

# FIRST QUARTER 2023

#### Report to Shareholders

For the period ended January 31, 2023

Laurentian Bank of Canada reported net income of \$51.9 million and diluted earnings per share of \$1.09 for the first quarter of 2023, compared with \$55.5 million and \$1.17 for the first quarter of 2022. Return on common shareholders' equity was 7.5% for the first quarter of 2023, compared with 8.5% for the first quarter of 2022. Adjusted net income was \$54.3 million and adjusted diluted earnings per share were \$1.15 for the first quarter of 2023, compared with \$59.5 million and \$1.26 for the first quarter of 2022. Adjusted return on common shareholders' equity was 7.8% for the first quarter of 2023, compared with 9.2% a year ago.

"We delivered on a key milestone in the first quarter of 2023 with the launch of the Bank's reimagined VISA experience, which will allow us to grow our brand and attract new customers across Canada. This is an important step in the execution of our strategic plan and I remain confident in our team's ability to continue to deliver on our strategic priorities," said Rania Llewellyn, President & CEO. "We had good financial results this quarter driven by growth in Commercial Banking, while also maintaining healthy capital ratios and liquidity levels."

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In millions of dollars, except per share and percentage amounts (Unaudited)		2023		2022	Variance		2022	Variance
Reported basis								
Net income	\$	51.9	\$	55.7	(7)%	\$	55.5	(6)%
Diluted earnings per share	\$	1.09	\$	1.26	(13)%	\$	1.17	(7)%
Return on common shareholders' equity <sup>[1]</sup>		7.5 %		8.7 %			8.5 %	
Efficiency ratio <sup>(2)</sup>		70.6 %		67.7 %			69.1 %	
Common Equity Tier 1 (CET1) capital ratio <sup>(3)</sup>		9.1 %		9.1 %			9.8 %	
Adjusted basis								
Adjusted net income <sup>(4)</sup>	\$	54.3	\$	57.8	(6)%	\$	59.5	(9)%
Adjusted diluted earnings per share <sup>[1]</sup>	\$	1.15	\$	1.31	(12)%	\$	1.26	(9)%
Adjusted return on common shareholders' equity <sup>(1)</sup>		7.8 %		9.0 %			9.2 %	
Adjusted efficiency ratio <sup>(1)</sup>		69.4 %		66.6 %			67.0 %	

<sup>[1]</sup> This is a non-GAAP ratio. Refer to the Non-GAAP Financial and Other Measures section on page 5 for more information.

<sup>[2]</sup> This is a supplementary financial measure. Refer to the Non-GAAP Financial and Other Measures section on page 5 for more information.

<sup>[3]</sup> In accordance with OSFI's "Capital Adequacy Requirements" guideline. Refer to the Capital Management section on page 12 for more information.

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#### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

AS AT AND FOR THE PERIOD ENDED JANUARY 31, 2023

This Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) presents management's view of the financial condition of Laurentian Bank of Canada (the Bank) as at January 31, 2023 and its operating results for the three-month period then ended, compared with the corresponding period shown. This MD&A should be read in conjunction with the Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements. This MD&A is dated as of February 27, 2023.

Additional information about the Bank, including the 2022 Annual Information Form, is available on the Bank's website at www.laurentianbank.ca and on the System for Electronic Document Analysis and Retrieval website at www.sedar.com.

#### **BASIS OF PRESENTATION**

The financial information reported herein is based on the Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements for the period ended January 31, 2023, and, unless otherwise indicated, has been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS), as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB), as well as in accordance with IAS 34, *Interim Financial Reporting*. All amounts are presented in Canadian dollars.

#### ABOUT LAURENTIAN BANK OF CANADA

At Laurentian Bank, we believe we can change banking for the better. By seeing beyond numbers.

Founded in Montréal in 1846, Laurentian Bank helps families, businesses and communities thrive. Today, we have approximately 3,000 employees working together as one team, to provide a broad range of financial services and advice-based solutions for customers across Canada and the United States. We protect, manage and grow \$50.4 billion in balance sheet assets and \$28.1 billion in assets under administration.

We drive results by placing our customers first, making the better choice, acting courageously, and believing everyone belongs.

#### CAUTION REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

From time to time, Laurentian Bank of Canada and, as applicable its subsidiaries (collectively referred to as the "Bank") will make written or oral forward-looking statements within the meaning of applicable Canadian and United States (U.S.) securities legislation, including such as those contained in this document (and in the documents incorporated by reference herein), and in other documents filed with Canadian or U.S. regulatory authorities, in reports to shareholders, and in other written or oral communications. These forward-looking statements are made in accordance with the "safe harbor" provisions of, and are intended to be forward-looking statements in accordance with, applicable Canadian and U.S. securities legislation. They include, but are not limited to, statements regarding the Bank's vision, strategic goals, business plans and strategies, priorities and financial performance objectives; the economic and market review and outlook for Canadian, U.S., European, and global economies; the regulatory environment in which the Bank operates; the risk environment, including, credit risk, liquidity, and funding risks; the impact of COVID-19, the statements under the headings "Outlook", "Impact of COVID-19" and "Risk Appetite and Risk Management Framework" contained in the 2022 Annual Report for the year ended October 31, 2022 (the "2022 Annual Report"), including the Management's Discussion and Analysis for the fiscal year ended October 31, 2022; and other statements that are not historical facts.

Forward-looking statements typically are identified with words or phrases such as "believe", "assume", "estimate", "forecast", "outlook", "project", "vision", "expect", "foresee", "anticipate", "intend", "plan", "goal", "aim", "target", and expressions of future or conditional verbs such as "may", "should", "could", "will", "intend" or the negative of any of these terms, variations thereof or similar terminology.

By their very nature, forward-looking statements require the Bank to make assumptions and are subject to inherent risks and uncertainties, both general and specific in nature, which give rise to the possibility that the Bank's predictions, forecasts, projections, expectations, or conclusions may prove to be inaccurate; that the Bank's assumptions may be incorrect (in whole or in part); and that the Bank's financial performance objectives, visions, and strategic goals may not be achieved. Forward-looking statements should not be read as guarantees of future performance or results, or indications of whether or not actual results will be achieved. Material economic assumptions underlying such forward-looking statements are set out in the 2022 Annual Report under the heading "Outlook", which assumptions are incorporated by reference herein.

We caution readers against placing undue reliance on forward-looking statements, as a number of factors, many of which are beyond the Bank's control and the effects of which can be difficult to predict or measure, could influence, individually or collectively, the accuracy of the forward-looking statements and cause the Bank's actual future results to differ significantly from the targets, expectations, estimates or intentions expressed in the forward-looking statements. These factors include, but are not limited to, risks relating to: credit; market; liquidity and funding; insurance; operational; regulatory compliance (which could lead to the Bank being subject to various legal and regulatory proceedings, the potential outcome of which could include regulatory restrictions, penalties, and fines); strategic; reputation; legal and regulatory environment; competitive and systemic risks; supply chain disruptions; geopolitical events and uncertainties; government sanctions; conflict, war, or terrorism; and other significant risks discussed in the risk-related portions of the Bank's 2022 Annual Report, such as those related to: the ongoing and potential impacts of COVID-19 on the Bank's business, financial condition and prospects; Canadian and global economic conditions (including the risk of higher inflation and rising interest rates); geopolitical issues; Canadian housing and household indebtedness; technology, information systems and cybersecurity; technological disruption, privacy, data and third-party related risks; competition and the Bank's ability to execute on its strategic objectives; the economic climate in the U.S. and Canada; digital disruption and innovation (including, emerging fintech competitors); Interbank offered rate (IBOR) transition; changes in currency and interest rates (including the possibility of negative interest rates); accounting policies, estimates and developments; legal and regulatory compliance and changes; changes in government fiscal, monetary and other policies; tax risk and transparency; modernization of Canadian payment systems; fraud and criminal activity; human capital; insurance; business continuity; business infrastructure; emergence of widespread health emergencies or public health crises; emergence of COVID-19 variants; environmental and social risks; including climate change; and the Bank's ability to manage, measure or model operational, regulatory, legal, strategic or reputational risks, all of which are described in more detail in the section titled "Risk Appetite and Risk Management Framework in the 2022 Annual Report, including the Management's Discussion and Analysis for the fiscal year ended October 31, 2022, which information is incorporated by reference herein. The Bank further cautions that the foregoing list of factors is not exhaustive. When relying on the Bank's forward-looking statements to make decisions involving the Bank, investors and others should carefully consider the foregoing factors, uncertainties, and current and potential events.

Any forward-looking statements contained herein or incorporated by reference represent the views of management only as at the date such statements were or are made, are presented for the purposes of assisting investors, financial analysts, and others in understanding certain key elements of the Bank's financial position, current objectives, strategic priorities, expectations and plans, and in obtaining a better understanding of the Bank's business and anticipated financial performance and operating environment and may not be appropriate for other purposes. The Bank does not undertake any obligation to update any forward-looking statements made by the Bank or on its behalf whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except to the extent required by applicable securities regulations and laws. Additional information relating to the Bank can be located on the SEDAR website at www.sedar.com.

#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

TABLE 1 FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

	For the three months ended							
In thousands of dollars, except when noted		January 31, 2023		October 31, 2022	Variance	_	January 31, 2022	Variance
Operating results								
Total revenue	\$	260,068	\$	257,142	1 %	\$	257,539	1 %
Net income	\$	51,910	\$	55,650	(7)%	\$	55,518	(6)%
Adjusted net income <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	54,296	\$	57,834	(6)%	\$	59,491	(9)%
Operating performance								
Diluted earnings per share	\$	1.09	\$	1.26	(13)%	\$	1.17	(7)%
Adjusted diluted earnings per share <sup>[2]</sup>	\$	1.15	\$	1.31	(12)%	\$	1.26	(9)%
Return on common shareholders' equity <sup>[2]</sup>		7.5 %		8.7 %			8.5 %	
Adjusted return on common shareholders' equity <sup>[2]</sup>		7.8 %		9.0 %			9.2 %	
Net interest margin <sup>[3]</sup>		1.77 %		1.77 %			1.88 %	
Efficiency ratio <sup>(3)</sup>		70.6 %		67.7 %			69.1 %	
Adjusted efficiency ratio <sup>(2)</sup>		69.4 %		66.6 %			67.0 %	
Operating leverage <sup>(3)[4)</sup>		(4.3)%		0.8 %			52.9 %	
Adjusted operating leverage <sup>(2)(4)</sup>		(4.3)%		0.7 %			(2.3)%	
Financial position (\$ millions)								
Loans and acceptances	\$	37,646	\$	37,581	- %	\$	34,375	10 %
Total assets	\$	50,361	\$	50,717	(1)%	\$	46,085	9 %
Deposits	\$	27,552	\$	27,132	2 %	\$	24,103	14 %
Average earning assets <sup>[3]</sup>	\$	41,856	\$	41,214	2 %	\$	38,102	10 %
Average loans and acceptances <sup>[3]</sup>	\$	37,591	\$	36,907	2 %	\$	33,799	11 %
Basel III regulatory capital ratios								
CET1 capital ratio <sup>(5)</sup>		9.1 %		9.1 %			9.8 %	
CET1 risk-weighted assets (\$ millions) <sup>[5]</sup>	\$	23,901	\$	23,909		\$	21,232	
Credit quality								
Gross impaired loans as a % of loans and acceptances <sup>[3]</sup>		0.45 %		0.42 %			0.62 %	
Net impaired loans as a % of loans and acceptances (3)		0.32 %		0.28 %			0.37 %	
Provision for credit losses as a % of average loans and acceptances <sup>[3]</sup>		0.16 %		0.19 %			0.11 %	
Common share information								
Closing share price <sup>(6)</sup>	\$	35.77	\$	30.40	18 %	\$	44.24	(19)%
Price / earnings ratio (trailing four quarters) <sup>(3)</sup>		7.3 x		6.1 x			35.4 x	
Adjusted price / earnings ratio (trailing four quarters) <sup>[2]</sup>		7.0 x		5.8 x			9.2 x	
Book value per share <sup>(2)</sup>	\$	58.29	\$	58.02	- %	\$	54.97	6 %
Dividends declared per share	\$	0.46	\$	0.45	2 %	\$	0.44	5 %
Dividend yield <sup>[3]</sup>		5.1 %		5.9 %			4.0 %	
Dividend payout ratio <sup>[3]</sup>		42.1 %		35.8 %			37.7 %	
Adjusted dividend payout ratio <sup>[2]</sup>		40.1 %		34.4 %			34.9 %	

<sup>[1]</sup> This is a non-GAAP financial measure. Refer to the Non-GAAP Financial and Other Measures section on page 5 for more information.

<sup>(2)</sup> This is a non-GAAP ratio. Refer to the Non-GAAP Financial and Other Measures section on page 5 for more information.

<sup>(3)</sup> This is a supplementary financial measure. Refer to the Non-GAAP Financial and Other Measures section on page 5 for more information.

<sup>(4)</sup> Quarter-over-quarter

<sup>[5]</sup> In accordance with OSFI's "Capital Adequacy Requirements" guideline. Refer to the Capital Management section on page 12 for more information.

<sup>(6)</sup> Toronto Stock Exchange (TSX) closing market price.

#### NON-GAAP FINANCIAL AND OTHER MEASURES

#### **NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES**

In addition to financial measures based on generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP), management uses non-GAAP financial measures to assess the Bank's underlying ongoing business performance. Non-GAAP financial measures presented throughout this document are referred to as "adjusted" measures and exclude amounts designated as adjusting items. Adjusting items include the amortization of acquisition-related intangible assets, and certain items of significance that arise from time to time which management believes are not reflective of underlying business performance. Non-GAAP financial measures are not standardized financial measures under the financial reporting framework used to prepare the financial statements of the Bank and might not be comparable to similar financial measures disclosed by other issuers. The Bank believes non-GAAP financial measures are useful to readers in obtaining a better understanding of how management assesses the Bank's performance and in analyzing trends.

Tables 2 and 3 show a reconciliation of the non-GAAP financial measures to their most directly comparable financial measure that is disclosed in the primary financial statements of the Bank.

TABLE 2
RECONCILIATION OF NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES — CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF INCOME

For the three months en						1
In thousands of dollars (Unaudited)		January 31, 2023		October 31, 2022		January 31, 2022
Non-interest expenses	\$	183,675	\$	174,147	\$	177,930
Adjusting items, before income taxes						
Amortization of acquisition-related intangible assets <sup>[1]</sup>		3,210		3,172		3,028
Strategic review-related charges <sup>(2)</sup>		_		(237)		2,342
		3,210		2,935		5,370
Adjusted non-interest expenses	\$	180,465	\$	171,212	\$	172,560
Income before income taxes	\$	60,961	\$	65,146	\$	70,209
Adjusting items, before income taxes (detailed above)		3,210		2,935		5,370
Adjusted income before income taxes	\$	64,171	\$	68,081	\$	75,579
Reported net income	\$	51,910	\$	55,650	\$	55,518
Adjusting items, net of income taxes						
Amortization of acquisition-related intangible assets <sup>[1]</sup>		2,386		2,359		2,252
Strategic review-related charges <sup>(2)</sup>		_		(175)		1,721
		2,386		2,184		3,973
Adjusted net income	\$	54,296	\$	57,834	\$	59,491
Net income available to common shareholders	\$	47,309	\$	54,361	\$	50,917
Adjusting items, net of income taxes (detailed above)		2,386		2,184		3,973
Adjusted net income available to common shareholders	\$	49,695	\$	56,545	\$	54,890

<sup>[1]</sup> Amortization of acquisition-related intangible assets results from business acquisitions and is included in the Non-interest expenses line item.

<sup>[2]</sup> In 2022, strategic review-related charges mainly related to lease contracts following the completion of the reduction of leased corporate office premises in Montreal and Toronto, as well as to other updates to estimates initially recorded in 2021.

TABLE 3
RECONCILIATION OF NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES — CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

	 For	the t	hree months en	nded	
In thousands of dollars (Unaudited)	January 31, 2023		October 31, 2022		January 31, 2022
Shareholders' equity	\$ 2,808,932	\$	2,781,103	\$	2,659,840
Less:					
Preferred shares	(122,071)		(122,071)		(122,071)
Limited recourse capital notes	(123,282)		(122,332)		(121,315)
Cash flow hedges reserve <sup>[1]</sup>	(33,323)		(22,607)		(35,591)
Common shareholders' equity	\$ 2,530,256	\$	2,514,093	\$	2,380,863
Impact of averaging month-end balances <sup>[2]</sup>	(11,057)		(32,795)		(5,486)
Average common shareholders' equity	\$ 2,519,199	\$	2,481,298	\$	2,375,377

<sup>[1]</sup> The cash flow hedges reserve is presented in the Accumulated other comprehensive income line item.

#### **NON-GAAP RATIOS**

Non-GAAP ratios are not standardized financial measures under the financial reporting framework used to prepare the financial statements of the Bank to which the non-GAAP ratios relate and might not be comparable to similar financial measures disclosed by other issuers. Ratios are considered non-GAAP ratios if adjusted measures are used as components, refer to the non-GAAP financial measure section above. The Bank believes non-GAAP ratios are useful to readers in obtaining a better understanding of how management assesses the Bank's performance and in analyzing trends. The following ratios are non-GAAP ratios.

**Adjusted diluted earnings per share** is calculated by dividing adjusted net income available to common shareholders by the diluted weighted average number of common shares outstanding. The following table presents a reconciliation of adjusted diluted earnings per share to diluted earnings per share, which is disclosed in the primary financial statements of the Bank.

TABLE 4
IMPACT OF ADJUSTING ITEMS ON DILUTED EARNINGS PER SHARE

	For the three months ended					
In thousands of dollars, except per share amounts (Unaudited)	Januar	y 31, 2023		October 31, 2022		January 31, 2022
Diluted earnings per share	\$	1.09	\$	1.26	\$	1.17
Adjusting items, net of income taxes, on a per share basis <sup>(1)</sup>		0.06		0.05		0.09
Adjusted diluted earnings per share <sup>(2)</sup>	\$	1.15	\$	1.31	\$	1.26

<sup>[1]</sup> Refer to Table 2 on page 5 for the detailed description of adjusting items.

**Return on common shareholders' equity (ROE)** is defined as net income available to common shareholders as a percentage of average common shareholders' equity. This ratio can be used in assessing the Bank's profitability.

Adjusted return on common shareholders' equity (Adjusted ROE) is defined as adjusted net income available to common shareholders as a percentage of average common shareholders' equity. This ratio can be used in assessing the Bank's profitability excluding adjusting items defined above.

**Adjusted efficiency ratio** is defined as adjusted non-interest expenses as a percentage of total revenue. This ratio can be used in assessing the Bank's productivity and cost control.

**Adjusted operating leverage** is the difference between total revenue and adjusted non-interest expenses growth rates. This ratio can be used in assessing the Bank's efficiency.

Adjusted price / earnings ratio is defined as closing common share price divided by adjusted diluted earnings per share.

Adjusted dividend payout ratio is defined as dividends declared on common shares as a percentage of adjusted net income available to common shareholders

**Book value per common share** is defined as common shareholders' equity divided by the number of common shares outstanding at the end of the period.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY FINANCIAL MEASURES

Management also uses supplementary financial measures to analyze the Bank's results and in assessing underlying business performance and related trends. Please refer to the Glossary on page 21 of this MD&A for more information about the composition of supplementary financial measures disclosed in this document.

<sup>(2)</sup> Based on the month-end balances for the period.

<sup>(2)</sup> The impact of adjusting items on a per share basis may not add due to rounding.

#### **BUSINESS HIGHLIGHTS**

#### Strategic plan

In December 2021, the Bank unveiled a new, three-year strategic plan for sustainable, long-term profitable growth. The strategy is focused, simple and executable, and is anchored in five strategic pillars: 1) Build One Winning Team; 2) Make Size our Advantage; 3) Think Customer First; 4) Simplify; and 5) Make the Better Choice. Coupled with the launch of its new purpose and core values, the Bank feels well positioned to drive results and shareholder value.

As we enter the second year of our plan, we are focusing on three priorities in 2023: delivering excellent customer service, growing deposits, and driving efficiencies through simplification.

#### **Delivering Excellent Customer Service**

We will continue our focus on improving the customer experience and removing pain points, leveraging data from our Net Promoter Score (NPS) program. This concentrated effort will help us to gain a deeper understanding of what drives customer satisfaction and dissatisfaction, allowing us to implement targeted actions.

When it comes to our Commercial Banking specialties, we have always been a service-leader. This quarter, our Equipment Financing specialization within Commercial Banking joined Inventory Financing by moving from an "excellent" to "world class" rating in its Net Promoter Score (NPS) by proactively putting its customers at the centre of all its organizational decisions.

We are now taking these best practices and applying them across the organization, including the rollout of NPS survey in all retail channels and our contact centre.

To improve the customer experience, in February 2023, we launched our reimagined VISA experience to the public. Through our strategic partnership with BRIM Financial, customers, from across Canada, can now apply for our new VISA experience online and get a response within minutes, have access to an enhanced rewards program to earn more through hundreds of special merchant offers, manage their account and card online with a best-in-class digital self-serve platform and enjoy flexible payment options.

To further improve the customer experience, we launched a new Mortgage Financing Centre to handle all mortgage acquisition and refinancing solutions for our retail branches. Using existing resources with strong backgrounds in home financing, we are able to deliver targeted solutions that meet our customers' needs.

#### **Growing Deposits**

Coming off a record year in deposit growth, we will continue our focus on growing deposits so that we can maintain a strong balance sheet and support our loan growth. Having now closed our customers' top five digital gaps, we are well positioned to deepen our relationships with existing customers and target new ones.

This quarter, we have grown our strategic partnership deposits by \$1 billion. These deposits are a cost-effective funding source for the Bank and backed by multi-year commitments.

To drive accountability on this priority, we have included deposit growth on our leaders' scorecards across the organization, both customer-facing and non-customer-facing.

In addition, by leveraging our new Mortgage Financing Centre, we are creating additional capacity for our financial advisors in branches to focus on deposit growth and deepen our relationships with our customers.

#### **Driving Efficiencies Through Simplification**

We will continue to drive down our adjusted efficiency ratio below 65% over the medium-term by further streamlining our internal processes and operations to find efficiencies and become an even more agile organization.

To improve internal operational efficiencies, and in line with making the better choice, we have launched a campaign to encourage paperless statements for all retail banking customers.

As part of a pilot project, we have introduced Robotics Process Automation (RPA) into three processes within the Bank, with another 17 to follow. Once implemented, these projects improve our overall efficiency. Once the 20 pilot applications have been introduced, we will look to further expand the program.

We have also streamlined and automated processes in deposit fulfillment, reducing fulfillment time by 50%.

#### Make the Better Choice

From the businesses the Bank is in, to the people we hire, and the suppliers we use, the Bank is living up to its values and integrating environmental, social and governance (ESG) best practices in operations and activities.

The Bank has launched a newly refreshed corporate donations strategy called "Giving Beyond Numbers". The program is supporting organizations dedicated to supporting the economic inclusion of newcomers and refugees, as well as those whose mission it is to combat economic inequities impacting underrepresented groups. As part of the launch of the new program, we announced a \$400,000 donation to seven deserving organizations dedicated to advancing equity in economic inclusion.

As part of making the better choice, the Bank established a 35% reduction target in its Scope 1 and 2 GHG emissions by 2030, from a 2022 base year.

To support Quebec school bus operators in their transition to electric vehicles, we participated in the financing of zero-emission buses.

The Bank also signed the Parental Leave Pledge introduced by Women in Capital Markets, which includes a commitment to provide paid leave to all parents (including fathers, same-sex partners and parents adopting a child) and foster an inclusive work culture that normalizes and embraces parental leave across all ranks and positions. This commitment is reflected in our enhanced employee benefits, including an Employee and Family Assistance program.

#### **OUTLOOK**

#### **ECONOMIC OUTLOOK**

The outlook for global economic growth this year remains challenging, as higher interest rates and the ongoing war in Europe continue to weigh on economic activity. We expect a long period of adjustment to the higher rate environment ending in a mild recession in North America

However, there is some insulation taking the form of high employment and savings, which appear to be delaying a recession and prevents us from completely dismissing a soft landing.

The U.S. Federal Reserve has reduced the pace of its interest rate hikes but continues to signal additional increases over the near-term. Consumer spending in the U.S. has remained resilient due to excess savings and the labour market remains solid, with an unemployment rate sitting at a five-decade low of 3.4%, despite a recent downward trend in job postings. Looking forward, projected investment in machinery and equipment has slowed and sales expectations have deteriorated.

In Canada, the Consumer Price Index (CPI) has moderated from a four-decade high of 8.1% in June 2022 to 5.9% in January 2023 but remains significantly higher than the Bank of Canada's stated 2% target. However, as a result of recent moderation, the Bank of Canada announced a conditional pause on further rate hikes but stated that it will keep increasing rates if inflation does not continue to subside. Canadian consumers are changing habits by reducing spending, saving more, buying less expensive items and delaying purchases. Canadian labour market conditions remain solid with an unemployment rate of 5.0%, despite the slowing in job vacancies.

In the housing sector, resale conditions are balanced after cooling in 2022. Homebuilding of residential units has slowed but remains at elevated levels. Low supply continues to prevent a large decline in home prices. At the same time, Canada's population grows at a pace unmatched by other industrialized countries, led by a record-high inflow of non-permanent residents. Solid household savings is also driving demand while the rental market vacancy rate stands at a two-decade low.

China's reopening and global economic resilience has contributed to weakening of the U.S. dollar relative to several currencies including the Canadian dollar in recent months. A resurgence in demand from China, combined with the recent announcement of a cut in Russian oil supply, might put pressure on inflation through an increase in commodity prices. This carries the downside risk of further rate hikes above current market expectations.

#### ANALYSIS OF CONSOLIDATED RESULTS

TABLE 5
CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED RESULTS

	For	the t	hree months e	nded	
In thousands of dollars, except percentage amounts (Unaudited)	January 31, 2023		October 31, 2022		January 31, 2022
Net interest income	\$ 187,116	\$	183,824	\$	180,918
Other income	72,952		73,318		76,621
Total revenue	260,068		257,142		257,539
Provision for credit losses	15,432		17,849		9,400
Non-interest expenses	183,675		174,147		177,930
Income before income taxes	60,961		65,146		70,209
Income taxes	9,051		9,496		14,691
Net income	51,910		55,650		55,518
Preferred share dividends and limited recourse capital note interest	4,601		1,289		4,601
Net income available to common shareholders	\$ 47,309		54,361	\$	50,917
Non-GAAP financial measures					
Adjusted non-interest expenses <sup>[1]</sup>	\$ 180,465	\$	171,212	\$	172,560
Adjusted income before income taxes <sup>[1]</sup>	\$ 64,171	\$	68,081	\$	75,579
Adjusted net income <sup>[1]</sup>	\$ 54,296	\$	57,834	\$	59,491
Adjusted net income available to common shareholders <sup>[1]</sup>	\$ 49,695	\$	56,545	\$	54,890

<sup>[1]</sup> This is a non-GAAP financial measure. Refer to the Non-GAAP Financial and Other Measures section on page 5 for more information.

#### FIRST QUARTER OF 2023 COMPARED WITH FIRST QUARTER OF 2022

Net income was \$51.9 million and diluted earnings per share were \$1.09 for the first quarter of 2023, compared with \$55.5 million and \$1.17 for the first quarter of 2022. Adjusted net income was \$54.3 million and adjusted diluted earnings per share were \$1.15 for the first quarter of 2023, compared with \$59.5 million and \$1.26 for the first quarter of 2022.

#### Total revenue

Total revenue of \$260.1 million for the first quarter of 2023 increased by 1% compared with \$257.5 million for the first quarter of 2022.

Net interest income increased by \$6.2 million or 3% to \$187.1 million for the first quarter of 2023, compared with \$180.9 million for the first quarter of 2022. The increase was mainly due to higher interest income stemming from commercial loans, partly offset by higher funding costs and lower mortgage pre-payment penalties. The net interest margin was 1.77% for the first quarter of 2023, a decrease of 11 basis points compared with the first quarter of 2022, mainly due to higher funding costs, loan repricing lags and lower mortgage prepayment penalties as a result of the rising interest rate environment, partly offset by favourable changes in our business mix.

Other income decreased by \$3.7 million or 5% to \$73.0 million for the first quarter of 2023, compared with \$76.6 million for the first quarter of 2022. The volatile market conditions unfavourably impacted financial markets revenue in the first quarter of 2023, including fees and securities brokerage commissions and income from mutual funds. Lower lending fees also contributed to the decrease year-over-year.

#### Provision for credit losses

The provision for credit losses was \$15.4 million for the first quarter of 2023 compared with \$9.4 million for the first quarter of 2022, an increase of \$6.0 million mainly due to higher provisions on impaired loans. The provision for credit losses as a percentage of average loans and acceptances stood at 16 bps for the quarter, compared to 11 bps for the same quarter a year ago. Refer to the "Risk management" section on pages 14 to 16 of this MD&A and to Note 5 to the Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements for more information on provision for credit losses and allowances for credit losses.

#### Non-interest expenses

Non-interest expenses amounted to \$183.7 million for the first quarter of 2023, an increase of \$5.7 million compared with the first quarter of 2022. Adjusted non-interest expenses increased by \$7.9 million or 5% to \$180.5 million for the first quarter of 2023, compared with \$172.6 million for the first quarter of 2022.

Salaries and employee benefits amounted to \$103.9 million for the first quarter of 2023, an increase of \$6.2 million compared with the first quarter of 2022, mostly due to salary increases and talent acquisition to invest in strategic priorities, improve the customer experience, and support growth. This was partly offset by lower employee benefits and lower performance-based compensation.

*Premises and technology costs* were \$47.1 million for the first quarter of 2023, an increase of \$2.1 million compared with the first quarter of 2022. The increase year-over-year is mainly due to higher technology costs as the Bank is investing in its infrastructure and strategic priorities, as well as increased amortization charges resulting from new projects recently completed.

Other non-interest expenses were \$32.7 million for the first quarter of 2023, mainly unchanged compared with the first quarter of 2022 and resulting from continued cost discipline.

#### Efficiency ratio

The efficiency ratio on a reported basis was 70.6% for the first quarter of 2023, compared with 69.1% for the first quarter of 2022. The adjusted efficiency ratio was 69.4% for the first quarter of 2023, compared to 67.0% for the first quarter of 2022, mainly as a result of temporary pressures on net interest margin and investments in strategic priorities, as detailed above. Macro-economic headwinds also contributed to negative operating leverage on a year-over-year basis.

#### Income taxes

For the first quarter of 2023, income taxes were \$9.1 million, and the effective tax rate was 15%. For the first quarter of 2022, the income tax was \$14.7 million, and the effective tax rate was 21%. For both quarters, the lower effective tax rate, compared to the statutory rate, is attributed to a lower taxation level of income from foreign operations, as well as from the favourable effect of holding investments in Canadian securities that generate non-taxable dividend income.

#### FIRST QUARTER OF 2023 COMPARED WITH FOURTH QUARTER OF 2022

Net income was \$51.9 million and diluted earnings per share were \$1.09 for the first quarter of 2023, compared with \$55.7 million and \$1.26 for the fourth quarter of 2022. Adjusted net income was \$54.3 million and adjusted diluted earnings per share were \$1.15 for the first quarter of 2023, compared with \$57.8 million and \$1.31 for the fourth quarter of 2022. Net income available to common shareholders included the interest paid semi-annually on the limited recourse capital notes and the quarterly dividend declared on the Preferred Shares Series 13 in the first quarter of 2023, whereas the fourth quarter of 2022 only included the quarterly dividend declared on the Preferred Shares Series 13.

Total revenue increased by \$2.9 million to \$260.1 million for the first quarter of 2023 compared with \$257.1 million for the previous quarter.

Net interest income increased by \$3.3 million sequentially to \$187.1 million. The increase mainly reflects the positive impact of higher interest income stemming from commercial loans. Net interest margin was 1.77% for the first quarter of 2023, in line with the fourth quarter of 2022.

Other income amounted to \$73.0 million for the first quarter of 2023, a decrease of \$0.4 million from the previous quarter. The volatile market conditions continued to unfavourably impact financial markets revenue in the first quarter of 2023, including fees and securities brokerage commissions and income from mutual funds.

The provision for credit losses was \$15.4 million for the first quarter of 2023, a decrease of \$2.4 million compared with \$17.8 million for the fourth quarter of 2022. The decrease is due to lower provisions on both performing and impaired loans. Refer to the "Risk Management" section for additional information.

Non-interest expenses increased by \$9.5 million to \$183.7 million for the first quarter of 2023 from \$174.1 million in the fourth quarter of 2022. The increase mostly stems from a one-time \$2.9 million employee benefits subsidy recorded last quarter and seasonally higher vacation accruals, as well as higher employee benefits and performance-based compensation, partly offset by lower professional fees. Adjusted non-interest expenses amounted to \$180.5 million in the first quarter of 2023, an increase of \$9.3 million, mainly for the same reasons.

#### **ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION**

TABLE 6
CONDENSED BALANCE SHEET

In thousands of dollars (Unaudited)	As at January 31, 2023	А	s at October 31, 2022
Assets			
Cash and deposits with banks	\$ 1,429,668	\$	1,890,923
Securities	6,064,158		6,184,461
Securities purchased under reverse repurchase agreements	3,941,511		3,727,752
Liquid assets <sup>(1)</sup>	11,435,337		11,803,136
Loans and acceptances, net of allowances	37,451,189		37,387,585
Other assets	1,474,552		1,526,037
	\$ 50,361,078	\$	50,716,758
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity			
Deposits	\$ 27,552,481	\$	27,131,806
Other liabilities	7,544,038		8,274,874
Debt related to securitization activities	12,119,595		12,192,422
Subordinated debt	336,032		336,553
Shareholders' equity	2,808,932		2,781,103
	\$ 50,361,078	\$	50,716,758

<sup>[1]</sup> Liquid assets is a supplementary financial measure and consist of cash, deposits with banks, securities and securities purchased under reverse repurchase agreements.

As at January 31, 2023, total assets amounted to \$50.4 billion, a 1% decrease from \$50.7 billion as at October 31, 2022, due to the lower level of liquid assets.

#### Liquid assets

As at January 31, 2023, liquid assets amounted to \$11.4 billion, a decrease of \$0.4 billion compared with \$11.8 billion as at October 31, 2022. The Bank continues to prudently manage its level of liquid assets. The Bank's funding sources remain well diversified and sufficient to meet all liquidity requirements. Liquid assets represented 23% of total assets as at January 31, 2023, in line with October 31, 2022.

#### Loans

Loans and bankers' acceptances, net of allowances, stood at \$37.5 billion as at January 31, 2023, an increase of \$0.1 billion since October 31, 2022. During the first quarter of 2023, commercial loan and residential mortgage growth were partly offset by a decrease in personal loans. Commercial loans and acceptances amounted to \$18.3 billion as at January 31, 2023, an increase of \$0.2 billion or 1% since October 31, 2022. The increase resulted mainly from net growth in both inventory financing and real estate lending. Residential mortgage loans of \$16.2 billion as at January 31, 2023 increased by \$0.1 billion or 1% from October 31, 2022. Personal loans of \$3.1 billion as at January 31, 2023 decreased by \$0.2 billion from October 31, 2022, mainly as a result of a decline in the investment loan portfolio driven by volatile market conditions.

#### Other assets

Other assets stood at \$1.5 billion as at January 31, 2023, mainly unchanged since October 31, 2022.

#### Deposits

Deposits increased by \$0.4 billion or 2% to \$27.6 billion as at January 31, 2023 compared with \$27.1 billion as at October 31, 2022. Personal deposits stood at \$22.7 billion as at January 31, 2023, up \$0.5 billion compared with October 31, 2022. Notice and demand deposits from partnerships increased by \$1.0 billion in the quarter, partly offset by a \$0.7 billion decline in term deposits from advisors and brokers. The Bank's retail term deposits also increased by \$0.4 billion. Personal deposits represented 83% of total deposits as at January 31, 2023, compared with 82% as at October 31, 2022, and contributed to the Bank's sound liquidity position. Business and other deposits decreased by \$0.1 billion over the same period to \$4.8 billion.

#### Other liabilities

Other liabilities stood at \$7.5 billion as at January 31, 2023, a decrease of \$0.7 billion or 9% since October 31, 2022. The decrease resulted mainly from lower obligations related to securities sold under repurchase agreements associated with trading activities.

#### Debt related to securitization activities

Debt related to securitization activities decreased by \$0.1 billion or 1% compared with October 31, 2022 and stood at \$12.1 billion as at January 31, 2023. Since the beginning of the year, maturities and normal repayments were partly offset by new mortgage loan securitization through the CMHC programs, supplemented by other secured funding.

#### Subordinated debt

Subordinated debt stood at \$0.3 billion as at January 31, 2023, mainly unchanged since October 31, 2022. Subordinated debt is an integral part of the Bank's regulatory capital and affords its depositors additional protection, as further detailed in the Capital Management section below.

#### Shareholders' equity

Shareholders' equity stood at \$2.8 billion as at January 31, 2023 and increased by \$27.8 million compared with October 31, 2022. Retained earnings increased by \$26.5 million compared to October 31, 2022, mainly as a result of the net income contribution of \$51.9 million, partly offset by dividends. For additional information, please refer to the Capital Management section below and to the Consolidated Statement of Changes in Shareholders' Equity.

The Bank's book value per common share was \$58.29 as at January 31, 2023 compared to \$58.02 as at October 31, 2022.

#### **CAPITAL MANAGEMENT**

Management seeks to maintain an adequate level of capital that considers the Bank's targeted capital ratios and internal assessment of required capital that is aligned with the Bank's risk appetite, strategic plan and shareholders' expectations. In order to achieve these objectives, the Bank leverages its capital management framework. This framework is underpinned by the Bank's Capital Management and Adequacy Policy which outlines the mechanisms for capital planning, management and adequacy assessment. Refer to the section "Capital Management" on page 43 of the Bank's 2022 Annual Report for additional information on the Bank's capital management framework.

#### REGULATORY CAPITAL

The Office of the Superintendent of Financial Institutions (OSFI) requires banks to meet minimum risk-based capital ratios drawn on the Basel Committee on Banking Supervision (BCBS) capital framework, commonly referred to as the Basel III Accord. Under OSFI's guideline, minimum Common Equity Tier 1, Tier 1 and Total capital ratios are set at 7.0%, 8.5% and 10.5% respectively including a 2.5% capital conservation buffer. For additional information on the three types of capital and ratios definitions, see page 44 of the 2022 Annual Report and the Glossary on page 21 of this report. Institutions are expected to meet minimum risk-based capital requirements for exposure to credit risk, operational risk and, where they are internationally active, market risk.

The Basel III Accord also introduced a non-risk-based leverage ratio requirement to act as a supplementary measure to the risk-based capital requirements. Under OSFI's Leverage Requirements Guideline, federally regulated deposit-taking institutions are expected to maintain a Basel III leverage ratio that always meets or exceeds 3%. For additional information on the leverage ratio definition, see the Glossary on page 21 of this report.

#### Regulatory capital developments

#### Changes to Capital, Leverage and Liquidity Requirements and related Disclosures - the Basel III Reforms.

In December 2017, the BCBS issued the Basel III: Finalising post-crisis reforms standard in response to the global financial crisis. It addressed shortcomings of the pre-crisis regulatory framework and provided a new regulatory foundation for a resilient banking system. A key objective of the revisions incorporated into the framework was to reduce excessive variability of risk-weighted assets (RWA) and to restore credibility in the calculation of RWA, as well as to improve comparability and transparency among bank capital ratios.

On March 11, 2021, OSFI released for public consultation revisions to the Capital Adequacy Requirements (CAR) Guideline, Leverage Requirements (LR) Guideline, and Liquidity Adequacy Requirements (LAR) Guideline (together, the Guidelines). The proposed revisions to the CAR and LR Guidelines reflected OSFI's domestic implementation of the final Basel III reforms as set out in the consolidated Basel Framework published by the BCBS. In addition, proposed revisions to these Guidelines, as well as those proposed to the LAR Guideline, included changes to reflect specific capital and liquidity requirements applicable to small and medium sized deposit-taking institutions (SMSBs). These changes aligned to the draft new SMSB Capital and Liquidity Requirements Guideline (the SMSB Capital and Liquidity Guideline) that was also released on the same date for public consultation.

Concurrent with the consultation, OSFI was consulting on proposed changes to the Pillar 3 Disclosure Guideline applicable to Domestic Systemically Important Banks (D-SIBs). These enhanced disclosure requirements incorporated revisions to the Guidelines to support transparency and promote market discipline. On August, 5, 2021, continuing its initiative to develop tailored requirements for the Canadian SMSBs, OSFI issued for Public Consultation the Draft Pillar 3 Disclosure Guideline for SMSBs. This draft guideline listed the disclosures required by SMSBs and their respective implementation dates.

On January 31, 2022, OSFI released revised capital, leverage, liquidity and disclosure rules that incorporate the final Basel III banking reforms with additional adjustments to make them suitable for federally regulated deposit-taking institutions (DTIs). The revised rules include the Guidelines and the SMSB Capital and Liquidity Guideline, as well as separate Pillar 3 Disclosure Requirements for D-SIBs and

SMSBs. Most of these revised rules will take effect in the second fiscal quarter of 2023 for the Bank, with those related to the credit valuation adjustment risk taking effect in early 2024. The Bank is finalizing its assessment of these new regulatory requirements and, in parallel, gradually implementing changes to systems and processes. The Basel III Reforms are not expected to have a material impact on the Bank' capital, leverage and liquidity ratios as of the second quarter of 2023.

#### Regulatory capital ratios

The Common Equity Tier 1 capital ratio stood at 9.1% as at January 31, 2023, stable compared with October 31, 2022 and in excess of the minimum regulatory requirement and the Bank's target management levels. The Bank dynamically manages its level of capital which led to a stable CET1 capital ratio this quarter, as internal capital generation offset a 6 basis points negative impact from the phase-out of the ECL transitional arrangements in response to COVID-19. The Bank met OSFI's capital and leverage requirements throughout the quarter.

TABLE 7
REGULATORY CAPITAL AND LEVERAGE RATIOS

In thousands of dollars, except percentages	A	As at January 31, 2023	A	As at October 31, 2022
Regulatory capital				
Common shares	\$	1,169,978	\$	1,167,549
Retained earnings		1,348,909		1,322,381
Accumulated other comprehensive income, excluding cash flow hedge reserve		6,073		19,438
Share-based compensation reserve		5,296		4,725
Transitional arrangements for expected credit losses in response to COVID-19 <sup>(1)</sup>		_		15,609
Deductions from Common Equity Tier 1 capital <sup>(2)</sup>		(349,337)		(362,389)
Common Equity Tier 1 capital		2,180,919		2,167,313
Qualifying preferred shares and limited recourse capital notes		245,353		244,403
Additional Tier 1 capital		245,353		244,403
Tier 1 capital		2,426,272		2,411,716
Qualifying subordinated debt		336,032		336,553
Collective allowances		153,445		133,658
Tier 2 capital		489,477		470,211
Total capital	\$	2,915,749	\$	2,881,927
CET1 risk-weighted assets	\$	23,900,939	\$	21,232,369
Total exposure	\$	51,494,761	\$	52,170,897
Capital ratios				
Common Equity Tier 1 capital ratio		9.1 %		9.1 %
Tier 1 capital ratio		10.2 %	1	10.1 %
Total capital ratio		12.2 %		12.1 %
Leverage ratio		4.7 %		4.6 %

<sup>[1]</sup> Represents ECL transitional arrangements provided by OSFI in April 2020 to afford financial institutions further flexibility in addressing economic conditions due to COVID-19. Under the arrangement, a portion of allowances that would otherwise have been included in Tier 2 capital is included in CET1 capital, subject to a scaling factor. The scaling factors were set at 25% for fiscal 2022 and at 0% for fiscal 2023.

#### **OUTSTANDING CAPITAL INSTRUMENTS**

As at February 22, 2023, there were 5,000,000 outstanding Preferred Shares Series 13, 43,405,425 outstanding common shares and 1,630,742 outstanding stock options.

#### NON-VIABILITY CONTINGENT (NVCC) CAPITAL INSTRUMENTS AND OTHER BAIL-IN REGULATIONS

As required under the Basel III Accord, OSFI requires that regulatory capital instruments other than common equity have a non-viability contingent capital (NVCC) clause to ensure that investors bear losses before taxpayers should the government determine that it is in the public interest to rescue a non-viable financial institution. NVCC provisions require the conversion of the capital instrument into a variable number of common shares in the event that OSFI deems a bank to be non-viable or a federal or provincial government in Canada publicly announces that a bank has accepted or agreed to accept a capital injection. If a NVCC trigger event was to occur, NVCC capital instruments as at January 31, 2023, which are the Class A Preferred Shares Series 13, the subordinated debentures due on June 15, 2032, as well as the Limited Recourse Capital Notes (LRCN) Series 1 would be converted into common shares pursuant to an automatic conversion formula with a conversion price based on the greater of: (i) a contractual floor price of \$5.00, and (ii) the current market price of the Bank's common shares at the time of the trigger event (10-day weighted average). Based on a floor price of \$5.00 and assuming no accrued interest and no declared and unpaid dividends, these NVCC capital instruments would convert into a maximum of 120,000,000 common shares, in aggregate, which would represent a dilution impact of 73.4% based on the number of common shares outstanding as at January 31, 2023.

<sup>[2]</sup> Comprised of deductions for software and other intangible assets, goodwill, pension plan assets and other.

Furthermore, in the regulations of the Canadian Deposit Insurance Corporation (CDIC) Act and the *Bank Act* (Canada), the Government of Canada has provided detailed information on conversion, issuance, and compensation regimes for bail-in instruments issued by D-SIBs (collectively the Bail-In Regulations). The Bail-In regulations provide for the conversion of certain shares and liabilities of a bank into common shares when a bank has ceased, or is about to cease, to be viable. At last, OSFI's Total Loss Absorbing Capacity (TLAC) guideline, which also applies to D-SIBs under the federal government's Bail-In Regulations, aims to ensure that a D-SIB has sufficient loss-absorbing capacity to support its recapitalization in the unlikely event it becomes non-viable. As the Bank has not been designated as a D-SIB, these measures do not apply to the Bank.

#### **NORMAL COURSE ISSUER BID**

On December 10, 2021, the Bank announced that it had received the approval of the Toronto Stock Exchange and OSFI to launch a normal course issuer bid (NCIB) to repurchase for cancellation up to 875,000 of its common shares, being approximately 2% of the total number of its shares outstanding as at December 1, 2021.

In 2022, the Bank repurchased 401,200 common shares under its NCIB at an average price of \$42.91 per share for a total amount of \$17.2 million, of which \$10.8 million reduced common shares and \$6.4 million reduced retained earnings. The NCIB terminated on December 14, 2022.

#### **DIVIDENDS**

On February 27, 2023, the Board of Directors declared a quarterly dividend of \$0.46 per common share, payable on May 1, 2023, to shareholders of record on April 3, 2023. This quarterly dividend is equal to the dividend declared in the previous quarter and is 5% higher compared with the dividend declared in the previous year. The Board also determined that shares attributed under the Bank's Shareholder Dividend Reinvestment and Share Purchase Plan will be made in common shares issued from Corporate Treasury with a 2% discount.

#### **RISK MANAGEMENT**

The Bank is exposed to various types of risks owing to its activities, mainly as it relates to the use of financial instruments. In order to manage these risks, various risk management policies and risk limits, as well as other controls have been implemented. These measures aim to ensure we manage within our risk appetite while optimizing risk-return in all operating segments. Refer to the section "Risk Appetite and Risk Management Framework" on page 48 of the Bank's 2022 Annual Report for additional information on the Bank's risk management framework.

#### **CREDIT RISK**

The following sections provide further details on the credit quality of the Bank's loan portfolio.

#### Measurement uncertainty of expected credit loss estimates

The Bank updates quarterly its forward-looking economic scenarios to assess its allowances for credit losses. The three scenarios, "base", "downside" and "upside", were probability weighted as part of the Bank's approach to determining the expected credit losses as at January 31, 2023 and are further described in Note 5 to the Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements.

The allowance for credit losses is sensitive to the inputs used in models, including macroeconomic variables used in the forward-looking scenarios and their respective weights. The comprehensive impact of recent macro-economic developments on the Canadian and U.S. economies is uncertain. Therefore, it remains difficult to predict whether these factors may result in write-offs in the future, or if the Bank will need to recognize additional increases or release portions of its allowances for credit losses in subsequent periods.

#### Provision for credit losses

#### First quarter of 2023 compared with first quarter of 2022

Total provision for credit losses of \$15.4 million increased by \$6.0 million compared with the first quarter of 2022, mainly as a result of higher provisions on impaired loans. The provision for credit losses as a percentage of average loans and acceptances stood at 16 bps for the quarter, compared to 11 bps for the same quarter a year ago.

The provision for credit losses on performing loans was \$5.9 million for the first quarter of 2023 compared with a provision of \$5.5 million for the first quarter of 2022. This mainly reflects higher provisions on commercial loans due to volume growth and the less favourable forward-looking macro-economic scenarios and probability weights and the impact of staging migration in the personal loan portfolio.

The provision for credit losses on impaired loans was \$9.5 million for the first quarter of 2023 and increased by \$5.6 million, due to higher provisions on personal loans, partly offset by lower provisions in the commercial loan portfolio.

#### First quarter of 2023 compared with fourth quarter of 2022

Total provision for credit losses of \$15.4 million decreased by \$2.4 million compared with the fourth quarter of 2022, mainly as a result of lower provisions on performing and impaired loans. The provision for credit losses as a percentage of average loans and acceptances stood at 16 bps, compared to 19 bps the previous quarter.

The provision for credit losses on performing loans was \$5.9 million for the first quarter of 2023 compared with \$7.5 million for the fourth quarter of 2022, primarily reflecting lower provisions on commercial loans as a result of credit migration.

The provision for credit losses on impaired loans of \$9.5 million decreased by \$0.8 million compared with the fourth quarter of 2022 due to lower provisions in the commercial loan portfolio, partly offset by higher provisions on personal loans.

TABLE 8
PROVISION FOR CREDIT LOSSES

		For	the t	hree months (	ended	
In thousands of dollars, except percentage amounts (Unaudited)		January 31, 2023		October 31, 2022		January 31, 2022
Personal loans						
Performing (Stage 1 and 2)	\$	(2,421)	\$	(2,703)	\$	4,026
Impaired (Stage 3)		9,699		8,634		(4,092)
		7,278		5,931		(66)
Residential mortgage loans						
Performing (Stage 1 and 2)		(183)		240		970
Impaired (Stage 3)		207		75		(1,518)
		24		315		(548)
Commercial loans <sup>[1]</sup>						
Performing (Stage 1 and 2)		8,494		9,999		491
Impaired (Stage 3)		(364)		1,604		9,523
		8,130		11,603		10,014
Total loans						
Performing (Stage 1 and 2)		5,890		7,536		5,487
Impaired (Stage 3)		9,542		10,313		3,913
Provision for credit losses	\$	15,432	\$	17,849	\$	9,400
As a % of average loans and acceptances	·	0.16 %		0.19 %		0.11 %

<sup>(1)</sup> Including customers' liabilities under acceptances.

#### Allowances for credit losses

Allowances for loan losses amounted to \$195.3 million as at January 31, 2023, a decrease of \$1.8 million compared with October 31, 2022. Allowances for loan losses on performing loans amounted to \$144.8 million as at January 31, 2023, up \$3.7 million compared with October 31, 2022, mainly as a result of higher allowances on commercial loans due to volume growth and partly offset by lower allowances on personal loans. Allowances for loan losses on impaired loans of \$50.4 million decreased by \$1.9 million compared with October 31, 2022, mainly due to write-offs of previously provisioned accounts in the commercial loan portfolio.

TABLE 9
ALLOWANCES FOR CREDIT LOSSES (ACL)

In thousands of dollars (Unaudited)	As at January 31, 2023	As	at October 31, 2022
Allowances for loan losses			
Personal	\$ 49,875	\$	51,264
Residential mortgages	15,425		15,994
Commercial	129,978		126,218
Total allowances for loan losses	195,278		193,476
Allowances for off-balance sheet exposures losses	8,194		7,675
Total allowances for credit losses	\$ 203,472	\$	201,151
ACL on performing loans (Stage 1 and 2)	\$ 144,831	\$	141,172
ACL on impaired loans (Stage 3)	50,447		52,304
Total allowances for loan losses	\$ 195,278	\$	193,476

#### Impaired loans

Gross impaired loans amounted to \$170.6 million as at January 31, 2023, up \$12.9 million or 8% compared with October 31, 2022, mainly due to an increase in personal and commercial impaired loans. See Note 5 to the Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements for additional information.

### TABLE 10 IMPAIRED LOANS

In thousands of dollars, except percentage amounts (Unaudited)	As at January 31, 2023		s at October 31, 2022
Gross impaired loans (GIL)			
Personal	\$ 17,063	\$	12,826
Residential mortgages	44,038	š	47,560
Commercial	109,459	,	97,303
	\$ 170,560	i	157,689
Allowances for loan losses on impaired loans (Stage 3)			
Personal	\$ (4,510	5) \$	(3,476)
Residential mortgages	(2,21)	<u>'</u> )	(2,591)
Commercial	(43,719	<b>'</b> ]	(46,237)
	\$ (50,44)	7) \$	(52,304)
Net impaired loans			
Personal	\$ 12,54	\$	9,350
Residential mortgages	41,820	)	44,969
Commercial	65,740	i	51,066
	\$ 120,113	\$	105,385
Impaired loans as a % of loans and acceptances			
Gross	0.49	<b>%</b>	0.42 %
Net	0.33	2 %	0.28 %

#### MARKET RISK

Market risk is the financial loss that the Bank may incur due to unfavourable fluctuations in the value of financial instruments as a result of changes in the underlying factors used to measure them, such as interest rates, currency exchange rates or equity prices. This risk is inherent to the Bank's financing, investment, trading and asset and liability management (ALM) activities.

The purpose of ALM activities is to control the interest rate risk in the banking book (IRRBB), which corresponds to the potential impact of interest rate movements on the Bank's net interest income (NII) and economic value of equity (EVE). Dynamic management of IRRBB is intended to enhance the Bank's profitability by maximizing NII and EVE, while considering the risk appetite established by the Board.

The table below provides a measure of the sensitivity to changes in interest rates of the Bank as at January 31, 2023. As presented, the effect on the economic value of common shareholders' equity and on net interest income before taxes of a sudden and sustained 1% increase in interest rates was as follows.

TABLE 11
SENSITIVITY ANALYSIS OF THE INTEREST RATE RISK OF THE BANKING BOOK

In thousands of dollars (Unaudited)	As at January 31, 2023								
	Effect on NII <sup>(1)</sup> Effect on EVE <sup>(2)</sup>				Effect on NII <sup>[1]</sup>	I	Effect on EVE <sup>[2]</sup>		
Change in interest rates									
Increase of 100 basis points	\$ 2,633	\$	(28,681)	\$	3,189	\$	(29,762)		
Decrease of 100 basis points	\$ (3,420)	\$	29,495	\$	(4,217)	\$	30,734		

<sup>(1)</sup> Over the next 12 months.

#### Cessation of the Canadian Dollar Offered Rate

In October 2020, the Canadian Alternative Reference Rate (CARR) working group was tasked with analyzing the current status of the Canadian Dollar Offered Rate (CDOR) and to make recommendations. In December 2021, CARR has recommended that the administrator of CDOR, Refinitiv Benchmark Services (UK) Limited (RBSL), cease publication of all of CDOR's remaining tenors after the end of June 2024. Following public consultation, RBSL published on May 16, 2022 a CDOR cessation notice stating that the calculation and publication of all tenors of CDOR will permanently cease immediately following a final publication on June 28, 2024.

The Bank has established an enterprise wide program, aimed at ensuring the transition from Interbank Offered Rates (IBORs) to risk-free rates (RFRs). The program has been focused on identifying and quantifying the Bank's exposures to various interest rate benchmarks, providing the capability to trade products referencing alternative RFRs, including assessing system changes and impacts on hedge accounting, as well as evaluating existing contract amendment language. The Bank has in place detailed plans, processes and procedures to support the transition of its IBOR exposure to RFRs.

<sup>(2)</sup> Net of income taxes.

#### LIQUIDITY AND FUNDING RISK

Liquidity and funding risk is the possibility that the Bank may not be able to gather sufficient cash resources, when required and on reasonable conditions, to meet its financial obligations. Financial obligations include obligations to depositors and suppliers, as well as lending commitments, investments and posting collateral requirements.

The Bank maintains liquidity and funding that is appropriate for the execution of its strategy, with liquidity and funding risk remaining well within its approved limits.

The Bank monitors cash resources daily and ensures that liquidity indicators are within established limits, paying particular attention to deposit and loan maturities, as well as to funding availability and demand when planning financing. A reserve of unencumbered liquid assets that are readily available to face contingencies is maintained and constitutes the Bank's liquidity buffer. This reserve does not factor in the availability of the central bank's emergency liquidity facilities. Requirements are based on scenarios evaluating required liquid assets necessary to cover predetermined rates of withdrawal of wholesale financing and retail deposits over specified periods.

The Bank originates deposits from Personal, Business and Institutional customers, and has access to wholesale financing from diversified sources. Personal deposits are sourced through multiple channels including retail, strategic partnerships and advisors and brokers. Wholesale funding options include loan securitization and the issuance of equity or debt instruments through capital markets. Limits on funding sources are monitored by the Asset-Liability Committee, the Executive Committee and the Board of Directors.

The Bank also manages its liquidity to comply with the regulatory liquidity metrics in the OSFI domestic Liquidity Adequacy Requirements (LAR) Guideline. These regulatory metrics include the Liquidity Coverage Ratio (LCR), drawn on the BCBS international Basel III liquidity framework, and the OSFI-designed Net Cumulative Cash Flow (NCCF) supervisory tool. The LCR requires that banks maintain sufficient high-quality liquid assets to meet net short-term financial obligations over a thirty-day period in an acute stress scenario.

The Bank remained compliant with the LAR Guideline throughout the three months ended January 31, 2023.

#### Credit ratings

Personal deposits constitute the most important source of financing for the Bank. The Bank also accesses wholesale markets to obtain financing through securitization and unsecured funding. The Bank's capacity to obtain such financing, especially wholesale funding, is tied to the credit ratings set by rating agencies such as DBRS Morningstar (DBRS) and S&P Global Ratings (S&P). Revisions of the Bank's credit ratings may therefore influence financing operations, as well as other collateral obligations.

Changes to credit ratings could also impact the Bank involvement with other operational banking arrangements. The Bank regularly monitors the impact of a hypothetical downgrade of its credit rating on collateral requirements. As at January 31, 2023, additional collateral that would be required in the event of a one-to-three-notch rating downgrade was not significant.

Table 12 presents the Bank's credit ratings as established by the rating agencies.

# TABLE 12 CREDIT RATINGS

As at January 31, 2023

	DBRS <sup>(1)</sup>	S&P <sup>[2]</sup>
Long-term deposits and debt	A (low)	BBB
Covered bonds	AAA	n/a
Short-term instruments	R-1 (low)	A-2
NVCC Subordinated debt	BBB (low)	BB+
NVCC Limited recourse capital notes	BB (high)	BB-
NVCC Preferred Shares	Pfd-3	BB-
Outlook	Stable	Stable

<sup>[1]</sup> Each DBRS rating category is appended with one of three rating trends — "Positive," "Stable," "Negative"— in addition to "Under Review." The rating trend helps to give investors an understanding of DBRS's opinion regarding the outlook for the rating in question. However, investors must not assume that a positive or negative trend necessarily indicates that a rating change is imminent.

#### Contractual maturities of assets and liabilities

The following tables provide remaining contractual maturity profiles of assets and liabilities at their carrying value (e.g., amortized cost or fair value) as at January 31, 2023 and October 31, 2022. Details of contractual maturities and commitments to extend funds are a source of information for the management of liquidity risk and does not represent how the Bank manages its interest rate or its liquidity risk and funding needs. These details form a basis for assessing a behavioural balance sheet with effective maturities to calculate liquidity risk measures.

<sup>[2]</sup> The S&P rating outlook assesses the potential direction of a long-term credit rating over the intermediate term (typically six months to two years). In determining a rating outlook, consideration is given to any changes in the economic and/or fundamental business conditions. An outlook is not necessarily a precursor of a rating change or future action. The S&P rating outlooks have the following meanings: "Positive" means that a rating may be raised; "Negative" means that a rating may be lowered; "Stable" means that a rating is not likely to change; "Developing" means a rating may be raised or lowered.

TABLE 13
CONTRACTUAL MATURITIES OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

In thousands of dollars (Unaudited)

Cash and non-interestbearing deposits with banks

Interest-bearing deposits

Securities purchased under reverse repurchase agreements

Residential mortgages

Customers' liabilities under

Allowances for loan losses

Commercial loans

acceptances

Assets

with banks

Securities

Loans<sup>(1)</sup>

Personal loans

0 to 3

months

1,279,364

3,175,923

21,707

475,601

2,585

2,612,056

3,111,949

670,155

Over 3

months to

6 months

277,106

765,588

25,125

558,789

1,414,315

1,998,228

\$

As at January 31, 2023 No specific 0ver 5 years maturity Total 63,646 \$ 63,646 86,658 1,366,022 1,700,712 123,403 6,064,158 3,941,511 2,057 2,963,268 3,058,822 37,378 107,962 16,238,524

5,017,791

(195,278)

7,893,743

18,346,536

2,585

(195,278)

37,451,189

Others	1,327	2,409	1,589	4,738	1,046	303	_	1,463,140	1,474,552
Total assets	\$8,238,718	\$3,043,331	\$1,939,963	\$1,885,716	\$6,315,650	\$16,116,114	\$3,190,996	\$ 9,630,590	\$50,361,078
Liabilities and equity									
Deposits									
Personal deposits <sup>[1]</sup>	\$2,109,168	\$2,180,392	\$1,503,489	\$1,416,537	\$3,209,883	\$ 3,455,562	\$ 65,334	\$ 8,792,342	22,732,707
Business, Banks and other deposits [1]	163,947	153,832	149,912	109,673	179,844	127,586	1,588	1,617,172	2,503,554
Wholesale deposits	229,500	416,885	21,700	32,000	352,328	715,092	_	_	1,767,505
Covered bonds	_	_	_	_	_	548,715	_	_	548,715
	2,502,615	2,751,109	1,675,101	1,558,210	3,742,055	4,846,955	66,922	10,409,514	27,552,481
Obligations related to securities sold short <sup>(2)</sup>	775,848	107,423	70,019	75,554	424,915	961,769	1,130,194	759	3,546,481
Obligations related to securities sold under repurchase agreements	2,322,752	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	2,322,752
Other liabilities	5,881	3,237	3,225	3,459	26,856	22,746	64,708	1,544,693	1,674,805
Debt related to securitization activities (3)	142,604	387,299	335,348	250,259	2,128,157	7,415,611	1,682,593	(222,276)	12,119,595
Subordinated debt	_	_	_	_	_	336,032	_	_	336,032
Equity			_	_	_			2,808,932	2,808,932
Total liabilities and equity	\$5,749,700	\$3,249,068	\$2,083,693	\$1,887,482	\$6,321,983	\$13,583,113	\$2,944,417	\$14,541,622	\$50,361,078

Term

Over 1

year to 2 years

766,018

13,892

2,737,414

2,797,280

5,548,586

Over 2 years

to 5 years

2,008,448

6,978

1,450,849

1,490,284

11,325,253

2,775,133

14,107,363

Over 9 months to

12 months

190.972

9,773

499,333

1,180,899

1,690,006

Over 6

months to

9 months

327.344

16,022

496,794

1,098,213

1,611,030

<sup>[1]</sup> Amounts collectible on demand are considered to have no specific maturity.

<sup>[2]</sup> Amounts are disclosed according to the remaining contractual maturity of the underlying security.

<sup>[3]</sup> Personal loan securitization cash flows are based on a behavioural prepayment model.

				Te	·rm			AS at Ut	tober 31, 2022
		Over 3	Over 6	Over 9					
In thousands of dollars (Unaudited)	0 to 3 months	months to 6 months	months to 9 months	months to 12 months	Over 1 year to 2 years	Over 2 years to 5 years	Over 5 years	No specific maturity	Total
Assets									
Cash and non-interest- bearing deposits with banks	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 79,702	\$ 79,702
Interest-bearing deposits with banks	1,558,135	_	_	115,076	_	_	_	138,010	1,811,221
Securities	1,036,610	367,940	231,537	355,781	728,357	1,802,686	1,493,445	168,105	6,184,461
Securities purchased under reverse repurchase agreements	3,643,373	84,379	_	_	_	_	_	_	3,727,752
Loans <sup>(1)</sup>									
Personal loans	44,805	20,536	17,786	16,005	23,044	7,539	2,276	3,134,644	3,266,635
Residential mortgages	550,979	519,069	518,897	506,027	2,423,273	11,475,197	54,115	109,923	16,157,480
Commercial loans	2,564,042	980,166	1,195,928	1,022,650	2,932,514	3,000,823	1,475,625	4,885,398	18,057,146
Customers' liabilities under acceptances	99,800	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	99,800
Allowances for loan losses	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	(193,476)	[193,476]
	3,259,626	1,519,771	1,732,611	1,544,682	5,378,831	14,483,559	1,532,016	7,936,489	37,387,585
Others	1,334	1,774	2,434	1,589	5,640	387	_	1,512,879	1,526,037
Total assets	\$ 9,499,078	\$1,973,864	\$1,966,582	\$2,017,128	\$6,112,828	\$16,286,632	\$3,025,461	\$ 9,835,185	\$50,716,758
Liabilities and equity									
Deposits									
Personal deposits <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 1,822,426	\$2,089,821	\$2,193,072	\$1,555,054	\$3,335,620	\$ 3,204,988	\$ 44,933	\$7,988,122	\$22,234,036
Business, Banks and other deposits <sup>(1)</sup>	100,803	70,442	127,181	158,560	168,233	120,811	410	1,766,137	2,512,577
Wholesale deposits	362,000	20,000	408,000	21,700	348,394	676,451	_	_	1,836,545
Covered bonds	_	_	_	_	_	548,648	_	_	548,648
	2,285,229	2,180,263	2,728,253	1,735,314	3,852,247	4,550,898	45,343	9,754,259	27,131,806
Obligations related to securities sold short <sup>(2)</sup>	794,012	17,863	21,630	75,365	582,828	777,254	952,321	85	3,221,358
Obligations related to securities sold under									
repurchase agreements	2,924,295	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	2,924,295
Other liabilities	103,107	3,325	3,243	3,185	26,557	23,407	67,364	1,899,033	2,129,221
Debt related to securitization activities <sup>[3]</sup>	522,028	151,667	388,161	332,749	1,696,174	7,622,614	1,744,956	(265,927)	12,192,422
Subordinated debt	_	_	_	_	_	336,553	_	_	336,553
Equity	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	2,781,103	2,781,103
Total liabilities and equity	\$ 6,628,671	\$2,353,118	\$3,141,287	\$2,146,613	\$6,157,806	\$13,310,726	\$2,809,984	\$14,168,553	\$50,716,758

Amounts collectible on demand are considered to have no specific maturity.
 Amounts are disclosed according to the remaining contractual maturity of the underlying security.
 Personal loan securitization cash flows are based on a behavioural prepayment model.

#### ADDITIONAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION - QUARTERLY RESULTS

TABLE 14
ADDITIONAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION - QUARTERLY RESULTS

In thousands of dollars, except per share amounts (Unaudited)	Ja	nuary 31, 2023	0	ctober 31, 2022	July 31, 2022	April 30, 2022	J	anuary 31, 2022	(	October 31, 2021	July 31, 2021	April 30, 2021
Net interest income	\$	187,116	\$	183,824	\$ 188,504	\$ 180,090	\$	180,918	\$	173,095	\$ 174,696	\$ 171,476
Other income		72,952		73,318	71,448	79,512		76,621		77,336	80,188	78,292
Total revenue		260,068		257,142	259,952	259,602		257,539		250,431	254,884	249,768
Provision for credit losses		15,432		17,849	16,629	13,000		9,400		24,900	5,400	2,400
Non-interest expenses		183,675		174,147	177,479	172,105		177,930		356,480	170,258	179,561
Income before income taxes		60,961		65,146	65,844	74,497		70,209		(130,949)	79,226	67,807
Income taxes		9,051		9,496	9,978	14,948		14,691		(28,073)	17,162	14,745
Net income (loss)	\$	51,910	\$	55,650	\$ 55,866	\$ 59,549	\$	55,518	\$	(102,876)	\$ 62,064	\$ 53,062
Earnings (loss) per share												
Basic	\$	1.09	\$	1.26	\$ 1.19	\$ 1.35	\$	1.17	\$	(2.39)	\$ 1.32	\$ 1.15
Diluted	\$	1.09	\$	1.26	\$ 1.18	\$ 1.34	\$	1.17	\$	(2.39)	\$ 1.32	\$ 1.15

# CORPORATE GOVERNANCE AND CHANGES TO INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING

Internal Control over Financial Reporting (ICFR) is a process designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements in accordance with IFRS. During the first quarter ended January 31, 2023, there have been no changes to ICFR that affected materially or are reasonably likely to materially affect ICFR.

The Board of Directors of Laurentian Bank of Canada approved this document prior to its release.

#### CRITICAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND ESTIMATES

The significant accounting policies followed by the Bank are outlined in Notes 2 and 3 to the 2022 Annual Consolidated Financial Statements. The Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements for the first quarter ended January 31, 2023 have been prepared in accordance with these accounting policies.

Some of these accounting policies are deemed critical as they require management to apply judgment in order to make particularly significant estimates that, by their very nature, involve uncertainties. Changes in these estimates could materially affect the Bank's Consolidated Financial Statements. Refer to the section "Critical Accounting Policies and Estimates" of the Bank's 2022 Annual Report, as well as to Notes 2 and 3 to the 2022 Annual Consolidated Financial Statements. for additional information.

#### Economic conditions impact on judgments, estimates and assumptions

The preparation of financial information requires the use of estimates and judgments about future economic conditions. The recent macro-economic developments, including high inflation and interest rate increases, have amplified uncertainty on the assumptions used by management in making its judgments and estimates. The comprehensive impact that recent macro-economic developments will have on the Canadian and U.S. economies and the Bank's business remain uncertain and difficult to predict. Refer to the section "Critical Accounting Policies and Estimations" of the Bank's 2022 Annual Report, as well as to Notes 2 and 3 to the 2022 Annual Consolidated Financial Statements.

#### **FUTURE CHANGES TO ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

The IASB has issued new standards and amendments to existing standards which are applicable for the Bank in various annual periods beginning on November 1, 2023. There have been no significant updates to the future accounting changes disclosed in Note 4 of the 2022 Annual Consolidated Financial Statements and in the section "Future Changes to Accounting Policies" of the Bank's 2022 Annual Report.

#### **GLOSSARY**

#### **GENERAL TERMS**

Allowances for credit losses (ACL) represent the Bank's estimate of expected credit losses (ECL) at the balance sheet date. ECLs are a probability-weighted estimate of credit losses over the remaining expected life of the financial instrument. These allowances are primarily related to loans and acceptances and off-balance sheet exposures, including letters of guarantee and certain undrawn amounts under approved credit facilities.

Alt-A mortgages represent a classification of mortgages where borrowers have a clean credit history consistent with prime lending criteria. However, characteristics about the mortgage such as loan to value, loan documentation, occupancy status or property type, may cause the mortgage not to qualify under standard underwriting programs.

**Bankers' acceptances (BAs)** are bills of exchange or negotiable instruments drawn by a borrower for payment at maturity and accepted by a bank. BAs constitute a guarantee of payment by the Bank and can be traded in the money market. The Bank earns a "stamping fee" for providing this guarantee.

Basis point represents one one-hundredth of a percentage point.

**Derivatives** are contracts whose value is "derived" from movements in interest or foreign exchange rates, or equity or commodity prices. Derivatives allow for the transfer, modification or reduction of current or expected risks from changes in rates and prices.

Earnings per share (EPS) is calculated by dividing net income after deduction of preferred dividends, by the average number of common shares outstanding. Diluted EPS is calculated by adjusting the number of shares outstanding for possible conversions of financial instruments into common shares.

Effective interest rate represents the discount rate applied to estimated future cash payments or receipts over the expected life of the financial instrument to arrive at the net carrying amount of the financial asset or liability.

Fair value is the estimated price that would be received or paid in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date.

**Hedging** is a risk management technique used to neutralize or manage interest rate, foreign currency, or credit exposures arising from normal banking activities by taking positions that are expected to react to market conditions in an offsetting manner.

**Impaired loans** consist of loans where one or more events that have a detrimental impact on the estimated future cash flows of a loan have occurred or when contractual payments are 90 days past due.

**Net interest income** is comprised of earnings on assets, such as loans and securities, including interest and dividend income, less interest expense paid on liabilities, such as deposits.

Notional amount refers to the principal used to calculate interest and other payments under derivative contracts.

**Off-balance sheet financial instruments** represent a variety of financial arrangements offered to clients, which include for the Bank derivatives, credit commitments and guarantees, and other indemnifications.

**Options** are contractual agreements between two parties in which the writer of the option grants the buyer the right, but not the obligation, to either buy or sell, at or by a specified date, a specific amount of a financial instrument at a price agreed upon when the agreement is entered into. The writer receives a premium for selling this instrument.

**Provision for credit losses** (PCL) is an amount charged or credited to income to adjust the allowances for credit losses to the appropriate level, for both performing and impaired financial assets.

Securities purchased under reverse repurchase agreements and obligations related to securities sold under repurchase agreements are short-term purchases of securities under agreements to resell as well as short-term sales of securities under agreements to repurchase at predetermined prices and dates. Given the low risk transfer associated with these purchases and sales, these agreements are treated as collateralized lending.

**Swaps** are contractual agreements between two parties to exchange a series of cash flows for a specified period of time. The various swap agreements that the Bank enters into are interest rate swaps, cross-currency swaps, foreign exchange swaps and total return swaps.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY FINANCIAL MEASURES

Allowances for credit losses as a % of total loans and acceptances is defined as allowances for credit losses as a percentage of total loans and acceptances.

**Assets under administration** mostly refers to assets related to registered and non-registered investment accounts, clients' brokerage assets, mutual funds and loans administered by the Bank that are beneficially owned by clients and therefore not reported on the balance sheet of the Bank.

Average earning assets include the Bank's loans net of allowances, as well as interest-bearing deposits with other banks, securities, securities purchased under reverse repurchase agreements used in the Bank's treasury operations and derivatives, but exclude average earning assets related to trading activities. The averages are based on the daily balances for the period.

**Dividend payout ratio** is defined as dividends declared on common shares as a percentage of net income available to common shareholders.

**Dividend yield** is defined as dividends declared per common share divided by the closing common share price.

Efficiency ratio is a measure of productivity and cost control and is defined as non-interest expenses as a percentage of total revenue.

Gross impaired loans as a % of loans and acceptances is defined as impaired loans as a percentage of total loans and acceptances at the end of the period.

**Interest-bearing liabilities** include the Bank's deposits, debt related to securitization activities and subordinated debt used in the Bank's treasury operations and derivatives, but exclude interest-bearing liabilities related to trading activities.

Liquid assets consist of cash, deposits with banks, securities and securities purchased under reverse repurchase agreements.

**Net interest margin** is the ratio of net interest income to average earning assets (based on the daily balances for the period), expressed as a percentage or basis points.

Net impaired loans as a % of loans and acceptances is defined as impaired loans less allowances for credit losses for impaired loans, as a percentage of total loans and acceptances at the end of the period.

Operating leverage is a measure of efficiency and is the difference between total revenue and non-interest expenses growth rates.

Provision for credit losses as a % of average loans and acceptances is defined as provision for credit losses as a percentage of average loans and acceptances. For average loans and acceptances, the averages are based on the daily balances for the period.

Price / earnings ratio is defined as closing common share price divided by basic earnings per share.

#### **RISK AND CAPITAL TERMS**

**Basel II** is the second of the Basel Accords, which are recommendations on banking laws and regulations issued by the Basel Committee on Banking Supervision (BCBS). The purpose of Basel II is to create an international standard that banking regulators can use when creating regulations about how much capital banks need to put aside to guard against the types of financial and operational risks banks face. The Basel II Accord also introduced the Advanced Internal-Ratings Based (AIRB) approach for credit risk.

**Basel III** is a comprehensive set of reform measures, developed by the BCBS, to strengthen the Basel II Accord as well as the supervision and risk management of the banking sector. These measures also introduced liquidity adequacy requirements.

Capital ratios are defined as either Common Equity Tier 1 capital, Tier 1 capital or Total capital divided by risk-weighted assets.

Common Equity Tier 1 (CET1) capital represents, under Basel III, more permanent forms of capital, and primarily consists of common shareholders' equity and accumulated other comprehensive income (AOCI), less a deduction for goodwill, software and other intangibles, net pension assets, cash flow hedge reserves and certain other deductions prescribed by OSFI.

Credit and counterparty risk is the risk of a financial loss occurring if a counterparty (including a debtor, an issuer or a guarantor) in a transaction fails to fully honour its contractual or financial obligation towards the Bank.

**Leverage ratio** is comprised of Tier 1 capital, divided by unweighted on-balance sheet assets and off-balance sheet commitments, derivatives and securities financing transactions.

**Liquidity coverage ratio (LCR)** measures the sufficiency of high-quality liquid assets available to meet net short-term financial obligations over a thirty-day period in an acute stress scenario.

**Operational risk** is the risk of loss or harm resulting from a failure ascribable to human resources, inadequate or failed internal processes or technology and systems, or from external events including legal risk but excluding regulatory, strategic and reputational risks

**Probability of default (PD)** is an estimated percentage that represents the likelihood of default within a given time period of an obligor for a specific rating grade or for a specific pool of exposure.

Exposure at default (EAD) is an amount expected to be owed by an obligor at the time of default.

Loss given default (LGD) is an estimated percentage of EAD that is not expected to be recovered during the collections and recovery process.

**Risk-weighted assets** are assets calculated by applying a risk-weight factor to on and off-balance sheet exposure. The Bank uses standardized risk-weight factors as stipulated by OSFI, based on the guidelines developed by the Bank for International Settlement (BIS).

Tier 1 capital primarily consists of CET1 capital and preferred shares.

**Total capital** includes Tier 1 and Tier 2 capital, net of certain deductions. Tier 2 capital is primarily comprised of subordinated debt and the eligible portion of collective allowances for loan losses.

# LAURENTIAN BANK OF CANADA CONDENSED INTERIM CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)

AS AT AND FOR THE PERIOD ENDED JANUARY 31, 2023

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#### **CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET**

In thousands of Canadian dollars (Unaudited)	Notes	As	at January 31, 2023	As	at October 31, 2022
Assets					
Cash and non-interest bearing deposits with banks		\$	63,646	\$	79,702
Interest-bearing deposits with banks			1,366,022		1,811,221
Securities	4 and 6				
At amortized cost			2,811,265		3,004,405
At fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL)			3,127,023		2,993,434
At fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI)			125,870		186,622
			6,064,158		6,184,461
Securities purchased under reverse repurchase agreements			3,941,511		3,727,752
Loans	5 and 6				
Personal			3,058,822		3,266,635
Residential mortgage			16,238,524		16,157,480
Commercial			18,346,536		18,057,146
Customers' liabilities under acceptances			2,585		99,800
			37,646,467		37,581,061
Allowances for loan losses			(195,278)		(193,476
			37,451,189		37,387,585
Other					
Derivatives			277,777		312,538
Premises and equipment			120,351		121,227
Software and other intangible assets			291,024		294,438
Goodwill			82,360		83,710
Deferred tax assets			80,515		71,533
Other assets			622,525		642,591
			1,474,552		1,526,037
		\$	50,361,078	\$	50,716,758
Liabilities and shareholders' equity					
Deposits	7				
Personal		\$	22,732,707	\$	22,234,036
Business, banks and other			4,819,774		4,897,770
			27,552,481		27,131,806
Other					
Obligations related to securities sold short			3,546,481		3,221,358
Obligations related to securities sold under repurchase agreements			2,322,752		2,924,295
Acceptances			2,585		99,800
Derivatives			479,930		808,958
Deferred tax liabilities			54,645		54,255
Other liabilities	14		1,137,645		1,166,208
			7,544,038		8,274,874
Debt related to securitization activities	6		12,119,595		12,192,422
Subordinated debt			336,032		336,553
Shareholders' equity					
Preferred shares	8		122,071		122,071
Limited recourse capital notes	8		123,282		122,332
Common shares	8		1,169,978		1,167,549
Retained earnings			1,348,909		1,322,381
Accumulated other comprehensive income			39,396		42,045
Share-based compensation reserve	9		5,296		4,725
			2,808,932		2,781,103
		\$	50,361,078	\$	50,716,758

#### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF INCOME

			For	the t	ı		
In thousands of Canadian dollars, except per share amounts (Unaudited)	Notes		January 31, 2023		October 31, 2022		January 31, 2022
Interest and dividend income	13						
Loans		\$	495,380	\$	424,369	\$	277,388
Securities			22,698		21,454		11,969
Deposits with banks			15,326		8,582		561
Other, including derivatives			6,228		8,775		21,102
			539,632		463,180		311,020
Interest expense	13						
Deposits			219,134		175,283		80,555
Debt related to securitization activities			72,690		62,537		44,571
Subordinated debt			4,591		4,598		3,835
Other, including derivatives			56,101		36,938		1,141
			352,516		279,356		130,102
Net interest income			187,116		183,824		180,918
Other income							
Lending fees			16,343		17,356		17,346
Fees and securities brokerage commissions			10,754		13,105		12,686
Income from mutual funds			11,076		11,087		13,163
Income from financial instruments			7,228		4,289		7,586
Service charges			6,847		7,334		7,576
Card service revenues			8,446		8,760		7,406
Fees on investment accounts			3,260		3,304		3,668
Insurance income, net			2,080		2,094		2,616
Other			6,918		5,989		4,574
			72,952		73,318		76,621
Total revenue			260,068		257,142		257,539
Provision for credit losses	5		15,432		17,849		9,400
Non-interest expenses							
Salaries and employee benefits	9 and 10		103,886		89,595		97,706
Premises and technology			47,054		47,008		45,004
Other			32,735		37,781		32,878
Impairment and restructuring charges			_		(237)		2,342
			183,675		174,147		177,930
Income before income taxes			60,961		65,146		70,209
Income taxes			9,051		9,496		14,691
Net income		\$	51,910	\$	55,650	\$	55,518
Preferred share dividends and limited recourse capital note interest	8		4,601		1,289		4,601
Net income available to common shareholders		\$	47,309	\$	54,361	\$	50,917
Earnings per share	11						
Basic		\$	1.09	\$	1.26	\$	1.15
Diluted		\$	1.09	\$	1.26	\$	1.17
Dividends per common share		\$	0.46	\$	0.45	\$	0.44
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#### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

	For	the t	hree months er		
In thousands of Canadian dollars (Unaudited)	January 31, 2023		October 31, 2022		January 31, 2022
Net income	\$ 51,910	\$	55,650	\$	55,518
Other comprehensive income, net of income taxes					
Items that may subsequently be reclassified to the Consolidated Statement of Income					
Net change in debt securities at FVOCI					
Unrealized net gains (losses) on debt securities at FVOCI	154		(334)		(233)
Reclassification of net (gains) losses on debt securities at FVOCI to net income	(17)		132		63
	137		(202)		(170)
Net change in value of derivatives designated as cash flow hedges	10,716		(8,904)		(6,504)
Net foreign currency translation adjustments					
Net unrealized foreign currency translation gains (losses) on investments in foreign operations	(26,966)		51,301		13,756
Net gains (losses) on hedges of investments in foreign operations	13,464		(23,495)		(5,931)
	(13,502)		27,806		7,825
	(2,649)		18,700		1,151
Items that may not subsequently be reclassified to the Consolidated Statement of Income					
Remeasurement gains (losses) on employee benefit plans	(834)		5,568		1,289
Net gains (losses) on equity securities designated at FVOCI	74		(8,924)		(1,548)
	(760)		(3,356)		(259)
Total other comprehensive income, net of income taxes	(3,409)		15,344		892
Comprehensive income	\$ 48,501	\$	70,994	\$	56,410

#### INCOME TAXES — OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

The following table shows income tax expense (recovery) for each component of other comprehensive income.

		For the three months ended								
In thousands of Canadian dollars (Unaudited)	J	anuary 31, 2023		October 31, 2022		January 31, 2022				
Net change in debt securities at FVOCI										
Unrealized net gains (losses) on debt securities at FVOCI	\$	55	\$	(121)	\$	(84)				
Reclassification of net (gains) losses on debt securities at FVOCI to net income		(6)		48		23				
		49		[73]		(61)				
Net change in value of derivatives designated as cash flow hedges		3,858		(3,207)		(2,343)				
Net foreign currency translation adjustments										
Net gains (losses) on hedges of investments in foreign operations		(337)		230		(26)				
Remeasurement gains (losses) on employee benefit plans		(300)		2,005		464				
Net gains (losses) on equity securities designated at FVOCI		27		(3,218)		(558)				
	\$	3,297	\$	(4,263)	\$	[2,524]				

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#### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

	_						For the three months ended January 31									
				Limited recourse				Accumulated other comprehensive income				Share- based				
In thousands of Canadian dollars [Unaudited]		Preferred shares (Note 8)	ed capital		Common shares (Note 8)	Retained		Debt securities at FVOCI	Cash flow hedges	Translation of foreign operations	Total	compen- sation reserve	sha	Total areholders' equity		
Balance as at October 31, 2022	\$	122,071	\$	122,332	\$ 1,167,549	\$ 1,322,381	\$	622) \$	22,607	20,060 \$	42,045 \$	4,725	\$	2,781,103		
Net income						51,910								51,910		
Other comprehensive income, net of income taxes																
Unrealized net gains on debt securities at FVOCI								154			154			154		
Reclassification of net gains on debt securities at FVOCI to net income								(17)			(17)			(17)		
Net change in value of derivatives designated as cash flow hedges									10,716		10,716			10,716		
Net unrealized foreign currency translation losses on investments in foreign operations										(26,966)	(26,966)			(26,966)		
Net gains on hedges of investments in foreign operations										13,464	13,464			13,464		
Remeasurement losses on employee benefit plans						(834)	1							(834)		
Net gains on equity securities designated at FVOCI						74								74		
Comprehensive income						51,150		137	10,716	(13,502)	(2,649)			48,501		
Net purchase of treasury limited recourse capital notes				950		(87)	1							863		
Issuance of common shares					2,429									2,429		
Share-based compensation												571		571		
Dividends and other																
Preferred shares and limited recourse capital notes						(4,601)	1							(4,601)		
Common shares						(19,934)	1							(19,934)		
Balance as at January 31, 2023	\$	122,071	\$	123,282	\$ 1,169,978	\$ 1,348,909	\$	(485) \$	33,323	\$ 6,558 \$	39,396 \$	5,296	\$	2,808,932		

#### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY (CONT'D)

										Fo	r the three mo	nths ended .	Janua	ary 31, 2022
			Limited					Accumulate	d Other Cor	mprehensive Inco	ome	Share- based		
In thousands of Canadian dollars (Unaudited)	Preferred shares (Note 8)	cap	recourse pital notes (Note 8)	Common shares (Note 8)			secui	Debt rities at FVOCI	Cash flow hedges	Translation of foreign operations	Total	compen- sation reserve	sha	Total areholders' equity
Balance as at October 31, 2021	\$ 122,071	\$	123,612	\$ 1,172,722	\$ 1,195	,264	\$	278 \$	42,095	\$ [18,839] \$	23,534 \$	3,667	\$	2,640,870
Net income					55	,518								55,518
Other comprehensive income, net of income taxes														
Unrealized net losses on debt securities at FVOCI								(233)			(233)			(233)
Reclassification of net losses on debt securities at FVOCI to net income								63			63			63
Net change in value of derivatives designated as cash flow hedges									(6,504)		(6,504)			(6,504)
Net unrealized foreign currency translation gains on investments in foreign operations										13,756	13,756			13,756
Net losses on hedges of investments in foreign operations										(5,931)	(5,931)			(5,931)
Remeasurement gains on employee benefit plans					1	,289								1,289
Net losses on equity securities designated at FVOCI					[1	,548)								(1,548)
Comprehensive income					55	,259		(170)	(6,504)	7,825	1,151			56,410
Net purchase of treasury limited recourse capital notes			(2,297)											(2,297)
Issuance of common shares				871										871
Repurchase of common shares for cancellation				(7,910	) (4	,691)								(12,601)
Share-based compensation												367		367
Dividends and other														
Preferred shares and limited recourse capital notes					[4	,601)								(4,601)
Common shares					[19	,179)								[19,179]
Balance as at January 31, 2022	\$ 122,071	\$	121,315	\$ 1,165,683	\$ 1,222	,052	\$	108 \$	35,591	\$ (11,014) \$	24,685 \$	4,034	\$	2,659,840

#### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

		 January 31,	ine t	hree months e October 31,	rueu	January 31,
In thousands of Canadian dollars (Unaudited)	Notes	2023		2022		2022
Cash flows relating to operating activities						
Net income		\$ 51,910	\$	55,650	\$	55,518
Adjustments to determine net cash flows relating to operating activities:						
Provision for credit losses	5	15,432		17,849		9,400
Deferred income taxes		(8,608)		(10,312)		4,349
Impairment of software, intangible assets and premises and equipment		24		2,949		847
Depreciation of premises and equipment		4,508		4,296		4,244
Amortization of software and other intangible assets		9,836		9,196		8,572
Change in operating assets and liabilities:						
Loans		(77,899)		(1,018,910)		(730,747)
Acceptances		(97,215)		41,800		15,000
Securities at FVTPL		(133,589)		375,185		89,869
Securities purchased under reverse repurchase agreements		(213,759)		(56,026)		(208,386)
Accrued interest receivable		(16,554)		(40,469)		7,833
Derivative assets		34,761		(53,343)		65,651
Deposits		420,675		457,061		1,114,470
Obligations related to securities sold short		325,123		(905,438)		174,333
Obligations related to securities sold under repurchase agreements		(601,543)		374,794		(66,668)
Accrued interest payable		32,689		53,994		(44,997)
Derivative liabilities		(329,028)		400,527		25,703
Debt related to securitization activities		(72,827)		597,474		61,849
Other, net		(26,170)		5,447		(399,859)
·		(682,234)		311,724		186,981
Cash flows relating to financing activities				· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
Payment of lease liabilities		(4,130)		[4,149]		(4,761)
Net proceeds from issuance of subordinated debt		(11)		(133)		_
Repurchase and redemption of subordinated debt		(607)		(2,669)		_
Net purchase of treasury limited recourse capital notes	8	950		789		(2,297)
Net proceeds from issuance of common shares	8	(6)		1,774		128
Repurchase of common shares for cancellation	8	_		_		(12,601)
Dividends and other distributions		(18,788)		(19,050)		(15,422)
		(22,592)		(23,438)		(34,953)
Cash flows relating to investing activities						
Change in securities at amortized cost						
Acquisitions		(924,530)		(614,973)		(852,103)
Proceeds on sale and at maturity		1,117,634		654,992		1,076,516
Change in securities at FVOCI						
Acquisitions		(118,962)		[243,942]		(204,994)
Proceeds on sale and at maturity		180,033		271,796		208,940
Additions to premises and equipment and software and other intangible assets		(10,075)		(30,018)		(6,738)
Change in interest-bearing deposits with banks		445,199		(340,459)		(382,190)
		689,299		(302,604)		(160,569)
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and non-interest-bearing deposits with banks		(529)		10,534		3,061
Net change in cash and non-interest bearing deposits with banks		(16,056)		(3,784)		(5,480)
Cash and non-interest bearing deposits with banks at beginning of period		79,702		83,486		69,002
Cash and non-interest bearing deposits with banks at end of period		\$ 63,646	\$	79,702	\$	63,522
Supplemental disclosure about cash flows relating to operating activities:						
Interest paid during the period		\$ 304,957	\$	186,887	\$	183,109
Interest received during the period		\$ 515,263	\$	416,082	\$	323,793
interest received during the period						
Dividends received during the period		\$ 2,175	\$	3,258	\$	3,444

#### NOTES TO CONDENSED INTERIM CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

All tabular amounts are in thousands of Canadian dollars, unless otherwise indicated (Unaudited)

#### 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

Laurentian Bank of Canada (the Bank) provides financial services to its personal, commercial and institutional customers. The Bank operates primarily across Canada, with a presence in the United States.

The Bank is the ultimate parent of the group. The Bank is a chartered bank under Schedule 1 of the *Bank Act* (Canada) and has its head office in Montreal, Canada, with a registered office in Toronto, Canada. The Bank's common shares (stock symbol: LB) are listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange.

The Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements for the period ended January 31, 2023 were approved for issuance by the Board of Directors on February 27, 2023.

#### 2. BASIS OF PRESENTATION

These Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB), as well as in accordance with IAS 34, *Interim Financial Reporting*. These Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements also comply with the *Bank Act* and the requirements of the Office of the Superintendent of Financial Institutions Canada (OSFI).

These Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements should be read in conjunction with the Annual Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended October 31, 2022 prepared in accordance with IFRS. The accounting policies described in Note 3 to the Annual Consolidated Financial Statements have been applied consistently to all periods presented within these financial statements.

These Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements were prepared under a historical cost basis, except for certain items carried at fair value as discussed in Note 3 to the Annual Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended October 31, 2022.

Unless otherwise indicated, all amounts are expressed in Canadian dollars, which is the Bank's presentation currency. Items included in the financial statements of each of the Bank's entities are measured using their functional currency, which is the currency of the primary economic environment in which they operate.

#### 2.1 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING JUDGMENTS, ESTIMATES AND ASSUMPTIONS

In preparing these Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements, management is required to make significant judgments and subjective estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of certain assets, liabilities, revenues, expenses and related disclosures. Estimates made by management are based on historical experience and other assumptions that are believed to be reasonable.

Significant accounting judgments, estimates and assumptions have been made specifically in the following areas and are further discussed in the Annual Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended October 31, 2022 as follows:

Fair value of financial instruments	Notes 3 and 22	Post-employment benefits	Notes 3 and 18
Allowances for credit losses	Notes 3 and 6	Income taxes	Notes 3 and 19
Goodwill and other intangible assets	Notes 3, 9 and 10	Provisions and contingent liabilities	Notes 3 and 29

In view of the inherent uncertainties and the high level of subjectivity involved in the recognition or measurement of the items listed above, it is possible that the outcomes in future reporting periods could differ from those on which management's estimates are based. This could result in materially different estimates and judgments from those reached by management for the purposes of the Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements.

#### Economic conditions impact on judgments, estimates and assumptions

The preparation of financial information requires the use of estimates and judgments about future economic conditions. The recent macro-economic developments, including high inflation and interest rate increases, have amplified uncertainty on the assumptions used by management in making its judgments and estimates. The comprehensive impact that recent macro-economic developments will have on the Canadian and U.S. economies and the Bank's business remain uncertain and difficult to predict.

#### 2.2 IBOR REFORM

The transition from Interbank Offered Rates ("IBORs") to alternative benchmark interest rates is a global initiative that will impact financial instruments referencing IBOR rates around the world, including in Canada.

In August 2020, the IASB published *Interest Rate Benchmark Reform – Phase 2 (Amendments to IFRS 9, IAS 39, IFRS 7, IFRS 4 and IFRS 16)* (the "Amendments") which completes its work to amend IFRS in response to the IBOR Reform. The Amendments address the accounting issues that arise when financial instruments that reference IBORs transition to nearly risk-free rates (RFRs), including the effects of changes to contractual cash flows or hedging relationships. The Bank early adopted the amendments as at August 1, 2021.

In March 2021, the Financial Conduct Authority (FCA), the regulator of the ICE Benchmark Administration (IBA) which administers the London Interbank Offered Rate (LIBOR), announced the permanent cessation or loss of representativeness of all 35 LIBOR benchmark settings published by the IBA as of December 31, 2021 or June 30, 2023.

In May 2022, Refinitiv Benchmark Services (UK) Limited (RBSL), the administrator of the Canadian Dollar Offered Rate (CDOR) published a CDOR cessation notice stating that the calculation and publication of all tenors of CDOR will permanently cease immediately following a final publication on June 28, 2024.

The Bank has established an enterprise-wide program, aimed at ensuring the transition from IBORs to RFRs. The program has been focused on identifying and quantifying the Bank's exposures to various interest rate benchmarks, providing the capability to trade products referencing alternative RFRs, including assessing system changes and impacts on hedge accounting, as well as evaluating existing contract amendment language. The Bank has in place detailed plans, processes and procedures to support the transition of its IBOR exposure to RFRs.

The IBOR reform exposes the Bank to various risks, which the project is managing and monitoring closely, including but not limited to risks arising from discussions with clients and market counterparties due to the amendments required to existing contracts necessary to effect IBOR reform and operational risks arising from changes to the Bank's IT systems and processes.

The following table discloses the non-derivative financial assets, non-derivative financial liabilities, derivative financial instruments and off-balance sheet commitments subject to the interest rate benchmark reform as at January 31, 2023 that have yet to transition to alternative benchmark rates.

(in millions of dollars)			As at October 31, 2022					
	USD LIBOR <sup>(1)</sup> CD0		CDOR <sup>(2)</sup>	USD LIBOR <sup>[1</sup>			CDOR <sup>[2]</sup>	
Non-derivative financial assets <sup>[3]</sup>	\$	220	\$	615	\$	229	\$	600
Non-derivative financial liabilities <sup>(4)</sup>		_		662		_		628
Derivative financial instruments <sup>(5)</sup>		_		8,006		_		9,015
Off-balance sheet commitments <sup>(6)</sup>		_		987		_		1,028

- (1) Includes non-derivative financial assets indexed at USD LIBOR that will mature after June 30, 2023.
- [2] Includes non-derivative financial assets, non-derivative financial liabilities, derivative financial instruments and off-balance sheet commitments indexed at CDOR that will mature after June 28, 2024.
- [3] Non-derivative financial assets include debt securities, outstanding balances on loans and customers' liabilities under acceptances.
- (4) Non-derivative financial liabilities include deposits, acceptances and obligations related to securities sold short.
- (5) Derivative financial instruments include the notional amounts of interest rate swaps and total return swaps. As at January 31, 2023, the notional amount of derivatives indexed to CDOR 1-month and 3-month tenors in qualifying hedge accounting relationships that are maturing after June 28, 2024 and have yet to transition to a RFR was \$7.3 billion (\$8.2 billion as at October 31, 2022) for those hedging equity price risk. As at January 31, 2023, the notional amount of derivatives indexed to USD LIBOR in qualifying hedge accounting relationships that are maturing after June 30, 2023 and have yet to transition to a RFR was nil (nil as at October 31, 2022).
- (6) Contractual amount for undrawn loan commitments, a portion of which can also be drawn in other benchmark rates.

#### 3. FUTURE ACCOUNTING CHANGES

The IASB has issued new standards and amendments to existing standards which are applicable for the Bank in various annual periods beginning on November 1, 2023. There have been no significant updates to the future accounting changes disclosed in Note 4 of the 2022 Annual Consolidated Financial Statements.

#### 4. SECURITIES

#### Credit quality

As at January 31, 2023, debt securities at amortized cost and at FVOCI are classified in Stage 1, with their credit rating falling mainly in the "Low risk" category according to the Bank's internal risk-rating categories. As at January 31, 2023, allowances for credit losses amounted to \$0.2 million (\$0.2 million as at October 31, 2022) for debt securities at amortized cost and \$0.2 million reported in Accumulated other comprehensive income for debt securities at FVOCI (\$0.2 million as at October 31, 2022).

#### Securities at amortized cost

	As at January 31, 2023	As a	at October 31, 2022
Securities issued or guaranteed			
by Canada <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 1,142,119	\$	1,338,249
by provinces	1,512,540		1,483,855
by municipalities	61,504		110,510
Other debt securities	95,102		71,791
	\$ 2,811,265	\$	3,004,405

<sup>[1]</sup> Including mortgage-backed securities that are fully guaranteed by the Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation pursuant to the National Housing Act.

#### Securities at FVOCI

Accumulated unrealized gains and losses recognized in other comprehensive income are detailed as follows:

			As at	Janu	uary 31, 2023
	Amortized cost	Unrealized gains	Unrealized losses		Fair value
Securities issued or guaranteed					
by Canada <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 9,886	\$ 7	\$ 43	\$	9,850
by provinces	7,159	1	152		7,008
by municipalities	2,624	_	78		2,546
Other debt securities	12,832	24	420		12,436
Preferred shares	75,229	366	7,468		68,127
Common shares and other securities	18,039	9,921	2,057		25,903
	\$ 125,769	\$ 10,319	\$ 10,218	\$	125,870

			As a	t Octo	ober 31, 2022
	Amortized cost	Unrealized gains	Unrealized losses		Fair value
Securities issued or guaranteed					
by Canada <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 8,111	\$ 1	\$ 92	\$	8,020
by provinces	6,994	_	156		6,838
by municipalities	2,617	_	79		2,538
Other debt securities	13,748	17	539		13,226
Preferred shares	145,646	1,281	17,020		129,907
Common shares and other securities	17,812	10,389	2,108		26,093
	\$ 194,928	\$ 11,688	\$ 19,994	\$	186,622

<sup>[1]</sup> Including mortgage-backed securities that are fully guaranteed by the Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation pursuant to the National Housing Act.

#### Equity securities designated at FVOCI

The Bank designated certain equity securities, the business objective of which is mainly to generate dividend income, at FVOCI without subsequent reclassification of gains and losses to net income.

Dividend income recognized in earnings on these investments was \$1.6 million for the three months ended January 31, 2023 (\$2.8 million for the three months ended January 31, 2022), including a negligible amount for investments that were sold during all such periods.

	For the th	ree r	months ended
	January 31, 2023		January 31, 2022
Fair value at beginning of period	\$ 156,000	\$	198,436
Change in fair value	8,219		(2,459)
Designated at FVOCI	638		6,057
Sales or redemptions	(70,827)		(3,397)
Fair value at end of period	\$ 94,030	\$	198,637

#### 5. LOANS AND ALLOWANCES FOR CREDIT LOSSES

As at January 31, 2023 and October 31, 2022, loans are recognized on the Consolidated Balance Sheet at amortized cost as outlined in Note 3 to the Annual Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended October 31, 2022.

#### Determining and measuring expected credit losses (ECL)

For additional information on the measurement of expected credit losses, see Note 6 to the Annual Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended October 31, 2022.

#### Credit risk exposure

The following table shows the gross and net carrying amounts of loans and acceptances and off-balance sheet exposures, according to credit quality and ECL impairment stage of each loan category at amortized cost.

					As at Ja	nuary 31, 2023	23 As at October 31, 2022						
	Perfo	rmir	ng		mpaired		Perfo	rmir	ng		mpaired		
	Stage 1		Stage 2		Stage 3	Total	Stage 1		Stage 2		Stage 3	Total	
Personal loans													
Very low risk	\$ 2,209,765	\$	1,119	\$	_	\$ 2,210,884	\$ 2,313,984	\$	307	\$	_	\$ 2,314,291	
Low risk	312,118		54,002		_	366,120	352,966		61,515		_	414,481	
Medium risk	222,604		232,148		_	454,752	243,561		271,247		_	514,808	
High risk	_		10,003		_	10,003	_		10,229		_	10,229	
Default	_		_		17,063	17,063	_		_		12,826	12,826	
Gross carrying amount	2,744,487		297,272		17,063	3,058,822	2,910,511		343,298		12,826	3,266,635	
Allowances for loan losses	9,582		35,777		4,516	49,875	12,078		35,710		3,476	51,264	
Net carrying amount	\$ 2,734,905	\$	261,495	\$	12,547	\$ 3,008,947	\$ 2,898,433	\$	307,588	\$	9,350	\$ 3,215,371	
Residential mortgage loans													
Very low risk	\$11,617,351	\$	_	\$	_	\$11,617,351	\$11,436,281	\$	_	\$	_	\$11,436,281	
Low risk	2,536,768		14,438		_	2,551,206	2,634,189		15,690		_	2,649,879	
Medium risk	1,646,420		306,211		_	1,952,631	1,641,105		310,396		_	1,951,501	
High risk	_		73,298		_	73,298	_		72,259		_	72,259	
Default	_		_		44,038	44,038	_		_		47,560	47,560	
Gross carrying amount	15,800,539		393,947		44,038	16,238,524	15,711,575		398,345		47,560	16,157,480	
Allowances for loan losses	6,636		6,577		2,212	15,425	6,811		6,592		2,591	15,994	
Net carrying amount	\$15,793,903	\$	387,370	\$	41,826	\$16,223,099	\$15,704,764	\$	391,753	\$	44,969	\$16,141,486	
Commercial loans <sup>(1)</sup>													
Very low risk	\$ 3,839,494	\$	33,044	\$	_	\$ 3,872,538	\$ 3,842,829	\$	11,333	\$	_	\$ 3,854,162	
Low risk	10,617,245		162,672		_	10,779,917	10,798,691		132,248		_	10,930,939	
Medium risk	2,732,327		411,816		_	3,144,143	2,516,822		334,460		_	2,851,282	
High risk	_		443,064		_	443,064	_		423,260		_	423,260	
Default	_		_		109,459	109,459	_		_		97,303	97,303	
Gross carrying amount	17,189,066		1,050,596		109,459	18,349,121	17,158,342		901,301		97,303	18,156,946	
Allowances for loan losses	58,893		27,366		43,719	129,978	51,094		28,887		46,237	126,218	
Net carrying amount	\$17,130,173	\$	1,023,230	\$	65,740	\$18,219,143	\$17,107,248	\$	872,414	\$	51,066	\$18,030,728	
Total loans													
Gross carrying amount	\$35,734,092	\$	1,741,815	\$	170,560	\$37,646,467	\$35,780,428	\$	1,642,944	\$	157,689	\$37,581,061	
Allowances for loan losses	75,111		69,720		50,447	195,278	69,983		71,189		52,304	193,476	
Net carrying amount	\$35,658,981	\$	1,672,095	\$	120,113	\$37,451,189	\$35,710,445	\$	1,571,755	\$	105,385	\$37,387,585	
Off-balance sheet exposures <sup>[2]</sup>													
Very low risk	\$ 1,164,107	\$	287	\$	_	\$ 1,164,394	\$ 1,124,620	\$	335	\$	_	\$ 1,124,955	
Low risk	1,164,694	Ψ	23,729	Ψ		1,188,423	1,292,992	Ψ	23,680	Ψ		1,316,672	
Medium risk					_	459,398	457,896		39,900		_	497,796	
	419,392		40,006			•							
High risk	_		52,728		_	52,728	_		38,660		_	38,660	
Default			447.556		_		0.075.500		100 575			0.070.000	
Total exposure	2,748,193		116,750		_	2,864,943	2,875,508		102,575		_	2,978,083	
Allowances for off-balance sheet exposures losses	5,827		2,367		_	8,194	5,864		1,811		_	7,675	
Total exposure, net	\$ 2,742,366	\$	114,383	\$	_	\$ 2,856,749	\$ 2,869,644	\$	100,764	\$	_	\$ 2,970,408	

<sup>(1)</sup> Including customers' liabilities under acceptances.

<sup>[2]</sup> Including letters of guarantee and certain undrawn amounts under approved credit facilities.

#### Reconciliation of allowances for credit losses

The following table presents the reconciliation of allowances for credit losses for each exposure category at amortized cost according to ECL impairment stage.

Quarterly reconciliation of allowances for credit losses

		For the three months ended January 31, 202														y 31, 2022
		Perfo	rmin	<u> </u>		Impaired					rmin			Impaired		
		Stage 1		Stage 2		Stage 3		Total		Stage 1		Stage 2		Stage 3		Total
Personal loans																
Balance at beginning of period	\$	13,173	\$	36,862	\$	3,476	\$	53,511	\$	9,561	\$	36,551	\$	9,471	\$	55,583
Transfers:																
to Stage 1		3,506		(3,407)		(99)		_		3,041		(2,532)		(509)		_
to Stage 2		(2,059)		2,359		(300)		_		(1,870)		2,651		(781)		_
to Stage 3		(65)		(2,474)		2,539		_		(33)		(1,205)		1,238		_
Originations		131		_		_		131		177		_		_		177
Derecognitions		(438)		(3,864)		(821)		(5,123)		(265)		(1,488)		(5,744)		[7,497]
Net remeasurement of allowances		(3,655)		7,545		8,380		12,270		(226)		5,776		1,704		7,254
Provision for (reversal of) credit losses		(2,580)		159		9,699		7,278		824		3,202		[4,092]		[66]
Write-offs				_		(10,369)		(10,369)		_		· _		(2,701)		[2.701]
Recoveries		_		_		1,930		1,930		_		_		2,078		2,078
Foreign exchange and other		_		_		(220)		(220)		_		_		(221)		(221)
Balance at end of period	\$	10,593	\$	37,021	\$	4,516	\$	52,130	\$	10,385	\$	39,753	\$	4,535	\$	54,673
'									_				_			
Total allowances for loan losses	\$	9,582	\$	35,777	\$	4,516	\$	49,875	\$	9,346	\$	38,578	\$	4,535	\$	52,459
Total allowances for off-balance sheet										4						0.01
exposures		1,011		1,244				2,255		1,039		1,175				2,214
Total allowances for credit losses	\$	10,593	\$	37,021	\$	4,516	\$	52,130	\$	10,385	\$	39,753	\$	4,535	\$	54,673
Residential mortgage loans																
Balance at beginning of period	\$	6,839	\$	6,599	\$	2,591	\$	16,029	\$	6,577	\$	4,707	\$	4,209	\$	15,493
Transfers:																
to Stage 1		1,721		(1,552)		(169)		_		1,458		(1,306)		(152)		_
to Stage 2		(209)		618		(409)		_		(330)		801		(471)		_
to Stage 3		(21)		(192)		213		_		(14)		(158)		172		_
Originations		278		_		_		278		565		_		_		565
Derecognitions		(393)		(336)		(226)		(955)		(664)		(337)		(1,323)		(2,324)
Net remeasurement of allowances		(1,552)		1,455		798		701		(872)		1,827		256		1,211
Provision for (reversal of) credit losses		(176)		(7)		207		24		143		827		(1,518)		(548)
Write-offs		(170)				(262)		(262)		-		-		(461)		(461)
Recoveries		_		_		58		58		_		_		292		292
Foreign exchange and other		_		_		(382)		(382)		_		_		(382)		(382)
Balance at end of period	\$	6,663	\$	6,592	\$	2,212	\$	15,467	\$	6,720	\$	5,534	\$	2,140	\$	14,394
'									_							
Total allowances for loan losses	\$	6,636	\$	6,577	\$	2,212	\$	15,425	\$	6,663	\$	5,510	\$	2,140	\$	14,313
Total allowances for off-balance sheet																
exposures		27		15		_		42		57		24		_		81
Total allowances for credit losses	\$	6,663	\$	6,592	\$	2,212	\$	15,467	\$	6,720	\$	5,534	\$	2,140	\$	14,394
Commercial loans																
Balance at beginning of period	\$	55,835	\$	29,539	\$	46,237	\$	131,611	\$	44,933	\$	13,257	\$	73,312	\$	131,502
Transfers:				27,007		.0,207	<u> </u>	,		,,,,		10,207	<u> </u>	70,012	Ψ	101,002
to Stage 1		2,306		(1,978)		(328)		_		2,462		(1,393)		[1,069]		_
to Stage 2		(1,455)		1,567		(112)		_		(674)		858		(184)		_
to Stage 3		(59)		(191)		250		_		(20)		(270)		290		_
Originations		1,816		_		_		1,816		2,847		_		_		2,847
Derecognitions		(4,786)		(7,172)		(8,596)		(20,554)		(5,471)		(3,495)		(7,048)		(16,014)
Net remeasurement of allowances		11,094		7,352		8,422		26,868		1,537		4,110		17,534		23,181
Provision for (reversal of) credit losses		8,916		(422)		(364)		8,130		681		(190)		9,523		10,014
Write-offs				_		(1,638)		(1,638)		_		_		(1,163)		(1,163)
Recoveries		_		_		36		36		_		_		177		177
Foreign exchange and other		(1,069)		(643)		(552)		(2,264)		(95)		(21)		(565)		(681)
Balance at end of period	\$	63,682	\$	28,474	\$	43,719	\$	135,875	\$	45,519	\$	13,046	\$	81,284	\$	139,849
'																
Total allowances for loan losses	\$	58,893	\$	27,366	\$	43,719	\$	129,978	\$	41,468	\$	12,823	\$	81,284	\$	135,575
Total allowances for off-balance sheet		/ 700		1 100				5 007		/ DE1		222				/, 27/
exposures		4,789		1,108				5,897		4,051	,	223				4,274
Total allowances for credit losses	\$	63,682	\$	28,474	\$	43,719	\$	135,875	\$	45,519	\$	13,046	\$	81,284	\$	139,849
Total exposure																
Total allowances for loan losses	\$	75,111	\$	69,720	\$	50,447	\$	195,278	\$	57,477	¢	56,911	\$	87,959	\$	202,347
Total allowances for toan tosses  Total allowances for off-balance sheet	₽	73,111	Ф	07,720	Ф	50,447	₽	173,276	Φ	57,477	Ф	JU,711	Φ	07,737	ψ	202,34/
exposures		5,827		2,367		_		8,194		5,147		1,422		_		6,569
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Total allowances for credit losses	\$	80,938	\$	72,087	\$	50,447	Þ	203,472	\$	62,624	\$	58,333	\$	87,959	\$	208,916

#### Main macroeconomic factors

The following tables show the main macroeconomic factors used to estimate the collective allowances for credit losses as at January 31, 2023 and as at October 31, 2022.

As at January 31, 2023

	E	Base scenario	Up	side scenario	Downside scenar		
	Next 12 months <sup>[1]</sup>	Remaining forecast period <sup>(2)</sup>	Next 12 months <sup>[1]</sup>	Remaining forecast period <sup>(2)</sup>	Next 12 months <sup>[1]</sup>	Remaining forecast period <sup>(2)</sup>	
Main macroeconomic factors							
GDP growth (decrease)	(0.7)%	4.3%	1.2%	4.4%	(3.6)%	4.2%	
Average unemployment rate (percentage points)	5.7	5.9	5.1	4.9	7.8	8.1	
Housing price index growth (decrease)	(7.8)%	6.9%	1.5%	9.9%	(16.2)%	5.1%	
S&P/TSX index growth (decrease) <sup>[3]</sup>	0.6%	17.5%	9.6%	12.6%	(12.5)%	18.4%	

					As at Octo	ber 31, 2022
	В	lase scenario	Down	side scenario		
	Next 12 months <sup>[1]</sup>	Remaining forecast period <sup>(2)</sup>	Next 12 months <sup>[1]</sup>	Remaining forecast period <sup>(2)</sup>	Next 12 months <sup>[1]</sup>	Remaining forecast period <sup>(2)</sup>
Main macroeconomic factors						
GDP growth (decrease)	(0.1)%	3.3%	1.2%	3.4%	(3.5)%	2.9%
Average unemployment rate (percentage points)	5.9	6.3	5.5	5.5	8.0	8.3
Housing price index growth (decrease)	(13.3)%	5.8%	(5.4)%	8.5%	(21.3)%	3.6%
S&P/TSX index growth (decrease) <sup>[3]</sup>	0.3%	13.5%	9.8%	14.9%	(10.7)%	19.9%

- (1) Expected variation or average over the next 12 months. These factors are used for Stage 1 ECL calculations.
- [2] Expected variation or average over the remaining forecast period of 24 months. These factors are used for Stage 2 and Stage 3 ECL calculations.
- (3) Main stock index in Canada.

The main macroeconomic factors used for the personal and residential mortgage loan portfolios are the average unemployment rate, the housing price index and the S&P/TSX index. The main macroeconomic factors used for the commercial loan portfolio is the GDP. An increase in the average unemployment rate will generally correlate with higher allowances for credit losses, whereas an increase in the other macroeconomic factors mentioned above will generally correlate with lower allowances for credit losses.

#### Description of scenarios used for ECL measurement as at January 31, 2023

In the base scenario, the adjustment of households and businesses to tighter financial conditions leads to a shallow recession in North America during 2023. High interest rates dampen consumer spending and restrain business investment. Unemployment rises only modestly and the moderate decline in home prices ends later in 2023. Equity returns are subdued. Central banks successfully restore price stability during 2023. The recovery is characterized by modest economic momentum.

In the downside scenario, financial conditions tightened to a greater extent than expected by financial markets as central banks must add further hikes to combat persistently high inflation. Very high interest rates lead to deeper and longer recession in North America during 2023, reflecting a painful adjustment from consumers and businesses. Unemployment increases substantially and contribute to a significant decline in home prices. Equity returns are deeply negative. Central banks are unable to cut back policy rates before 2024 due to the inflation stickiness, making the interest rates environment more restrictive. The recovery is tepid for the remaining forecast period.

In the upside scenario, a soft-landing is achieved. North America avoids a recession during 2023. Inflation cools down rapidly. Compelling evidence of price stability allows central banks to bring down policy rates close to neutral territory earlier during 2023, facilitating adjustments from consumers and businesses. Resilient labour market conditions are preserved, and home prices increase. Improving sentiment and acceleration in economic momentum contribute to solid equity returns. The recovery is marked by above-trend growth.

#### Sensitivity analysis of allowances for credit losses on performing loans

If the Bank was to only use the base scenario for the measurement of allowances for credit losses on performing loans, it would be \$38.0 million lower than the recognized allowances for credit losses as at January 31, 2023 (\$33.5 million lower as at October 31, 2022). If the Bank was to only use the downside scenario for the measurement of allowances for credit losses on performing loans, it would be \$53.3 million higher than the recognized allowances for credit losses as at January 31, 2023 (\$46.0 million higher as at October 31, 2022).

This sensitivity is isolated to the measurement of allowances for credit losses and therefore did not consider changes in the migration of exposures between stage 1 and stage 2 from the determination of the significant increase in credit risk that would have resulted in a 100% base scenario or a 100% downside scenario. As a result, the allowances for credit losses on performing loans could exceed the amount implied by the 100% downside case scenario from the migration of additional exposures from stage 1 to stage 2. Actual credit losses could differ materially from those reflected in these estimates.

Under the current probability-weighted scenarios, if all performing loans were in stage 1, reflecting a 12-month expected loss period, the allowances for credit losses on performing loans would be \$141.0 million as at January 31, 2023 (\$136.0 million as at October 31, 2022)

#### Loans past due but not impaired

The following table shows personal and residential mortgage loans that are past due but not classified as impaired. The Commercial loans past due but not impaired are not significant.

		As at .	As at October 31, 2022				
	1 day- 31 days	32 days- 90 days	Total	1 day- 31 days	32 days- 90 days		Total
Personal loans	\$ 83,136	\$ 28,926	\$ 112,062	\$ 70,173	\$ 23,726	\$	93,899
Residential mortgage loans	109,460	25,060	134,520	115,028	27,496		142,524
	\$ 192,596	\$ 53,986	\$ 246,582	\$ 185,201	\$ 51,222	\$	236,423

#### Finance lease receivables

The Commercial loans line item includes net investment in leases of \$1.0 billion as at January 31, 2023 (\$1.1 billion as at October 31, 2022).

#### 6. SECURITIZATION AND STRUCTURED ENTITIES

#### **6.1 TRANSFER OF FINANCIAL ASSETS**

The Bank primarily sells residential mortgage loans through the Canada Mortgage Bond (CMB) program and to third-party investors under the National Housing Act (NHA) Mortgage-Backed Securities (MBS) program set-up by the Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC), as well as through other multi-seller conduits set up by other Canadian banks.

#### Financial assets not qualifying for derecognition and associated financial liabilities

The following table summarizes the carrying amounts of financial assets that do not qualify for derecognition and their associated financial liabilities included on the Consolidated Balance Sheet.

	As at January 31, 2023	As	at October 31, 2022
Residential mortgage loans	\$ 10,519,395	\$	10,298,524
Replacement Assets <sup>[1]</sup>	567,958		799,619
Debt related to securitization activities	(10,866,071)		(10,860,606)

<sup>[1]</sup> Includes cash and deposits with banks, securities purchased under reverse repurchase agreements and securities acquired as part of the principal reinvestment account that is required to be maintained for the Bank to participate in the program.

In addition, as at January 31, 2023, the Bank has also securitized other residential mortgage loans for a total amount of \$63.2 million [\$88.5 million as at October 31, 2022] as part of the NHA MBS program, which were not subsequently sold. The resulting NHA MBS are presented as part of residential mortgage loans. Of these NHA MBS, nil was pledged as collateral with the Bank of Canada (nil as at October 31, 2022).

#### **6.2 STRUCTURED ENTITIES SECURITIZATON VEHICLES**

In the ordinary course of business, the Bank enters into transactions with other structured entities as part of securitization programs to obtain alternative sources of funding. The Bank sells personal loans and finance lease receivables to two intermediate partnerships, B2B Securitization Limited Partnership and LBC Leasing Limited Partnership (the Partnerships), respectively. To fund these purchases, the Partnerships issue interest-bearing liabilities to securitization conduits of other Canadian banks. These Partnerships are consolidated as the Bank holds 100% of the rights, has the ability to direct the relevant activities and can exercise power to affect returns. The interest-bearing liabilities issued by the Partnerships are recorded as debt related to securitization activities on the Consolidated Balance Sheet.

#### Financial assets not qualifying for derecognition and associated financial liabilities

The following table summarizes the carrying amounts of financial assets securitized through other structured entities that do not qualify for derecognition and their associated financial liabilities included in the Consolidated Balance Sheet.

	As at January 31, 2023	As at October 31, 2022
Personal loans	\$ 1,385,205	\$ 1,475,526
Commercial loans <sup>[1]</sup>	698,439	783,781
Debt related to securitization activities	(1,253,524)	(1,331,816)

<sup>[1]</sup> The Bank securitizes finance lease receivables which are included in the Commercial loans line item.

#### **6.3 COVERED BONDS**

In April 2021, the Bank received approval from Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC) to establish a \$2.0 billion legislative covered bond programme (the Programme) pursuant to the Canadian Registered Covered Bond Programs Guide, published by CMHC. In May 2021, the Bank issued its inaugural \$250.0 million covered bonds which bear interest at a rate of 1.603% annually, payable semi-annually. In April 2022, the Bank issued its second tranche of covered bonds for \$300.0 million which bear interest at a rate of 3.545% annually, payable semi-annually. The covered bonds are presented as Deposits on the Bank's Consolidated Balance Sheet.

The Bank will periodically transfer mortgages to LBC Covered Bond (Legislative) Guarantor Limited Partnership (the Guarantor LP) to support funding activities and asset coverage requirements under the Programme. The Guarantor LP was created to guarantee payment of the principal and interest owed to the bondholders. The covered bonds guaranteed by the Guarantor LP are direct, unsecured and unconditional obligations of the Bank; therefore, investors have a claim against the Bank which will continue if the covered bonds are not paid by the Bank and the mortgage assets in the Guarantor LP are insufficient to satisfy the obligations owing on the covered bonds. As at January 31, 2023 the total amount of mortgages outstanding was \$705.9 million (\$732.9 million as at October 31, 2022).

#### 7. DEPOSITS

			As at .	Janu	ary 31, 2023
	Demand <sup>(1)</sup>	Notice <sup>(2)</sup>	Term <sup>(3)</sup>		Total
Personal	\$ 128,835	\$ 8,731,974	\$ 13,871,898	\$	22,732,707
Business, banks and other <sup>[4]</sup>	1,135,221	506,456	3,178,097		4,819,774
	\$ 1,264,056	\$ 9,238,430	\$ 17,049,995	\$	27,552,481
			As at	Octo	ber 31, 2022
	Demand <sup>(1)</sup>	Notice <sup>(2)</sup>	Term <sup>(3)</sup>		Total
Personal	\$ 136,160	\$ 7,936,834	\$ 14,161,042	\$	22,234,036
Business, banks and other <sup>[4]</sup>	1,331,138	448,406	3,118,226		4,897,770
	\$ 1,467,298	\$ 8,385,240	\$ 17,279,268	\$	27,131,806

<sup>[1]</sup> Demand deposits, primarily chequing accounts, consist of deposits in respect of which the Bank is not authorized to require notice prior to withdrawal by customers.

#### 8. SHARE CAPITAL

#### Preferred shares

#### Issued and outstanding

The variation and outstanding number and amount of preferred shares were as follows.

			For the thr	ree n	nonths ended
		January 31, 2023			January 31, 2022
	Number of shares	Amount <sup>(1)</sup>	Number of shares		Amount <sup>(1)</sup>
Non-Cumulative Class A Preferred Shares (NVCC) <sup>[2]</sup>					
Series 13					
Outstanding at beginning and end of period	5,000,000	\$ 122,071	5,000,000	\$	122,071

<sup>[1]</sup> Incremental costs directly attributable to the issuance of preferred shares are recorded in equity as a deduction from the proceeds, net of applicable income taxes.

<sup>(2)</sup> Notice deposits, primarily savings accounts, consist of deposits in respect of which the Bank may legally require a withdrawal notice.

<sup>[3]</sup> Term deposits include deposits maturing at a specific date, particularly term deposits and guaranteed investment certificates, as well as senior unsecured notes and covered bonds.

<sup>[4]</sup> The Bank has access to a credit facility agreement for an amount of up to \$250 million secured by insured residential mortgage loans and maturing in August 2023, of which nil was drawn as at January 31, 2023 (nil as at October 31, 2022).

<sup>(2)</sup> Non-Viability Contingent Capital (NVCC).

	Maturity	Interest rate	Earliest par value redemption date	Redemption price per note (\$) <sup>[2]</sup>	Reset premium
Limited Recourse Capital Notes (NVCC)					
Series 1 <sup>(1)</sup>	June 15, 2081	5.30 %	May 15, 2026	\$ 1,000	4.33 %

<sup>[1]</sup> Recourse is limited to assets held by a third-party trustee in a bare trust. The trust assets in respect of LRCN Series 1 consist of \$125.0 million of the Bank's Preferred Shares Series 17 issued concurrently with LRCN Series 1.

#### Issued and outstanding

The variation and outstanding number and amount of Limited Recourse Capital Notes were as follows.

		For the th	ree n	nonths ended
	•	January 31, 2023		January 31, 2022
		Amount		Amount
Limited Recourse Capital Notes (NVCC)				
Series 1				
Outstanding at beginning of period	\$	122,332	\$	123,612
Treasury limited recourse capital notes <sup>(1)</sup>		950	\$	(2,297)
Outstanding at the end of period	\$	123,282	\$	121,315

<sup>[1]</sup> When the Bank purchases its own equity instruments as part of its trading business, they are classified as treasury instruments and the cost of these instruments is recorded as a reduction in equity.

For accounting purposes, the LRCN Series 1 are compound instruments with both equity and liability features. The liability component of the LRCN Series 1 has a nominal value and, as a result, the total proceeds received are presented as equity on the Bank's Consolidated Balance Sheet.

#### Common shares

#### Issued and outstanding

The variation and outstanding number and amount of common shares were as follows.

		For the three m			
		January 31, 2023			January 31, 2022
	Number of shares	Amount	Number of shares		Amount
Common shares					
Outstanding at beginning of period	43,334,388	\$ 1,167,549	43,586,656	\$	1,172,722
Issuance under the employee share purchase option plan	_	_	3,074		140
Issuance under the Shareholder Dividend Reinvestment and Share Purchase Plan	70,823	2,443	17,054		735
Repurchase of shares for cancellation	_	_	(294,000)		(7,910)
Net issuance costs	n/a	(14)	n/a		(4)
Outstanding at the end of period	43,405,211	\$ 1,169,978	43,312,784	\$	1,165,683

#### Normal course issuer bid

On December 10, 2021, the Bank announced that it had received the approval of the Toronto Stock Exchange and OSFI to launch a normal course issuer bid (NCIB) to repurchase for cancellation up to 875,000 of its common shares, being approximately 2% of the total number of its shares outstanding as at December 1, 2021.

In 2022, the Bank repurchased 401,200 common shares under its NCIB at an average price of \$42.91 per share for a total amount of \$17.2 million, of which \$10.8 million reduced common shares and \$6.4 million reduced retained earnings. The NCIB terminated on December 14, 2022.

#### Shareholder dividend reinvestment and share purchase plan

The Bank determined that as of February 27, 2023, reinvestment related to the dividend declared would be made in common shares issued from Corporate Treasury with a 2% discount.

<sup>[2]</sup> Redeemable in cash at the Bank's option, only upon the redemption by the Bank of the Preferred Shares Series 17 held in the Limited Recourse Trust in accordance with the terms of such Preferred Shares Series 17, and subject to the provisions of the Bank Act and to the prior consent of OSFI.

<sup>[3]</sup> Redeemable as of the date fixed for redemption during the period from May 15 to and including June 15 and on the same dates every five years thereafter.

#### **Dividends**

On February 14, 2023, the Board of Directors declared regular dividends on the Preferred Shares Series 13 to shareholders of record on March 7, 2023. On February 27, 2023, the Board of Directors declared a dividend of \$0.46 per common share, payable on May 1, 2023, to shareholders of record on April 3, 2023.

#### Capital management

#### Regulatory capital

OSFI requires banks to meet minimum risk-based capital ratios drawn on the Basel Committee on Banking Supervision (BCBS) capital framework, commonly referred to as the Basel III Accord. Under OSFI's Capital Adequacy Requirements guideline, the Bank must maintain minimum levels of capital depending on various criteria. Tier 1 capital, the most permanent and subordinated forms of capital, consists of two components: Common Equity Tier 1 capital and Additional Tier 1 capital. Tier 1 capital is predominantly composed of common equity to ensure that risk exposures are backed by a high-quality capital base. Tier 2 capital consists of supplementary capital instruments and contributes to the overall strength of a financial institution as a going concern. Under OSFI's guideline, minimum Common Equity Tier 1, Tier 1 and Total capital ratios are set at 7.0%, 8.5% and 10.5% respectively including a 2.5% capital conservation buffer.

Under OSFI's Leverage Requirements Guideline, Federally regulated deposit-taking institutions are expected to maintain a Basel III leverage ratio that always meets or exceeds 3%. The leverage ratio is defined as the Tier 1 capital divided by unweighted on-balance sheet assets and off-balance sheet commitments, derivatives and securities financing transactions, as defined within the requirements.

The Bank has complied with regulatory capital and leverage requirements throughout the three-month period ended January 31, 2023. Regulatory capital is detailed below.

	As at January 31, 2023		s at October 31, 2022
Regulatory capital			
Common Equity Tier 1 capital	\$ 2,180,919	\$	2,167,313
Tier 1 capital	\$ 2,426,272	\$	2,411,716
Total capital	\$ 2,915,749	\$	2,881,927
Total risk-weighted assets <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 23,900,939	\$	23,909,169
Regulatory capital ratios			
Common Equity Tier 1 capital ratio	9.1 %	)	9.1 %
Tier 1 capital ratio	10.2 %	,	10.1 %
Total capital ratio	12.2 %	)	12.1 %

<sup>(1)</sup> Using the Standardized approach in determining credit risk and operational risk.

#### 9. SHARE-BASED COMPENSATION

#### Share purchase option plan

During the three months ended January 31, 2023, the Bank awarded 428,459 stock options under the New Stock Option Plan with an exercise price of \$32.99 (338,647 stock options with an exercise price of \$40.26 during the three months ended January 31, 2022). The weighted-average fair value of options granted during the three months ended January 31, 2023 was \$5.55 per option (\$6.00 per option during the three months ended January 31, 2022).

The weighted-average fair value of options granted was estimated on the award date using the Black-Scholes model as well as the following assumptions.

	For the three	e months ended
	January 31, 2023	January 31, 2022
Risk free interest rate	2.93 %	1.24 %
Expected life of options	8 years	8 years
Expected volatility <sup>(1)</sup>	23 %	23 %
Expected dividend yield	5.70 %	5.00 %

<sup>[1]</sup> Expected volatility is extrapolated from the implied volatility of the Bank's share price and observable market inputs, which are not necessarily representation of actual results.

For the three months ended January 31, 2023, the Bank recognized a compensation expense for stock option awards of \$0.6 million (\$0.4 million for the three months ended January 31, 2022).

#### 10. POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

#### Expense for post-employment benefits

The total expense recognized for post-employment benefit plans was as follows:

	For the three months ended					
	January 31, 2023		October 31, 2022		January 31, 2022	
Defined benefit pension plans	\$ 1,064	\$	2,140	\$	2,013	
Defined contribution pension plans	2,437		2,339		2,180	
Other plans	197		(45)		153	
	\$ 3,698	\$	4,434	\$	4,346	

#### 11. EARNINGS PER SHARE

Basic and diluted earnings per share is detailed as follows<sup>[1]</sup>.

	For the three months ended					
		January 31, 2023		October 31, 2022		January 31, 2022
Earnings per share – basic						
Net income	\$	51,910	\$	55,650	\$	55,518
Preferred share dividends and limited recourse capital note interest		4,601		1,289		4,601
Net income attributable to common shareholders	\$	47,309	\$	54,361	\$	50,917
Weighted-average number of outstanding common shares (in thousands)		43,358		43,289		43,549
Earnings per share – basic	\$	1.09	\$	1.26	\$	1.17
Earnings per share – diluted						
Net income attributable to common shareholders	\$	47,309	\$	54,361	\$	50,917
Weighted-average number of outstanding common shares (in thousands)		43,358		43,289		43,549
Dilutive share purchase options (in thousands)		1		21		106
Diluted weighted-average number of outstanding common shares (in thousands)		43,359		43,310		43,655
Earnings per share – diluted	\$	1.09	\$	1.26	\$	1.17

<sup>[1]</sup> There have been no transactions involving ordinary shares or potential ordinary shares between the reporting date and the date of the completion of these Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements which would require the restatement of earnings per share.

#### 12. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS - FAIR VALUE

#### Determining fair value

The fair value of a financial instrument is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date under current market conditions. The fair value of financial instruments is best evidenced by an independent quoted market price for the same instrument in an active market when available. Otherwise, fair value is measured using valuation techniques that maximize the use of relevant observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs. Fair value measurements are categorized into levels within a fair value hierarchy based on the nature of valuation inputs (Level 1, 2 or 3). Additional information on the fair value hierarchy and the valuation methodologies used by the Bank to measure the fair value of financial instruments can be found in Note 22 of the 2022 Annual Consolidated Financial Statements. There were no changes in fair value measurement methods in the period.

Financial instruments recorded at fair value in the financial statements are classified in Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy, except for securities of \$174.7 million which are classified in Level 1 as at January 31, 2023 (\$241.2 million as at October 31, 2022). Financial instruments recorded at fair value classified in Level 3 are not significant. There were no significant transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 of the hierarchy in the period.

#### 13. INCOME RELATED TO FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Income related to financial instruments reported in the Consolidated Statement of Income is detailed as follows.

#### Net interest income

	For the three months ended					
		January 31, 2023		October 31, 2022		January 31, 2022
Interest and dividend income						
Interest income calculated using the effective interest method						
Financial instruments measured at amortized cost	\$	530,094	\$	449,300	\$	285,528
Financial instruments measured at FVOCI		126		63		192
Interest and dividend income on financial instruments not measured at amortized cost <sup>[1]</sup>		9,412		13,817		25,300
		539,632		463,180		311,020
Interest expense						
Interest expense calculated using the effective interest method						
Financial instruments measured at amortized cost		297,463		243,672		129,816
Interest expense on financial instruments not measured at amortized cost <sup>[1]</sup>		55,053		35,684		286
		352,516		279,356		130,102
Net interest income	\$	187,116	\$	183,824	\$	180,918

<sup>[1]</sup> Including interest income and expense on derivatives, as well as dividend income on securities not held for-trading. Dividend income was \$2.4 million for the three months ended January 31, 2023 [\$3.9 million for the three months ended January 31, 2022].

#### 14. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

#### Contingent liabilities and legal provisions

In the ordinary course of business, the Bank and its subsidiaries are involved in various legal and regulatory proceedings. Such proceedings involve a variety of issues, and the timing of their resolution is varied and uncertain.

Legal provisions are recognized when it becomes probable that the Bank will incur an expense related to legal proceedings and the amount can be reliably estimated. Legal provisions are recorded at the best estimate of the amounts required to settle the obligation as at the reporting date, taking into account the risks and uncertainties associated with the obligation. Management and external experts are involved in estimating any legal provision, as necessary. The actual costs of settling some obligations may be substantially higher or lower than the amounts of the provisions. In some cases, it is not possible to either determine whether an obligation is probable or to reliably estimate the amount of loss, in which case no accrual can be made. This is an area of significant judgment and uncertainty, given the varying stages of the proceedings, the fact that the Bank's liability, if any, has yet to be determined and the fact that the underlying matters will change from time to time. As such the extent of our financial and other exposure to such legal proceedings, after taking into account current accruals, could be material to our results of operations in any period.

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The Bank's website provides information on our corporate governance practices, including our governance policies and our board and committee mandates. https://www.laurentianbank.ca/en/about\_lbc/my\_bank/governance.html

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## Change of address and inquiries

Shareholders must notify the Bank's transfer agent and registrar of any change of address. Inquiries or requests may be directed to the Bank's Corporate Secretariat's Office at corporate\_secretariat@lbcfg.ca

#### Direct deposit service

Shareholders of the Bank may, by advising the transfer agent in writing, have their dividends deposited directly into an account held at any financial institution member of the Payments Canada.

#### Investors and analysts

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#### Media

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#### Social media



# Dividend reinvestment and share purchase plan

The Bank has a dividend reinvestment and share purchase plan for Canadian holders of its common and preferred shares under which they can acquire common shares of the Bank without paying commissions or administration fees. Participants acquire shares through the reinvestment of cash dividends paid on the shares they hold or through optional cash payments of a minimum amount of \$500 per payment, up to an aggregate amount of \$20,000 in each 12 month period ending October 31.

For more information, shareholders may contact the Bank's transfer agent, Computershare Trust Company of Canada, at service@Computershare.com or by calling 1-800-564-6253.
To participate in the plan, the Bank's non-registered shareholders must contact their financial institution or broker.

#### STOCK SYMBOL AND DIVIDEND RECORD AND PAYMENT DATES

The common and preferred shares indicated below are listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange.	CUSIP CODE / STOCK SYMBOL	RECORD DATE*	DIVIDEND PAYMENT DATE*
Common shares	51925D 10 6 / LB	First business day of:	
		January	February 1
		April	May 1
		July	August 1
		October	November 1
Preferred shares			
Series 13	51925D 82 5 / LB.PR.H	**	March 15
		**	June 15
		**	September 15
		**	December 15

<sup>\*</sup> Subject to the approval of the Board of Directors.

<sup>\*\*</sup> On such day (which shall not be more than 30 days preceding the date fixed for payment of such dividend) as may be determined from time to time by the Board of Directors of the Bank.

