# Nordea

# Interim Report 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 2020

## Nordea Direct Boligkreditt



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## Key financial figures

## Summary of income statement

NOKt	Jan-Jun 2020	Jan-Jun 2019	Year 2019
Net interest income	57,727	62,052	116,615
Net commission income and other operating income	328	1,798	3,223
Total income	58,055	63,850	119,838
Staff costs	598	1,161	2,299
Other expenses	10,247	6,835	15,007
Total operating expenses	10,845	7,995	17,307
Loan losses (negative figures are reversals)	861	-366	380
Operating profit	46,348	56,221	102,152
Income tax expense	11,587	14,055	25,538
Net profit for the period	34,761	42,166	76,614

## Summary of balance sheet

NOKt	30 Jun 2020	30 Jun 2019	31 Dec 2019
Loans to the public (gross)	18,886,827	22,846,676	21,864,705
Allowance for loan losses	-2,451	-844	-1,589
Total assets	19,845,932	23,660,438	22,623,472
Equity	1,964,752	1,895,542	1,929,990

## Ratios and key figures

		Jan-Jun 2020	Jan-Jun 2019	Year 2019
Net interest margin, annualised	%	0.55	0.51	0.49
Loss rate	%	0.01	0.00	0.00
Non-performing loans in % of gross lending <sup>1</sup>	%	0.05	0.02	0.02
Return on equity, annualised	%	3.6	4.5	4.1
Capital adequacy <sup>2</sup>	%	26.9	21.7	23.7
Tier 1 capital ratio <sup>2</sup>	%	26.9	21.7	23.7
Common equity Tier 1 capital ratio <sup>2</sup>	%	26.9	21.7	23.7
Cost/income ratio	%	18.7	12.5	14.4
Liquditiy Coverage Ratio	%	487	377	372
Average total assets	NOKt	21,249,767	24,671,948	23,606,417
Cover pool	NOKt	19,502,406	23,332,157	22,291,219
Number of loans	Number	11,214	12,945	12,532
Weighted indexed loan-to-value ratio <sup>3</sup>	%	46.1	49.1	48.6
Weighted average remaining life	Year	20.8	21.7	22.0

Gross default over 90 days
 The profit for the period is not included in the calculation for the quarters, with the exception of fourth quarter.
 Quarterly updated house prices

## Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS

#### Introduction

(Previous year comparable figures for the company are shown in brackets)

Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS is licensed by the Financial Supervisory Authority of Norway to issue covered bonds. The objective is to provide residential mortgage loans, and to primarily finance the lending portfolio by issuing covered bonds. The Company only has residential mortgage loans purchased from Nordea Direct Bank ASA.

Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS is wholly owned subsidiary of Nordea Direct Bank ASA. The Company's registered business address is in Oslo.

#### **Income statement**

The profit before tax expense was NOK 46.3m (NOK 56.2m). The decrease was mainly driven by lower volume, reduced net commission income and increased operating expenses.

Total income amounted to NOK 58.1m (NOK 63.9m).

Net interest income amounted to NOK 57.7m (NOK 62.1m).

Net commission income and other income amounted to NOK 0.3m (NOK 1.8m).

The net interest margin<sup>1</sup> was 0.55% (0.51%).

Operating expenses were NOK 10.8m (NOK 8.0m) due to resolution fee for 2020 booked this period.

Total write-downs and losses amounted to NOK 0.9m (positive NOK 0.4m). The balance of group writedowns amounted to NOK 2.5m (NOK 0.8m). The increase was primarily driven by a collective loan loss allowance related to the uncertain economic outlook created by the Covid-19. This allowance is a combination of worsening macroeconomic forecast built in the collective loan loss model and a management judgement allowance. The management judgement allowance covers a potential unfavourable impact from Covid-19 that is not captured by the Companys's collective loan loss models. The Company will monitor the overall economic situation, which will guide their decision related to the level of the management judgement allowance.

The Company has not seen a worsening of the underlying performance of the lending portfolio during the quarter. The group write-downs are intended to cover losses on commitments that are not individually identified as doubtful. The Company uses the Banking Group's guidelines for assessing and writing down loans. No individual writedowns related to individual commitments have been made. At the end of the period, the Company had nine loans in default over 90 days.

The write-downs and losses were in line with expectations.

#### Lending

As of 30 June 2020, the Company had 11,214 loans with a total outstanding balance of NOK 18,886.8m (NOK 22,846.7m). The portfolio continues to be of high quality.

The entire lending portfolio has been acquired from Nordea Direct Bank ASA. It consists of loans with variable interest rates. The average loan commitment was NOK 1.7m per loan as of 30 June 2020. The largest single exposure was NOK 8.8m and 16.6% of the lending portfolio consisted of loans with credit lines (fleksilån). Including the unutilised credit facilities, 24.3% of the lending portfolio consisted of loans with credit lines (fleksilån).

Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS has a weighted loanto-value ratio, indexed, of 46.1% (49.1%).

#### Segments

The target group for Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS is the retail market spread throughout Norway.

#### **Capital position**

As of 30 June 2020, the Company had a common equity Tier 1 capital ratio of 26.9% (21.7%). The total capital held by the Company was NOK 1,929.7m (NOK 1,853.1m).

#### Rating

Nordea Direct Bank ASA and its subsidiary Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS had a long-term and shortterm counterparty credit rating of A+/A-1, outlook 'positive'. The covered bonds portfolio issued by Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS had a long-term rating of AAA and the outlook 'positive'

Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS will hold the amount of overcollateralisation required to maintain the current rating for Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS's covered bond program.

<sup>1</sup> The net interest margin is calculated as net interest income as a percentage of average total assets, annualised.

#### **Debt securities issued**

The Company had issued covered bonds with a total face value of NOK 15,950.0m as of 30 June 2020. The portfolio includes five loans, the first of which matures on 11 September 2020 (extended due date to 13 September 2021).

#### Liquidity

As of 30 June 2020, the Company had net liquid assets of NOK 849.8m, of which NOK 659.7m in bank deposits, NOK 78,1m in covered bonds and NOK 112.0m in treasury bills.

The Company has a long-term credit facility with the parent company of NOK 1,000.0m and a short-term credit facility of up to NOK 6,000.0m. Unutilised credit facilities amounted to NOK 5,221.8m as of 30 June 2020. In addition, the Company has a credit facility agreement that allows Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS to borrow money in order to repay its outstanding bond debt.

#### Key risk and uncertainty factors

Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS's financial risk mainly comprises credit, liquidity and interest rate risk. Risk is reported monthly and is assessed in accordance with the principles, strategies and limits on risk adopted by the Board.

Credit risk represents the risk of losses arising from customers and other counterparties failing to repay their debts when they fall due. The company uses risk classification models to calculate the risk associated with its exposure to customers. The lending performance is considered to be satisfactory and is monitored closely.

Liquidity risk is the risk that the company will be unable to meet all of its financial obligations when they

fall due, or be unable to fund its lending activities. Limits have been determined for necessary access to liquid funds. In order to reduce the risk, liquidity forecasts are continuously updated. The company also holds an adequate liquidity buffer, designed to give it sufficient time to implement the necessary measures in the event of an acute liquidity freeze.

Interest rate risk refers to the risk of losses as a result of changes in the interest rate level. Risk limits, given certain changes in interest rate level, are set to control and manage the interest rate risk. In the management of this risk both assets and liabilities (borrowing) are incorporated. Derivatives are used for hedging purposes.

#### **Covid-19 Measures**

During the second quarter, Nordea Direct has taken steps to continue its operations during the Covid-19 outbreak. There were no major disruptions in the services towards customers. The staff was able to work remotely to a great extent and the vendors were able to provide services according to agreements in place. In regards to lending activities, Nordea Direct granted up to 6-month interest only payments to a limited number of customers and decreased lending rates on its portfolio. It also tightened criteria for granting loans to customer groups assumed to be particularly exposed in case of an economic downturn. These measures were in line with the Norwegian banking market.

In the coming period, Nordea Direct will monitor the overall economic situation created by the outbreak of Covid-19 and will take the necessary steps to continue its strong current operations.

#### Events after the balance sheet date

No significant events have occurred after the end of the quarter.

#### Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS

Oslo, 16 July 2020

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## Income statement

NOKt	Note	Q2 2020	Q2 2019	Jan-Jun 2020	Jan-Jun 2019	Year 2019
Interest income etc, amortised cost		90,195	128,966	235,775	260,983	534,108
Interest income etc, fair value		544	-1,039	-1,375	-664	454
Interest costs etc.		66,867	99,983	176,673	198,267	417,947
Net interest income		23,872	27,945	57,727	62,052	116,615
Fee and commission income		549	580	1,114	1,169	2,310
Net gains on financial instruments at fair value		1,311	62	-1,256	170	-4
Other operating income		240	229	470	459	917
Net commission income and other operating income		2,100	872	328	1,798	3,223
Total income		25,972	28,816	58,055	63,850	119,838
Staff costs		2	489	598	1,161	2,299
Other operating expenses		3,512	3,508	10,247	6,835	15,007
Total operating expenses		3,514	3,997	10,845	7,995	17,307
Profit / (loss) before loan losses		22,458	24,820	47,210	55,855	102,532
Loan losses	4	1,314	-47	861	-366	380
Operating profit		21,143	24,866	46,348	56,221	102,152
Income tax expense		5,286	6,217	11,587	14,055	25,538
Net profit for the period		15,857	18,650	34,761	42,166	76,614
Basic/diluted earnings per share, NOK		122.0	143.5	267.4	324.4	589.3

## Statement of comprehensive income

NOKt	Q2 2020	Q2 2019	Jan-Jun 2020	Jan-Jun 2019	Year 2019
Net profit for the period	15,857	18,650	34,761	42,166	76,614
Components of other comprehensive income					
Items that are not reclassified subsequently to profit or loss					
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss					
Total components of other comprehensive income					
Total comprehensive income for the period	15,857	18,650	34,761	42,166	76,614

# Balance sheet

NOKt	Note	30 Jun 2020	30 Jun 2019	31 Dec 2019
Assets				
Loans to credit institutions	6	659,686	545,982	513,847
Loans to the public	2,4	18,884,376	22,845,833	21,863,116
Interest-bearing securities	9	190,094	164,677	164,376
Derivatives	9	74,588	58,666	40,629
Deferred tax assets		243	2,258	243
Advance payments and accrued income		36,946	43,023	41,261
Total assets		19,845,932	23,660,438	22,623,472
Liabilities and equity				
Liabilities to credit institutions	6	1,778,219	2,789,609	1,728,317
Debt securities in issue	3,6	16,042,615	18,881,277	18,860,857
Derivatives	9	3,537	4,627	4,086
Current tax liabilities		11,587	14,055	23,523
Other liabilities		45,223	75,327	76,699
Total liabilities		17,881,181	21,764,896	20,693,481
Equity				
Share capital		221,000	221,000	221,000
Share premium reserve		999,020	999,020	999,020
Retained earnings		709,970	633,356	709,970
Net profit for the period		34,761	42,166	
Total equity		1,964,752	1,895,542	1,929,990
Total liabilities and equity		19,845,932	23,660,438	22,623,472

# Statement of changes in equity

NOKt	Share capital	Share premium reserve	Other equity	
Balance at 1 Jan 2020	221,000	999,020	709,970	1,929,990
Net profit for the period			34,761	34,761
Other comprehensive income, net of tax				
Total comprehensive income			34,761	34,761
Capital expansion				
Share-based payment transactions settled in equity				
Balance at 30 Jun 2020	221,000	999,020	744,732	1,964,752

Net profit for the period         Other comprehensive income, net of tax         Total comprehensive income         Capital expansion         Share-based payment transactions settled in equity	Share capital		Other equity	
Other comprehensive income, net of tax Total comprehensive income Capital expansion Share-based payment transactions settled in equity	L,000	999,020	633,294	1,853,314
Total comprehensive income Capital expansion Share-based payment transactions settled in equity			76,614	76,614
Capital expansion Share-based payment transactions settled in equity				
Share-based payment transactions settled in equity			76,614	76,614
Balance at 31 Dec 2019         221			63	63
	L,000	999,020	709,970	1,929,990

NOKt	Share capital	Share premium reserve	Other equity	
Balance at 1 Jan 2019	221,000	999,020	633,294	1,853,314
Net profit for the period			42,166	42,166
Other comprehensive income, net of tax				
Total comprehensive income			42,166	42,166
Capital expansion				
Share-based payment transactions settled in equity			63	63
Balance at 30 Jun 2019	221,000	999,020	675,522	1,895,542
Number of shares at end of period 130.000				

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## Cash flow statement

NOKt	Jan-Jun 2020	Jan-Jun 2019	Year 2019
Operating activities			
Net payment of loans to customers	2,977,513	1,802,000	2,784,051
Payment of interest from customers	239,841	253,645	517,712
Net payment of interest from credit institutions etc.	-1,594	2,603	13,839
Taxes paid	-23,523	-38,559	-38,559
Net other commission income	1,584	1,628	3,227
Payment to operations	-10,671	-9,083	-19,256
Net received/paid (-) upon purchase and sale of financial instruments and interest-bearing securities	-25,718	-24,779	-24,478
Net cash flow from operating activities	3,157,431	1,987,456	3,236,538
Investment activities			
Net purchase of intangible assets and fixed assets			
Net cash flow from investment activities			
Financing activities			
Net receipts/payments on deposits from credit institutions	49,902	-846,397	-1,907,690
Receipts of interest-bearing securities			
Payment of interest-bearing securities	-2,850,000	1,095,000	-2,873,000
Interest payments on interest-bearing securities	-211,494	-2,384,990	1,363,086
Capital increases			
Cash flow from financing activities	-3,011,592	-2,136,387	-3,417,604
Cash flow for the period	145,839	-148,931	-181,066
Cash and cash equivalents			
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January	513,847	694,913	694,913
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period	659,686	545,982	513,847
Change	145,839	-148,931	-181,066
The following items are included in cash and cash equivalents:			
Loans to credit institutions	659,686	545,982	513,847
Total cash and cash equivalents	659,686	545,982	513,847

The cash flow statement shows payments of cash and cash equivalents made and received throughout the year. The statement has been adjusted for items that do not initiate cash flows, such as provisions, depreciation and write-downs of loans and guarantees. Cash flows are classified as operating activities, investment activities or financing activities. The liquid assets are defined as cash and claims on central banks and loans to and claims on credit institutions.

## Notes to the financial statements

### Note 1 Accounting policies

The financial statements as of the second quarter of 2020, concluded on 30 June 2020, comprise Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS. With the exception of the changes described below, the accounting policies applied in the interim report is the same as those used in the annual report for 2019.

The financial statements as of the second quarter of 2020 have been prepared in accordance with IFRS and IAS 34 Interim Financial Reporting. The interim report does not include all the information required in a complete annual report and should be read in conjunction with the annual report for 2019.

#### Changes in accounting policies

As a main rule, all income and expenses shall be shown in the income statement. The exception to this rule is the effect of changes to accounting principles. In the event of fundamental accounting reforms/ changes in accounting policies, figures for previous years must be recalculated to enable comparison. If items in the financial statement are reclassified, comparative figures must be calculated for the previous periods and reported in the financial statements.

#### Changes in IFRSs not yet applied

A number of new standards, changes to standards and interpretations have been issued for financial years beginning after 1 January 2020. They have not been applied when preparing these consolidated financial statements. Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS does not plan early implementation of these standards.

#### Other amendments to IFRS

Other amendments to IFRS are not assessed to have any significant impact on Nordea Direct Boligkreditt ASs financial statements, capital adequacy or large exposures in the period of initial application.

Preparation of the interim accounts involves using assessments, estimates and assumptions that affect the use of accounting policies and recognised amounts for assets and liabilities, revenues and expenses. The actual results may deviate from these estimates. The most material assessments relating to the use of the company's accounting policies and the key sources of uncertainty in the estimates are the same when preparing the interim accounts as in the annual accounts for 2019.

All amounts are shown in NOK thousands (NOKt) unless otherwise indicated. Due to rounding off differences, figures and percentages may not add up exactly to the totals indicated.

A complete audit of the interim report has not been carried out.

### Note 2 Segment information

Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS has only one business segment, which is lending to private customers. The segment consists of loans to private customers, and the entire loan portfolio is purchased from Nordea Direct Bank ASA. The company's full accounts therefore fall entirely under the segment «Retail market».

### Note 3 Liabilities on the issue of securities

NOKt	30 Jun 2020	30 Jun 2019	31 Dec 2019
Liabilities opened for the issue of securities			
Bond debt	14,500,000	17,350,000	17,350,000
Total liabilities at amortised cost	14,500,000	17,350,000	17,350,000
Liabilities opened for the issue of securities			
Bond debt	1,450,000	1,450,000	1,450,000
Total liabilities included in fair value hedge	1,450,000	1,450,000	1,450,000
Total liabilities	15,950,000	18,800,000	18,800,000

#### Maturity

Remaining maturity (nominal value)	30 Jun 2020	30 Jun 2019	31 Dec 2019
2020	850,000	3,700,000	3,700,000
2021	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000
2022	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000
2023	4,500,000	4,500,000	4,500,000
2025	600,000	600,000	600,000
Total	15,950,000	18,800,000	18,800,000

The maturity of subordinated debt is presented at first call date in the above table.

New issues in 2020

**Repayments in 2020** 2,850,000

NOKt

ISIN Number	Currency	Rate	Due	Ext.Due	Nominal value
NO0010687429	NOK	Floating	11.9.2020	13.9.2021	850,000
NO0010727738	NOK	Fixed	12.5.2021	12.5.2022	5,000,000
N00010770852	NOK	Floating	20.5.2022	20.5.2023	5,000,000
NO0010789266	NOK	Floating	23.5.2023	23.5.2024	4,500,000
NO0010678766	NOK	Fixed	8.5.2025	8.5.2026	600,000
Total liabilities through the issuance of excluding o	wn securities				15,950,000

#### Write-downs and losses on loans

NOKt	30 Jun 2020	30 Jun 2019	31 Dec 2019
Write-downs and losses for the period			
+/- Change in group write-downs for the period (ECL)	861	-366	380
+ Write-off during the period			
- Payments on previously written-off accounts			
Write-downs and losses for the period	861	-366	380
Loss allowance			
Loss allowance at the start of the period	1,589	1,210	1,210
+/- Change in loss allowance for the period	861	-366	380
Loss allowance at the end of the period	2,451	844	1,589
Defaulted loans			
Gross default over 90 days	8,750	4,379	5,034

#### Credit quality by risk group

30 Jun 2020 NOKt	Stage 1 12-month ECL	Stage 2 lifetime ECL	Stage 3 lifetime ECL	Total
Loans to and claims on customers				
Low	19,557,939	344	3,218	19,561,501
Medium	6,373	65,240		71,613
High	8,338	83,899	14,363	106,600
Not classified	312			312
Impaired and written down			8,750	8,750
Adjustment	-861,949			-861,949
Total	18,711,012	149,483	26,331	18,886,827
Loss allowance	827	990	635	2,451
Total net	18,710,186	148,494	25,697	18,884,376

30 Jun 2019 NOKt	Stage 1 12-month ECL	Stage 2 lifetime ECL	Stage 3 lifetime ECL	Total
Loans to and claims on customers				
Low	22,680,791		5,482	22,686,273
Medium	4,149	80,427		84,577
High	5,983	60,335	3,001	69,318
Not classified	3,685			3,685
Impaired and written down			4,379	4,379
Adjustment	-1,555			-1,555
Total	22,693,053	140,762	12,861	22,846,676
Loss allowance	563	73	207	844
Total net	22,692,490	140,689	12,654	22,845,833

31 Dec 2019 NOKt	Stage 1 12-month ECL	Stage 2 lifetime ECL	Stage 3 lifetime ECL	Total
Loans to and claims on customers				
Low	21,596,394		5,461	21,601,855
Medium	5,886	89,148		95,034
High	7,833	140,608	13,916	162,356
Not classified	449			449
Impaired and written down			5,034	5,034
Adjustment	-23			-23
Total	21,610,538	229,756	24,411	21,864,705
Loss allowance	480	114	995	1,589
Total net	21,610,058	229,642	23,415	21,863,116

#### Loans to and claims on customers by past due status

NOKt	30 Jun 2	30 Jun 2020		30 Jun 2019		31 Dec 2019	
	Gross carrying amount	Loss allowance	Gross carrying amount	Loss allowance	Gross carrying amount	Loss allowance	
0-29 days	18,856,522	1,338	22,838,021	723	21,849,171	1,415	
30-59 days	12,817	685	4,277	46	6,682	71	
60-89 days	8,737	255			3,817	24	
90+ days	8,750	172	4,379	75	5,034	79	
Total	18,886,827	2,451	22,846,676	844	21,864,705	1,589	

The following tables reconcile the opening and closing balances for accumulated loan loss allowance on financial Instruments.

Reconciling items includes the following:

-Changes in allowance due to the origination of new financial instruments during the period.

-Changes in allowance due to the derecognition of financial instruments during the period.

-Transfers between stages due to changes in credit risk. This includes the difference in loan loss allowance balance from one period to another.

-Changes in balance with no transfer between stages are related to financial instruments that did not move between stages but had changes in balances and hence resulting in changes in loan loss allowance.

Balances shown are loan loss allowance balances as of end of period except for "financial assets that have been derecognised" which are as of the beginning of period.

#### Loss allowance

NOKt	Stage 1 12-month ECL	Stage 2 lifetime ECL	Stage 3 lifetime ECL	Total allowance
Loss allowance as at 1 Jan 2020	480	114	995	1,589
Transfer to stage 1	50	-34	-16	
Transfer to stage 2	-616	616		
Transfer to stage 3	-96	-79	175	
New Finanicial assets originated during the period	21			21
Financial assets that have been derecognised	-64	-5	-19	-88
Changes in balance with no transfer between stages	1,052	376	-500	927
Loss allowance as at 30 Jun 2020	827	990	635	2,451

NOKt	Stage 1 12-month ECL	Stage 2 lifetime ECL	Stage 3 lifetime ECL	Total allowance
Loss allowance as at 1 Jan 2019	880	85	245	1,210
Transfer to stage 1	10	-10		
Transfer to stage 2	-58	58		
Transfer to stage 3	-67	-97	164	
New Finanicial assets originated during the period	59			59
Financial assets that have been derecognised	-160	-20	-57	-237
Changes in balance with no transfer between stages	-101	57	-145	-188
Loss allowance as at 30 Jun 2019	563	73	207	844

NOKt	Stage 1 12-month ECL	Stage 2 lifetime ECL	Stage 3 lifetime ECL	Total allowance
Loss allowance as at 1 Jan 2019	880	85	245	1,210
Transfer to stage 1	10	-10		
Transfer to stage 2	-42	48	-6	
Transfer to stage 3	-897		897	
New Finanicial assets originated during the period	68	4		71
Financial assets that have been derecognised	-266	-54	-72	-391
Changes in balance with no transfer between stages	727	41	-69	699
Loss allowance as at 31 Dec 2019	480	114	995	1,589

NOKt	30 Jun 2020	30 Jun 2019	31 Dec 2019
Stage 1	827	563	480
Stage 2	990	73	114
Stage 3	635	207	995
Total	2,451	844	1,589
Stage 1	33.7%	66.8%	30.2%
Stage 2	40.4%	8.7%	7.2%
Stage 3	25.9%	24.6%	62.6%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

The following tables reconcile the opening and closing balances on gross carrying amount.

Reconciling items includes the following:

- Transfers between stages due to changes in credit risk.

- Changes due to the origination of new financial instruments during the period.

- Changes due to the derecognition of loans during the period, including down-payment of loans, write-offs and sale of assets.

Balances shown are as of end of period except for "financial assets that have been derecognised" which are as of beginning of period and "down-payments" which are computed as the difference of the beginning of period and closing period balances.

Loans to and claims on customers

NOKt	Stage 1 12-month ECL	Stage 2 lifetime ECL	Stage 3 lifetime ECL	Total
Gross carrying amount as at 1 Jan 2020	21,610,538	229,756	24,411	21,864,705
Transfer to stage 1	134,098	-130,485	-3,613	
Transfer to stage 2	-82,737	82,838	-101	
Transfer to stage 3	-2,146	-5,618	7,764	
New financial assets originated	1,027,906	1,520		1,029,426
Financial assets that have been derecognised	-2,673,149	-26,334	-1,947	-2,701,430
Change in balances due to payments	-441,553	-2,193	-183	-443,928
Other Changes	-861,945			-861,945
Gross carrying amount as at 30 Jun 2020	18,711,012	149,483	26,331	18,886,827
Loss allowance as at 30 Jun 2020	827	990	635	2,451

#### Loans to and claims on customers

NOKt	Stage 1 12-month ECL	Stage 2 lifetime ECL	Stage 3 lifetime ECL	Total
Gross carrying amount as at 1 Jan 2019	24,458,691	172,872	17,047	24,648,610
Transfer to stage 1	80,221	-75,428	-4,793	
Transfer to stage 2	-90,036	93,420	-3,385	
Transfer to stage 3	-6,760	-3,272	10,032	
New financial assets originated	3,080,739			3,080,739
Financial assets that have been derecognised	-4,229,330	-49,628	-5,839	-4,284,798
Change in balances due to payments	-598,913	-1,862	-200	-600,975
Other Changes	-1,559	4,660		3,101
Gross carrying amount as at 30 Jun 2019	22,693,053	140,762	12,861	22,846,676
Loss allowance as at 30 Jun 2019	563	73	207	844

NOKt	Stage 1 12-month ECL	Stage 2 lifetime ECL	Stage 3 lifetime ECL	Total
Gross carrying amount as at 1 Jan 2019	24,458,691	172,872	17,047	24,648,610
Transfer to stage 1	63,640	-59,966	-3,674	
Transfer to stage 2	-154,805	155,713	-908	
Transfer to stage 3	-20,675		20,675	
New financial assets originated	3,835,077	28,219		3,863,296
Financial assets that have been derecognised	-7,122,651	-74,292	-7,373	-7,204,317
Change in balances due to payments	-987,731	-2,647	-1,356	-991,734
Other Changes	1,538,993	9,857		1,548,850
Gross carrying amount as at 31 Dec 2019	21,610,538	229,756	24,411	21,864,705
Loss allowance as at 31 Dec 2019	480	114	995	1,589
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<sup>1</sup>Market value adjustment for fixed interest loans and overaft facilities balance with credit balance.

NOKt	30 Jun 2020	30 Jun 2019	31 Dec 2019
Stage 1	18,711,012	22,693,053	21,610,538
Stage 2	149,483	140,762	229,756
Stage 3	26,331	12,861	24,411
Total	18,886,827	22,846,676	21,864,705
Stage 1	99.1%	99.3%	98.8%
Stage 2	0.8%	0.6%	1.1%
Stage 3	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

### Note 5 Capital adequacy

NOKt	30 Jun 2020	30 Jun 2019	31 Dec 2019
Primary capital			
Share capital and share premium	1,220,020	1,220,020	1,220,020
Other equity	744,732	675,522	709,970
Total equity	1,964,752	1,895,542	1,929,990
Deduction			
Profit not included in the calculation of net primary capital	-34,761	-42,166	
Value adjustments due to the requirement for prudent valuation	-268	-228	-209
Common equity Tier 1 capital	1,929,722	1,853,148	1,929,781
Net primary capital	1,929,722	1,853,148	1,929,781
Credit risk:			
Of which:			
Central government or central banks	49	452	49
Institutions	15,068	12,899	11,229
Mass market positions	1,235	3,101	2,074
Positions secured by mortgage	527,946	638,552	611,427
Overdue positions	1,433	351	800
Covered bonds	626	628	627
Other positions	21	10	5
Total minimum requirement credit risk	546,377	655,992	626,210
Operational risk	22,755	22,555	22,755
CVA-risk	3,822	5,017	2,632
Minimum requirement for net primary capital	572,953	683,564	651,596
Basis of calculation of balance sheet items not included in trading portfolio	6,778,691	8,153,171	7,794,530
Basis of calculation of off-balance sheet items not included in trading portfolio	51,023	46,729	33,089
Risk-weighted assets (calculation basis for capital adequacy ratio)	7,161,917	8,544,550	8,144,954
Buffer requirements			
Systemic risk buffer	214,858	256,336	244,349
Conservation buffer	179,048	213,614	203,624
Countercyclical buffer	71,619	170,891	203,624
Total buffer requirement for common equity Tier 1 capital	465,525	640,841	651,596
Pillar 2 requirement 1.7% for common equity Tier 1 capital set by the Financial Supervisory Authority of Norway	121,753	128,168	138,464
Available surplus common equity Tier 1 capital net min. requirement	1,020,159	699,634	773,198
Capital adequacy			
Capital adequacy ratio	26.9 %	21.7 %	23.7 %
Tier 1 capital ratio	26.9 %	21.7 %	23.7 %
Common equity Tier 1 capital ratio	26.9 %	21.7 %	23.7 %

For credit risk the standard method is used, while basis method is used for oparational risk. The Financial Supervisory Authority of Norway has end of Q4 2019 set a Pillar 2 reguirement on additional 1.7% of risk-weighted assets for Nordea Direct Bank Group, covered by Common equity Tier 1 capital. Total regulatory requirement for common equity Tier 1 capital is 12,7% end of Q2 2020.

### Note 6 Transactions with related parties

Nordea Direct Bank ASA is a directly owned subsidiary of Nordea Bank Abp. Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS is a wholly owned subsidiary of Nordea Direct Bank ASA. All transactions and agreements with related parties are carried out in accordance with the arm's length principle.

Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS purchases services such as customer support and loan management, as well as day-to-day management and administrative services, from Nordea Direct Bank ASA.

Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS has access to strong credit facilities with Nordea Direct Bank ASA. This ensure that the Company can pay interest and principal to the covered bonds owners, and finance the transferring of loans and the cover pool. Further information about the credit agreements: a) long-term credit facility of up to NOK 1,000.0 million. Expiry date 31 December 2021. b) short-term credit facility of up to NOK 6,000.0 million. Expiry date 30 November 2020. c) Credit facility agreement that enables Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS to borrow money in order to repay its outstanding bond debt. The credit facility shall be sufficient to cover the total repayment of the outstanding bonds over the next 12 months. As of 30 June 2020, the credit limit of the agreement was NOK 5,850.0m.

All transactions between the parent company Nordea Direct Bank ASA and the subsidiary Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS have been eliminated in the consolidated financial statements.

The list below shows the transactions with related parties that are recognised in the income statement

	Jan-Jun	Jan-Jun 2020		2019	Jan-Dec 2019		
NOKt	Nordea Direct Bank ASA	Nordea Bank Abp	Nordea Direct Bank ASA	Nordea Bank Abp	Nordea Direct Bank ASA	Nordea Bank Abp	
Net interest income	31,652	9,360	29,566	4,893	65,169	14,575	
Other operating income	470		459		917		
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#### The list below shows assets / liabilities with / to related parties

	30 Jun 2020		30 Jun	2019	31 Dec 2019		
NOKt	Nordea Direct Bank ASA	Nordea Bank Abp	Nordea Direct Bank ASA	Nordea Bank Abp	Nordea Direct Bank ASA	Nordea Bank Abp	
Deposit	658,948	740	545,620	363	513,246	601	
Loans to credit institutions	1,789,285		2,797,342		1,736,594		
Interest-bearing securities	1,677,901	341,270	1,803,303	250,659	2,495,854	317,604	

### Note 7 Cover pool

30 Jun 2020		30 Jun	2019	31 Dec 2019		
18,886,827	18,886,827	22,846,676	22,846,676	21,864,705	21,864,705	
18,859,850	18,859,850	22,822,558	22,822,558	21,830,675	21,830,675	
569,175	642,555	458,238	509,599	424,182	460,544	
	73,381		51,362		36,362	
19,429,025	19,502,406	23,280,795	23,332,157	22,254,857	22,291,219	
15,950,000	16,134,995	18,800,000	19,035,613	18,800,000	18,980,351	
21.8%	20.9 %	23.8 %	22.6 %	18.4 %	17.4 %	
15,950,000	16,134,995	18,800,000	19,035,613	18,800,000	18,980,351	
21.8 %	20.9 %	23.8%	22.6 %	18.4 %	17.4 %	
	Nominal value 18,886,827 18,859,850 569,175 <b>19,429,025</b> 15,950,000 5 21.8 % 15,950,000	Nominal value         Market value           18,886,827         18,886,827           18,859,850         18,859,850           569,175         642,555           73,381         19,429,025           15,950,000         16,134,995           15,950,000         16,134,995           15,950,000         16,134,995	Nominal value         Market value         Nominal value           18,886,827         18,886,827         22,846,676           18,859,850         18,859,850         22,822,558           569,175         642,555         458,238           73,381         73,381           19,429,025         19,502,406         23,280,795           15,950,000         16,134,995         18,800,000           21.8 %         20.9 %         23.8 %           15,950,000         16,134,995         18,800,000	Nominal value         Market value         Nominal value         Market value           18,886,827         18,886,827         22,846,676         22,846,676           18,859,850         18,859,850         22,822,558         22,822,558           569,175         642,555         458,238         509,599           73,381         51,362           19,429,025         19,502,406         23,280,795         23,332,157           15,950,000         16,134,995         18,800,000         19,035,613           5         21.8 %         20.9 %         23.8 %         22.6 %           15,950,000         16,134,995         18,800,000         19,035,613	Nominal value         Market value         Nominal value         Market value         Nominal value         Market value         Nominal value           18,886,827         18,886,827         22,846,676         22,846,676         21,864,705           18,859,850         18,859,850         22,822,558         22,822,558         21,830,675           569,175         642,555         458,238         509,599         424,182           73,381         51,362         51,362         51,362           19,429,025         19,502,406         23,280,795         23,332,157         22,254,857           15,950,000         16,134,995         18,800,000         19,035,613         18,800,000           5         21.8 %         20.9 %         23.8 %         22.6 %         18,4 %           15,950,000         16,134,995         18,800,000         19,035,613         18,800,000	

<sup>1</sup> without deduction for holdings of own bonds

## Note 8 Contingent liabilities and security

NOKt	30 Jun 2020	30 Jun 2019	31 Dec 2019
Unutilised credit facility	1,926,103	1,952,296	1,972,755
Total contingent liabilities	1,926,103	1,952,296	1,972,755

### Note 9 Fair value of financial instruments

#### Fair value

Financial assets and liabilities measured at fair value are carried at the amount each asset/liability can be settled for in an orderly transaction between market participants on the measurement date.

Different valuation techniques and methods are used to estimate fair value, depending on the type of financial instruments and the extent to which they are traded in active markets. Instruments are classified in their entirety in one of three valuation levels in a hierarchy on the basis of the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement in its entirety.

Prices quoted in active markets are considered to be the best estimate of an asset/liability's fair value. When quoted prices in active markets are not available, the fair value of financial assets/ liabilities will preferably be estimated on the basis of valuation techniques based on observable market data. When neither quoted prices in active markets nor observable market data are available, the fair value of financial assets/liabilities is estimated based on valuation techniques that are based on non-observable market data.

#### **Quoted prices in active markets**

Quoted prices in active markets are considered the best estimate of an asset/liability's fair value. A financial asset/liability is considered valued based on quoted prices in active markets if fair value is estimated based on easily and regularly available prices and these prices represent actual and regularly occurring transactions at arm's length principle. Financial assets/liabilities valued based on quoted prices in active markets are classified as level one in the valuation hierarchy.

#### Valuation based on observable market data

When quoted prices in active markets are not available, the fair value of financial assets/ liabilities is preferably estimated on the basis of valuation techniques based on observable market data. A financial asset/liability is considered valued based on observable market data if fair value is estimated with reference to prices that are not quoted, but are observable either directly (as prices) or indirectly (derived from prices). Financial assets/liabilities valued based on observable market data are classified as level two in the valuation hierarchy.

#### Valuation based on non-observable market data

When neither quoted prices in active markets nor observable market data is available, the fair value of financial assets/liabilities is estimated based on valuation techniques which are based on non-observable market data. A financial asset/liability is considered valued based on non-observable market data if fair value is estimated without being based on quoted prices in active markets or observable market data. Financial assets/liabilities valued based on non-observable market data are classified as level three in the valuation hierarchy.

#### Sensitivity financial assets level three

The sensitivity analysis for financial assets that are valued on the basis of non-observable market data shows the effect on profits of realistic and plausible market outcomes. General market downturns or a worsening of the outlook can affect expectations of future cash flows or the applied multiples, which in turn will lead to a reduction in value. A fall in value of 10% is deemed to be a realistic and plausible market outcome for shares and similar interests, as well as bonds and other securities with a fixed return that are included in level three of the valuation hierarchy.

## Note 9 Fair value of financial instruments (cont.)

	30 Jun	2020	30 Jun	2019	31 Dec	2019
NOKt	Carrying amount	Fair value		Fair value	Carrying amount	Faiı value
Assets						
Loans to and receivables from credit institutions, amortised cost	659,686	659,686	545,982	545,982	513,847	513,847
Loans to and receivables from credit institutions	659,686	659,686	545,982	545,982	513,847	513,847
Loans to and receivables from customers, amortised cost	18,886,827	18,886,827	22,846,676	22,846,676	21,864,705	21,864,705
Total loans before individual and group write-downs	18,886,827	18,886,827	22,846,676	22,846,676	21,864,705	21,864,705
- Group write-downs	2,451	2,451	844	844	1,589	1,589
Total net loans to customers	18,884,376	18,884,376	22,845,833	22,845,833	21,863,116	21,863,116
Certificates and bonds, fair value	190,094	190,094	164,677	164,677	164,376	164,376
Total bonds and other fixed-income securities	190,094	190,094	164,677	164,677	164,376	164,376
Derivatives, fair value	74,588	74,588	58,666	58,666	40,629	40,629
Derivatives	74,588	74,588	58,666	58,666	40,629	40,629
Other financial assets, amortised cost	36,689	36,689	42,895	42,895	41,198	41,198
Total other financial assets	36,689	36,689	42,895	42,895	41,198	41,198
Total financial assets	19,845,432	19,845,432	23,658,053	23,658,053	22,623,166	22,623,166
Liabilities						
Loans and deposits from credit institutions, amortised cost	1,778,219	1,778,219	2,789,609	2,789,609	1,728,317	1,728,317
Total liabilities to credit institutions	1,778,219	1,778,219	2,789,609	2,789,609	1,728,317	1,728,317
Commercial paper and bonds, amortised cost	14,521,609	14,604,257	17,377,385	17,515,548	17,374,234	17,480,237
Liability incurred through the issue of securities, fair value hedge	1,521,006	1,530,738	1,503,892	1,520,065	1,486,623	1,500,114
Total debt securities	16,042,615	16,134,995	18,881,277	19,035,613	18,860,857	18,980,351
Derivatives, fair value	3,537	3,537	4,627	4,627	4,086	4,086
Derivatives	3,537	3,537	4,627	4,627	4,086	4,086
Other financial liabilities, amortised cost	42,074	42,074	68,225	68,225	71,663	71,663
Total other financial liabilities	42,074	42,074	68,225	68,225	71,663	71,663
Total financial liabilities	17,866,444	17,958,825	21,743,739	21,898,075	20,664,923	20,784,416

## Note 9 Fair value of financial instruments (cont.)

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Interest-bearing securities, designated at fair value	111,961	78,132		190,094
Derivatives, fair value		74,588		74,588
Total financial assets measured at fair value	111,961	152,720		264,681
Liabilities opened for the issue of securities, measured at fair value				
Derivatives, fair value		3,537		3,537
Total financial liabilities measured at fair value		3,537		3,537
Liability incurred through the issue of securities, amortised cost		14,604,257		14,604,257
Total financial liabilities measured at amortised cost		14,604,257		14,604,257
Liability incurred through the issue of securities, fair value hedge		1,530,738		1,530,738
Total financial liabilities included in fair value hedge		1,530,738		1,530,738

There were no major moves between levels 1 and 2 in 2020.

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Interest-bearing securities, designated at fair value	86,301	78,376		164,677
Derivatives, fair value		58,666		58,666
Total financial assets measured at fair value	86,301	137,042		223,343
Liabilities opened for the issue of securities, measured at fair value				
Derivatives, fair value		4,627		4,627
Total financial liabilities measured at fair value		4,627		4,627
Liability incurred through the issue of securities, amortised cost		17,515,548		17,515,548
Total financial liabilities measured at amortised cost		17,515,548		17,515,548
Liability incurred through the issue of securities, fair value hedge		1,520,065		1,520,065
Total financial liabilities included in fair value hedge		1,520,065		1,520,065

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Interest-bearing securities, designated at fair value	86,200	78,177		164,376
Derivatives, fair value		40,629		40,629
Total financial assets measured at fair value	86,200	118,805		205,005
Liabilities opened for the issue of securities, measured at fair value				
Derivatives, fair value		4,086		4,086
Total financial liabilities measured at fair value		4,086		4,086
Liability incurred through the issue of securities, amortised cost		17,480,237		17,480,237
Total financial liabilities measured at amortised cost		17,480,237		17,480,237
Liability incurred through the issue of securities, fair value hedge		1,500,114		1,500,114
Total financial liabilities included in fair value hedge		1,500,114		1,500,114

There were no major moves between levels 1 and 2 in 2019.

### Declaration from the Board and CEO

The Board and the CEO have today discussed and approved the interim report and financial statements for Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS for the period 1 January to 30 June 2020.

We declare that, to the best of our knowledge, the interim financial statements for the period 1 January to 30 June 2020 have been prepared in accordance with IFRS as adopted by the EU, and in accordance with additional requirements set out in the

Accounting Act, and taking into account the limitations of accounting regulations for banks. The accounting data provide a true and fair picture of the company's assets, liabilities, financial position and results as a whole, and the report gives a true picture of important events in the accounting period and their impact on the financial statements, related material transactions and the most important risks and uncertainties faced by the bank in the next accounting period.

#### Nordea Direct Boligkreditt AS

Oslo, 16 July 2020

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Chief Executive Officer

# Quarterly earnings performance

NOKt	Q2 2020	Q1 2020	Q4 2019	Q3 2019	Q2 2019	Q1 2019	Q4 2018	Q3 2018
Interest income etc, amortised cost	90,195	145,580	142,344	130,781	128,966	132,017	126,841	124,914
Interest income etc, fair value	544	-1,920	572	546	-1,039	375	311	894
Interest costs etc.	66,867	109,805	113,630	106,049	99,983	98,284	90,659	87,362
Net interest income	23,872	33,855	29,286	25,277	27,945	34,108	36,493	38,446
Fee and commission income	549	565	573	568	580	589	583	582
Net gains on financial instruments at fair value	1,311	-2,567	-242	67	62	108	-131	246
Other operating income	240	229	229	229	229	229	229	229
Total income	25,972	32,083	29,845	26,142	28,816	35,034	37,174	39,503
Staff costs	2	597	558	580	489	672	1,110	551
Other operating costs	3,512	6,734	4,681	3,491	3,508	3,327	3,613	3,518
Total operating expenses	3,514	7,331	5,239	4,072	3,997	3,999	4,723	4,069
Profit / (loss) before loan losses	22,458	24,752	24,606	22,070	24,820	31,035	32,450	35,434
Loan losses	1,314	-453	237	509	-47	-319	381	-23
Operating profit	21,143	25,205	24,369	21,561	24,866	31,355	32,070	35,457

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