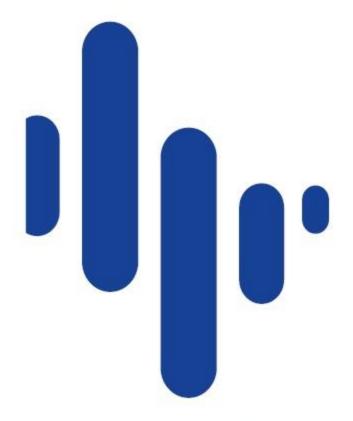
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Nordea Bank Abp Spółka Akcyjna Oddział w Polsce

Financial Statements for the period from 01/01/2024 to 31/12/2024

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Statement of comprehensive income

	Note	01/01/2024 - 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 - 31/12/2023
Revenues, of which:		1,507,984	1,280,302
Revenue from the sale of services	4	1,495,873	1,259,897
Other operating income	9	4,960	4,063
Financial revenue	11	7,151	16,342
Expenses, of which:		(1,408,730)	(1,189,166)
Costs of salaries with overheads and other employee benefits	5	(1,222,085)	(1,024,155)
Depreciation and amortisation	8	(64,157)	(63,117)
Outsourced IT services	6	(45,476)	(26,628)
Other administrative expenses	7	(35,743)	(32,734)
Costs of operation and maintenance of the premises	10	(28,050)	(29,633)
Business travel expenses		(11,597)	(10,884)
Other operating expenses	9	(1,158)	(1,527)
Financial expenses	11	(464)	(488)
Profit before tax		99,254	91,136
Income tax	12	(21,500)	(19,995)
Net profit for the reporting period		77,754	71,141
Other comprehensive income		(864)	650
Items to be credited to the profit and loss account		0	0
Items which will not be credited to the profit and loss account		(864)	650
Other comprehensive net income for the reporting period		0	0
Total comprehensive income for the reporting period		76,890	71,791

Statement of financial position

Assets

	Note	31/12/2024	31/12/2023
Fixed assets		254,822	298,782
Leasehold assets	13	159,200	198,891
Property, plant and equipment	13	69,126	75,757
Intangible assets	14	12	14
Deferred tax assets	15	24,423	21,476
Long-term investments	16	2,061	2,644
Operating assets		323,746	271,352
Trade receivables, uninvoiced receivables and other receivables	17	182,170	155,726
Short-term prepayments		2,462	991
Cash and cash equivalents	18	139,114	114,635
Total assets		578,568	570,134

Statement of financial position

Equity and liabilities

	Note	31/12/2024	31/12/2023
Liabilities			
Long-term liabilities		291,502	321,246
Long-term liabilities due to settlements with the Branch Headquarters	19	109,250	110,477
Long-term liabilities under lease contracts	24	123,476	168,112
Other long-term liabilities	23	958	461
Long-term provisions	22	57,818	42,196
Short-term liabilities		287,066	248,888
Short-term lease liabilities	24	44,636	45,281
Trade liabilities	23	882	695
Income tax liabilities	23	10,100	0
Other short-term liabilities	23	227,969	200,357
Short-term reserves	22	3,479	2,555
Total liabilities and equity		578,568	570,134

Cash flow statement

	Note	31/12/2024	31/12/2023
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Cash flows from operations		158,506	170,324
Net profit for the reporting year		76,890	71,791
Adjustments:		81,616	98,533
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment, including rights to use leased assets"	13	64,155	63,113
Depreciation of intangible assets	14	2	4
Foreign exchange loss		(2,860)	(11,093)
Loss on investing activities		(179)	267
Change in trade and other receivables	17	(26,869)	(2,895)
Change in accruals, prepayments and deferred income		(1,471)	484
Change in trade and other liabilities	23	28,296	37,558
Change in deferred tax assets	15	(2,947)	4,073
Income tax payments		(13,718)	(12,780)
Current tax liability	12	24,244	16,075
Change in provisions	22	16,546	8,068
Interest received		(4,291)	(5,249)
Interest paid		464	488
Other adjustments		244	420
Cash flows from investments		(12,823)	(17,450)
Disposal of property, plant and equipment		4,087	1,444
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	13	(13,940)	(13,441)
Purchase of other investments		(2,970)	(5,453)
Cash flows from financial activities		(121,204)	(148,103)
Interest received		4,291	5,249
Loans and borrowings incurred (+)/repaid (-)	20	(77)	(57)
Expenses for repayment of interest on loans, borrowings and leasing		(464)	(488)
Funds received to cover losses brought forward		(78,117)	(103,482)
Payment of lease liabilities	24	(46,837)	(49,325)
Total net cash flows		24,479	4,771
Balance sheet change in cash, of which:		24,479	4,771
Movement in cash due to exchange differences		(81)	35
Cash at the beginning of the period		114,635	109,864
Cash at the end of the period		139,114	114,635

Notes to the financial statements

Note 1 - General information about the Branch

Information about Nordea Bank ABP S.A. Branch in Poland

Nordea Bank ABP S.A. Branch in Poland (hereinafter: the Branch) has its registered office in Poland: 93-281 Łódź, Al. Śmigłego-Rydza 20; Tax ID NIP PL 105-000-11-72, Statistical No REGON 100926668, is entered in the District Court for Łódź-Śródmieście in Łódź, 20th Division of the National Court Register with Entry No KRS 0000360398.

The Branch's business activity consists of:

- other activities auxiliary to financial services, except insurance and pension funding;
- other monetary intermediation;
- activities of call centres;
- computer IT software activities and related activities;
- information service activities;
- accounting, bookkeeping and auditing activities; tax consultancy;
- other financial service activities, except insurance and pension funding not elsewhere classified;
- data processing; hosting and related activities.

The Branch is a branch of a foreign bank: Nordea Bank Abp, with its registered office in Finland, FI-00020, in Helsinki at Satamaradankatu 5.

Nordea Bank Abp's financial statements and annual reports are available on the website:

www.nordea.com/en/investor-relations/reports-and-presentations.

The entity is exempt from the preparation of a Statement of Activities in accordance with the Accounting Act.

The Branch, under the Act, is not subject to the obligation to report its sustainability activities for the 2024 reporting year.

Note 2 - Basis for the preparation of the financial statements

2.1 Statement of compliance

Annual separate financial statements of Nordea Bank Abp S.A. Branch in Poland for the period ending 31 December 2024 have been prepared in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standards, as approved by the European Union, and other applicable laws.

The financial statements have been prepared on the assumption that the Branch will continue to operate for the foreseeable future and on a substantially unchanged going concern basis.

The financial statements have been approved by the Branch Management on 27/02/2025.

2.2 New and amended standards and interpretations applied

Amendments to the following standards, which were effective in 2024, have been applied to these financial statements:

a) Amendment to IFRS 16 "Leases"

The amendment to IFRS 16 "Leases" supplements the requirements for the subsequent measurement of the lease liability for sale and leaseback transactions when the criteria of IFRS 15 are met and the transaction should be accounted for as a sale. The amendment requires the seller lessee to subsequently measure the lease liability arising from a sale-leaseback in such a way that no gain or loss associated with the retained right of use. The new requirement is particularly relevant where the leaseback includes variable lease payments that do not depend on an index or rate, as these payments are excluded from "lease payments" under IFRS 16. This amendment has no impact on the Branch's statements.

b) Amendments to IAS 1 "Presentation of Financial Statements"

The amendments to IAS 1 provide clarification on the presentation of liabilities as long- and short-term and also address the classification of liabilities when an entity is required to meet certain contractual requirements known as covenants. Consequently, the revised IAS 1 states that liabilities are classified as either short- or long-term depending on the rights that exist at the end of the reporting period. The classification is neither affected by the entity's expectations nor by events after the reporting date (for example, covenants in loan agreements, which the entity only has to comply with after the balance sheet date). The amendments will not materially affect the Branch's statements.

c) Amendments to IAS 7 "Statement of Cash Flows" and IFRS 7 "Financial instruments: disclosures": disclosure of supplier finance arrangements ("supplier finance arrangement")

The amendments to IAS 7 "Statement of Cash Flows" and IFRS 7 "Financial Instruments: Disclosures" introduce disclosure requirements for supplier finance arrangements (known as reverse factoring). The amendments require specific disclosures for such arrangements to enable users of financial statements to assess the impact of these arrangements on liabilities and cash flows and the entity's exposure to liquidity risk. These amendments are intended to enhance the transparency of disclosures about debt financing arrangements, but do not affect recognition and measurement principles. The amendments to the standard have no impact on the Branch's statements.

2.3 Published standards and interpretations that are not yet effective and have not been previously applied by the Branch but may have an impact on the financial statements.

In these separate financial statements, the Branch has not decided to apply the following published standards, interpretations or amendments to existing standards before their effective date:

a) Amendments to IAS 21 "The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates"

In August 2023, the Board issued amendments to IAS 21 "The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates". The amendments are intended to make it easier for companies to determine whether a currency is convertible into another currency and to estimate the spot exchange rate when a currency is not convertible. In addition, the amendments to the standard require additional disclosures when currencies are not convertible on how an alternative exchange rate is determined.

As published, the amendments are effective for financial statements for periods beginning on or after 1 January 2025. The Branch does not expect the Standard to have a significant impact on its Financial Statements.

b) Changes in the classification and measurement of financial instruments: Amendments to IFRS 9 and IFRS 7. In May 2024, the IASB published amendments to IFRS 9 and IFRS 7 to:

- clarify the recognition and derecognition dates for certain financial assets and liabilities, with an exemption for certain financial liabilities settled through electronic funds transfer;
- clarify and add further guidance on assessing whether a financial asset meets the SPPI criteria;
- add new disclosures for certain instruments whose contractual terms may alter cash flows; and
- update disclosures on equity instruments measured at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI).

As published, the amendments are effective for financial statements for periods beginning on or after 1 January 2026. As at the date of these financial statements, the improvements have not yet been approved by the European Union.

c) Annual Improvements to IFRSs

"Annual Improvements to IFRSs" introduce amendments to standards: IFRS 1 "First-time Adoption of International Financial Reporting Standards", IFRS 7 "Financial Instruments: Disclosures" IFRS 9 "Financial Instruments", IFRS 10 "Consolidated Financial Statements" and IAS 7 "Statement of Cash Flows".

The improvements include explanations and clarify the standard guidance for recognition and measurement. The amendments are not expected to have a material impact on the Branch's statements.

As at the date of these financial statements, the improvements have not yet been approved by the European Union.

d) IFRS 18 "Presentation and Disclosures in Financial Statements"

In April 2024, the Board published the new standard IFRS 18 "Presentation and Disclosures in Financial Statements". The standard is intended to replace IAS 1 - Presentation of Financial Statements and will be effective from 1 January 2027. The amendments from the superseded standard mainly concern three issues: the profit or loss statement, required disclosures on performance measures and issues related to the aggregation and disaggregation of information contained in financial statements.

As published, the standard will be effective for financial statements for periods beginning on or after 1 January 2027 or thereafter. As at the date of these financial statements, the improvements have not yet been approved by the European Union.

e) IFRS 19 "Subsidiaries without public accountability: disclosure of information"

In May 2024, the Board issued a new accounting standard, IFRS 19, which can be adopted by certain subsidiaries applying IFRS accounting standards to improve the effectiveness of disclosures in their financial statements. The new standard introduces simplified and limited disclosure requirements.

As a result, the qualifying subsidiary applies the requirements of other IFRS accounting standards except for the disclosure requirements and instead applies the limited disclosure requirements of IFRS 19.

Eligible subsidiaries are entities that are not subject to what is known as public accountability, as defined in the new standard. In addition, IFRS 19 requires the ultimate or intermediate parent of that entity to prepare publicly available consolidated financial statements in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards.

Eligible companies may choose to apply the guidance of the new IFRS 19 for financial statements prepared for periods beginning on or after 1 January 2027.

As at the date of these financial statements, the improvements have not yet been approved by the European Union.

f) IFRS 14 "Regulatory Accruals"

This standard allows entities that prepare their financial statements in accordance with IFRS for the first time (on or after 1 January 2016) to recognise amounts arising from price-regulated activities in accordance with their existing accounting policies. To improve comparability, with entities that already apply IFRS and do not recognise such amounts, under published IFRS 14, amounts arising from price activities should be presented as a separate line item in both the statement of financial position and the profit and loss account and statement of other comprehensive income.

By the decision of the European Union, IFRS 14 will not be approved.

g) Amendments to IFRS 10 and IAS 28 regarding the sale or contribution of assets between an investor and its associates or joint ventures

The amendments solve the problem of the current inconsistency between IFRS 10 and IAS 28. The accounting treatment depends on whether non-monetary assets sold or contributed to an associate or joint venture constitute what is known as a "business".

If the non-monetary assets constitute a "business", the investor reports the full profit or loss on the transaction. If, on the other hand, the assets do not meet the definition of a business, the investor recognises a gain or loss from only to the extent of the portion representing the interests of other investors.

The amendments were published on 11 September 2014. As at the date of these financial statements, the approval of this amendment is postponed by the European Union.

2.4 Basis for valuation

The financial statements have been prepared on the basis of the historical cost principle.

2.5 Functional and presentation currency

The figures in the financial statements have been presented in Polish złoty (PLN), rounded up to full thousands. Polish złoty is the functional currency of the Branch.

2.6 Comparative figures

The comparative figures include data for the period from 01/01/2023 to 31/12/2023.

Note 3 - Description of significant accounting policies applied

The accounting principles below have been applied to all reporting periods presented in the financial statements.

Foreign currency transactions

Transactions denominated in foreign currencies are recorded in the functional currency of the Branch and translated at the average exchange rate of the National Bank of Poland announced on the day preceding the date of the transaction, with the exception of the situations described below under "Lease contracts".

Non-monetary items measured at historical cost in a foreign currency are converted by the Branch using the exchange rate, as published before the transaction date. Exchange differences arising from translation are recognised in profit or loss for the current period.

Financial instruments

Classification

As at the balance sheet date, the Branch did not have any financial instruments classified as financial liabilities measured at fair value through profit or loss. The Branch's only financial assets measured at fair value are cash measured at fair value through profit or loss.

Measurement

On initial recognition, a financial asset or financial liability is measured at fair value, plus or minus, in the case of a financial asset or financial liability not classified at fair value through profit or loss, transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of the financial asset or financial liability.

The exceptions are trade receivables that do not have a significant financing component: the Branch recognises them in the transaction price.

After the initial recognition, the Branch measures financial assets and financial liabilities according to the category to which they are classified.

Measurement at amortised cost is made using the effective interest rate method to the gross carrying amount of the financial asset, taking into account impairment.

After initial recognition, other financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost the effective interest rate method. Other liabilities include loans, borrowings, overdraft facilities, trade payables and other liabilities.

Grants and subsidies

Government grants are recognised initially as deferred revenue at fair value when there is reasonable assurance that they will be received and that the conditions attached to them will be met and are then recognised in profit or loss of the current period and reported in other operating income.

In the case of uncertainty as to meeting the terms of the contract, the subsidy is presented in regulatory liabilities item.

Hedge accounting

The Branch does not apply hedge accounting.

Operating segments

The Branch operates in one operating segment.

Impairment of financial assets

Financial assets measured at amortised cost are evaluated by the Branch at each balance sheet date whether there is any objective evidence that any financial asset (or a group of financial assets) has lost value. Cash in foreign currencies is valued at the NBP exchange rate on the balance sheet date.

Property, plant and equipment

Items of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets are initially measured at cost. After the initial recognition of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets, the Branch carries them at cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses. Fixed assets with a low unit value (less than PLN 4,500) are charged to costs in the month in which they are placed in service. For intangible assets, the limit is PLN 1,500. It also includes right-of-use assets under IFRS 16, see "Leases" section below for details.

Depreciation and amortisation

Depreciation is based on the cost of the asset less its residual value. Depreciation write-offs are made according to the straight-line method for the useful life of the property, plant and equipment or intangible assets and are presented in the profit and loss account.

The land is not depreciated. The estimated useful lives are as follows:

- investments in third-party fixed assets, in accordance with the contract period
- machinery and devices 3–5 years
- equipment 5-10 years
- means of transport for 5 years
- computer software 5 years
- licences, in accordance with the contract period
- right-of-use assets, in accordance with the contract period.

The residual value is subject to an annual estimation.

Depreciation rates resulting from the applicable tax regulations are adopted for the purpose of tax settlements.

Cash and cash equivalents

For the purposes of the cash flow statement, cash and cash equivalents comprise items due within three months of the date of acquisition, including cash and unrestricted funds at the bank.

The Branch offsets the balance of the bank account of the Company Social Benefits Fund against the liabilities of the Fund: the surplus is presented either as cash or as other short-term liabilities. This approach, consistent with common practice, is applied because the Branch does not control the Fund.

The Branch has funds in a restricted VAT account.

Impairment write-off on assets other than financial assets

The carrying amounts of the Branch's assets, are reviewed at the balance sheet date to determine whether there is any indication of impairment. If there is such a reason, the Branch estimates the recoverable amount of individual assets. The allowance for receivables is calculated on a simplified basis in accordance with IFRS 9, at an amount equal to the expected loss in value over their lifetime.

An impairment write-off is recognised if the book value of the asset or its cash-generating unit exceeds its estimated recoverable amount. The impairment write-off is recognised in the profit and loss account.

Calculation of recoverable amount

The recoverable amount for assets other than financial assets is the greater of selling value less costs to sell and value in use. To determine the value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value by a pre-tax discount rate, which reflects the current market expectations as to the money value and the asset-specific risk. For assets that do not generate independent cash inflows, the recoverable amount is determined for a given cash-generating unit to which these assets belong.

Reversal of impairment write-offs

An impairment write-off in relation to goodwill is not reversed. An impairment write-off on other assets is reversed if there has been a change in the estimates used for determining the recoverable amount.

An impairment write-off may be reversed only to the level at which the carrying amount of the asset does not exceed its book value, which would be established reduced by depreciation amount if the impairment write-off was not recognised.

Lease contracts

Liabilities show the remaining lease payments to be paid and use the marginal interest rate at the date of first application of IFRS 16 to discount.

As required by the standard, this choice has been applied consistently to all leases in which the Company is a lessee except for short-term and low value leases.

The Branch decided to use the following practical simplification and applied a single discount rate to a portfolio of leases with broadly similar characteristics:

- * cars: 3%
- * office space and car parks, depending on the length of the contract period: 0% 3.04%

The Branch did not make use of any other permitted practical simplification and, for leases ending 12 months of the date of first application, also applied the new model.

In addition, the Branch did not apply the new model for line leases (either short-term or long-term) due to irrelevance.

The Branch has treated as short-term and low-value assets and liabilities for all leases with a term of more than 12 months, except where the asset is of low value.

In this case, the Branch considers USD 5,000 to be low. For the purpose of converting this threshold into PLN, the Branch applies the exchange rate of the NBP prior to the date of commencement of the lease.

The Branch also acts as a sublessee in the sublease of a separate floor of office space with allocated car parks, which it has recognised under the principles of IFRS 16 due to materiality.

After the date of commencement of the lease, an asset by virtue of the right of use is systematically depreciated for the term of the contract and the liability by virtue of the lease is settled (reduced) using an appropriate discount rate, with simultaneous recognition of interest.

The leased are calculated by the Branch in the original currency for a contract, and the conversion into PLN is made:

- in the case of depreciation of an asset, asset revaluation and liability as a result of addenda, at the Nordea Group rate used for the initial recognition of the contract,
- in the case of recognition of a new contract, at the Nordea Group's exchange rate as at the end of the month in which the contract was entered in the accounts,
- in the case of settlement of a liability, at the current exchange rate of the Nordea Group, i.e. on the last day of the month.

As at the balance sheet date, liabilities are measured at the NBP rate.

In the case of an amendment to a lease contract causing a change in the amount and distribution of future cash flows (e.g. as a result of indexation, reducing or extending the contract term) without changing the scope of the contract, the Branch adjusts the value of the leasing asset and liability in the following manner:

- a) it calculates the new value of the liability taking into account the provisions of the modified contract discounted to the beginning of the month in which the modification of the contract terms was approved,
- b) it compares the value in a) with the value of the liability as at the same date calculated under the previous contractual terms;
- c) the amount of the difference between the values in a) and b) is recognised as an adjustment to the value of the lease liability;
- d) the same amount is recognised as an adjustment to the net value of assets under lease, and the value of assets so adjusted is the basis for calculating the updated monthly depreciation amount, taking into account any extension or reduction of the lease term, subject to e);

e) if, as at the date of the reconciliation of the change, the value of the lease asset is 0, then the amount in c) is recognised in profit or loss.

In the case of an amendment to a lease contract resulting in an increase in the scope, e.g. an increase in the leased area, with a simultaneous proportional increase in the fee for the lease, such a change is treated as a separate lease. In the case of an amendment to a lease contract resulting in an increase in the scope, e.g. an increase in the leased area, while not increasing proportionally the fee for the lease, such a change is treated as a modification of the lease and the procedure is analogous to that in a—e above.

Both the modification of the original contract and the formation of a separate lease are calculated using the current discount rate.

In the case of an amendment to the lease which results in a reduction in scope, e.g. a decrease in the leased area, such a change is treated as a modification of the lease and is accounted for as follows:

- a) the new value of the liability is calculated taking into account the provisions of the modified contract discounted to the beginning of the month in which the modification of the terms of the contract is approved;
- b) the net asset value of the lease is reduced in proportion to the reduction in the scope of the lease, e.g. by the percentage of reduction in the area leased;
- c) a comparison shall be made between the amount in (a) and the amount of net assets after the deduction referred to in (b),
- d) any difference from c) is charged to the profit or loss;
- e) the amount of the assets after the reduction referred to in b) forms the basis for calculating the updated monthly depreciation amount.

In the event of an early termination of the lease, the value of the lease liabilities is written down to zero on account of the lease as at the termination date in correspondence with the lease assets. The possible amount of the difference is referred to the profit or loss.

Employee benefits

The Branch maintains the employee pension plan (PPE) for its employees in the form of group life insurance. As an employer, fulfilling the obligations imposed by the law, it is obliged to pay and remit social and health insurance contributions for the employment of employees and contributions to the Labour Fund and Guaranteed Employee Benefits Fund. The Branch also operates the Company Social Benefits Fund, making write-offs in accordance with the generally applicable provisions of law. All these payments constitute an element of short-term employee benefits whose main components are salaries, bonuses and paid holidays. Short-term benefits are recognised in operating costs on general terms. The only elements of long-term employee benefits are provision for pension, disability and survivor benefits, provision for jubilee bonuses and liabilities for bonuses: in the part in which the payment will be made in the period after 12 months from the balance sheet date. These provisions/liabilities are updated once a year.

Provisions

Provisions are recognised in the balance sheet if the Branch has a liability arising from past events, as well as if it is probable that fulfilment of this obligation will result in the outflow of resources embodying economic benefits. If the effect is material, the provision amount is determined using the discounted expected cash flows at the pre-tax rate, reflecting the current market assessment of the time value of money and where it applies to the risk associated with a given liability.

Service revenue

The Branch recognises revenue when the performance is delivered by transferring the promised good (i.e. an asset) or service to the customer in accordance with the contracts entered into. An asset is transferred when the customer obtains control over the asset. The services provided by the Branch are on the basis of internal contracts on a continuous basis with billing periods set in the contract. Invoicing takes place at the end of the contractually agreed billing period. When the service is completed in a given (monthly or quarterly) billing period, the Branch recognises,

as revenue, an amount equal to the transaction price that has been attributed to the provision of the service. The Branch assigns the transaction price to each performance in an amount reflecting the amount of fee to which it is entitled in exchange for the transfer of promised goods or services to the customer.

If the Branch has met the obligation, it presents the contract as a contract asset in the statement of financial position. The Branch presents all unconditional rights to receive compensation separately as receivables.

As a general rule, revenue invoicing takes place on a monthly or quarterly basis, whereby:

- a) invoices for banking process support services rendered in a given month are generally issued by the 15th day of the following month.
- b) invoices for IT services rendered in a given month are generally issued by the end of the month.
- c) invoices for IT services (under DC, C&C) rendered during the quarter are generally issued by the 15th of the following month after the close of the quarter.
- d) invoices for IT services provided to an external customer provided in a given month are generally issued by the 15th of the following month.

In addition, in the case of business and administrative support services for banking processes, due to the net transaction margin method used, in accordance with the invoicing process adopted, provisions are made in the last month of a given year for the revenue of that period (receivables not invoiced at the balance sheet date). The payment period for services rendered is 30 days after invoicing.

Other revenues

Items not related directly to the operating activities of the Branch are presented as part of other revenue. In particular, income arising from the sale and disposal of fixed assets, revenue from re-invoicing, compensation received and revenue from the annual adjustment of VAT are recognised here.

Financial revenue and expenses

Financial revenue and expenses include interest revenue related to cash invested by the Branch. Interest revenue is recognised in profit or loss on the accrual basis, using the effective interest rate.

Interest expense for financial instruments is recognised in the profit and loss account in the amount resulting from the measurement at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method. Financial expenses include interest expense related to external financing, unwinding of discounts on recognised provisions and contingent payments.

The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts or payments made over the expected life of the financial instrument, or where appropriate a shorter period, to the net carrying amount of the financial asset or financial liability. When calculating the effective interest rate, the Branch estimates the cash flows, taking into account all the provisions of the financial instrument contract; however, it does not take into account potential future losses related to the unrecoverability of loans. The calculation includes all fees and points paid and received by the parties to the contract that are an integral part of the effective interest rate, transaction costs and discounts.

Foreign exchange gains and losses are reported on a net basis as either financial revenue or financial expenses, depending on their total net position.

General and administrative expenses

The costs are recognised on an accrual basis, i.e. in the periods to which they relate, regardless of the date of receipt or payment. The main cost items of the Branch's operations include salary costs, premises maintenance and rental costs, third-party IT services, business travel costs and depreciation.

Income tax

Income tax consists of current and deferred tax. Income tax is recognised in the profit and loss account.

The current tax is the expected tax liability relating to taxable income using the tax rate effective as at the balance sheet date, including all adjustments to the tax liability for previous years.

Deferred tax assets and provisions are calculated using the balance method, by calculating temporary differences between the carrying amount of assets and liabilities and their tax value.

Deferred income tax provision and assets are recognised in the statement of financial position as net value or as: Deferred tax assets, or as: Deferred tax provision.

Deferred tax assets in respect of all negative temporary differences are recognised to the that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the negative temporary differences can be utilised. The carrying value of deferred income tax assets is verified as at each balance sheet date and is reduced to the extent that it is not probable to realise the financial gains associated with the assets.

Note 4 - Revenue from the sale of services

The Branch provides various administrative and operational process support services to Nordea Group entities located primarily in the Nordic countries. The Branch provides services to external customers only to a very limited extent.

The following breakdown reflects the structure of business lines as at the balance sheet date.

Revenue from sale: business structure	01/01/2024 – 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 - 31/12/2023
Area of banking process support services		
Group Functions	762,082	655,124
Commercial and business banking (Business Banking)	21,330	17,878
Personal Banking	2,960	2,577
Corporate banking (Large Corporates & Institutions)	2,443	204
Investment banking (Asset and Wealth Management)	2,056	2,623
Total revenue in the area	790,871	678,406
Area of IT services		
Group Functions	697,622	573,885
Personal Banking	7,380	7,606
Total revenue in the area	705,002	581,491
Total revenue from sales of services	1,495,873	1,259,897
Total revenue from the sale of services	1,495,873	1,259,897

In addition to the above-mentioned revenues, the Branch also generated other revenues that do not relate to its core operating activities. They are presented under "other operating revenue" and include the following amounts:

Other revenues from the sale	01/01/2024 – 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 – 31/12/2023
Revenue from re-invoicing	379	496
Other sales	55	57
Revenue from the sale of fixed assets	234	101

Sales by area	01/01/2024 - 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 - 31/12/2023
Sweden	464,140	404,837
Denmark	373,281	306,018
Finland	345,761	292,701
Norway	309,639	254,757
United Kingdom	1,507	1,057
United States	1,052	100
Estonia	438	375
China	55	52
Total sales	1,495,873	1,259,897

Note 5 - Salary costs including surcharges and other employee benefits

	01/01/2024 - 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 - 31/12/2023
Wages and salaries	961,877	808,376
Compulsory social security contributions	169,905	143,509
Other employee benefits	44,501	37,091
Contributions to defined contribution plans	17,902	13,597
CSBF costs	14,157	9,833
Costs of National Fund for the Rehabilitation of Disabled fees	10,463	8,644
Training costs	3,280	3,105
Costs of salaries with overheads and other employee benefits in total	1,222,085	1,024,155

Note 6 - Third-party IT services

	01/01/2024 – 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 - 31/12/2023
IT infrastructure maintenance costs	42,714	23,256
Other IT service costs	2,762	3,372
Outsourced IT services in total	45,476	26,628

IT infrastructure maintenance costs are costs received from other Nordea Group entities related to the development and maintenance of the broadly understood IT facilities together with the necessary software used by the Branch employees.

Note 7 - Other administrative expenses

	01/01/2024 - 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 - 31/12/2023
Administrative costs	8,167	10,028
Accounting and payroll services	6,633	5,346
Purchase of other materials	7,342	6,582
Promotion and advertising services	1,822	2,440
Services of recruitment companies	2,146	997
Postal and telecommunications charges	1,987	1,631
Costs of external consultants	3,678	1,991
Advisory costs	1,677	735
Lease and travel costs	272	357
Bank services	431	453
Other	1,588	2,173
Total other administrative expenses	35,743	32,734

Note 8 - Depreciation

	01/01/2024 -	01/01/2023 -
	31/12/2024	31/12/2023
Leasehold assets	44,148	44,852
Fixed assets	20,007	18,261
Intangible assets	2	4
Total depreciation	64,157	63,117

Note 9 - Other operating expenses and other operating income

Other operating expenses	01/01/2024 – 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 - 31/12/2023
Loss on disposal of non-financial non-current assets	0	267
Other costs	1,158	1,260
Other operating costs in total:	1,158	1,527

Other operating income	01/01/2024 – 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 – 31/12/2023
Reversal of unused provisions	152	814
Revenues from employee benefits	2,353	1,398
Re-invoiced cost revenues	379	496
Revenue from VAT adjustments for previous years	1,407	704
Profit from the sale of non-financial fixed assets	179	0
Other income	490	651
Other operating revenue in total:	4,960	4,063

Note 10 - Costs of operation and maintenance of the premises

	01/01/2024 – 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 – 31/12/2023
Operating costs	21,159	21,928
Other rental costs	5,000	6,029
Security services	1,891	1,676
Total	28,050	29,633

Note 11 – Financial revenue and expenses

Financial revenue	01/01/2024 – 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 – 31/12/2023
Interest revenue on bank accounts	4,287	5,243
Lease interest income, accrued at amortised cost	4	6
Net exchange differences	2,860	11,093
Financial revenue, total	7,151	16,342

Financial expenses	01/01/2024 – 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 - 31/12/2023
Lease interest expense, accrued at amortised cost	387	431
Other interest expense	77	57
Total financial expenses	464	488

Note 12 - Income tax

Income tax	01/01/2024 – 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 – 31/12/2023	
Current part	24,244	16,075	
Income tax for the reporting period	24,244	16,075	
Deferred part (calculation Note 15) included in the result	(2,744)	3,920	
Occurrence of temporary differences	(2,744)	3,920	
Income tax, total	21,500	19,995	
Deferred part (calculation Note 15) included in Other comprehensive income	(203)	153	

Calculation of corporate income tax	01/01/2024 – 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 – 31/12/2023	
Gross profit	99,254	91,136	
Amounts that increase the tax base	105,943	117,002	
Foreign exchange losses	3,317	26,288	
Balance sheet depreciation of fixed assets and intangible assets	20,009	18,264	
Cost of liquidated, unamortised fixed assets	566	1,046	
Right to use leased assets, depreciation	44,148	44,852	
Right to use leased assets, lease interest	383	425	
Representation costs	148	130	
Provision for costs	3,294	2,564	
Right to use leased assets, other including sublease	709	674	
Actuarial reserve	16,043	8,869	
State Fund for the Rehabilitation of the Disabled costs	10,463	8,644	
Donations, non tax-deductible	50	0	
Tax income and expenses relating to prior periods recognised on the	2.462	1.051	
balance sheet in the current period	2,462	1,051	
Trade union costs	42	32	
Operating costs of passenger cars	1,004	1,078	
VAT payable on the free transfer of services and goods	1,148	1,179	
Other costs not constituting tax deductible costs	2,157	1,906	
Amounts that reduce the tax base	74,067	123,693	
Tax depreciation of fixed assets and intangible assets	20,291	23,251	
Right to use leased assets, space and cars	46,836	49,325	
Tax value of liquidated fixed assets	370	932	
Tax expenses recognised on the balance sheet in the previous period	0	7,074	
Unrealised and realised exchange rate gains not constituting tax income	6,565	43,112	
Other non-tax revenues	5	(1)	
Tax base	131,130	84,445	
Other deductions, donations	50		
Tax base at the end of the financial year	131,080	84,445	
Income tax	24,905	16,045	
Adjustments related to current income tax for previous years	(661)	30	
Total current income tax	24,244	16,075	

Reconciliation of effective tax rate	01/01/2024 – 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 – 31/12/2023
Profit/loss before tax	99,254	91,136
Tax based on the applicable tax rate (19%)	(18,858)	(17,316)
Expenses not deductible for tax purposes	(2,849)	(2,429)
Other	207	(250)
Tax in the Statement of Comprehensive Income	(21,500)	(19,995)

Note 13 - Property, plant and equipment, including right to use leased assets Property, plant and equipment from 01/01/2024 to 31/12/2024

	Own fixed assets Right to use leased assets					
	Investments in third party fixed assets	Plant and machinery	Capital work in progress	Office premises and parking areas	Cars	Total
Gross value as at 01/01/2024	74,447	99,136	6,129	374,373	1,076	555,161
Additions	986	16,579	13,940	7,971	9	39,485
purchase	0	0	13,940	0	0	13,940
conclusion/amendment of the lease contract	0	0	0	7,971	9	7,980
reclassification	986	16,579	0	0	0	17,565
Reductions	(1,358)	(12,174)	(17,564)	(9,138)	(606)	(40,840)
reclassification	0	0	(17,564)	0	0	(17,564)
lease contract termination	0	0	0	(5,620)	(603)	(6,223)
liquidation	(1,358)	(4,361)	0	0	0	(5,719)
sale	0	(7,813)	0	0	0	(7,813)
other	0	0	0	(3,518)	(3)	(3,521)
Gross value as at 31/12/2024	74,075	103,541	2,505	373,205	479	553,805
Depreciation and impairment losses as at 01/01/2024	(37,861)	(66,093)	0	(175,701)	(857)	(280,512)
Additions	(6,947)	(13,059)	0	(43,943)	(205)	(64,154)
amortisation/depreciation	(6,947)	(13,059)	0	(43,943)	(205)	(64,154)
Reductions	1,060	11,906	0	5,620	603	19,189
lease contract termination	0	0	0	5,620	603	6,223
liquidation	1,060	4,303	0	0	0	5,363
sale	0	7,603	0	0	0	7,603
other	0	0	0	0	0	0
Depreciation and impairment losses as at 31/12/2024	(43,748)	(67,246)	0	(214,024)	(459)	(325,479)
Net value at 31/12/2024	30,326	36,295	2,505	159,181	20	228,326

Property, plant and equipment from 01/01/2023 to 31/12/2023

	Own fixed assets		Right to use	e leased assets		
	Investments in third party fixed assets	Plant and machinery	Capital work in progress	Office premises and parking areas	Cars	Total
Gross value as at 01/01/2023	76,011	104,100	7,292	369,884	1,342	558,629
Additions	200	14,404	13,441	21,032	0	49,077
purchase	0	0	13,441	0	0	13,441
conclusion/amendment of the lease contract	0	0	0	21,032	0	21,032
reclassification	200	14,404	0	0	0	14,604
Reductions	(1,764)	(19,367)	(14,604)	(16,545)	(266)	(52,544)
reclassification	0	0	(14,604)	0	0	(14,604)
lease contract termination	0	0	0	(16,158)	(253)	(16,411)
liquidation	(1,764)	(459)	0	0	0	(2,222)
sale	0	(9,995)	0	0	0	(9,995)
other	0	(8,913)	0	(387)	(13)	(9,312)
Gross value as at 31/12/2023	74,447	99,136	6,129	374,373	1,076	555,162
Depreciation and impairment losses as at 01/01/2023	(32,696)	(73,083)	0	(147,312)	(804)	(253,895)
Additions	(6,929)	(11,332)	0	(44,546)	(306)	(63,113)
amortisation/depreciation	(6,929)	(11,332)	0	(44,546)	(306)	(63,113)
Reductions	1,764	18,322	0	16,158	253	36,496
lease contract termination	0	0	0	16,158	253	16,411
liquidation	1,764	394	0	0	0	2,158
sale	0	9,457	0	0	0	9,457
other	0	8,471	0	0	0	8,471
Depreciation and impairment losses as at 31/12/2023	(37,861)	(66,093)	0	(175,701)	(857)	(280,512)
Net value as at 31/12/2023	36,585	33,043	6,129	198,672	219	274,649

Capital work in progress

As at 31 December 2024, the Branch classified as capital work in progress the funds which will be put into use in subsequent fiscal years with a value of PLN 2,505,000 (investments in a third-party facility, computer hardware, conference equipment, server equipment, furniture and mobile phones).

Impairment

As at 31 December 2024, the Branch Director ordered an impairment test of property, plant and equipment and the right to use leased assets, which showed no need for write-downs.

Note 14 - Intangible assets

Table of movements of intangible assets 01/01/2024 to 31/12/2024

Specification	Licences, computer software	Intangible assets under construction	Total
Gross value as at 01/01/2024	61	0	61
Gross value as at 31/12/2024	61	0	61
Depreciation and impairment losses as at 01/01/2024	(47)	0	(47)
amortisation/depreciation	(2)	0	(2)
Depreciation and impairment losses as at 31/12/2024	(49)	0	(49)
Net value at 31/12/2024	12	0	12

Table of movements of intangible assets 01/01/2023 to 31/12/2023

Specification	Licences, computer software	Intangible assets under construction	Total
Gross value as at 01/01/2023	61	0	61
Gross value at 31/12/2023	61	0	61
Depreciation and impairment losses as at 01/01/2023	(43)	0	(43)
amortisation/depreciation	(4)	0	(4)
Depreciation and impairment losses as at 31/12/2023	(47)	0	(47)
Net value as at 31/12/2023	14	0	14

Impairment

As at 31 December 2024, the Branch Management carried out an impairment test on intangible assets, which showed no need for impairment losses.

Note 15 - Deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities

Deferred tax assets and liabilities were recognised with respect to the following components of assets and liabilities:

	Assets		Liabilities		Net value	
	31/12/2024	31/12/2023	31/12/2024	31/12/2023	31/12/2024	31/12/2023
Property, plant and equipment and intangible assets	0	0	5,130	5,075	(5,130)	(5,075)
Cash and cash equivalents	15	0	0	7	15	(7)
Trade and other receivables	2	0	0	0	2	0
Provisions	28,233	24,304	0	0	28,233	24,304
Liabilities for the right to use leased assets	31,942	40,545	0	0	31,942	40,545
Receivables from the right of use leased assets	0	0	30,248	37,789	(30,248)	(37,789)
Receivables from subletting leased space	0	0	391	502	(391)	(502)
Deferred income tax assets/liabilities	60,192	64,849	35,769	43,373	24,423	21,476
Deferred income tax assets/liabilities recognised in the statement of financial position	60,192	64,849	35,769	43,373	24,423	21,476

Note 16 - Long-term investments

	as at 01/01/2024	received	increases	interest accrued	repayment	reductions	as at 31/12/2024
Lease receivables	2,644	170	0	4	(713)	(44)	2,061

The Branch signed a sublease contract in August 2021 for one floor in a group of buildings in Gdynia. The entity reclassified the corresponding value of the right of use in long-term investments (receivable from sublease of office space).

Lease receivables by maturity	01/01/2024 - 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 - 31/12/2023
Up to 1 year	705	673
from 1 to 2 years	707	675
from 2 to 3 years	649	676
from 3 to 4 years	0	620
Total	2,061	2,644

Invoices for subleases are issued with a 30-day payment deadline. At the moment, the Branch has not recorded any payment bottlenecks.

Financial result on office sublease	01/01/2024 - 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 - 31/12/2023		
Leasing costs relating to leased space	(677)	(674)		
Proceeds from sublease	715	709		
Result from sublease	38	35		

Note 17 - Trade receivables, uninvoiced receivables and other receivables

	31/12/2024	31/12/2023
Trade receivables from related undertakings	181,694	153,977
of which not invoiced at the balance sheet date	0	13
Other trade receivables	267	138
of which not invoiced at the balance sheet date	11	26
Receivables from taxes, subsidies, customs, social security, health insurance and other benefits	0	1,593
Other receivables	209	18
Total	182,170	155,726

Note 18 - Cash and cash equivalents

	31/12/2024	31/12/2023
Cash in hand and at bank	137,703	114,635
Restricted cash (VAT account)	1,411	0
Cash and cash equivalents presented in the statement of cash flows	139,114	114,635

Note 19 - Long-term liabilities due to settlements with Branch Headquarters

The Bank's branch does not have equity. Settlements with the Bank's Headquarters make up profits or losses for the financial years of the Branch. In 2023, the Branch paid PLN 103,482,000 to Nordea ABP, Finland, for the settlement of retained earnings. In 2024, there were further disbursements totalling PLN 78,117,000. The Branch's operations are financed from its working capital.

Long-term liabilities for settlements with the Bank's Head Office	01/01/2024 - 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 - 31/12/2023
At the beginning of the period	110,477	142,168
Net profit/loss	76,890	71,791
Profit transfer	(78,117)	(103,482)
As at the end of the period	109,250	110,477

Note 20 - Liabilities due to loans, borrowings and other debt instruments

Terms and schedule for repayment of loans and borrowings

As at 31 December 2024, the Branch does not have a bank overdraft; the loan agreement expired on 24 November 2020. The current global limit as at 31/12/2024 is PLN 8 million.

The table below shows a reconciliation of movements in liabilities arising from the financial position:

Item	As at 01/01/2024	increases	interest accrued	repayment	valuation	Lease contract termination	As at 31/12/2024
Credit card liabilities	983	5,588	0	(5,378)	0	0	1,193
Lease liabilities	213,393	8,143	387	(46,837)	(3,454)	(3,521)	168,112

Note 21 - Contingent liabilities

As at the balance sheet date of 31/12/2024, the Branch has no loan commitments.

Bank guarantees

Bank guarantees were opened in connection with the Branch's lease contracts for office space. Guarantees were concluded between the landlords (beneficiaries) and the tenant (Branch) to secure claims in the event of damage caused by non-performance or improper performance of the lease contract. The security is the equivalent of a 3-month rent and the amount of rent VAT, down payment for the Maintenance Fee for 3 months and the amount of VAT on the fee.

Bank guarantees were granted by mBank SA.

Beneficiary	Guarantee number	Currency	Expiry date	EUR	PLN
Tensor Poland Sp. z o.o.	13029KPA19	EUR	31 March 2025	703	0
Olivia Star SA	13085KPA18	PLN	31 August 2026	0	3,599
Łużycka Park Investment Sp. z o.o.	13127KPA17	PLN	31 August 2025	0	1,378
Łużycka Park Investment Sp. z o.o.	13128KPA17	PLN	31 August 2025	0	1,336
Pancole Sp. z o.o. (Libra Business Centre II)	13203KPA19	EUR	31 January 2026	639	771

Guarantees received:

Under a contract concluded on 30/08/2021, the Branch subleases office space in Gdynia. As collateral for the receivables, it received a bank guarantee of PLN 331,000.

	31/12,	/2024			
Debtor	Guarantee number	Currency	Expiry date	EUR	PLN
Schenker Sp. z o.o.	MT22397KPA21	PLN	30/08/2026	0	331

Note 22 - Provisions

	31/12/2024	31/12/2023
Provision for pensions and related benefits - as at 1 January	44,750	36,684
Creation of provisions	18,916	9,408
long- and short-term actuarial provisions	18,916	9,408
Release of provisions	(2,369)	(1,341)
long- and short-term actuarial provisions	(1,805)	(1,341)
restructuring provision	(564)	0
Use of provisions	(2,369)	(1,341)
Value at 31 December	61,297	44,750
Provision for pensions and related benefits:	61,297	44,751
short-term part	3,479	2,555
long-term part	57,818	42,196

Note 23 - Trade and other payables

	31/12/2024	31/12/2023
Other long-term liabilities	958	461
liabilities for employee benefits	958	461
Short-term liabilities	228,851	201,052
Trade liabilities	882	695
trade payables from other undertakings	882	695
Other short-term liabilities	227,969	200,357
provision for costs to be paid	86,048	82,504
public law liabilities	39,802	32,602
short-term liabilities to employees	102,033	85,251
deferred income	86	0
Income tax liabilities	10,100	0
Trade and other liabilities	239,909	201,513

In the "short-term liabilities to employees" item, the Branch mainly includes provisions for salaries and wages of PLN 99,651,000.

Note 24 - Leases

Lease payments

Payments for lease contracts are as follows:

Leases in the period from 01/01/2024 to 31/12/2024

	Office premises and parking areas	Cars
Fixed lease payments	46,712	215
Variable lease payments*	658	0
Total	47,370	215

Leases in the period from 01/01/2023 to 31/12/2023

	Office premises and parking areas	Cars
Fixed lease payments	49,329	322
Variable lease payments*	308	0
Total	49,637	322

*the variable lease payments include, in the case of office space and car parks, the effect of annual rent adjustment for the past months, and in the case of cars, the effect of changes in rent payments introduced by amendments for the past months. Penalties associated with the termination of lease contracts are also recorded here.

Lease payments for office space and car parks according to contracts are subject to annual indexation. For most contracts, indexation is based on the Eurozone inflation index (MUICP or HICP) for the previous year. As this index is published a few months after the end of the year and the contracts usually stipulate that the rent adjustment applies from 1 January each year, lessors are able to issue the first invoice according to the new rates usually for February. In addition, they recalculate the rent for the already invoiced month of January by issuing a correcting invoice. The amounts from these adjustment invoices are treated by the Branch as variable lease payments, while with effect from the month for which the first invoice with the adjusted rent is issued (usually from February), the Branch updates the lease payment schedule, recognising this as an amendment to the lease contract.

The level of MUICP/HICP ratio equal to 1% would translate into an increase of total lease payments for office space and car parks by 1%.

In the case of cars, an increase in the rent rate during the contract is rare, no general mechanism for determining it has been created (it is of a discretionary nature) and in such situations a relevant amendment is signed. Here, too, it may happen that it applies retroactively and the lessor issues correcting invoices for past months: the amounts of such adjustments are treated by the Branch as variable lease payments.

Due to the discretionary nature of such increases, negotiated individually, there is no connection between the external, objective factor/measure and the change of lease payments.

Payments under short-term and low-value lease contracts are presented below:

Short-term and low-value leases	01/01/2024 – 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 - 31/12/2023
Short-term lease	292	656
Low-value lease	34	34
Total	326	690

Lease liabilities by maturity

The table below presents financial liabilities based on contractual maturities.

The amounts presented in the table are discounted cash flows:

Lease commitments by maturity	01/01/2024 - 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 – 31/12/2023
Up to 1 year	44,636	45,281
1–5 years	106,782	140,180
Over 5 years	16,694	27,932
Total	168,112	213,393

The undiscounted cash flows from lease liabilities are presented by the Branch in Note 27 - Liquidity risk. Estimated future variable lease payments (understood as described above, i.e. assuming that lessors of office space and parking space will issue corrective invoices taking into account the effect of rent indexation for 2024 in February for January) will be PLN 81,000 in 2025.

Explanation of the statement of comprehensive income lease related items

There are items in the statement of comprehensive income:

Lease-related costs	01/01/2024 – 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 - 31/12/2023
Costs of operation and maintenance of the premises	28,050	29,633
Other administrative expenses, lease	272	357
Financial expenses, lease interest expenses	387	431

Depreciation and amortisation	01/01/2024 – 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 – 31/12/2023
Office premises and parking areas	43,943	44,546
Cars	205	306
Total	44,148	44,852

Lease cash flow	01/01/2024 – 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 – 31/12/2023	
Repayment of the principal	46,837	49,325	
Interest	387	431	
Total lease in financial activities	47,224	49,756	
Lease flows in operating activities	984	998	
Total cash outflows	48,208	50,754	

Weighted average lease interest rate

The weighted average marginal lease interest rate applied by the Branch is 0.2%.

It is divided into classes:

Office premises and parking areas 0.2%

Cars 3.0%

It was calculated for contracts in force as at 31/12/2024.

Note 25 - Transactions with related undertakings

The Branch provides its services to other entities in the Nordea Group, including the Bank of which it is a Branch, as well as to other branches of the Bank, and to the Bank's affiliates and joint ventures, and all transactions are carried out on an arm's length basis.

Transactions with executives

Loans to the management of the Branch

No loans were granted to the Branch's Management.

Executive remuneration

The costs of base salary paid out in 2024 to the Branch Management were PLN 2,010,000 (2023: PLN 1,162,000). The cost of bonuses and rewards paid to Executives in 2024 was PLN 69,000 (2023: PLN 16,000). Employee pension plan contributions for 2024 for the Branch Management was PLN 48,000 (2023: PLN 38,000).

Transactions with related undertakings in the Group

Sales of services	01/01/2024 – 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 – 31/12/2023
Nordea Bank Abp, filial i Sverige	460,673	401,982
Nordea Bank Abp	336,527	284,266
Nordea Danmark, filial af Nordea Bank Abp	371,924	304,662
Nodea Bank Abp, filial i Norge	306,719	252,377
Nordea Finance Finland Ltd	9,236	8,432
Nordea Finans Sverige AB	3,471	2,851
Nordea Finans Norge AS	2,876	2,377
Nordea Finans Danmark A/S	1,360	1,353
Nordea Bank Abp London Branch	1,507	1,057
Nordea Bank Abp Estonia	438	375
Nordea Bank Abp (publ) New York Branch	1,052	100
Nordea Bank Abp Shanghai Branch	55	52
Nordea Finance Equipment AS Norway Branch	47	0
Total sales of services	1,495,886	1,259,884

Other transactions	01/01/2024 – 31/12/2024	01/01/2023 – 31/12/2023
Other operating income		
Nordea Bank Abp	22	13
Nordea Bank Abp, filial i Sverige	7	4
Nordea Danmark, filial af Nordea Bank Abp	29	7
Nordea Bank Abp, Norwegian Branch	0	2
Nordea Bank Abp Estonia Branch	2	0
Other operating revenue in total:	59	26
Costs of IT services		
Nordea Bank Abp Denmark Branch	0	(1)
Nordea Bank Abp, filial and Sver	0	(1)
Nordea Bank Oyj	0	(1)
Costs of IT services in total	0	(3)
TP IT service costs		
Nordea Danmark, filial af Nordea Bank Abp	(13,668)	(7,907)
Nordea Bank Abp, filial i Sverige	(12,814)	(6,744)
Nordea Bank Abp	(11,533)	(6,047)
Nodea Bank Abp, filial i Norge	(4,699)	(2,558)
Total costs of IT TP services	(42,714)	(23,256)
Other expenses		
Nordea Bank Abp	(0)	(1,167)
Other costs in total	(0)	(1,167)
Total other transactions	(42,655)	(24,400)

Settlements with entities in the Group	31/12/2024	31/12/2023	
Trade receivables (including non-invoiced)			
Nordea Bank Abp, filial i Sverige	43,394	37,360	
Nordea Bank Abp	44,431	39,299	
Nodea Bank Abp, filial i Norge	38,935	30,930	
Nordea Danmark, filial af Nordea Bank Abp	52,037	44,696	
Nordea Finance Finland Ltd	705	623	
Nordea Finans Norge AS	545	387	
Nordea Finans Danmark A/S	148	207	
Nordea Bank Abp London Branch	279	192	
Nordea Finans Sverige	723	205	
Nordea Bank Abp Estonia Branch	68	60	
Nordea Bank Abp (publ) New York Branch	396	15	
Nordea Bank Abp Shanghai Branch	3	3	
Nordea Finance Equipment AS Norway Branch	30	0	
Total trade receivables (including uninvoiced)	181,694	153,977	

All transactions with related undertakings were concluded under market conditions.

Note 26 - Financial instruments: fair value and other disclosures

Breakdown of financial instruments into categories

The table below shows the Branch's financial instruments by categories:

	31/12/2024	31/12/2023
Cash and cash equivalents	139,114	114,635
Total financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss	139,114	114,635
Lease receivables	2,061	2,644
Trade and other receivables*	182,170	155,726
Total financial assets measured at amortised cost	184,231	158,370
Trade liabilities	882	695
Lease liabilities	168,112	213,393
Total financial liabilities measured at amortised cost	168,994	214,088

^{*} The item includes invoiced and uninvoiced trade receivables and deposits paid.

Fair value of financial assets and liabilities

Fair value is the amount for which an asset could be exchanged, or a liability discharged, between knowledgeable and willing parties in an arm's length transaction other than a forced sale or liquidation and is best represented by the market price, if available.

Financial instruments are measured at fair value broken down by individual measurement methods. Respective levels are defined as follows:

- prices quoted (not adjusted) from active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1)
- inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable or observable for asset or liability, either directly (i.e. in the form of prices) or indirectly (i.e. through price-based calculations) (Level 2)
- inputs for the valuation of an asset or liability that are not based on market data (i.e. unobservable inputs) (Level 3)

Below is a summary of the carrying amounts and fair values of each group of assets and liabilities.

		31/12/2024		31/12/2023	
Fair value of assets and liabilities		Carrying amount	Fair value	Carrying amount	Fair value
Financial assets					
Cash and cash equivalents	Level 1	139,114	139,114	114,635	114,635
Trade and other receivables	Level 2	182,170	182,170	155,726	155,726
Financial liabilities					
Trade liabilities	Level 2	882	882	695	695

Determining the fair value

Below is a summary of the main methods and assumptions used when estimating the fair value for financial instruments presented in the table above.

In the case of short-term financial assets and liabilities, it is assumed that the carrying amount of these instruments is approx. equal to their fair value.

Cash and cash equivalents: In the case of bank deposits and funds in the Branch's current accounts, it is assumed that their fair value does not differ materially from their carrying value due to their short maturity.

Trade and other receivables are reported net of impairment losses. In the opinion of the entity manager, individual write-downs do not materially affect the Branch's view of its assets and financial position. Due to the short maturity, it is assumed that the carrying amount is equal to fair value.

Loans and trade payables, in the case of loans without fixed repayment schedules, the fair value is taken to be the amount that would have been paid on demand at the balance sheet date.

In the case of liabilities to suppliers, it is assumed that their fair value does not significantly differ from the carrying amount, due to short maturity.

Other disclosures

The Branch did not reclassify financial instruments between categories in the current or previous period.

The Branch does not offset financial assets and liabilities.

No collateral for liabilities or contingent liabilities was established against the Branch's financial assets.

The Branch has no derivative instruments.

The only item in the statement of comprehensive income that relates to financial instruments is interest expense on leases, disclosed in Note 24.

Note 27 - Financial risk management

Credit risk

The carrying amounts of financial assets correspond to the maximum exposure to credit risk. At the end of the reporting period, the maximum credit risk exposure is as follows:

Financial assets	Note	31/12/2024	31/12/2023
Receivables	17	182,170	155,726
Cash	18	139,114	114,635

The table above includes all receivables exposed to credit risk, including those that do not constitute financial assets. By credit risk, the Branch understands the probability that the counterparty will meet the obligations untimely or will completely fail to meet them. Financial assets potentially exposing the Branch to the concentration of the credit risk include mainly trade receivables.

In the case of the Branch, the majority of counterparties are units of the same group and are financial institutions (banks) or leasing and factoring companies. In the opinion of the Branch Management, the financial performance of individual entities of the Nordea Group do not indicate a risk in connection with meeting the obligations to the Branch. Moreover, since most of them are banks, it is obligatory for them to have adequate liquidity and provisions to secure it.

The Branch does not believe that the current risk concentration is significant: counterparties are from several dozen different countries, the Branch defines its credit risk exposure as total unsettled receivables (including overdue balances) and monitors balances regularly for each counterparty. The adopted repayment period for receivables related to the normal sales of services is from 14 to 30 days.

Below there is the concentration of trade receivables as a percentage of total trade receivables:

Trade receivables (net) without impairment	31/12/2024	31/12/2023
Denmark	28.7%	29.1%
Finland	24.8%	25.9%
Sweden	24.3%	24.4%
Norway	21.7%	20.3%
United States	0.2%	0.0%
United Kingdom	0.2%	0.1%
Poland	0.1%	0.1%
Estonia	0.0%	0.1%
Total	100.0%	100.0%

The table above includes both invoiced receivables (including sales of fixed assets) and uninvoiced receivables, excluding receivables from deposits paid.

Trade receivables without impairment according to the overdue period

Receivables	Non-past due receivables	Past due receivables in days		
		1–30	31–90	more than 90
from related undertakings	181,429	43	222	0
from other undertakings	180	1	0	86
Total	181,609	44	222	86

The table above includes both invoiced receivables (including sales of fixed assets) and uninvoiced receivables, excluding receivables from deposits paid.

The credit quality of overdue receivables without impairment is satisfactory. These are mainly receivables from related undertakings, the other banks of the Nordea Group that have liquidity at a safe level.

In the opinion of the entity manager, individual write-downs do not materially affect the Branch's view of its assets and financial position.

Liquidity risk

The main task in the liquidity risk management process is ongoing control and planning of the liquidity level.

The liquidity level is controlled by preparing a cash flow forecast. Cash flow realisation is cyclically verified and includes the analysis of unrealised cash flows, their causes and effects.

Safeguarding against liquidity risk, the Branch has free working capital in the bank account of more than PLN 100,000,000 as at 31 December 2024.

The Branch places a portion of the funds received in the form of a Short-Term Deposit, which is taken into account in the calculation of the liquidity reserve.

As at 31/12/2024, there is a surplus of current assets over current liabilities approximately PLN 37 million. This is mainly due to an increase in cash in bank accounts, influenced by an increase in the Branch's turnover as well as an improvement in revenue recovery. Management sees no liquidity risk. Nordea Bank Abp, as the parent company of the Branch, monitors its liquidity on an ongoing basis and is prepared to support its Branch financially. The table below shows an analysis of financial liabilities by maturity according to the remaining period to contractual maturity at the balance sheet date for all non-derivative financial liabilities. The amounts shown in the table represent the contractual undiscounted cash flows.

Maturities of financial liabilities as at 31/12/2024	Less than 3 months PLN '000	3–12 months PLN '000	1–5 years PLN '000	More than 5 years PLN '000	Total contractual cash flows PLN '000	Balance sheet of liabilities PLN '000
Trade liabilities						
	882	-	-	-	882	882
Loans	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lease liabilities	10,465	34,171	106,782	16,694	168,112	168,112
Total	11,347	34,171	106,782	16,694	168,994	168,994

The Branch had no derivatives in 2024.

Maturities of financial liabilities as at 31/12/2023	Less than 3 months PLN '000	3–12 months PLN '000	1–5 years PLN '000	More than 5 years PLN '000	Total contractual cash flows PLN '000	Balance sheet of liabilities PLN '000
Trade liabilities	695	-	-	-	695	695
Loans	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lease liabilities	11,481	34,192	140,755	27,950	214,378	213,393
Total	12,176	34,192	140,755	27,950	215,073	214,088

The Branch had no derivatives in 2023.

Risk of currency fluctuations

The revenue and expenses of the Branch are expressed mainly in the Polish currency. A portion of trade payables and receivables are expressed in foreign currencies, euro, US dollar, Danish krone, Swedish krone and Norwegian krone. The table below presents the main currency exposures of the Branch and potential foreign exchange profits/losses on these exposures resulting from a hypothetical 10% appreciation/depreciation of the PLN against other currencies.

Financial instrument (PLN '000)	Exposure affecting the financial result as at 31/12/2024		Sensitivity to a change in the PLN exchange rate against other currencies as at 31/12/2024	
	Curroney	PLN	+10%	-10%
	Currency		PLN	PLN
Trade receivables (EUR)	15,029	64,220	70,642	57,798
Total	15,029	64,220	70,642	57,798

The above table only includes invoiced receivables and liabilities, without any deposit receivables.

Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows from a financial instrument will change as a result of changes in interest rates. As the Branch does not have any loan commitments, it was not exposed to interest rate risk arising from any loan commitments in 2024.

As at the balance sheet date, the Branch had no loan commitments.

Note 28 - Employment

The average annual headcount in the Branch was 5,889 (2023: 5,525).

All persons employed are white-collar workers.

Note 29 - Fee for the entity authorised to audit financial statements

The entity auditing the financial statements of the Branch is PricewaterhouseCoopers Polska Spółka z ograniczoną odpowiedzialnością Audyt Sp. k.

The table below shows the fee for this entity for 2024:

Type of service (PLN '000)	31/12/2024	31/12/2023
Audit of the financial statements:	293	270
Total	293	270 270

No other entity from the network to which the auditing company belongs provided services for the Branch in 2024.

Note 30 - Impact of Russia's aggression against Ukraine and the entity's financial position

The Russian aggression in Ukraine, which began on 24 February 2022 in the opinion of the Branch Manager, does not currently have a direct impact on the Branch's operational risk. As at the balance sheet date, there are few employees from the countries involved in the conflict. However, the situation may have an impact on exchange rate risk.

At the time of preparation of the financial statements, the banking sector and the financial industry in which the Branch operates appear stable. The Branch's management does not receive any signals from counterparties that the demand for services provided by the Branch is expected to decrease in the near future.

Note 31 - Events after the end of the reporting period

There were no other events requiring inclusion in the Financial Statements for 2024 after the balance sheet date.

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