

# Achmea Soft Bullet Covered Bond Investor Presentation

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### **Executive summary**

### Achmea Bank highlights

#### Well established originator

- Achmea Bank plays a strategically important role in the retirement services strategy of Achmea Group. Our mortgage and savings products complement the wider range of insurance products provided by Achmea Group. Achmea Bank is the competence and service centre for retail savings products within Achmea Group
- Well established originator of mortgages with 50 years of experience
- Three labels: Centraal Beheer, Woonfonds and Acier (closed book)

#### **Low Risk**

- High quality mortgage portfolio with low arrears and write-offs
- Strong capital and liquidity position
- Diversified funding base, which comprises a mix of retail savings and wholesale funding

#### Strong ratings profile

Fitch: A/F1 (stable outlook) reaffirmed April 2023

S&P: A-/A-2 (stable outlook) reaffirmed June 2023

KEY FIGURES (IN EUR MILLION)		
Achmea Bank NV	HY 2023	FY 2022
Total assets	14,620	13,933
Mortgages (nominal)	13,400	12,432
Savings	8.794	7,835
Capital base	774	776
Risk Weighted Assets	4,527	4,264
Profit before income taxes	33	18
LCR (Liquidity Coverage Ratio)	138%	211%
Leverage Ratio	5.2%	5.4%
NIM (Net Interest Margin)	1.57%	0.98%
Common Equity Tier 1 Ratio	17.1%	18.2%
Total Capital Ratio	17.1%	18.2%



### **Executive summary**

#### Soft Bullet programme highlights

**Issuer** Achmea Bank N.V.

Programme Size EUR 10 billion

Format Soft Bullet

**Extension Period** Maximum of 12 months

Rating (S&P) AAA

**Guarantor** Achmea SB Covered Bond Company B.V.

**Collateral** Prime Dutch Residential Mortgages

Originators Achmea Bank N.V. and Achmea Hypotheken B.V.

**Favourable Regulatory** 

Treatment

• Qualify as LCR eligible (Level 1)

Solvency II eligible

ECB CBPP3 eligible

UCITS and CRR article 129 compliant

ECB repo eligible

Governing Law ✓ Dutch Covered Bond Regulations

✓ European Covered Bond (Premium) Label

**Robust Structure** • Strong programme tests: ACT & AT

Asset Percentage of 90.27%

Reporting NTT and HTT reporting (ECBC Covered Bond Label)

#### **Currently, seven Soft Bullet Covered Bonds outstanding**

- Issued an inaugural 15years Soft Bullet Covered Bond (SB CB) transaction in September 2021, followed by a 7 years transaction (May 2022) and another 7 years transaction (January 2023)
- After a successful consent solicitation, Achmea Bank finalized the transfer of the three CBs issued under its Conditional Pass-Through (CPT CB) programme to its SB CB programme in June 2023
- In October 2023 Achmea Bank issued a 3 years transaction

#### Mortgage loan portfolio

- Total mortgage book of EUR 13.4 billion (HY 2023), including portfolios from Acier, a.s.r.,
   Obvion and Dynamic Credit Hypotheken
- Strong production increase Achmea Hypotheken (AMIP) through 2022 and first half of 2023
- New agreements in 2023 with a.s.r. and DMFCO (Munt) to increase mortgage production for the next three years
- High quality mortgage portfolios with low historic arrears and write-offs
- Currently, only Achmea Bank and Achmea Hypotheken mortgages are eligible for the Soft Bullet Covered Bond Programme



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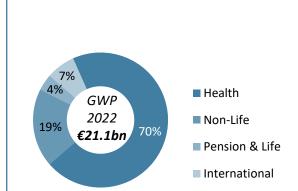
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### 1. Achmea

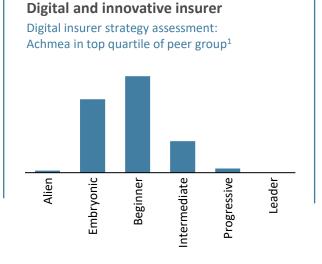
Dutch market leader with a mutual identity with strong brands, diversified distribution and innovative services





Diversified written premium base





#### Main characteristics

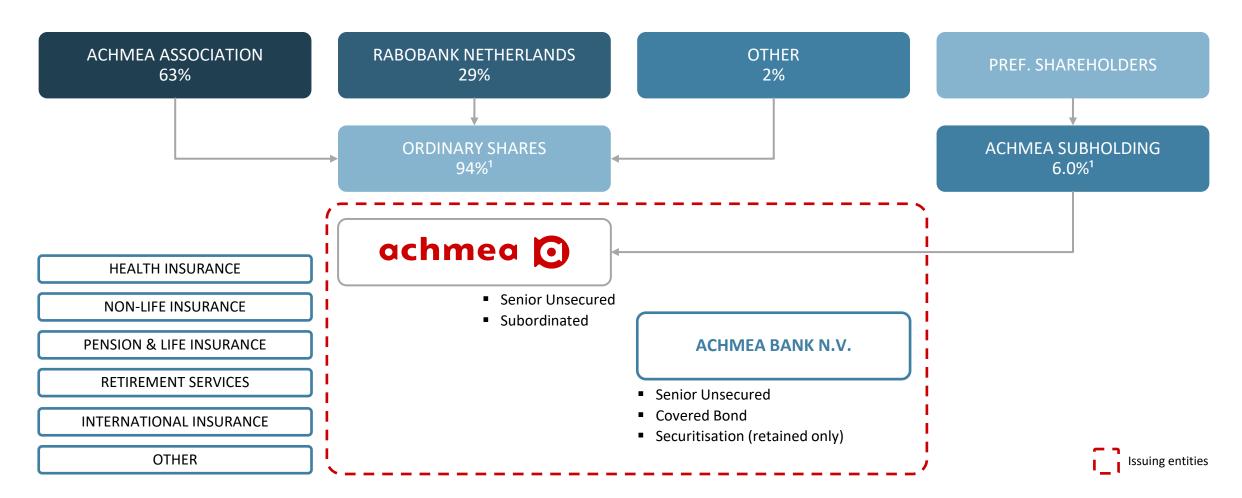
- Strong and solid insurance group with a mutual identity, founded in 1811
- Clear market leader in Dutch Non-Life and Health insurance, well positioned in Dutch fiduciary asset management
- Interpolis, Centraal Beheer and Zilveren Kruis are among the most recognised insurance brands in the Dutch market with high Net Promotor Scores (NPS)
- Well diversified distribution mix through the intermediary, direct and banking channels; well positioned for market developments
- Recognised as market leader in innovation and digitisation
- Positioned for growth through:
  - Unique distribution mix
  - Know-how in Dutch retirement market, with asset management, mortgages and pension administration services
  - Selected international markets

<sup>1</sup> Gartner digital insurer strategy assessment, January 2021

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### 1. Achmea

Ownership Structure - Stability through two major cooperative shareholders

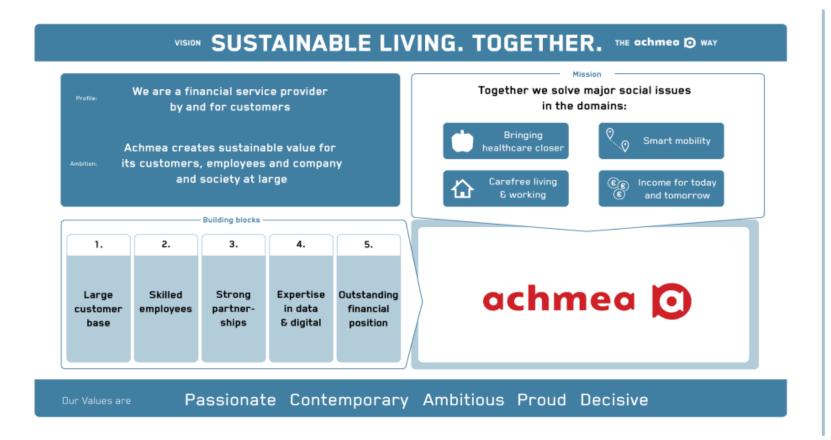


<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Owners of voting rights; the preferred shares were withdrawn as of December 31, 2023



### 1. Achmea Bank & role within Achmea

With ODV at the heart of Achmea's purpose



The vision of Achmea is Sustainable Living. Together.

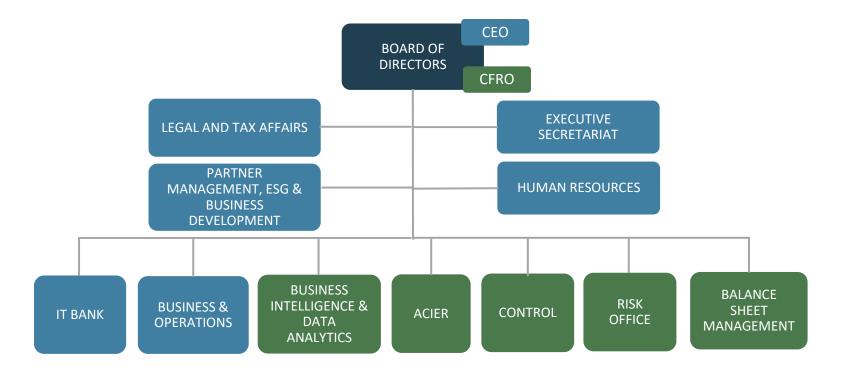
- Achmea Bank is part of the Retirement Services strategy focussed on the missions:
  - Income for today and tomorrow
  - Carefree living and working
- From the Achmea brand we fulfil our role as financial services provider. For our customers we strive for:
  - Meaningful investments for our clients
  - Financial and social returns
- Achmea Bank makes relevant contribution to Retirement Services growth strategy
- Together with Centraal Beheer and in- and external partners, we offer financial solutions for retirement and the purchase of a house. We offer customers simple and transparent mortgage and savings products and retail investment services

### Organisation functions in harmony with Achmea Group

Achmea Bank has a statutory board consisting of two persons. According to the Articles of Association, the Managing Board of Achmea Bank reports to the Supervisory Board of Achmea Bank N.V. See below for the hierarchical structure and organization.

Achmea Group (staff) departments assist Achmea Bank with:

- General IT
- Internal Audit
- Model Validation
- Corporate Finance
- Treasury
- Centraal Beheer (Marketing & Sales and customer support)
- Human Resource Management





#### Sound strategy in current market circumstances

Achmea Bank's strategy is aimed at a profitable asset growth, a further development into a professional network bank and the strengthening of Centraal Beheer as a broad financial services provider in insurance, savings, investments, mortgages and other financial services.

#### **Strategic priorities Achmea Bank**

- Robust growth of the mortgage portfolio and profitability, through
  - Growth in mainstream mortgage market through Centraal Beheer through AMIP
  - Selected growth in niche markets
  - Investments in credit portfolios of third parties
- Growing savings portfolio and lowering capital requirement
- Growing investments portfolio
- Integrating ESG into strategy, governance, risk metrics and operational steering towards achieving ESG goals
- Lower capital charge and increase ROE by implementing Advanced IRB model. AIRB status was granted by DNB in September 2023
- Continuous investment in digitalisation and data(management) capabilities
- Developing new business models (e.g. PSD2)





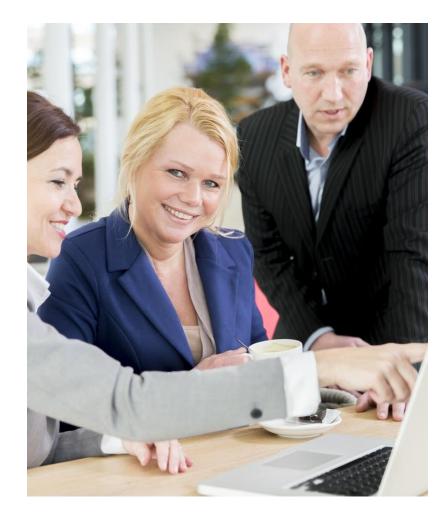
#### Sound risk management framework

- Achmea Bank has its own Finance & Risk Committee structure and participates in the Achmea Group Finance & Risk Committee
- Achmea Bank has an Asset and Liability Committee which focuses on balance sheet and financial risk management to mitigate liquidity risk, solvency risk, professional counterparty risk, interest rate risk and FX risk
- Financial risks are proactively managed through hedging, resulting in limited exposure to interest rate risk and a negligible net exposure to liquidity and currency risk
- Service Level Agreements and Service Level Management are in place to manage the relations with external partners (Quion and Stater) and other Achmea entities (IT services, Centraal Beheer, Treasury, Corporate Finance, and Syntrus Achmea)

#### **Three Lines Model:**

Achmea Bank's risk management relies on:

- First line: risk takers (Managing Board Achmea Bank, management, process owners)
- Second line: risk controllers (operational and financial risk management and compliance)
- Third line: independent assurance (internal audit)
- Quarterly monitoring of key risks and key controls by means of a comprehensive Control Framework





### Moderate risk appetite

#### Market risk / Interest rate risk

- (Net) market risk is related to interest rate risk in the banking book only; no trading activities
- Achmea Bank applies a limit of 15% of its available Tier 1 capital for the maximum negative impact on its market value of equity (SOT EVE). SOT EVE is actively managed by ALCo

#### Credit risk (retail portfolio)

 Strict underwriting criteria, strong and experienced special asset management departments, good recovery ratio and low arrears and defaults

#### Sound balance sheet

Maximum asset encumbrance ratio: 35% (HY 2023: 28.1% - after CB issuance in October: 29.6%)

#### **Funding mix**

- Retail funding has a strategic nature
- Refinancing risk: Capital market funding refinancing volume of max. EUR 1.5 billion p.a.

#### **Liquidity risk**

• Liquidity buffer (e.g. cash and highly liquid securities) for managing unexpected, material retail and wholesale cash outflows. Survival period, based upon the most severe internal liquidity stress test, of at least 6 months

#### Solvency risk

 Capital buffer for managing unexpected losses on amongst others credit risk, operational risk and interest rate risk in the banking book: > 16.1% (HY 2023: 17.1%)





### Achmea Bank's solvency and liquidity is strong

- The total risk exposure amount and capital ratio calculations are based on AIRB
- Current capital base solely consists of Common Equity Tier 1
  capital: therefore, sufficient headroom for AT1 and/or T2 issuances if
  necessary to optimise its capital structure in the future
- Achmea Bank holds a strong liquidity position
- The Total Capital ratio and the Common Equity Tier 1 (CET1) decreased to 17.1% (2022: 18.2%). The decline is mainly due to the increase of the mortgage portfolio. In April 2023, Achmea Bank paid a dividend of EUR 15 million to its shareholder Achmea B.V., consisting of 2022 net distributable profit plus a small amount (EUR 2 million) of released legal reserves

AVAILABLE CAPITAL	HY 2023	FY 2022
Share capital	18	18
Share premium reserve	506	506
Reserves	250	253
Deductions	-	-1
Common Equity Tier 1 Capital	774	776
Tier 2	-	_
Total own funds	774	776
Risk Weighted Assets	4,527	4,264
BASEL III RATIOS (FULLY LOADED)		
Leverage Ratio	5.2%	5.4%
Common Equity Tier 1 Ratio	17.1%	18.2%
Total Capital Ratio	17.1%	18.2%
LCR	138%	211%
NSFR	132%	130%



#### Income statement

- The positive development of interest margin strengthened in first half-year 2023, due to both an increase of our mortgage portfolio and higher margins on new originated and repriced mortgages. The rise in interest rates resulted in a shift of the mortgage market to shorter fixed-interest periods (<=10y) of which Achmea Bank clearly benefited. In addition to growth of our mortgage portfolio, interest margin improved due to lower funding costs including derivatives</p>
- The fair value result of EUR 7 million loss (2022 EUR 8 million profit) is an accounting result related to the derivatives used for hedging the interest rate risk. This accounting result is mainly compensated in other reporting periods, generally reflecting a pull to par as the underlying derivatives approach maturity
- The number of defaults remained at a low level in line with the inherent low credit risk profile of our mortgage portfolio which resulted in a limited addition to the loan loss provision

#### **KEY FIGURES (IN EUR MILLION)**

Achmea Bank NV	HY 2023	HY 2022
Interest income	145	96
Interest expenses	45	41
Interest margin	100	55
Changes in fair value of financial instruments	-7	8
Interest margin and changes in fair value of financial instruments	93	63
Other income	-	1
Fees and commission income and expenses	-	_
Operating income	93	64
Impairment on financial instruments and other assets	2	2
Operating expenses	58	51
Operating profit before taxes	33	11
Income tax expenses	9	3
Net profit	24	8



### Balance sheet

(IN EUR	MILLION)
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Assets	HY 2023	FY 2022	
Cash and cash equivalents	501	774	
Derivative assets held for risk management	491	538	
Loans and advances to banks	548	642	
Loans and advances to public sector	1	1	
Loans and advances to customers	12,926	11,870	
Interest-bearing securities	45	0	
Current tax assets	5	5	
Deferred tax assets	8	4	
Prepayments and other receivables	95	99	

Total	14,620	13,933

#### (IN EUR MILLION)

Equity and Liabilities	HY 2023	FY 2022	
Total Equity	799	790	
Derivative liabilities held for risk management	409	411	
Deposits from banks	612	1,138	
Funds entrusted	8,845	8,086	
Debt securities issued	3,896	3,433	
Accruals and other liabilities	58	74	
Subordinated liabilities	1	1	
Total	14,620	13,933	

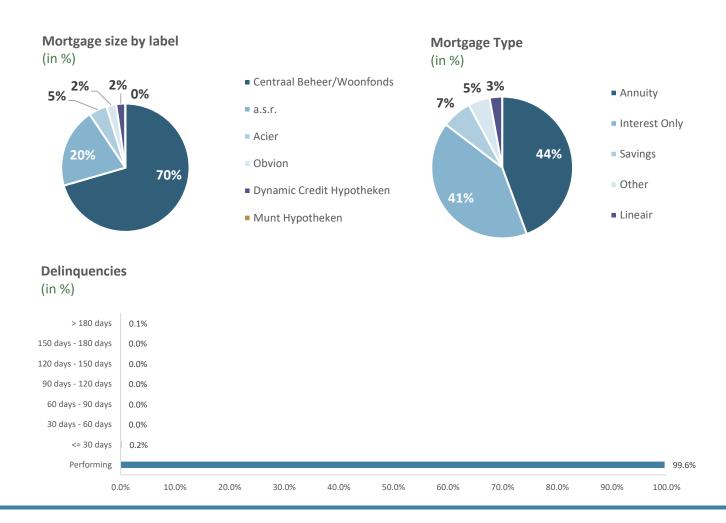
### Achmea Bank mortgage portfolio at HY 2023

#### Long-standing portfolio

- Achmea Bank has 50 years of experience in mortgages with Woonfonds and Centraal Beheer
- Multiple acquired portfolios from Acier, a.s.r., Obvion and Dynamic Credit Hypotheken
- Acier, Obvion and Dynamic Credit are closed books
- Centraal Beheer (via AMIP), Woonfonds (focus on niches),
   a.s.r. and Munt (via DMFCO) are open books
- EUR 13.4 billion nominal value regular mortgage portfolio at HY 2023 (FY 2022: EUR 12.4 billion)
- Strong payment performance

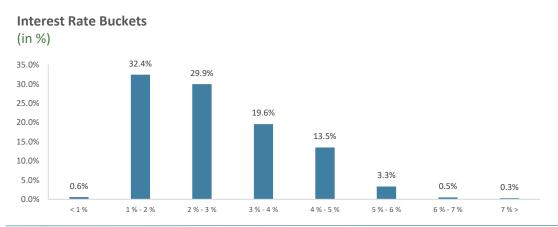
#### **Regulatory developments**

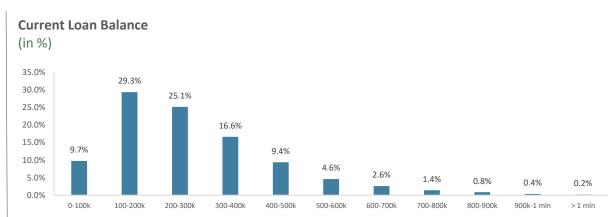
- Because of the limitations on Interest only loans, the percentage of Annuity loans has increased over the years
- A large majority of the loans have a fixed rate character which is in line with peers in the Dutch mortgage market

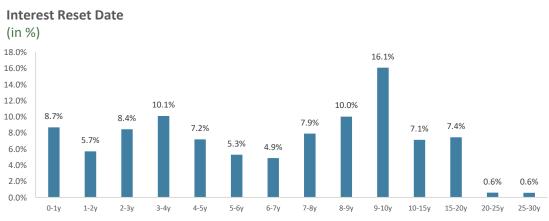


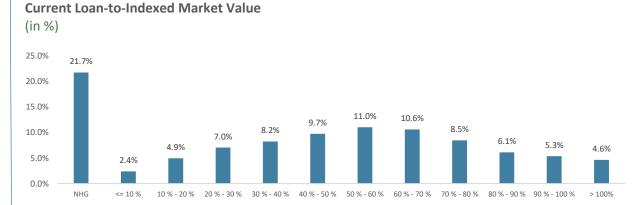


### Achmea Bank mortgage portfolio highlights









#### Funding programmes / instruments

#### **Savings**

• The total savings portfolio consists of available on demand accounts of EUR 5.1 billion (2022: EUR 4.4 billion), deposits with agreed maturity of EUR 0.6 billion (2022: EUR 0.6 billion), saving deposits linked to mortgages of EUR 0.7 billion (2022: EUR 0.7 billion) and pension savings of EUR 2.2 billion (2022: EUR 2.2 billion)

#### **Covered Bond Programmes**

- In June 2023, Achmea Bank finalized the transfer of the three covered bonds under its Conditional Pass-Through Covered Bond (CPT CBP) programme to its Soft Bullet Covered Bond programme, which was established in 2021. The total outstanding amount of covered bond on 30 June 2023 was EUR 3.0 billion
- In October 2023, the Bank issued a seventh 3 years EUR 0.5 billion benchmark tranche

#### Senior unsecured

■ The total outstanding amount under the Unsecured EMTN programme is EUR 0.5 billion, at HY 2023 (2022: EUR 0.6 billion)

#### **Commercial Paper**

■ The total outstanding amount under the French commercial paper programme is EUR 0.5 billion at HY 2023 (2022: EUR 0.6billion)

#### **Deposits from banks**

The deposits from banks consists of cash collateral received on derivative exposures (EUR 0.2 billion), money market loans (EUR 0.2 billion), and repos (EUR 0.3 billion)

#### Securitisation

- Achmea Bank issues Residential Mortgage Backed Securities (RMBS) with the objectives to diversify its funding mix and to (further) enhance its liquidity buffer
- Achmea Bank has retained securitisation notes outstanding for an amount of EUR 1.5 billion HY 2023 (2022: EUR 1.5 billion)



Funding & Liquidity: key ambitions

	METRIC	HY 2023	AMBITION
CAPITAL	<ul><li>CET 1 ratio</li><li>Total capital ratio</li></ul>	■ 17.1% ■ 17.1%	■ >13.1% ■ >16.1%
ECAPITAL	<ul> <li>Leverage ratio</li> </ul>	<b>5.2%</b>	- >3.1%
	<ul><li>Survival period</li></ul>	■ >12 months	■ >7 months
LIQUIDITY	<ul><li>Liquidity coverage ratio</li><li>Net stable funding ratio</li></ul>	■ 138% ■ 132%	<ul><li>&gt;100% (+Surplus ≥ EUR 70m)</li><li>&gt;110%</li></ul>
FUNDING	<ul><li>Share retail funding / total funding</li></ul>	<b>59</b> %	<b>&gt;35%</b>
PROFILE	<ul> <li>Asset encumbrance ratio</li> </ul>	<b>2</b> 8.1%	■ <35%
	■ Deturn on equity (DeC)	■ 3.1%	<b>■</b> 5-6%
PROFITABILITY	<ul><li>Return on equity (RoE)</li><li>Cost/Income ratio (CIR)</li></ul>	- 5.1% ■ 57%	<b>■</b> 55-65%
PROFITABILITY	■ Interest margin	<b>1.57%</b>	• >1%

### Funding mix and maturity profile

#### **Maturity profile**

- Smoothened future wholesale refinancing peaks
- A well-balanced funding mix of 59% (HY 2023)

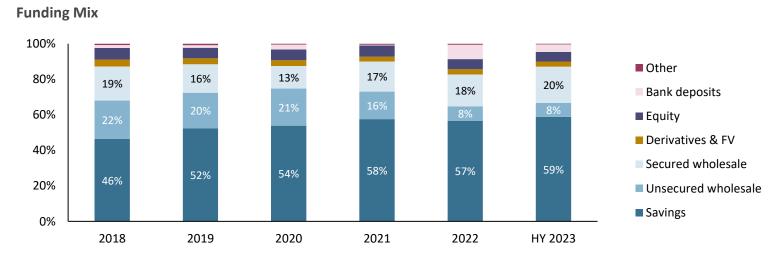
#### Funding & liquidity strategy

- Diversification: shift in funding mix from unsecured wholesale funding to savings and secured wholesale funding
- Avoiding refinancing peaks capped at EUR 1.5 billion capital market funding p.a.
- Liquidity: survival period of at least six months
- Asset encumbrance (ratio) actively managed

#### **Recent Funding activities**

- 2022: 1x EUR 500 million 7yr Covered
- 2023: 1x EUR 500 million 7yr Covered, 1x EUR 500 million 3yr Covered and 2x EUR 100 million CHF Senior Preferred dual tranche of 3y and 7yr
- 2024: Due to growth strategy a min. EUR 1.5 billion capital funding is expected







### The changing market dynamics are challenging

The changing market dynamics present an increasingly challenging arena to operate in for mortgage lenders

- High inflation
- Strong increasing mortgage rates after long period of decreasing and low interest rates
- changes in the regulatory environment
- green mortgage funding
- the emergence of alternative lending platforms,
- the creation of alternative mortgage loan-structures
- consumer protection by AFM

As a financial conglomerate with a sizeable balance sheet and as an early-mover with a long track-record in sourcing third party funding, Achmea is in a strong position relative to many of its peers. However, recent performance demonstrates that Achmea has not been able to fully realise this potential





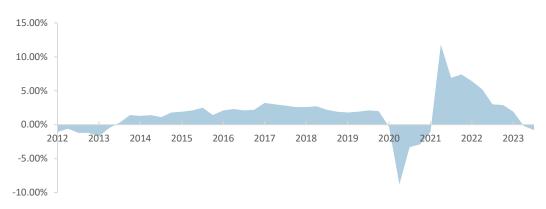




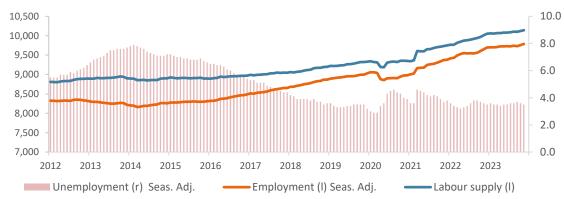
#### Dutch economy expected to grow moderately in 2024 and 2025

- An unusually low unemployment rate, unprecedented interest rate hikes and a relentless spike in inflation: It was no surprise that the overheated Dutch economy cooled down in 2023, with three quarters of economic contraction
- After three quarters of contraction, the Dutch economy is expected to grow slightly over the next two years: 0.5% in 2024, followed by 1.0% growth in 2025
- Purchasing power is rebounding after a period of persistent inflation, so households are expected to spend more despite a slight rise in unemployment. Moreover, government consumption and investment are expected to increase in the coming years, which will also contribute to economic activity in the Netherlands
- On the other hand, business investments are expected to decline in the coming quarters due to higher interest rates. And housing investments are expected to decline sharply as fewer houses are being built. Also, international trade is expected to negatively impact economic growth due to the worsened economic outlook for key trading partners

#### **Gross Domestic Product (GDP)**



#### Unemployment



#### Sources:

Statistics Netherlands (CBS)

- RaboResearch: "Dutch economy expected to grow moderately in 2024 and 2025, but this does not fully translate into broader well-being", (December 20, 2023)

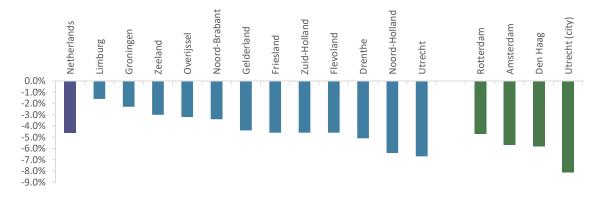


### House prices heading back to summer 2022 levels

- Due to the drop in house prices and because homebuyers can get higher maximum mortgages in the wake of rising incomes, owner-occupied homes are now almost as (un)affordable as they were in early 2022
- Because households can borrow even more next year, while supply remains tight, it is expected that prices will continue to rise. For 2023, prices of existing owner-occupied homes are still expected to be 2.8% lower than in 2022. For both 2024 and 2025, it is expected that prices will rise by 4.5%. This means that for 2024, the prices of existing owner-occupied homes are expected to be back to the level of the housing market peak in 2022
- By Q3 2023, 56% of owner-occupied homes were within the financial reach of households with two modal annual incomes, up 47% from the same time last year. At the beginning of 2022, before interest rates began to rise, the share was 59%
- The fact that home prices are rising again at similar levels of affordability to the peak of the market despite declining confidence in the housing market is an important indication that owner-occupied homes are not overvalued, nor were they overvalued prior to the 2022 interest rate hikes







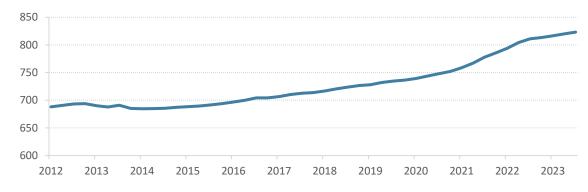
#### Sources:

- RaboResearch: "Housing Market Quarterly: House prices heading back to summer 2022 levels", (December 22, 2023)
- Statistics Netherlands (CBS)

### Dutch housing market quickly recovers from decline

- The sharpest decline in sales is now behind us and it is expected that the number of sales will bottom out in 2024. For 2023, 183,000 sales are expected, followed by 180,000 transactions in 2024. For 2025, 184,000 sales are anticipated
- The fact that house prices are on the rise again has everything to do with the rapidly improving affordability this year. As a result, the demand for owner-occupied houses is now clearly picking up again. Market parties have seen the number of viewings per house increase in recent months. At the same time, there are still few houses for sale. And that puts upward pressure on house prices. Due to the decline in new construction, this trend is likely to continue in the coming years. Less new construction means more scarcity.
- Affordability has improved partly because existing owner-occupied houses have become cheaper. But also, because households can borrow somewhat more for a house as a result of the relatively robust (nominal) income growth in response to high inflation
- Assuming an interest rate of 4.7%, a household with two modal yearly incomes could borrow almost EUR 24,000 more this year than last year. And while last year saw mortgage interest rates skyrocket, in 2023 they have risen only slightly and were much more stable

#### Residential Mortgages outstanding (in € billion)





- RaboResearch: "Housing Market Quarterly: House prices heading back to summer 2022 levels", (December 22, 2023) Statistics Netherlands (CBS)

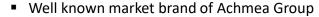
**Dutch Central Bank** 

Division of Roles between SAREF & Quion

Mortgage & Savings products are sold using two respected and well known Achmea brands: direct and intermediary channel







- Centraal Beheer focuses on mainstream mortgages and savings
- Direct/broker channel (distribution partners)
- Mortgages are eligible as cover assets for the Covered Bond Programme





- Exclusively via broker channel
- A respected mortgage brand for 50 years
- Specialized in niche markets, i.e. self-employed and buy-to-let
- Mortgages are eligible as cover assets for the Covered Bond Programme (only owner-occupied mortgages)





- Acier is a closed book portfolio
- Achmea Bank acquired the Acier mortgage portfolio from Staalbankiers
- A significant part of the Acier mortgages are CHF denominated
- Mortgages are not eligible as cover assets for the Covered Bond Programme

In 2024 all Woonfonds mortgages will be transferred to Centraal Beheer

Ready to grow the balance sheet - Data driven and with our partners

- Achmea Bank is a data driven network Bank
- Our strategy is to grow our balance sheet
  - By ourselves or, if we can achieve our goals more effectively, with partners
  - With focus on data quality with a modern data warehouse
- Focus on BI, data and risk management to facilitate manageable growth whilst remaining in control
- The goal of A-IRB Bank fits seamlessly into our strategy because the required high standards for data, processes, systems and governance:
  - Are in line with our ambition being a data driven Bank
  - Helps us in assessing and improving our partners and ourselves

#### A NETWORK BANK THAT WORKS CLOSELY WITH PARTNERS TO ACHIEVE ITS GOALS

**COMPLIANT TO HIGH** REQUIREMENTS **BANKING REGULATIONS** 

**A-IRB BANK** 

**CUSTOMER DRIVEN ORGANIZATION** WITH LOW **ABSENTEEISM AND COMMITTED & ENTHUSIASTIC EMPLOYEES** 

**GOOD CAPITAL AND LIQUIDITY POSITION DIVERSIFIED FUNDING** MIX

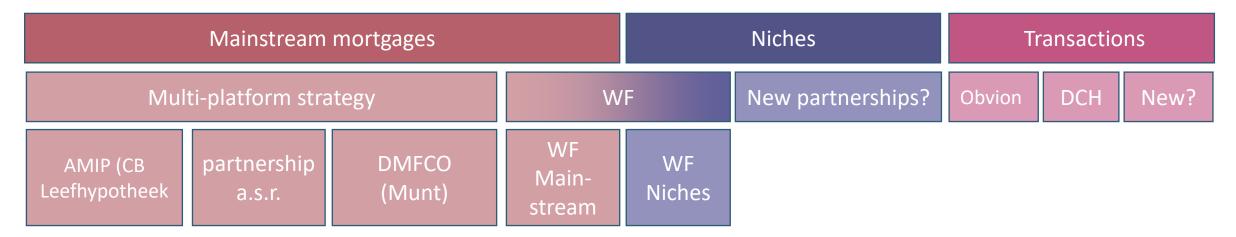
**SOUND RISK** FRAMEWORK AND A **WELL-FUNCTIONING RISK MANAGEMENT ORGANIZATION** 

**WAREHOUSE** 

**LOW RISK BALANCE** SHEET **AND LOW CREDIT LOSSES** 

**IN CONTROL** ON OUTSOURCING **MODERN DATA** 

Network Bank put into practice



#### **Mainstream mortgages**

- The primary focus of our mainstream strategy is <u>CB Leefhypotheek/AMIP</u> (Achmea Mortgages Investment platform)
  - AMIP is the mortgage platform of Achmea (Syntrus Achmea Real Estate & Finance)
  - For internal (Achmea Bank, Achmea Pension and Life) and external investors
- Partnership <u>a.s.r.</u>
  - Multiple balance sheet transactions, with the intention to do more in 2024
  - New agreement for the next three years to acquire up to EUR 1 billion annually of newly originated mortgages (forward flow)
- A new partnership with DMFCO was closed in 2023 with the intention to invest in EUR 1.5 billion in Munt Hypotheken for the next three years

#### Niches

- With niches we focus on smaller customer groups; among which self employed and buy to let, where higher margins are possible
- Via the Woonfonds brand
- Via partnerships if implementation can take place more effectively and faster

#### **Transactions**

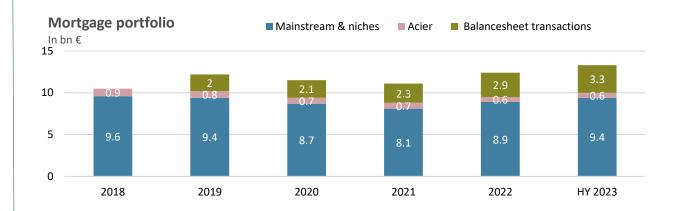
- Up to now mainstream mortgages
- New transactions are possible, if in line with our strategy and return on equity ambition

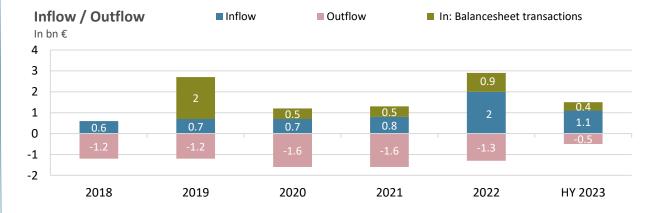
In 2024 all Woonfonds mortgages will be transferred to Centraal Beheer



### Development of the mortgage portfolio

- 2015/2016; Acier EUR 1.1 billion
- 2019; a.s.r. EUR 1.5 billion and Obvion EUR 0.5 billion
- 2020; DCH EUR 0.5 billion
- 2021; a.s.r. EUR 0.5 billion
- 2022; a.s.r. EUR 0.9 billion over three deals
- In 2023 Achmea Bank purchased another EUR 0.4 billion from a.s.r.
- The inflow of new mortgages for Achmea Bank (including the Achmea Mortgages Investment Platform and a.s.r. forward flow) is EUR 1.1 billion for the first half year. Combined with the acquired a.s.r. portfolio of EUR 0.4 billion and prepayments of EUR 0.5 billion, the mortgage portfolio of Achmea Bank grew with EUR 1.0 billion to EUR 13.4 billion at HY 2023
- As of June 2023 Achmea Bank has joined DMFCO's platform and aims to invest EUR 1.5 billion in mortgages provided through the label MUNT Hypotheken during the next three years
- In October 2023 Achmea Bank and a.s.r. announced to continue their cooperation in the mortgage field for three years. Each month during this period, Achmea Bank will acquire newly originated mortgages with a shortterm fixed-interest period from a.s.r., up to an amount of EUR 1 billion annually
- In November 2023 Achmea Bank purchased another EUR 0.4 billion from a.s.r.







### 4. Underwriting criteria

Key aspects Dutch Code of Conduct



#### **GOVERNANCE**

- Dictates the strict framework of mortgage underwriting following codes of conducts and governmental guidelines that are annually updated
- Guidelines are prepared in close consultations with government, mortgage lenders, consumer organisations and intermediaries
- Endorsed by all major mortgage lenders and intermediaries



#### **LOAN**

- As of 2018 the maximum loan size cannot exceed 100% of the value of the property
- In case of a sustainable renovation the loan size may exceed up to 106% of the value of the property after renovation
- As of 2013 new mortgages may consist of interest only up to a maximum of 50% of the value of the property



#### **BORROWER**

- Annual gross salary of borrower and any secondary (f.e. partner)
- Loan size is restricted to governmental guidelines, which is roughly 5 times Fraud checks (EVA) the gross salary (Annual NIBUD Norms to assess affordability).
- Loan size is dependent on interest rate and fixed duration of the interest rate (for fixed duration > 10 years the actual interest rate is used for variable and < 10 years use of governmental 'Toetsrente')
- Additional securities offered by the borrower

- Credit history checks (BKR)



- The valuation of the property is validated by an external valuation report or by a Calcasa Desktop valuation report
- The valuation has been done or, in case of Calcasa, approved by a professional certified external valuator affiliated with NRVT
- Both valuations cannot be older than 6 months



#### **INFORMATION**

• The lender provides all information required for the borrower to have a profound understanding of how the mortgage will work, what they may expect to change in the future and what choices they have. Goal is an affordable mortgage for the borrower



### 4. Underwriting criteria

### Underwriting criteria



#### **MORTGAGE**

- 2 types of mortgages: NHG and non-NHG
- Maximum mortgage in ratio to value of property is 100% since 2018
- Maximum mortgage in ratio to value of property after sustainable renovation is 106%
- Maximum loan size is EUR 1,000.000
- Loan to income is determined based on governmental guidelines that are annually updated



# BORROWER INFORMATION

- Type of income (self employed, fixed or variable):
  - Annual gross salary of borrower and any secondary
  - Loan size is restricted to governmental guidelines, which is roughly 5 times the gross salary
  - Loan size is dependent on interest rate and fixed duration of the interest rate

- Additional securities offered by the borrower
- Credit history checks (BKR)
- Fraud checks
- Income determination employment contract



#### **PROPERTY**

- Type of property: private properties or private property with a small part business
- Appraisal report criteria:
  - The valuation of the property is validated by an external valuation or by a Calcasa Desktop valuation report
- The external valuation cannot be older than 6 months, calculated from the value reference date

- The valuation has been done, or in case of Calcasa, approved by a professional certified external valuator affiliated with NRVT (Nederlands Register Vastgoed Taxateurs)
- The appraisal report is prepared according to the latest model of the Nederlands Register Vastgoed Taxateurs
- Report should contain the market value
- The certified valuator by this institute may not be involved directly or indirectly in the transaction



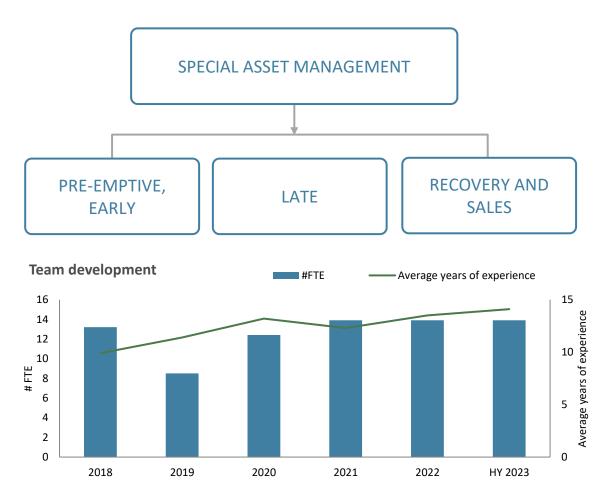
#### **INFORMATION**

- Underwriting criteria are automatically checked by the system
- Review and deviations of the applications are checked by the underwriters

### Dedicated special asset management team outscourced to SAREF

Pre-emptive management to prevent clients from getting into arrears:

- Checks on early warning signals such as divorce or loss of job
- The AIRB model aids in portfolio analysis by identifying potentially higher credit risks
- Early risk management focuses on quick recovery and gaining customer insights
- Late risk management focuses on sustainable recovery
- There are clear processes in place for every situation (standardized 'treatment paths') with room for personalized solutions such as interest averaging, modifying the mortgage or discharge
- Customer focus as a competitive advantage
- In 2021 the dedicated special servicing team of Achmea Bank was transferred to SAREF, located in Amsterdam. Although this resulted in an initial increase of the team in #FTE, some colleagues decided not to stay because of the change in location. This explains the small decline in average years of experience, which remains high



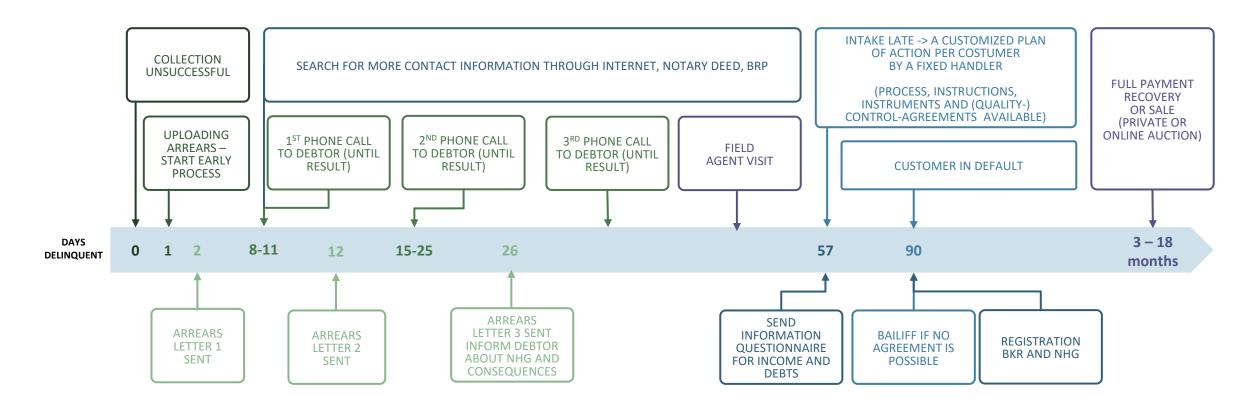


#### Overview

	PREVENTIVE	EARLY	LATE	SALES	RESIDUAL DEBT (EXTERNAL)
Target	<ul> <li>Prevent overdue payments by working together with the customer</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Direct contact in case of overdue payments.</li> <li>Focus on quick payment and insight in the situation of the customer</li> <li>Customers assessed as riskier by the AIRB model are approached first</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sustainable payment recovery. The customers situation and risks are visible.</li> <li>Apply specific solutions together with the customer</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Limitation of loss for customers and Achmea Bank.</li><li>Maximal sales profit</li></ul>	<ul><li>Collection of residual debt</li><li>Collaboration with bailiff</li></ul>
Start	A possible payment problem is detected by the means of:  Customer signal; or  A higher probability of default is signaled by the AIRB model;	<ul> <li>Overdue payment</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Transfer from Early</li> <li>Transfer from Pre-emptive in case of fraud, WSNP, bankruptcy</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Late confirmed that recovery isn't possible</li> </ul>	■ The house is sold
Method	<ul> <li>Proactive; portfolio analyses, flyers, website</li> <li>Custom (rate averaging)</li> <li>Intensive customer contact</li> <li>Use of tools</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Early calls actions</li> <li>Quick customer scan</li> <li>Use of tools (rate averaging)</li> <li>Monitoring (payment) agreements</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Customer situation and risks are visible</li> <li>Treatment paths per situation</li> <li>Uniform working method</li> <li>Customized measures (payment agreement, job coach, budget coach, restructuring mortgage)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Focus on private sale</li> <li>Notarized power of attorney sales</li> <li>Accompany Private Sales / Foreclosures</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Transfer debt to bailiff</li><li>Monitoring/closed</li></ul>
End	<ul><li>Customer problems solved</li><li>Overdue payment</li><li>No more increased credit risk</li></ul>	<ul> <li>No outstanding overdue payment; or</li> <li>Customer is transferred to Late Collections</li> </ul>	<ul><li>No outstanding overdue payment; or</li><li>House will be sold</li></ul>	<ul><li>House is sold</li></ul>	<ul><li>The residual debt is paid</li></ul>



Process early and late arrears management\*

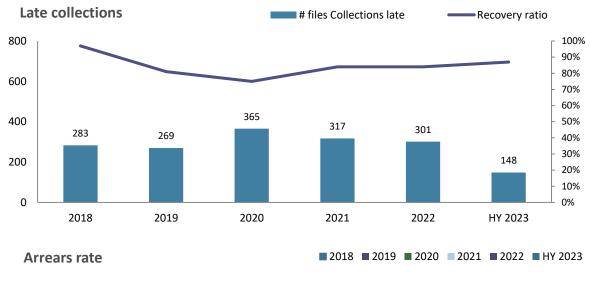


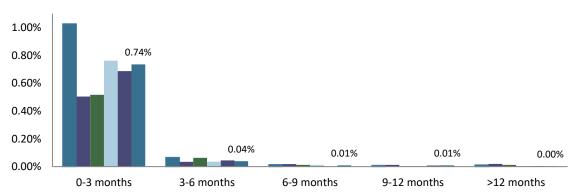
<sup>\*</sup>This process remains unchanged after combining the activities with Syntrus Achmea (SAREF)



### Special servicing

- Direct contact as soon as payments are overdue Together with the customer, we look for a suitable solution
- Making a physical house call after a 38-day arrears of payment and no response of the customer
- Inventory of the customer's situation and mapping the credit risk
- Deploy customized instruments in consultation with the customer (job coach /budget coach and interest rate or product adjustment)
- Flow from early collections to late collections remains low and well below the standard of 30 cases per month
- Arrears rates remain low because of close monitoring from 2 months overdue
- Total number of mortgages that are managed under special servicing (Pre-Emptive, Late and Sales) decreased from 317 in December 2021 to 301 in December 2022. Over the first half of 2023 there are 148 mortgages under close monitoring
- Over the first half of 2023 the recovery ratio of all late collections was 87% (2022: 84%)





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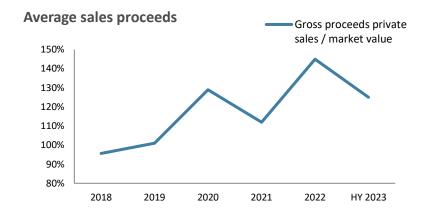
### 5. Servicing – Sales

#### Private sales & auctions

- During first half of 2023: 24 sales (2022: 48 sales)
- Average sale proceeds during first half of 2023: 125% of the updated market value (2022: 145%)
- Average time for a private sale in first half of 2023: 3.2 months (2022: 2.0 months). This increase is caused due to the increase in mortgage rates, cooling down the Dutch housing market
- In HY 2023: 22 private sales and 2 public auctions (2022: 47 private sales and 1 auctions)
- During HY 2023 the average proceeds amounted to 146% of the foreclosure value at time of origination (2022: 167%)

#### **NHG Pay out ratio**

- NHG pay-out ratio for the period 2018-2020 is 94% (benchmark 91%)
- As of January 2021 (>2.5 years) there have been no claims with NHG

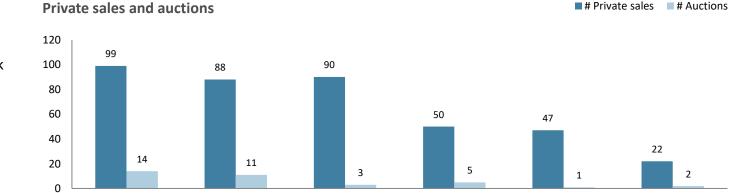


2019

2018

	FY 2022	HY 2023
PERIOD FOR	NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF
SALE	SALES	SALES
0 - 3 months	41	19
3 - 6 months	4	3
6 - 9 months	2	1
9 - 12 months	0	0
12+ months	1	1
Total	48	24

2022



2021

2020

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HY 2023

## 5. Servicing – Losses

#### Provisions and losses

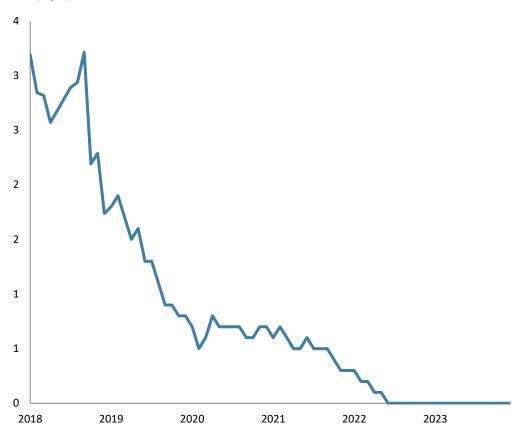
#### **Adequate loan loss provisions**

The number of defaults remained at a low level, which reflects the inherent low credit risk profile of the mortgage portfolio of Achmea Bank, which results in a limited addition to the loan loss provision

#### Low write offs

There haven't been any write offs on our regular mortgage portfolio (excl. Acier) in 2022 and first half of 2023, which are 0.0 bps of the mortgage portfolio (excl. Acier)

#### Write-off (bps)

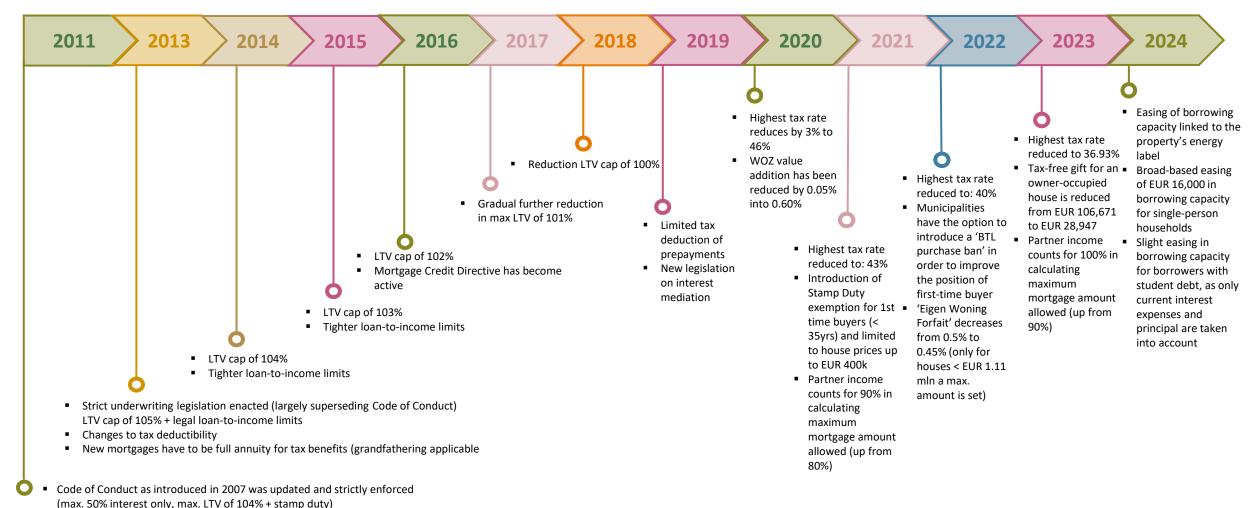


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### 5. Servicing – Changes in the acceptance process over time

Evolution of Dutch mortgage lending standards



## 6. ESG - Sustainability is in the core of our strategy: Sustainable Living. Together.

We commit ourselves to a net zero strategy





















Achmea participates in the Net Zero Insurance Alliance, the Partnership for Carbon Accounting Financials (PCAF) and the Energy Efficient Mortgage Hub NL– this ensures a transition strategy that is comparable and measurable<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Based on fact-based scientific foundation IPCC (International Panel on Climate Change)

#### Sustainability in products and services

- Transition our insurance portfolio to net-zero greenhouse gas emissions by 2050
- We are aiming for an average energy label A in 2030 for our mortgage portfolio
- Measure and disclose insured emissions based on the availability of standardised protocols
- Offer our customers solutions to adapt to climate change (e.g. green roofs, insurance coverage for weather events) and the transition to a low carbon economy (e.g. solar panels and sustainable repairs)

#### Sustainability in investments

Net zero emissions own risk investments in equities and credits by 2040

#### Sustainability in business operations

- Climate neutral business operations in 2030
- Energy consumption reduced as much as possible and, where possible, generate it locally
- Procurement 100% circular and energy efficient products and materials



### 6. ESG

### Stimulating sustainability among homeowners in our portfolio

Achmea has decided on 5 product adjustments to the Woonfonds and Centraal Beheer mortgage portfolios to make the portfolio more sustainable

- To date, the product range in the field of sustainability for the Centraal Beheer and Woonfonds brands has been limited to the legal options in the field of Energy-saving Facilities (EBV) and, in addition, the Energy Saving Budget (EBB) introduced by NHG
- With the 5 proposed product adjustments, we will further expand the sustainability range for existing and new customers
- On the Centraal Beheer and Woonfonds product lines, we offer an integrated solution in the field of increasing sustainability in the market: from advice and financing options to realization and subsidy assistance
- The activities also include activation through information about sustainability and activation and support through the sustainability scan and services of Centraal Beheer

### Green page in interest offer

Information about sustainability, the Sustainable Living convenience platform and the financial options will be added to the interest rate offer

### Interest discount label A + higher

The customer receives a discount on interest, the amount of the discount is related to the energy label of his home. With this we promote green influx and inspire existing customers to make their homes more sustainable

### Expand execution only funnel

Financing sustainability
(EBB & EBV) via
Execution Only (EO), with
this we remove the
threshold (and costs) of
an advisor for existing
customers who want a
sustainability loan

#### **Green loan part**

The customer can take out a green loan component (EBB & EBV) at a discount to finance the sustainability of his home



### Extend quotation period

More attractive for new construction (and therefore green labels) by expanding the possibilities for extension of the quotation.

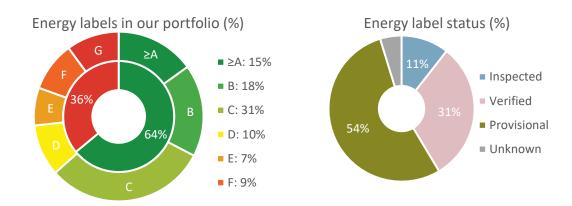


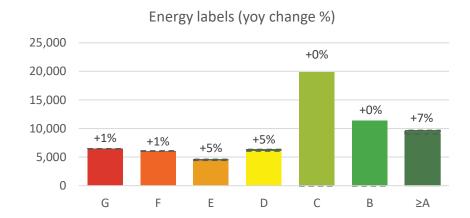
## 6. ESG

### Monitoring and steering on energy label

On average 19% of all carbon emissions in the Netherlands are caused by residential buildings (source: Milieu Centraal). To achieve the ambitions of the Paris climate agreement, a large part of the Dutch housing stock must be made more sustainable.

- As a provider of mortgages, we have a social responsibility to contribute to the reduction of the greenhouse gas emissions of the buildings we finance. That is why we offer financial solutions to fund the transition to make homes more sustainable. We also actively encourage our customers to make their homes more sustainable, thus reducing energy usage and carbon emissions
- The Netherlands Enterprise Agency (RVO) registers all indicative and definitive energy labels within the Netherlands
- Calcasa provides the energy labels to Achmea Bank. Calcasa is the leading automated valuation model (AVM) provider in the Netherlands
- In 2022 the average energy label of our mortgage portfolio was C (2021: C)
- Homeowners need a definitive energy label in order to sell their home. A definitive energy label is a more reliable measure of the energy performance of houses
- In 2022, approximately 42% of energy labels in our portfolio have at least been verified or inspected (2021: 38%). If no definitive energy label from the RVO is present, we receive a provisional estimated energy label by Calcasa





Source: Calcasa at FY 2022 excl. Acier portfolio

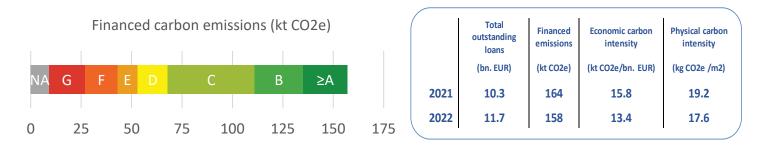


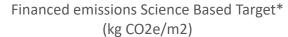
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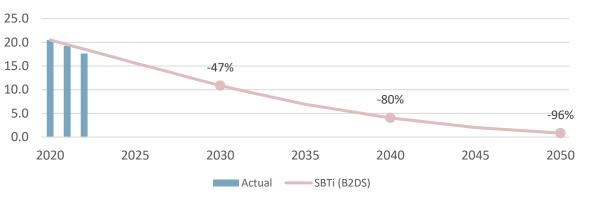
### The carbon footprint of Achmea Bank

Achmea Bank has performed an initial analysis to define climate change-related risk drivers in order to identify potential impact on the mortgage portfolio of Achmea Bank

- In 2019 we started monitoring the CO2 emissions of our mortgage portfolio. The carbon emissions from our mortgage portfolio are calculated by using the PCAF methodology
- PCAF stands for: Platform Carbon Accounting Financials. The PCAF
  was created by a group of Dutch financial institutions to improve
  carbon accounting in the financial sector and to create a
  harmonized carbon accounting approach. We actively participate
  in the PCAF Netherlands working group for mortgages
- The average consumption per building can be converted to CO2emissions by multiplying with emission factors: 1.788 kg CO2e/m3 for natural gas and 0.292 kg CO2e/kWh for electricity
- The financed portfolio emissions are calculated by multiplying the absolute CO2-emissions with our Attribution Factor of 0.60. The Attribution Factor is based on a Loan-to-Value approach. This was 158 ktonne absolute CO2-emissions, 13.4 kt CO2e/bn. EUR outstanding amount economic intensity and 17.6 kg CO2e/m2 floor area physical intensity
- For our actual ESG ratings and our ESG Impact Report please visit: https://www.achmeabank.nl/investors/esg









<sup>\*</sup> SBTi is not a market standard. If a new market standard is published we will adapt.

# 6. ESG - Sustainability framework of Achmea Bank

Setting Encouraging our customers to make Informing **employees** to create Committing to partnerships in Offering our investors sustainable Carbon neutral business operations, goals their homes more sustainable through awareness, and providing a the field of sustainability investment options, and providing safeguarding climate-related risks activation and financial solutions sustainable workplace insight into impact **III Balance Sheet IV New Business Models I Savings** II Mortgages business model Integrating into Exploring options for green savings deposits which can Meeting the objectives of the climate agreement. Reduce funding costs for green mortgages and/or other Develop innovative propositions and partnerships that ontribute to customer loyalty and strengthen image, and green assets by issuing green bonds contribute to both the revenue model of Achmea Banl Unified mortgage sustainability plan together with SAREF and the sustainability goals Mortgages and Centraal Beheer the purchase of portfolios or by acting as a funder Explore opportunities like green retail investment **\*** \* We integrate climate risks like energy labels into our risk management frameworks, scenario analyses and risk assessments **Green risk management Green reporting** We comply with reporting standards and are transparent about sustainability to our stakeholders (TCFD, PCAF, Green Asset Ratio, ESG ratings) Creating preconditions and We actively engage in discussions with our partners about sustainability and use sustainability as a selection criterion when entering into partnerships **Green partner management** mitigating risks **C** We are aware of new legislation and regulatory requirements and implement these in our organization on time, actively combatting greenwashing **Green compliance** Ö, Green datawarehouse We ensure that our data warehouse supports our upcoming Green Finance Framework and our reporting, risk management and green bond activities Ö, **Green ORM** We integrate climate risks into our internal control frameworks ė, **Green governance** We educate our employees on sustainability, create awareness and embed sustainability in our organizational structure and governance **Green business operations** We cooperate within the Achmea organization and with external partners, like Land Life Company, to achieve a carbon neutral business

## Soft Bullet cover pool highlights over time

Issuer	Achmea Bank N.V.
Programme Size	EUR 10 bn
Format	Soft Bullet
Extension Period	Maximum of 12 months
Rating (S&P)	AAA
Currency	Multi Currency
Guarantor	Achmea SB Covered Bond Company B.V. (CBC)
Collateral	Prime Dutch Residential Mortgages
Indexed LtV Cut-Off	80%
Compliance with	<ul> <li>✓ Dutch Covered Bond Regulations</li> <li>✓ Article 129 CRR</li> <li>✓ European Covered Bond (Premium) Label</li> </ul>
Overcollateralisation	<ul> <li>Minimum (statutory) CRR OC% of at least 5%</li> <li>Available (statutory) CRR OC%: 43.36%</li> <li>Asset Percentage: 90.27%</li> </ul>
Swaps	<ul> <li>Swaps are optional to the Programme<sup>2</sup></li> </ul>

#### **Key Benefits**

#### **Dual Recourse**

- Recourse to Achmea Bank (A-/A) (S&P/Fitch) on an unsecured basis should the Cover Pool be insufficient to repay Covered Bond Holders
- Recourse to CBC in case of default of Achmea Bank

#### **Favourable Regulatory Treatment**

- Qualify as LCR eligible (Level 1)
- Solvency II eligible
- UCITS and CRR article 129 compliant
- ECB repo eligible

#### Cover Pool<sup>1</sup>

- Weighted average CLTIMV of 68.87%
- 24.76% is backed by NHG guarantee
- Mortgage loans originated by Achmea Bank and Achmea Hypotheken

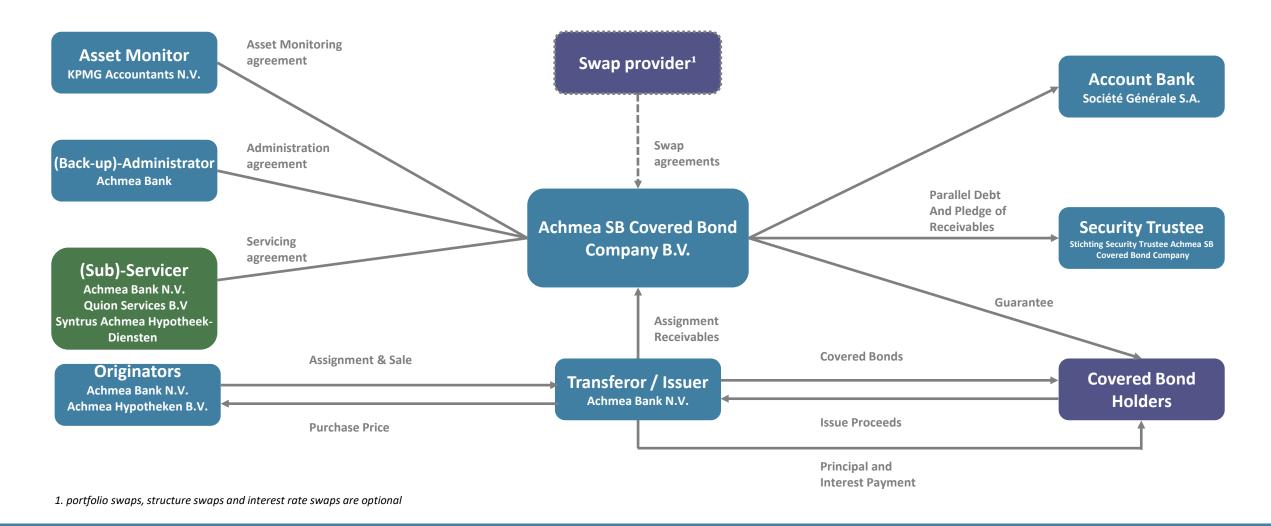
#### Reporting

- Industry compliance through NTT and HTT reporting
- ECBC Covered Bond Label

- NTT Report Achmea SB Covered Bond, cut-off date 30 November 2023
- 2. Currently no swaps have been executed



### **Transaction Structure**





## Cover pool highlights<sup>1</sup>

Cut-off Date	30 November 2023			
Principal Balance	EUR 5,574,897,727			
Value of saving deposits	EUR 239,855,193			
Net Principal Balance	EUR 5,335,042,534			
Number of Loans	25,637			
Number of Loan Parts	52,824			
Average principal balance (per borrower)	EUR 208,099			
w.a. current interest rate (%)	2.86%			
w.a. remaining fixed rate period (yrs)	8.3			
w.a. seasoning (yrs)	5.5			
w.a. CLTOMV (%)	72.76%			
w.a. CLTIMV (%)	68.87%			
NHG (%)	24.76%			

20.0%

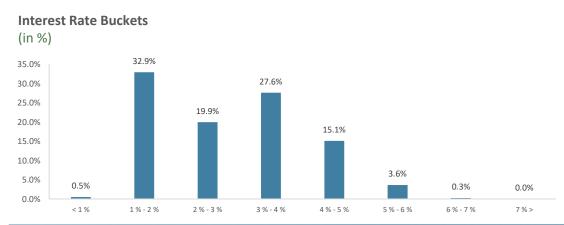


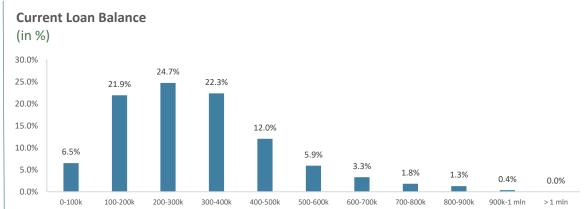
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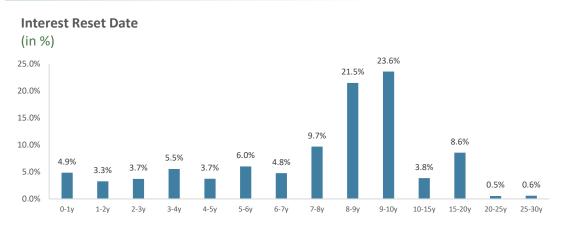
**Mortgage Type** (in %) 3.2% Annuity Interest Only Lineair 59.2% Savings Other **Delinquencies** (in %) 0.0% > 180 days 150 days - 180 days 0.0% 120 days - 150 days 0.0% 90 days - 120 days 60 days - 90 days 0.1% 30 days - 60 days <= 30 days Performing 99.8%

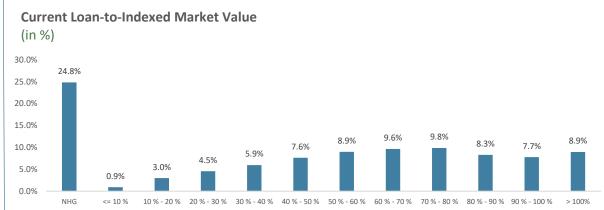
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Cover pool highlights<sup>1</sup>





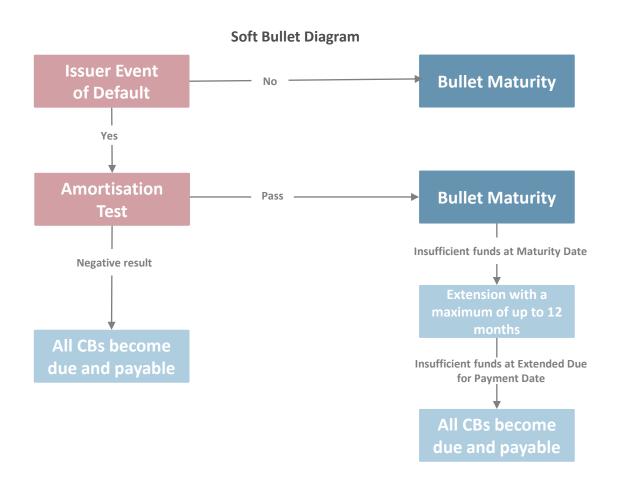




1. NTT Report Achmea SB Covered Bond, cut-off date 30 November 2023



### Soft Bullet Mechanism



#### **Going-concern**

- The Covered Bonds (CBs) are bullet securities due on the Maturity Date and the issuer will make the coupon and principal payments to the investors
- The ACT ensures that the cover pool meets the minimum OC requirements

#### **Issuer Event of Default**

- The ACT will be replaced by the Amortisation Test
- If on the Maturity Date of the CB an Issuer Event of Default takes places and the CBC has insufficient funds to redeem the CB, this will not trigger a CBC Event of Default
- At such moment the Maturity Date is extended for a maximum of 12 months
- During this extension period the administrator undertakes to (partially) sell the cover pool and to use the proceeds to (partially) repay the CB series on every Interest Payment Date within this period
- If the structure has insufficient funds to repay a specific series on the Extended Due for Payment Date, this will trigger a CBC default and result in all CBs becoming due and payable
- A Breach of the Amortisation Test would also constitute a CBC Event of Default and lead to all CBs becoming due and payable



Dutch Covered Bond programmes compared<sup>1</sup>

	ABN·AMRO	achmea 🖸	<b>✓<u>EGO</u>N</b>	Van Lanschot	ING 🊵	■ NIBC	NN	Rabobank	de volksbank
Issuer Rating (S/M/F)	A/A1/A	A-/NR/A	A-/NR/NR	BBB+/NR/BBB+	A+/A1/AA-	BBB/NR/BBB	A-/NR/NR	A+/Aa2/A+	A/A2/A-
Programme Rating (S/M/F)	NR/Aaa/AAA	AAA/NR/NR	1) AAA/NR/NR 2) AAA/NR/NR	AAA/NR/NR	AAA/Aaa/AAA	AAA/NR/AAA	AAA/NR/NR	NR/Aaa/NR	NR/Aaa/AAA
Collateral Type	Prime Residential Dutch Mortgages	Prime Residential Dutch Mortgages	Prime Residential Dutch Mortgages	Prime Residential Dutch Mortgages	Prime Residential Dutch Mortgages	Prime Residential Dutch Mortgages	Prime Residential Dutch Mortgages	Prime Residential Dutch Mortgages	Prime Residential Dutch Mortgages
Repayment Type	HB/SB	SB	1) CPT 2) SB	SB	HB/SB	1) CPT 2) SB	SB	SB	SB
Indexed Valuation	Kadaster, 85% increase 100% decrease	Calcasa, 90% increase 100% decrease	Kadaster, 90% increase 100% decrease	Kadaster, 90% increase 100% decrease	Kadaster/ Calcasa, 90% increase 100% decrease	Kadaster, 90% increase 100% decrease	Kadaster, 90% increase 100% decrease	Kadaster, 90% increase 100% decrease	Kadaster, 100% increase 100% decrease
Asset Percentage	88.0%	90.27%	1) 93.0% 2) 93.0%	82.0%	97.21%	1) 97.5% 2) 77.0%	93.5%	100%	91.0%
CLTIMV	58.63%	68.87%	1) 47.91% 2) 56.38%	50.19%	46.68%	1) 54.68% 2) 60.41%	56.53%	55.79%	49.43%
Total Return Swap Provider	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	ING Bank N.V.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
UCITS Compliant	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
CRR Article 129 Compliant	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
ECBC Premium Label compliant	Yes	Yes	Yes, only SB	Yes	Yes	Yes, only SB	Yes	Yes	Yes
Comments			Two public programmes			Two public programmes			

<sup>1.</sup> Based on NTT (End of November 2023) reporting figures as published by individual issuers in December 2023



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