWA increase in Q4 due to LGD parameter recalibration; EBA and Basel IV anticipated



#### **Basel III: RWA**

€ bn (IFRS)



#### Key drivers Q4/19:

- Risk weights geared to expected requirements from EBA and Basel IV
  - Recalibration of LGD parameters as of 31.12.2019 towards expected Basel IV levels
  - Transfer of parts of the portfolio into standard approach (KSA), predominantly affecting public sector assets
- RWA increase in line with expected and communicated range of € 4-5 bn (vs. Q2/19: € +4.1 bn; vs. Q3/19: € +3.4 bn)

## **Basel III: Equity and capital ratios**

(IFRS)

Capital in € bn	12/18 <sup>1</sup>	09/19 <sup>2</sup>	12/19 <sup>3</sup>
CET 1	2.7	2.6	2.7
AT 1	0.3	0.3	0.3
Tier 2	0.6	0.6	0.6
Total Equity	3.6	3.6	3.6

Capital ratios in %	12/18 <sup>1</sup>	09/19²	12/19³
CET 1	18.5	18.3	15.2
Tier 1	20.5	20.4	16.9
Own funds	24.9	24.8	20.4
Leverage ratio	5.3	5.1	5.4

#### SREP requirements 2020:

- Requirements for CET1 and Own funds unchanged:
  - CET 1 ratio: 9.5% (2019: 9.5%)
  - Own funds ratio: 13.0% (2019: 13.0%)
- Anticipated countercyclical buffer increased from 35bp to 45bp

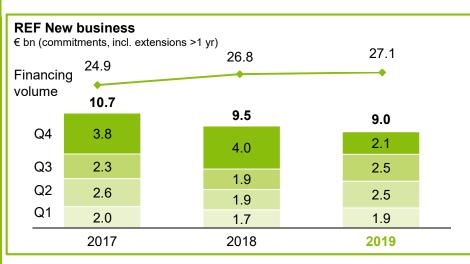
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3 Incl. full-year result, post proposed dividend 2019

#### **New business**

REF new business volume of € 9.0 bn in line with guidance – avg. REF gross interest margin stable at ~155 bp y-o-y





#### Key drivers 2019:

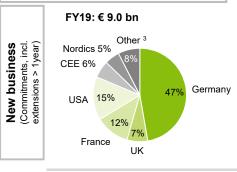
- New business **volume** stays on solid level while pbb remains highly selective in line with guidance of € 8.5-9.5 bn
- **REF** core portfolio with moderate growth strategy
  - Continued conservative approach
    - Avg. LTV 58%²
    - Cautious in UK and on Retail
    - Supplemented by USA, Office and Residential
  - Avg. REF gross interest margin stable at ~155 bp (2018: ~155 bp)
- PIF portfolio on hold with low new business volume (2019: € 0.3 bn; 2018: € 1.0 bn)

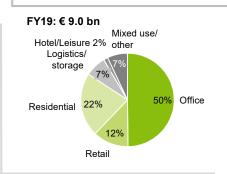
# REF new business

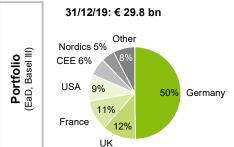
	FY18	9M/19	FY19
Total volume (€ bn)	9.5	6.9	9.0
thereof:			
Extensions >1 year	2.2	1.5	1.9
No. of deals	185	115	155
Avg. maturity (years)¹	~4.7	~4.6	~4.6
Avg. LTV (%) <sup>2</sup>	59	59	58
Avg. gross interest margin (bp)	~155	>150	~155

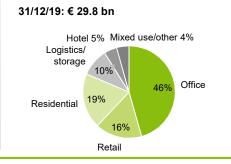
#### Regions

#### Property types









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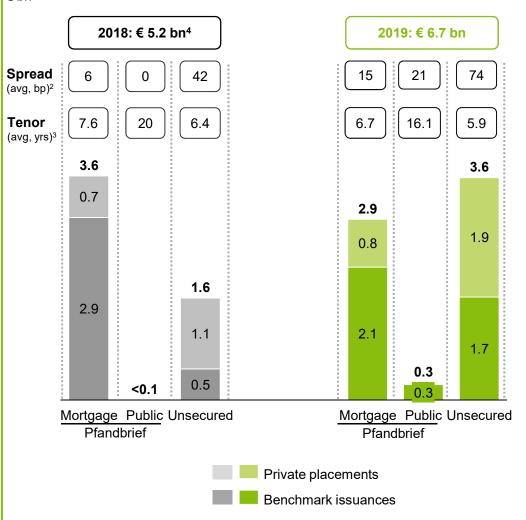
# **Funding**

# Successful funding activities in line with plan



#### New long-term funding<sup>1</sup>

€bn



#### Funding 2019

- Strong funding activities (2019: € 6.7 bn; 2018: 5.2 bn) with focus on foreign currencies
  - Pfandbrief volume dominated by benchmark issuances
    - € 1.6 bn (two benchmarks plus taps) and \$ 650 mn (one benchmark plus tap) Mortgage Pfandbriefe
    - Largest Pfandbrief issuer in SEK with SEK 3.7 bn
  - Senior Unsecured issuance with strong focus on senior preferred bonds
    - — € 1.3 bn (two benchmarks plus tap) as well as CHF 125 mn and GBP 250 mn (both benchmarks) plus strong private placement activities with € 1.6 bn and SEK 2.5 bn
- Avg. funding spreads higher y-o-y, reflecting higher funding volumes in H1 at elevated spread levels – however, new funding spreads below maturities
- pbb direkt total volume reduced to € 2.8 bn (12/18: € 3.0 bn) to further optimise funding costs; Average maturity<sup>5</sup> increased to 4.2 years (12/18: 4.0 yrs)
- ALM profile and liquidity position remain comfortable (NSFR >100%; LCR >150%)

Note: Figures may not add up due to rounding 1 Excl. retail deposit business 2 vs. 3M Euribor 3 Initial weighted average maturity 4 Excl. AT1 issuance 5 Initial weighted average maturity of term deposits

### **Strategic Initiatives**

Innovation & Digitalisation to strengthen competitiveness – Sustainable Finance to take responsibility



#### **Digitalisation** Sustainable Finance Project to integrate ESG factors into the **Customer Interfaces** – development and credit process / lending initiated in 2019 Lending implementation of CRM portal **Business Fields Efficiency** – optimising of internal processes, Focus 2020 on identifying suitable criteria for "green buildings" inter alia, by using Al of Action **Products & Services** – new sources of income Integration of ESG factors also allows issuance of Green Bonds Green Bond **pbb next** – bundling of strategic initiatives; Green Bond framework in preparation pbb looks at how digitalisation can help to further develop the business model of pbb **pbb core** – pbb's existing core processes to Building up a data base with regards to be digitised with the focus on improving the Carbon ESG criteria, including carbon emission customer interface and efficiency **Emission** data **Workflows** pbb fit for digital - measures are being implemented to establish pbb as an organisation ready to face the challenges of ESG risks structurally included in overall Risk digitization

**FSG Risks** 

Creating a digital organisation that takes advantage of agile methods

model in pbb

**CAPVERIANT** as a "corporate startup" – first

concrete implementation of a digital business

Gradually integrating sustainability criteria into the credit process to identify and originate green assets for better risk management steering and facilitating the issuance of green bonds

Management landscape

Expanding scope of monitoring and reporting

#### Outlook 2020

Cautious outlook for 2020 given market and competitive conditions



## **Strategic Priorities**

# Focus on stable operative results including increased risk provisioning

- Stable development of NII, GAE and risk provisions
- Lower income from realisations
- PBT guidance € 180-200 mn

# Further fortifying pbb's capital base

- Risk weights geared to expected requirements from EBA and Basel IV
- Capitalisation remains strong
- Anticipation of future risk standards ahead of the curve
- Higher resilience against market driven fluctuation of risk parameters

# Focus on profitable but risk conservative new business

- CRE market environment remains highly competitive and challenging
- pbb remains selective in new business resulting in REF new business guidance of € 8.0-9.0 bn
- Expectation for avg. gross margin slightly lower

#### **Innovation / Digitalisation**

- Internal process optimisation
- Customer loyalty
- Development of new sources of income

# Outlook 2020



Operating trends	2018	2019	Guidance 2020
Real Estate Finance (REF)			
New business volume¹ (€ bn)	9.5	9.0	€ 8.0-9.0 bn
Avg. gross margin (bp)	~155	~155	Slightly lower
Financing volume (€ bn)	26.8	27.1	Moderate increase (strategic portfolio)
Public Investment Finance (PIF)			
Avg. gross margin (bp)	>60	>80	Stable (strategic portfolio in "hold" mode)
Financing volume (€ bn)	6.4	6.3	Stable (strategic portiono in Tiola Triode)
Value Portfolio (VP)			
Financing volume (€ bn)	13.1	12.1	< € 11.5bn (non-strategic portfolio in run-down mode)
Income statement (IFRS, EUR mn)	2018	2019	Guidance 2020
Net interest and commission income	456	464	Largely stable
Loan-loss provisions	-14	-49	Stable; 15-20bp EL on REF financing volume
General administrative expenses	-193	-202	Stable
Pre-tax profit	215	216	€ 180-200 mn
Key ratios (%)	2018	2019	Guidance 2020
RoE before taxes	7.1	6.9	5.5-6.5%
RoE after taxes	5.9	5.7	4.0-5.0%
CIR	44.2	43.5	Slightly higher
CET1 ratio <sup>2</sup>	18.5	15.2	Significantly above SREP requirement of 9.5% + countercyclical buffer of 0.45% (2019³: 9.5% + 0.35%)

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