

Full Year 2013 Results

27 February 2014

Key takeaways

FY13 operating profit pre-RCR £2.5bn, down 15% Y/Y primarily driven by lower income across divisions

NIM improved to 2.01%, up 9bps Y/Y

Further focus on cost efficiency with operating expenses down 4% Y/Y

8.6% 'fully loaded' Core capital ratio, up 90bps Y/Y, but down 50bps vs. Q313 reflecting attributable loss and certain CRDIV interpretation changes. TNAV 363p

Continued progress on risk reduction, RWAs down £74bn (16%) Y/Y to £385bn. Non-Core completed, good progress in RBS Capital Resolution (Internal Bad Bank)

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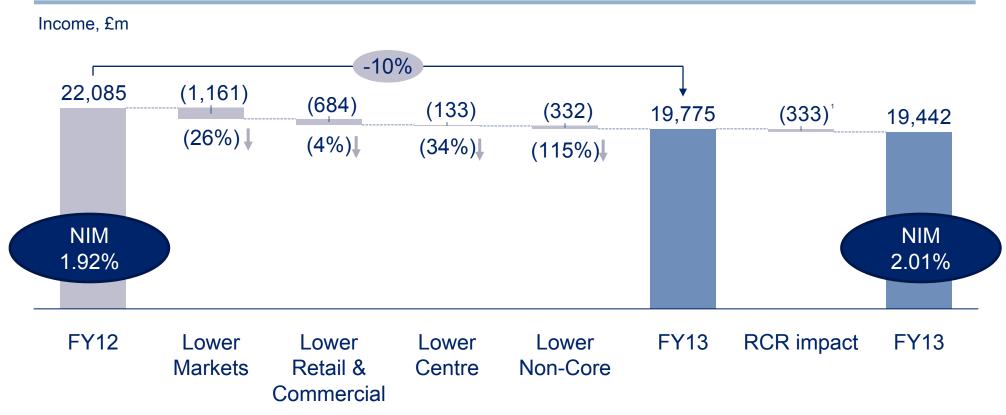


P&L overview

£'m	2013	2012	Q4 2013	Q3 2013	
Total Income	19,442	22,085	3,940	4,894	Slide
o/w RBS Capital Resolution	(333)	-	(333)	-	
Operating expenses	(13,313)	(13,854)	(3,247)	(3,286)	Slide
Impairment losses	(8,432)	(5,279)	(5,112)	(1,170)	Slide
o/w RBS Capital Resolution	(4,490)	-	(4,290)	(200)	
Operating (Loss) / Profit	(2,303)	2,952	(4,419)	438	Slide 8
Operating profit ex. RCR	2,520	2,952	204	638	
Own credit adjustments	(120)	(4,649)	-	(496)	
PPI costs	(900)	(1,110)	(465)	(250)	
IRHP redress and related costs	(550)	(700)	(500)	-	Slide
Regulatory & legal actions	(2,394)	(381)	(1,910)	(99)	
Restructuring costs	(656)	(1,415)	(180)	(205)	
Write-down of Goodwill	(1,059)	(18)	(1,059)	-	
Other items	(261)	44	(450)	(22)	
(Loss) before tax	(8,243)	(5,277)	(8,983)	(634)	
Tax credit / (charge)	(382)	(441)	377	(81)	
o/w RBS Capital Resolution	306	-	306	-	
o/w Deferred tax write-down	(701)	-	(701)	-	
Loss from continuing operations	(8,625)	(5,718)	(8,606)	(715)	



Income lower in most areas



- Lower Markets reflects strategic scaling back of the balance sheet and risk reduction
- R&C reduction primarily from lower activity in UK Corporate and International Banking
- FY 2013 included £333m of other valuation adjustments relating to assets being transferred into RCR
- NIM improved 9bps to 2.01% vs. FY12 primarily supported by deposit repricing and reduction of lower yielding assets

¹ Of which £31m in Core, £302m in Non-Core

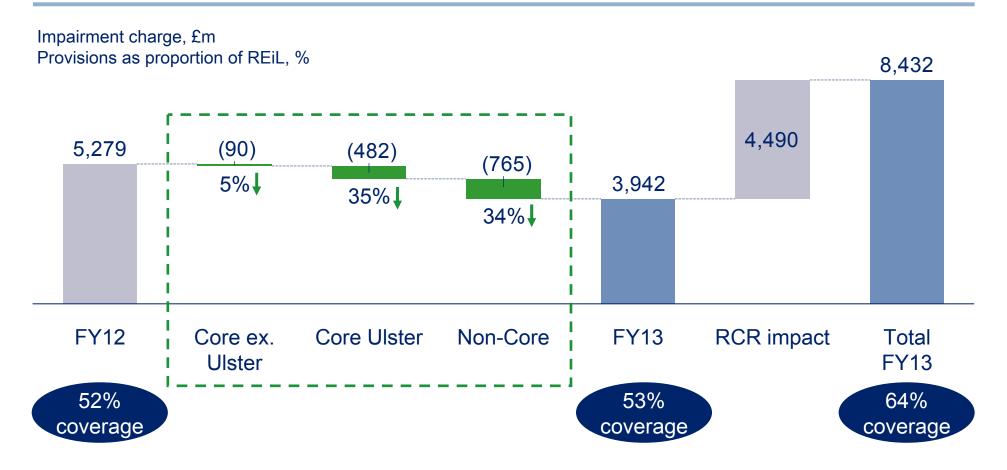


Costs reduced



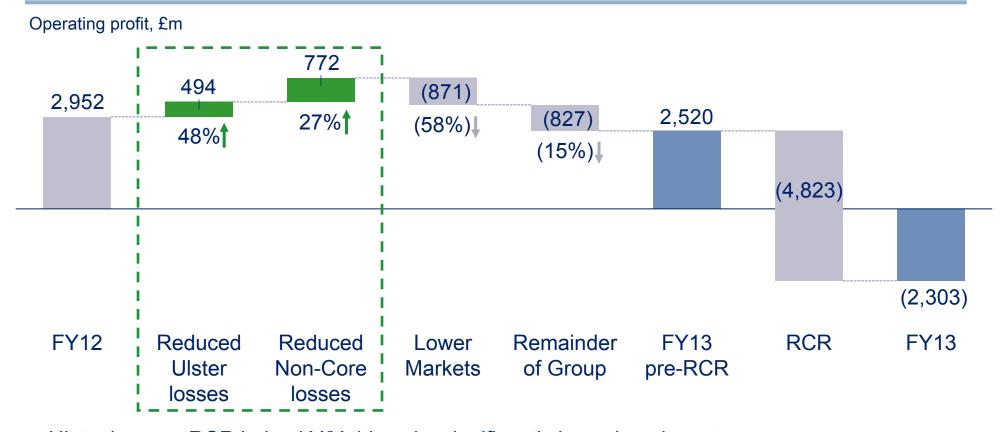
- Markets and Non-Core costs down, driven by active asset reduction
- Tight control across the Group, with staff expenses down 7% Y/Y, with headcount down 4,400
- Q4 2013 Core operating expenses included £179m provisions for various conduct related and legal expenses
- Including Bank Levy and Restructuring costs would increase FY13 cost:income ratio to 73%, FY12 to 70%

Lower underlying impairments



- FY 2013 RBS Capital Resolution impairments of £4.5bn
- Core Ulster reduction reflecting significant improvement in retail mortgages, down £411m Y/Y
- Non-Core reduction of £765m, ex RCR, reflecting continued decline of overall portfolio

Operating profit



- Ulster loss ex. RCR halved Y/Y driven by significantly lower impairments
- R&C down driven by UK Corporate, International Banking and US R&C
- Early signs of momentum in UK Retail, Ulster and Citizens
- Cumulative RCR impact of £4.8bn, comprising £4.5bn impairment, £0.3bn other valuation adjustments relating to assets being transferred into RCR

Impact of notable items

£'m	2013	2012	Q4 2013
Reported in Operating Performance			
RCR impairment	(4,490)		$(4,290)^1$
RCR negative income (Fair Value write-downs)	(333)		(333)
Non-Core disposal losses	(254)	(14)	(79)
Non-Core loss from trading activities	(654)	(148)	(218)
Core businesses redress & litigation costs	(505)	(85)	(179)
Central AFS disposal gains	724	880	114
Central Technology incident		(175)	
Reported 'below the line'			
Own Credit Adjustment	(120)	(4,649)	
PPI redress and related costs	(900)	(1,110)	(465)
IRHP redress and related costs	(550)	(700)	(500)
Regulatory & legal actions	(2,394)	(381)	(1,910)
Integration & restructuring costs	(656)	(1,415)	(180)
Gain on redemption of own debt	175	454	(29)
Bank Levy	(200)	(175)	(200)
Write-down of Goodwill	(1,059)	(18)	(1,059)
Write-down of other intangible assets	(344)	(106)	(344)
Reported within Tax			
Write-down of Deferred Tax Assets	(701)		(701)

¹ Q3 2013 included £200m RCR related impairments (Non-Core Ulster)



Litigation and conduct provisions increased



- Remaining PPI provision covers approximately 12 months¹ of redress and admin expense
- Expect to complete IRHP sales review and provide basic redress to entitled customers by end-May 2014
- Regulatory & Legal provision build during Q4 2013 includes costs recognised within operating expenses
- Litigation provision driven both by large number of cases outstanding and precedent of recent settlements by other banks, largely in RMBS

Based on current average monthly utilisation

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Balance sheet: Safety & Soundness engrained

Loan: deposit ratio

94%

Q313: 94% FY12: 100%

Funded balance sheet

£740bn

Q313: £806bn FY12: £870bn

Net Stable Funding Ratio

122%

Q313: 119% FY12: 117%

Short-term wholesale funding

£32bn

Q313: £35bn FY12: £42bn Liquidity Coverage Ratio

102%

Q313: >100% FY12: >100%

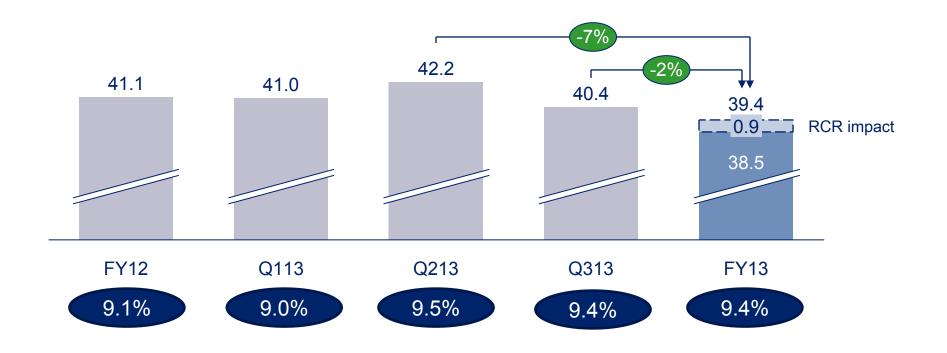
Liquidity portfolio

£146bn

Q313: £151bn FY12: £147bn

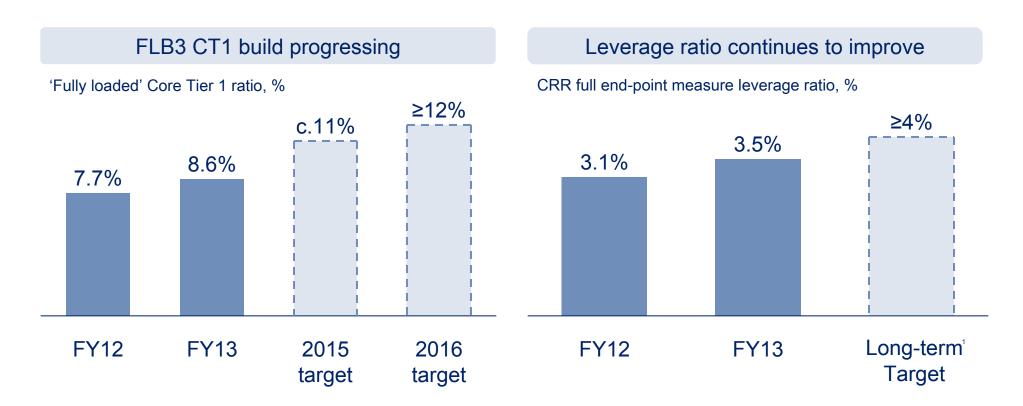
Non-performing loans declining

REiL, £bn
REiL as proportion of gross customer loans, %



- Non-performing loans down 2% Q/Q (down 5% ex RCR impact)
- £0.9bn of Q4 2013 REiL increase relates to assets moved into RCR
- RCR will accelerate REiLs reduction going forward to 2.5-3.5% of Gross Loans & Advances

On track to achieve CT1 and leverage ratio targets

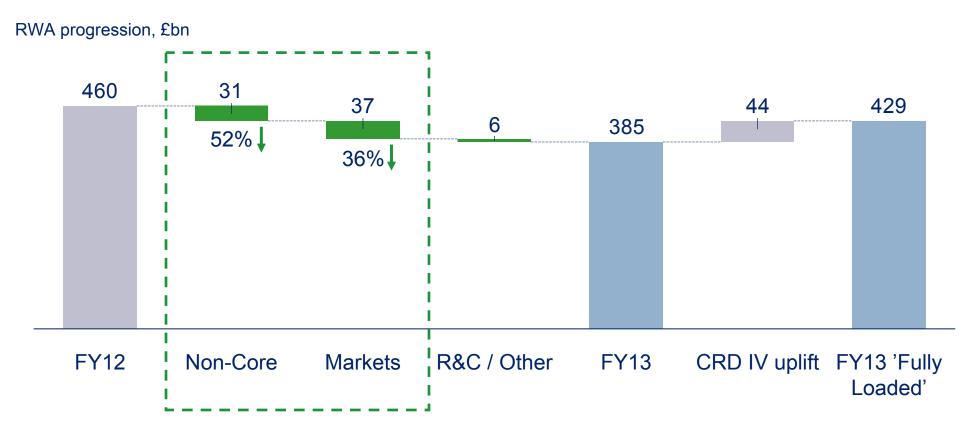


- Target a 'fully loaded' Basel III CT1 ratio of c.11% by end-2015 and 12%, or above, by end-2016
- Impact of Q4 2013 litigation and conduct provisions was broadly reflected in our future capital plan
- Tier 1 leverage ratio 14.4x, improved from 15.0x at FY 2012
- Leverage ratio 3.4% estimated under Jan 2014 BCBS proposal





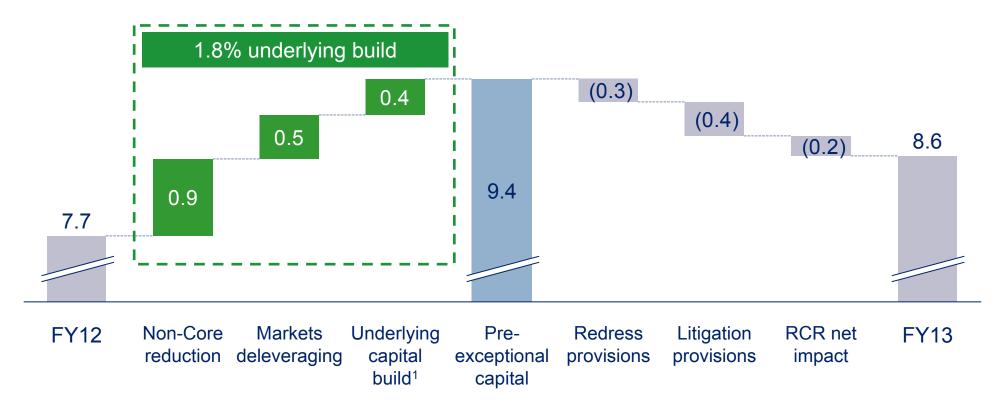
Good progress on RWA reduction



- Excellent progress in reducing Non-Core & Markets RWAs supported underlying Y/Y capital ratio build
- CRD IV uplift £44bn, versus £60-70bn range anticipated in 2010, reflecting benefit of mitigation, internal model implementation and strategic actions, alongside finalisation of rules

Underlying capital generation

Key drivers of Basel III 'Fully Loaded' Core Tier 1 ratio, %



- Solid progress in reducing Non-Core & Markets RWAs supported underlying Y/Y capital ratio build
- RCR charge of £4.8bn offset in part by substantially lower Expected Loss deduction
- Expect RCR to be capital accretive from here

¹ Represents, pre-redress & litigation P&L, pension deficit reduction, share issuance, DTA utilisation & other



Fully loaded Basel III capital ratio – key drivers

£bn	FY 2012	Q3 2013	FY 2013	Key drivers
CT1 Ratio (current PRA rules)	11.5%	11.6%	10.9%	
Reported Tangible Equity	49.8	48.6	41.1	
Expected loss	(6.1)	(4.1)	(1.7)	Benefit of RCR offset in part by other regulatory factors
o/w EL - P	(5.1)	(4.7)	(0.1)	£4.5bn RCR impairment leads to lower Expected Loss (EL) - Provisions
o/w Offset / Restriction	-	(0.4)	(0.6)	Legal entity restrictions on recognising provisions in excess of EL
o/w CVA on EL¹	(1.1)	-	(1.6)	Revised interpretation removes previously assumed offset to EL
o/w PVA offset on EL	-	1.0	0.5	Reflects lower QoQ Prudential Valuation Adjustment (PVA)
Prudential Valuation Adjustment	(0.3)	(1.1)	(8.0)	
DTAs	(3.2)	(2.3)	(2.3)	Increase in DTAs from losses offset by Q4 write-down
Own Credit Adjustments	0.5	0.6	0.6	
Pension fund assets	(0.1)	(0.1)	(0.2)	
Cash flow hedges – fair value	(1.7)	(0.5)	0.1	Benefit offset by movements in tangible equity
Other	(1.0)			
Basel III CT1 capital	37.9	41.1	36.8	
RWAs (current PRA rules)	460	410	385	
Securitisation	20	22	19	
CVA net uplift	13	17	17	
Other net uplift	3	3	8	
Net RWA uplift	36	42	44	
Basel III RWA	495	452	429	£23bn reduction Q/Q from on-going deleveraging
Fully loaded CET1 Ratio	7.7%	9.1%	8.6%	Target c.11% by end-2015 and 12%, or above, by end-2016

Leverage ratio – key drivers

+0.4% CRR full end-point measure leverage ratio, % 3.6% 3.5% 3.1% FY 2012 Q3 2013 FY 2013 Fully loaded CET 1 capital, £bn 37.9 41.1 36.8 Total assets, £bn 1,312 1,129 1,028 Netting of derivatives (370)(265)(234)Securities financing transactions (46)(55)(41)Regulatory deductions & other adjustments (15)(8) (7) Potential future exposures on derivatives 133 143 131 Undrawn commitments 188 186 183 Exposure 1,202 1,131 1,060

- Further deleveraging reduced leverage exposure Q/Q. Ratio lower driven by Q4 2013 attributable loss
- Small, c.0.1%, negative impact of January BCBS proposals
- Target 3.5%-4% medium-term¹, ≥ 4% long-term²





Non-Core delivered ahead of plan

Third Party Assets (TPA), excl. derivatives, £bn



- Non-Core funded assets reduced by £230bn, 89%, to £28bn at FY13, well below original £40bn target
- Capital accretive 2011-2013



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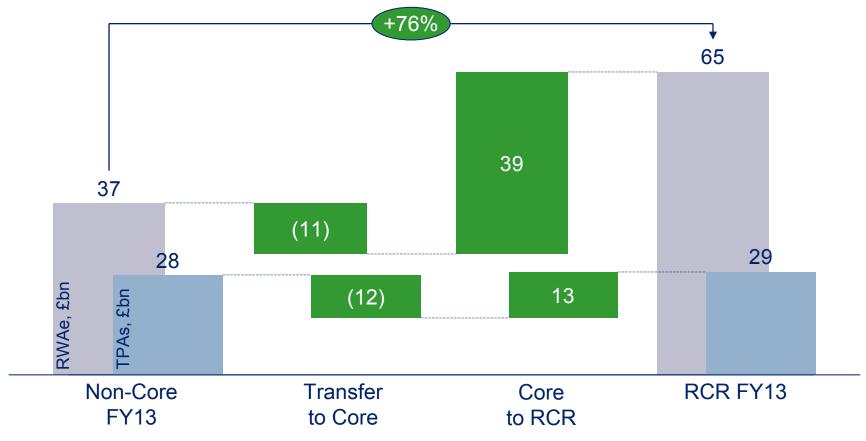
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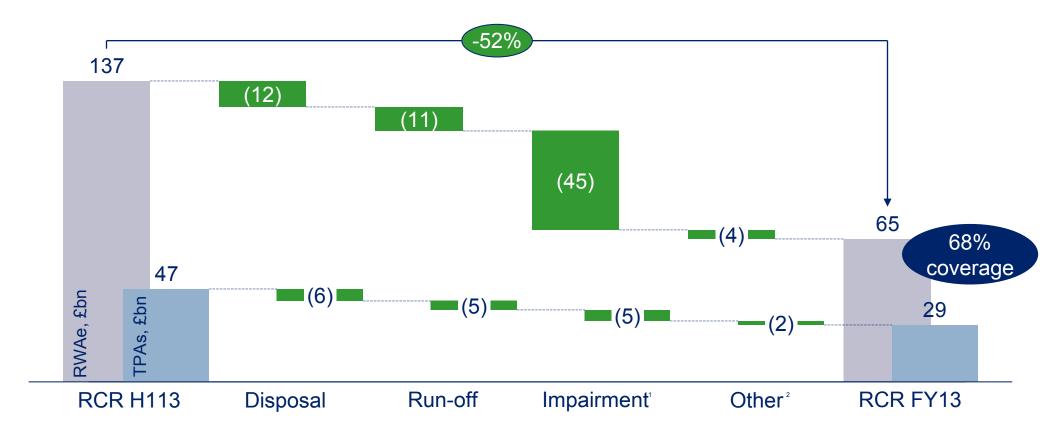
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Source of assets and capital for RBS Capital Resolution



- RCR assets selected on the basis of high capital intensity, or poor performance in stress scenarios
- These assets are disproportionate drivers of the Group's capital intensity and performance in stress scenarios

Good progress in initial RCR run-down



- Good progress in asset reduction to date with RWA equivalents down £72bn, 52%, and funded assets down £18bn, 38%
- Firmed up future reduction targets. TPAs c£23bn FY14, £11-15bn FY15 and ≤£6bn FY2016



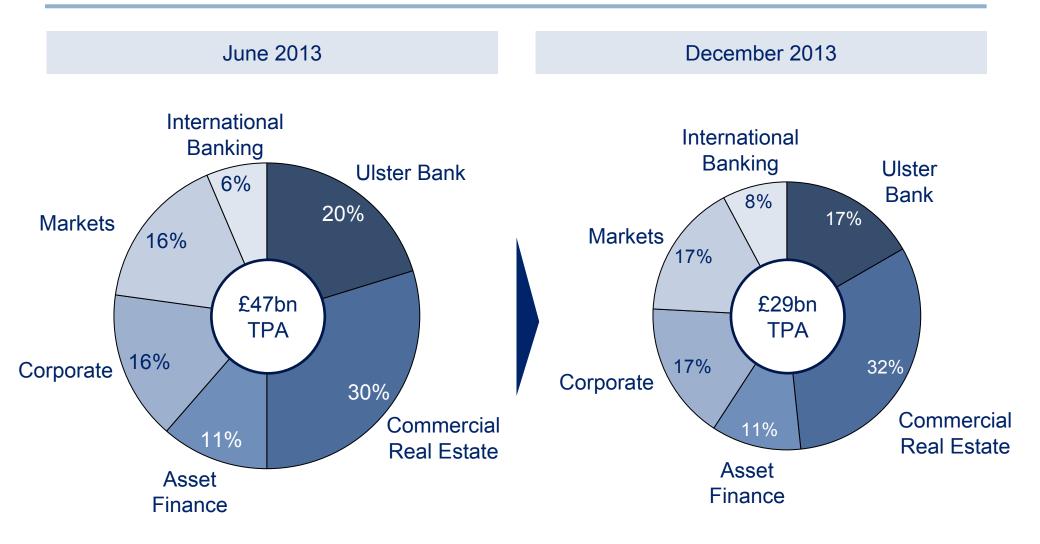
Progress made against key RCR metrics

	H1 2013	FY 2013	By end-2016
Third Party Assets	£47bn	£29bn	≤£6bn
Disposal costs	-	nm	£1.5bn - £2bn
Impairments	-	£4.5bn ¹	£5.0bn - £5.5bn ²
Operating & funding costs	-	nm	£1.5bn ³
NPLs as % of Group	9.0%	9.4%	2.5% - 3.5%

- Target a net capital benefit of >£2bn, c55bps, to the Group's Basel III Common Equity Tier 1 capital ratio
- Value creation will be driven by reduction in stress buffers and de-risking



RCR asset composition



RCR – FY 2013 financial impact

	Pre-RCR	RCR	Post-RCR
Key Group P&L lines, £m	FIE-NON	Impact	POSI-NCK
Total Income	19,775	(333)	19,442
Impairment losses	(3,942)	(4,490)	(8,432)
Operating Profit	2,520	(4,823)	(2,303)
Tax	(76)	306	(382)
Attributable loss	(4,108)	(4,517)	(8,625)
Income by Division			
Income by Division	4.470	(40)	4.407
UK Corporate	4,479	(12)	4,467
Ulster Core	890	(19)	871
Core	19,819	(31)	19,788
Non-Core	(44)	(302)	(346)
RBS Group	19,775	(333)	19,442
Impairments by Division			
UK Corporate	(778)	(410)	(1,188)
International Banking	(177)	(52)	(229)
Markets	(74)	(18)	(92)
Ulster	(882)	(892)	(1,774)
Core	(2,484)	(1,372)	(3,856)
Non-Core	(1,458)	(3,118)	(4,576)
RBS Group	(3,942)	(4,490)	(8,432)

 RBS recognised additional impairments and asset valuation adjustments (negative income) within the RCR portfolio

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New reporting structure

- From Q2 2014 we will move our reporting to the 3 businesses structure, RCR reported separately
- No Below-the-Line items except Own Credit Adjustments, Goodwill and Disposals
- All costs will be allocated to businesses providing a complete picture of performance
- Expect restatements in Q2 2014. Q1 2014 divisional reporting to be on 'old' basis but with RCR reported separately
- Investor Roundtables on New Businesses in 2014. Pencil in late Q2 for Personal & Business Banking and H2 for Commercial & Private as well as Corporate & Institutional Banking



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Sustainability

"The success of a bank depends on two things: a strong financial position; and a reputation for great customer service based on a deep connectivity with the society the bank supports, and is in turn supported by."

Ross McEwan, Chief Executive

Building a sustainable RBS

Sustainability at RBS means building our future on long term thinking that focuses on our customers and supports the communities in which they live.

We are committed to being open and transparent regarding the challenges faced by our business, so our stakeholders can see what we are doing to become a more sustainable bank.

You can read more about our sustainability agenda at rbs.com/sustainable.



Building a sustainable RBS

Robust governance

- RBS has a robust sustainability governance framework, ensuring our approach is managed effectively and debated at the appropriate level.
- The Sustainability Committee is a Board committee, comprising of three independent non-executive directors as well as Executive Committee members. It met six times in 2013.
- The remit of the RBS Sustainability Committee has been significantly enhanced to include broader sustainability issues including conduct, culture, reputation and how the bank serves customers.

Extensive stakeholder engagement

- Listening to our key stakeholders including customers, investors, government and media plays a vital role in our decision making and helps shape the way we do business.
- In 2013, the RBS Group Sustainability Committee held seven sessions with external stakeholders to discuss issues such as fair banking, support for enterprise, safety and security and employee wellbeing.



Building a sustainable RBS

Transparency and accountability

- We identify, manage and report on current and emerging issues of material importance to the business, our customers, communities and wider society.
- Our 'financing of the energy sector' document contains enhanced disclosure around our lending to this sector.
- Our sustainability reporting is aligned to the Global Reporting Initiative and is independently assured.

Our policies

- Our Environmental, Social and Ethical (ESE) risk framework gives clear guidance to staff on the procedures they must follow when dealing with clients in high risk sectors.
- We provide further detail in our sustainability reporting on the process for implementing these policies and the resulting changes to our business.
 - We now have ESE positions for six sectors.



Sustainability performance and commitments

- RBS is a member of the Equator Principles Association Steering Committee. We were heavily involved in the launch of 'EPIII', the latest iteration of the Principles.
- We have been members of the United Nations Global Compact since 2003 and we actively participate in the development of this initiative through representation on the Governing Committee of the UK members network.
- RBS has been included in the Dow Jones Sustainability Index (DJSI) every year since its launch in 1999.
- RBS has been included in the FTSE4Good since it was launched 10 years ago.
- In 2013 we received a CDP Disclosure score of 88% and a B for performance.
 - RBS is a signatory of the Natural Capital Declaration.









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