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Sparebanken Sør	Sp	are	ban	ken	Sør	
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DNB Markets' bank ACS*: a-Senior unsecured ACS4: a-Subordinated Tier 2 ACS⁴ bbb Hybrid Tier 1 ACS⁴: bb+ ACS order: 26 / 120

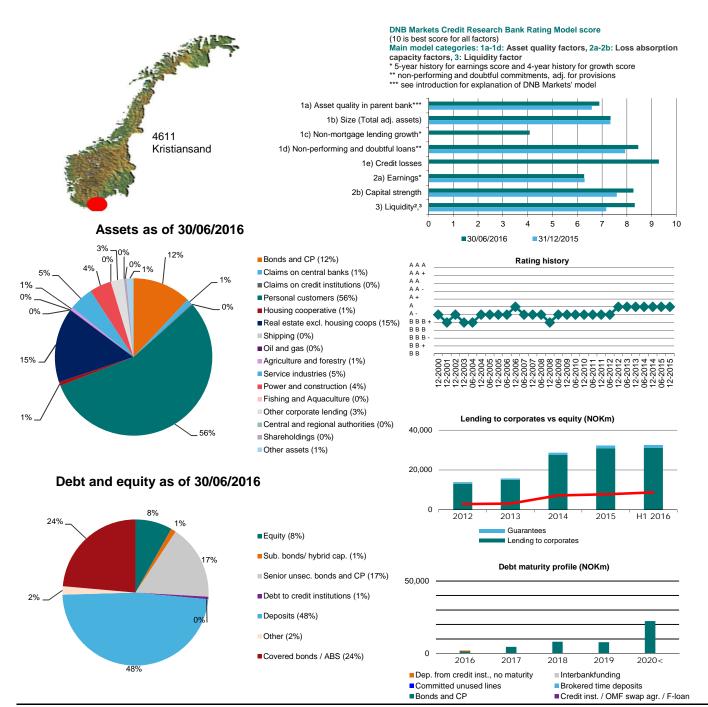
Av. asset balance: 103,976m Av. adj. assets1: 103,976m Offices in Norway/ abr.: 36/ 0 No alliance

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Official ra	tings:
Moody's:	#N/A Connection
S&P:	#N/A Connection
Fitch:	#N/A Connection
36% -	84%

Senior unsecured recovery interval given bail-in and depositor preference - see introduction (low - high) : Please note that Sparebanken Sør made a NOK600m equity issue in Q2-16, increasing the CET1 ratio by ~1%-p.

On 1 January 2014, the two savings banks Sparebanken Pluss and Sparebanken Sør merged to form the "new" Sparebanken Sør. The historical figures are from Sparebanken Pluss, which is the continued bank. The "new" Sparebanken Sør is the largest bank in the Agder counties with 432 employees across 36 offices in Vest-Agder, Aust-Agder and Telemark. The main office is located in Kristiansand. The group includes the real estate agency Sørmegleren. Sparebanken Sør has access to financing through covered bonds issued by Sparebanken Sør Boligkreditt AS.

Sparebanken Sør has had an annualised growth in lending to corporates (incl. unutilized comm., guarantees) of 12.4% over the last 4 periods, (moderate growth as a share of total adj. assets¹, with 3.4% growth on average). The total capital ratio is 16.9% (the median for banks with total assets over 10 bn is 17.3%). Book equity constitutes 8.1% of total assets. Sparebanken Sør has a relatively low share of net short funding, as debt² adjusted for liquid assets³ equal to 5.6% of total assets (median 3.2%) matures during the next 18 months. Nonperforming and other doubtful commitments constitute 1.1% of adj. lending¹ (relatively low share of non-performing loans). Individual and collective write-downs amount to NOK 623 million, equal to 64% of non-performing and other doubtful commitments.



1) Including loans transferred to credit institutions

 2) Debt maturing by 31/12/2017 and 20% of deposits exceeding NOK2m adjusted for liquid assets
3) Liquid assets: bond portfolio with 20% hair cut, in excess of the old liquidity reserve requirement (6% av total debt), claims on central banks and credit institutions, and back stop facilities maturing after 31/12/2017.

4) Automated Credit Score

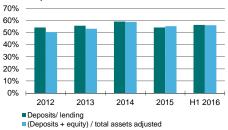
Sparebanken Sør

Accounts for the bank group			Accounting	g standard:	IFRS
Income statement (NOKm, condensed)	2012	2013	2014	2015	H1 2016
Net interest income and other credit income	551	602	1,511	1,521	759
Net other income and fees from banking services	101	100	318	317	170
Total net recurring revenues	652	702	1,829	1,838	929
Operating expenses	-251	-271	-634	-817	-409
Total net recurring income bef. losses and tax	401	431	1,195	1,021	520
Credit losses on loans/guarantees (reversal)	21	28 403	268	97	22
Earnings before tax excluding valuation effects Net valuation effect on bonds, stocks, curr. etc'	380 23	403	927 173	924 -69	498 55
Earnings before tax	403	413	1,100	855	553
Tax	-113	-111	-215	-231	-126
Net income (loss) for the period	290	302	885	624	427
Comprehensive income for the period	297	284	792	668	427
Balance sheet	2012	2013	2014	2015	H1 2016
Cash and deposits with central banks	475	1,340	595	332	1,307
Lending to and deposits with credit institutions	19	50	180	157	197
Gross lending to customers	35,717	38,155	81,628	89,110	90,798
Individual and collective write-downs Net lending to customers	144 35,573	168 37,987	715 80,913	723 88,387	623 90,175
Bonds and commercial paper	7,156	5,783	10,359	00,307 10,557	90,175 12,897
Shareholdings/ other fin. investments/ instruments	213	98	445	487	470
Other holdings incl derivatives and fixed assets	686	500	1,533	1,401	1,552
Immaterial assets	0	2	37	13	19
Total assets	44,122	45,760	94,062	101,334	106,617
Loans and deposits from credit institutions	5,305	2,028	614	576	596
Deposits from customers	19,378	21,264	48,250	48,349	51,227
Debt securities issued (excl. sub. and hyb.)	15,377	17,935	35,775	41,899	42,920
-Of which covered bonds / ABS	na	0	18,414	22,034	25,161
Other liabilities incl derivatives Subordinated debt(upper and lower Tier 2)	712 0	523 899	1,166 400	1,047	1,995 1,203
Additional Tier 1 securities (AT1)	498	0	700	1,200 510	1,203
Equity excluding Tier 2 and AT1	2,852	3,111	7,157	7,753	8,676
Total liabilities and equity	44,122	45,760	94,062	101,334	106,617
Total adjusted assets (incl. loans in external c.i.)	44,122	45,760	94,062	101,334	106,617
Other items regarding lending	2012	2013	2014	2015	H1 2016
Lending to personal customers	22,271	23,254	54,076	58,230	59,497
Lending to personal cust. incl ext. credit inst.	22,271	23,254	54,076	58,230	59,497
Lending to corporate clients	13,051	14,942	27,552	30,880	31,128
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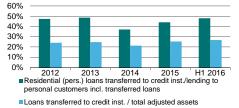




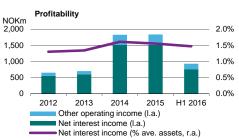


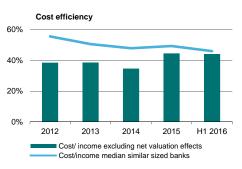


Loans transferred to credit institutions









Including trading income and selected one-offs such as income from changes in pension regulation
Loans transferred to jointly owned credit instit. with the purpose of issuing covered bonds. Not on the group's balance sheet

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