

J&T SECURITIES MANAGEMENT PLC

**Condensed Interim Consolidated Financial Statements
for the period ending 30 June 2024**

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENT**For the period ended 30 June 2024***In thousands of EUR*

	Note	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
Interest income calculated using effective interest rate		5,867	3,139
Interest expense and similar charges		(16,271)	(6,853)
Net interest income	5	(10,404)	(3,714)
Fee and commission income		-	-
Fee and commission expense		(459)	(323)
Net fee and commission expense	6	(459)	(323)
Net dealing profit	7	17,807	37,666
Other operating income		-	961
Total income		17,807	38,627
Personnel expenses	8	(7)	(6)
Other operating expenses	8	(644)	(301)
Net impairment losses on loans, loan commitments and financial guarantees and other financial assets	16	(627)	(1,625)
Total expenses		(1,278)	(1,932)
Profit from operations		5,666	32,658
Share of profit from equity accounted investees		(12)	(139)
Profit before tax		5,654	32,519
Income tax expense	9	(209)	(187)
Profit for the period		5,445	32,332
Attributable to:			
Equity holders of the parent		5,445	32,332
Non-controlling interests		-	-
Profit for the period		5,445	32,332

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME
For the period ended 31 December 2024

In thousands of EUR

	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
Profit for the period	5,445	32,332
Other comprehensive income - items that are or may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss		
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income Fair value gains/losses	508	(960)
Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income Loss transferred to net profit due to disposal	-	-
Foreign exchange translation differences	(12)	24
Total other comprehensive income for the period, net of income tax	496	(936)
Total comprehensive income for the period	5,941	31,396
Attributable to:		
Equity holders of the parent	5,941	31,396
Non-controlling interests	-	-
Total comprehensive income for the period	5,941	31,396

The notes presented on page 6 to page 36 form an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at 30 June 2024

In thousands of EUR

	Note	30 June 2024	31 December 2023
ASSETS			
Cash and cash balances	10	10,483	298
Financial assets for trading	11	56,688	31,978
Investment securities measured at fair value through profit or loss	12	515,940	508,365
Investment securities measured at fair value through other comprehensive income	13	23,285	3,770
Loans to customers	14	139,193	216,181
Trade receivables and other assets	15	11,075	24,160
Investments in equity accounted investees	17	960	984
Deferred tax assets		-	4
Goodwill		1,508	-
Total assets		759,132	785,740
LIABILITIES			
Trading liabilities		449	-
Bank loans	18	171,585	212,480
Loans from customers	19	63,398	32,723
Debt securities issued	20	164,377	207,547
Subordinated debt	21	97,585	76,889
Trade payables and other liabilities	22	103	399
Provisions	16	6	147
Current tax liability		164	125
Deferred tax liabilities		94	-
Total liabilities		497,761	530,310
EQUITY			
Share capital		76	76
Share premium		151,864	151,864
Retained earnings and other reserves		109,431	103,490
Equity attributable to equity holders of the parent	23	261,371	255,430
Non-controlling interests		-	-
Total equity		261,371	255,430
Total equity and liabilities		759,132	785,740

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INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

In thousands of EUR

	Share capital	Share premium	Foreign exchange translation reserve	Other reserves and funds	Retained earnings	Total equity
Balance at 1 January 2024	76	151,864	(39)	18	103,511	255,430
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	5,445	5,445
Other comprehensive income for the period, net of income tax - items that are or may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss	-	-	(12)	508	-	496
<i>Equity instruments measured at fair value through other comprehensive income - Net change in fair value</i>	-	-	-	508	-	508
<i>Foreign exchange translation differences</i>	-	-	(12)	-	-	(12)
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	(12)	508	5,445	5,941
Dividends	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total transactions with owners of the Company, recognised directly in equity	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balance at 30 June 2024	76	151,864	(51)	526	108,956	261,371

In thousands of EUR

	Share capital	Share premium	Foreign exchange translation reserve	Other reserves and funds	Retained earnings	Total equity
Balance at 1 January 2023	76	151,864	-	1,002	45,249	198,191
Profit for the period	-	-	-	-	32,332	32,332
Other comprehensive income for the period, net of income tax - items that are or may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss	-	-	24	(960)	-	(936)
<i>Equity instruments measured at fair value through other comprehensive income - Net change in fair value</i>	-	-	-	(960)	-	(960)
<i>Foreign exchange translation differences</i>	-	-	24	-	-	24
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	-	24	(960)	32,332	31,396
Dividends	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total transactions with owners of the Company, recognised directly in equity	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balance at 30 June 2023	76	151,864	24	42	77,581	229,587

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INTERIM CONSOLIDATED CASH FLOW STATEMENT**For the period ended 30 June 2024***In thousands of EUR*

	Note	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Profit before tax		5,654	32,519
Adjustments for:			
(Gain)/Loss on disposal of financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	12	(228)	(287)
(Gain)/Loss on disposal of financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	12	(10,465)	(5,715)
Changes in fair value of financial assets at fair value through profit or loss		(8,106)	(27,772)
(Gain) / Loss from equity accounted investees		12	139
(Reversal of impairment)/impairment charge - debt investments at fair value through other comprehensive income	16	124	(961)
Increase (Decrease) in allowance for impairment of loans, loan commitments and financial guarantees and other financial assets	16	627	1,625
Interest income	5	(5,867)	(3,139)
Interest expense	5	16,271	6,853
Dividend income	12	(242)	(180)
Unrealised foreign exchange loss, net		1,628	(2,387)
Operating gain (loss) before changes in working capital		(592)	695
Changes in financial assets at fair value through profit or loss		13,054	(54,484)
Changes in trade receivables and other assets		7,508	2,348
Changes in trading liabilities		449	-
Changes in trade payables and other liabilities		81,847	488
Cash generated from (used in) operations		102,266	(50,953)
Interest received		5,764	1,159
Dividends received		242	157
Income taxes paid		(71)	(52)
Cash flows used in operating activities		108,201	(49,689)
INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Interest received		5,572	3
Purchase of financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income		(27,468)	(54,311)
Proceeds from sale of financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income		9,104	130,756
Loans granted		(134,882)	(146,319)
Loans repayments received		172,904	26,355
Consideration paid for acquisition of subsidiary		(82,158)	-
Cash flows generated from (used in) investing activities		(56,928)	(43,516)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Repayments of borrowings		(157,883)	(649,512)
Proceeds from borrowings		149,445	652,350
Proceeds from debentures issued		16,027	-
Proceeds from sale of repurchased own debentures		-	4,054
Unrealised exchange (loss)		(1,458)	3,201
Interest paid		(8,054)	(3,698)
Repayment of repurchased and matured debentures		(56,366)	-
Payment of coupon		(8,236)	(3,308)
Repayment of expenses from issued debentures		-	(13)
Cash flows generated from financing activities		(66,525)	33,954
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		(15,252)	(59,251)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the period	10	(95,436)	(14,927)
Effect of exchange rate fluctuations on cash held		16	220
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period	10	(110,672)	(73,958)

The notes presented on page 6 to page 36 form an integral part of the condensed interim consolidated financial statements

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1. Corporate information

J&T SECURITIES MANAGEMENT PLC (the “Parent Company” or “the Company” or “JTSEC”) is a public limited company having its legal seat and domicile at 41-43 Klimentos street, KLIMENTOS TOWER, 1st floor, Flat/Office 18, P.C. 1061 Nicosia, Cyprus. The Company was incorporated on 14 January 2010.

The principal activities of the Company are the holding of investments and trading in listed securities, as well as the provision of financing.

The shareholders of the Company as at 30 June 2024 and 31 December 2023 were as follows:

Shareholders	Voting rights
	%
J&T PRIVATE EQUITY GROUP LIMITED	99.921
Berg Nominees Limited	0.013
Mrs. Evridiki Havva	0.013
Mrs. Maria Skarpari	0.013
Global Bridge Trustees Limited	0.013
Profel Corporate Limited	0.013
Mrs. Eleni Stylianou	0.013
Total	100.00

2. Material accounting policies

(a) Statement of compliance

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (“IFRS”) issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB), as adopted by the European Union (“EU”).

The following standards, amendments to standards and interpretations are effective for the first time for the year beginning 1 January 2024, and have been applied in preparing the Group’s consolidated financial statements.

- *The amendment to IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements: Non-current Liabilities with Covenants* (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024, endorsed by the EU) aims to clarify how conditions that an entity must meet within 12 months after the end of the reporting period affect the classification of liabilities.
- *The amendment to IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements: Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current* (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024, endorsed by the EU) helps to determine whether liabilities with an uncertain settlement date should be classified as current or non-current.
- *Amendments to IFRS 16 Leases: Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback* (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024, endorsed by the EU). The amendments to the standard clarify how the seller (lessee) subsequently measures sale and leaseback transactions that meet the requirements of IFRS 15 for recognition as sale.
- *Amendments to IAS 7 Statement of Cash Flows and IFRS 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures* (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024, endorsed by the EU) add disclosure requirements for qualitative and quantitative information related to supplier financing arrangements.

These amendments, effective for the first time for the year beginning on 1 January 2024 did not have any material impact on the Group’s consolidated financial statements unless stated otherwise above.

Issued but not yet effective International Financial Reporting Standards

A number of new standards, amendments to standards and interpretations are not yet effective or not yet adopted by the EU for the period ended 30 June 2024, and have not been applied in preparing these financial statements:

- *Amendments to IAS 21 The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates: Lack of Exchangeability* (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2025; not yet endorsed by the EU). The amendments specify the conditions under which a given currency is convertible and how to determine the exchange rate when a currency is not exchangeable.
- *Amendments to IFRS 9 and IFRS 7: Classification and Measurement of Financial Instruments* (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2026; not yet endorsed by the EU). The IFRS 9 amendments relate to clarifying the derecognition of a financial liability settled by electronic transfer and clarifying the classification of financial assets (clarifying how an entity can assess whether the contractual cash flows of a financial asset are consistent with the underlying loan arrangement; clarifying the concept of an asset with 'non-recourse' features; and clarifying the characteristics of contractual instruments). The amendments to IFRS 7 relate to disclosures about investments in equity instruments at fair value through other comprehensive income and to contractual terms that may change the timing or amount of contractual cash flows.
- *IFRS 18 Presentation and Disclosure in Financial Statements* (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2027, not yet endorsed by the EU). IFRS 18 includes requirements for all entities applying IFRS for the preparation and disclosure of information in financial statements and introduces three sets of new requirements to improve the reporting of companies' financial performance and provide investors with a better basis for analysis and comparison.
- *IFRS 19 Subsidiaries without Public Accountability: Disclosures* (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2027, not yet endorsed by the EU). IFRS 19 specifies disclosure requirements that an entity may apply instead of the disclosure requirements in other IFRS accounting standards. An entity may apply IFRS 19 only if it is a subsidiary; it does not have public accountability; and its ultimate or intermediate parent prepares publicly available consolidated financial statements in accordance with IFRS accounting standards.

The Group expects that these new standards amendments and interpretations, issued but not yet effective, will not have a material impact on the Group’s consolidated financial statements unless stated otherwise above.

Other new International Financial Reporting Standards and Interpretations not yet due

The Group has not early adopted any IFRS standards where adoption is not mandatory for IFRS issuers at the statement of financial position date. Where transition provisions in adopted IFRS give an entity the choice of whether to apply new standards prospectively or retrospectively, the Group elects to apply the standards prospectively from the date of transition. Management of the Group does not expect that these other new standards will have a significant effect on the consolidated financial statements of the Group.

(b) Basis of preparation

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, except for derivative financial instruments, financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss and investment securities at fair value through other comprehensive income, which are at fair value.

The consolidated financial statements are presented in Euro, rounded to the nearest thousand. The functional currency of the parent company located in Cyprus and subsidiaries located in Slovakia is the Euro, the functional currency of the subsidiary located in the Czech Republic is the Czech crown. The accounting policies have been consistently applied by the Group enterprises.

The preparation of financial statements requires various judgements, assumptions, and estimates to be exercised that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results will likely differ from these estimates. Critical accounting estimates and judgements made by management with a significant risk of material adjustment in the next year are discussed in Note 3. Critical accounting estimates and assumptions.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised, if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of revision and future periods, if the revision affects both current and future periods.

The Group presents an analysis of the expected recovery or settlement period within 12 months after the reporting date (current) and more than 12 months after the reporting date (non-current) within the relevant notes.

(c) Basis of consolidation

(i) Subsidiaries

Subsidiaries are enterprises controlled by the Company. Control exists when the Company has the power, directly or indirectly, to govern the financial and operating policies of an enterprise, so as to obtain benefits from its activities. The existence and effect of potential voting rights that are currently exercisable or convertible are considered when assessing whether the Group controls another entity. The financial statements of subsidiaries are included in the consolidated financial statements from the date that control commences until the date that control ceases.

(ii) Associates

Associates are those enterprises in which the Group has significant influence, but not control, over the financial and operating policies. The consolidated financial statements include the Group's share of the total recognised gains and losses of associates on an equity accounted basis, from the date that significant influence commences until the date that significant influence ceases. When the Group's share of losses exceeds the carrying amount of the associate, the carrying amount is reduced to nil and recognition of further losses is discontinued, except to the extent that the Group has incurred obligations in respect of the associate.

(iii) Consolidation scope

There are seven fully consolidated companies as at 30 June 2024 (2023: four). All fully consolidated companies prepared their interim financial statements at 30 June 2024.

Company name	Country of incorporation	Ownership interest	Consolidation method	June 2024	December 2023
				Consolidated %	
J&T SECURITIES MANAGEMENT PLC	Cyprus			Parent Company	
Red Stone Now s.r.o	The Czech Republic	Direct	Equity	49.90	49.90
RED STONE NOW SK a.s.	Slovakia	Direct	Equity	49.75	49.75
JTSEC CZ Financing I, a.s.	The Czech Republic	Direct	Full	100.00	100.00
JTSEC Financing I a. s.	Slovakia	Direct	Full	100.00	100.00
J&T ARCH BOND I., a. s.	Slovakia	Direct	Full	100.00	100.00
J&T ARCH BOND II., a. s.	Slovakia	Direct	Full	100.00	-
JTSEC Financing III a.s.	Slovakia	Direct	Full	100.00	-
DIAMCA INVESTMENTS LIMITED	Cyprus	Direct	Full	100.00	-

(iv) Transactions eliminated on consolidation

Intra-group balances and transactions, and any unrealised gains (losses) arising from intra-group transactions, are eliminated in preparing the consolidated financial statements. Unrealised gains arising from transactions with associates and joint ventures are eliminated to the extent of the Group's interest in the enterprise. Unrealised gains arising from transactions with associates are eliminated against the investment in the associate. Unrealised losses are eliminated in the same way as unrealised gains, but only to the extent of the recoverable amount.

(v) Acquisition method of accounting

Acquisitions of subsidiaries are accounted for using the acquisition method. The consideration for each acquisition is measured at the aggregate of the fair values (at the date of exchange) of assets given, liabilities incurred or assumed, and equity instruments issued by the Group in exchange for control of the acquiree. Acquisition-related costs are recognised in profit or loss as incurred.

The acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities are recognised at their fair value at the acquisition date. Goodwill is measured as the excess of the sum of the consideration transferred, the amount of any non-controlling interests in the acquiree, and the fair value of the acquirer's previously held equity interest in the acquiree (if any) over the net of the acquisition-date amounts of the identifiable assets acquired and the liabilities assumed.

Any non-controlling interest in an acquiree is measured as the non-controlling interest's proportionate share of the acquiree's net identifiable assets. Goodwill arising in a business combination is recognised as an asset and is not amortised but is reviewed for impairment at least annually. Where a business combination is achieved in stages, the Group's previously held interests in the acquired entity are remeasured to fair value at the acquisition date (i.e. the date the Group obtains control) and the resulting gain or loss, if any, is recognised in profit or loss.

(vi) Loss of control

Upon loss of control, the Group derecognises the assets and liabilities of the subsidiary, any non-controlling interests and the other components of equity related to the subsidiary. Any surplus or deficit arising on the loss of control is recognised in profit or loss. If the Group retains any interest in the previous subsidiary, then such interest is measured at fair value at the date that control is lost. Subsequently it is accounted for as an equity accounted investee or as a fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI) asset depending on the level of influence retained.

(vii) Tax effect of inclusion of the consolidated subsidiaries' reserves

The consolidated financial statements do not include the tax effects that might arise from transferring the consolidated subsidiaries' reserves to the accounts of the Parent Company, since no distribution of profits, not taxed at the source, is expected in the foreseeable future, and the Group considers that these reserves will be used as self-financing resources at each consolidated subsidiary.

(viii) Unification of accounting principles

The accounting principles and procedures applied by the consolidated companies in their financial statements were unified in the consolidation and agree with the principles applied by the Parent Company.

(d) Foreign currency

(i) Foreign currency transactions

Items included in the financial statements of each of the Group's entities are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates (the functional currency).

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated into the functional currency at the foreign exchange rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into the functional currency at the exchange rate valid as at the statement of financial position date.

Foreign exchange differences arising on translation are recognised in profit or loss. Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies, which are stated at historical cost, are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction. Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies that are stated at fair value are translated into the functional currency at the foreign exchange rates ruling at the date fair value is determined.

(ii) Financial statements of foreign operations

The consolidated financial statements are presented in Euro, which is the Group's presentation currency.

The assets and liabilities of foreign operations, including goodwill and fair value adjustments arising on consolidation, are translated into Euro at foreign exchange rates ruling at the statement of financial position date. The revenues and expenses of foreign operations are translated into Euro at the foreign exchange rates ruling at the dates of the transactions. Foreign exchange differences arising on translation are recognised directly in other comprehensive income.

(e) Financial instruments

The Company adopted IFRS 9 on 1 January 2018. The relevant policies applicable to financial instruments are described below.

(i) Classification

Financial assets

On initial recognition a financial asset is classified as measured at amortised cost (AC), fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI) or fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL).

Classification of debt instruments is determined based on:

- a) The business model under which the asset is held, and
- b) The contractual cash flow characteristics of the instrument.

The Group makes an assessment of the objective of the business model in which a financial asset is held at a portfolio level because this best reflects the way the business is managed and information is provided to management. The Group considers information such as the stated policies and objectives for the portfolio and the operation of those policies, the risks that affect the performance of the business model (and the financial assets held within that business model) and how those risks are managed, how managers of the business are compensated, or the frequency, volume and timing of sales of financial assets in prior periods, the reasons for such sales and expectations about future sales activity.

The assessment of the contractual cash flow characteristics means whether the financial instruments' cash flows represent solely payments of principal and interest (the SPPI test). In making this assessment, the Group considers whether the contractual cash flows are consistent with a basic lending arrangement, i.e. interest includes only consideration for the time value of money, credit risk, other basic lending risks and a profit margin that is consistent with a lending arrangement. Where the contractual terms introduce exposure to risk or volatility that are inconsistent with a lending arrangement, the SPPI test is not passed. When performing the SPPI test, the Group takes into consideration the following factors: non-standard interest rate, financial leverage, early repayment options, longer repayment options, non-recourse arrangement, contract-linked instruments, hybrid instruments, instruments purchased with a significant discount/premium.

The Group has more than one business model for managing its financial instruments, which reflects how the Group manages its financial assets in order to generate cash flows. The Group's business models determine whether cash flows will result from collecting contractual cash flows, selling financial assets or both.

The Group defines business models as follows:

- “Hold and collect”
- “Hold, collect and sell”
- “Mandatorily at fair value”
- “Trading”
- “Fair value option”

The strategy “Hold and collect” has as its objective to hold financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows of both principal and interest payments.

The strategy “Hold, collect and sell” has as its objective to both collect contractual cash flows and sell financial assets.

The strategy “Mandatorily at FV” is used for financial assets that are held for the purpose of holding and collecting or holding and collecting and selling, but that have not passed the SPPI test and cannot be measured at AC or FVOCI. The major investments of the Group are presented in this category.

The strategy “Trading” has active trading as its objective. Assets for which this strategy is used are measured at fair value, with any gains/losses arising on remeasurement recognised in profit or loss.

The strategy “Fair value option” is used for assets that are at initial recognition irrevocably designated as measured at FVTPL in order to eliminate or significantly reduce a measurement or recognition inconsistency (sometimes referred to as an “accounting mismatch”) that would otherwise arise from measuring assets or liabilities or recognising gains and losses using different bases.

The assessment above being made, the financial assets are classified into one of the following measurement categories:

a) *Financial assets at amortised cost (AC)*

The relevant business model is to hold assets to collect contractual cash flows and the SPPI test is passed. Examples of such financial assets are loans, investment securities previously held to maturity or trade receivables. Expected credit losses (“ECL”; see below) are calculated and recognised in profit or loss for this category of financial assets. Foreign exchange (“FX”) differences as well as interest revenues accrued using the effective interest rate (“EIR”) method are also recognised in profit or loss.

b) *Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI)*

In order to be classified as FVOCI, the asset either i) meets the SPPI test and is held within the business model “Hold, collect and sell”, which has the objective of both collecting contractual cash flows and selling the financial asset; or ii) the asset is an equity instrument that does not meet the SPPI test but is not held for trading and the Group elected to measure such instrument at fair value through other comprehensive income.

Thus, there are two types of instruments that can be classified as FVOCI and the accounting treatment for these financial assets is different:

i) Debt instruments meeting the SPPI test within the business model “Hold, collect and sell”

Under this accounting treatment ECLs are recognised in profit or loss and the changes in the fair value of the instrument are recognised in OCI. FX differences in relation to the amortised cost, including impairment, are recognised in profit or loss. Interest revenues calculated using EIR are recognised in profit or loss.

When the financial asset is derecognised, a gain or loss is recognised in profit loss as a result of reclassification of the gain or loss from OCI to profit or loss.

ii) Equity instruments not held for trading where the FVOCI option was elected

Under this treatment ECLs are not calculated, as these assets are already measured at fair value and changes in fair value are recognised in other comprehensive income (OCI) and will not be reclassified to profit or loss upon disposal. FX differences are recognised in OCI as part of the revaluation reserve.

When the equity instrument is sold, the corresponding gain or loss remains in OCI.

Dividends from these financial assets are recognised in profit or loss.

c) *Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL)*

Financial assets that do not meet the conditions for being classified and measured under one of the two previous categories are classified and measured at fair value through profit or loss.

Financial assets that are acquired to be actively traded (trading business model) are also classified and measured at FVTPL, including derivatives.

Furthermore, an entity may at initial recognition irrevocably designate a financial asset to be measured at FVTPL in order to eliminate or significantly reduce a measurement or recognition inconsistency (also referred to as an “accounting mismatch”) that would otherwise arise from measuring assets or liabilities or recognising gains and losses using different bases.

For this category of assets ECL are not calculated and recognised. Changes in fair value are recognised in profit or loss. FX differences are recognised in profit or loss as well.

Financial liabilities

The Group classifies its financial liabilities, other than financial guarantees and loan commitments, as measured at amortised cost or FVTPL.

Liabilities are classified and measured at amortized cost, with the exception of:

- Financial liabilities held for trading including derivatives – these are measured at FVTPL;
- Financial liabilities that use the option to be measured at FVTPL at acquisition – designated at FVTPL.

In case of liabilities at FVTPL, the change in fair value resulting from a change in the Group’s own credit risk is presented in OCI, while the remaining change in fair value is presented in profit or loss.

The following table provides a reconciliation between the line items in the statement of financial position and categories of financial instruments:

30 June 2024

<i>In thousands of EUR</i>	Ref. to Note	Mandatorily at FVTPL	Designated as at FVTPL	FVOCI - debt instruments	Designated as at FVOCI - equity instruments	Amortised cost	Total carrying amount
Cash and cash equivalents	10	-	-	-	-	10,483	10,483
Financial assets for trading	11	56,688	-	-	-	-	56,688
Financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss	12	515,940	-	-	-	-	515,940
Financial assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income	13	-	-	7,817	15,468	-	23,285
Loans to customers	14	-	-	-	-	139,193	139,193
Trade receivables and other assets under risk management	15	-	-	-	-	11,002	11,002
Total financial assets		572,628	-	7,817	15,468	160,678	756,591
Bank loans	18	-	-	-	-	171,585	171,585
Loans from customers	19	-	-	-	-	63,398	63,398
Debt securities issued	20	-	-	-	-	164,377	164,377
Subordinated debt	21	-	-	-	-	97,585	97,585
Trade payables and other liabilities under risk management	22	-	-	-	-	76	76
Total financial liabilities		-	-	-	-	497,021	497,021

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<i>In thousands of EUR</i>	Ref. to Note	Mandatorily at FVTPL	Designated as at FVTPL	FVOCI - debt instruments	Designated as at FVOCI - equity instruments	Amortised cost	Total carrying amount
Cash and cash equivalents	10	-	-	-	-	298	298
Financial assets for trading	11	31,978	-	-	-	-	31,978
Financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss	12	508,365	-	-	-	-	508,365
Financial assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income	13	-	-	3,372	398	-	3,770
Loans to customers	14	-	-	-	-	216,181	216,181
Trade receivables and other assets under risk management	15	-	-	-	-	23,949	23,949
Total financial assets		540,343	-	3,372	398	240,428	784,541
Bank loans	18	-	-	-	-	212,480	212,480
Loans from customers	19	-	-	-	-	32,723	32,723
Debt securities issued	20	-	-	-	-	207,547	207,547
Subordinated debt	21	-	-	-	-	76,889	76,889
Trade payables and other liabilities under risk management	22	-	-	-	-	319	319
Total financial liabilities		-	-	-	-	529,958	529,958

(ii) Recognition

Financial assets for trading, investment securities at fair value through profit or loss and investment securities measured at fair value through other comprehensive income are recognised on the date the Group commits to purchase the assets. Regular way purchases and sales of financial assets are accounted for on the trade date. Loans and other receivables are recognised on the day they are provided by the Group.

(iii) Measurement

Financial instruments are measured upon initial recognition at fair value plus, in the case of a financial instrument not at fair value through profit or loss, transaction costs directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of the financial instrument.

Fair value 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.

Subsequent to initial recognition, financial assets are measured at their fair value, except for loans and advances to customers, investment securities at amortised cost, and cash and cash equivalents. After initial recognition, financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost, except for financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss. In measuring amortised cost, any difference between cost and redemption value is recognised in the income statement over the period of the asset or liability on an effective interest rate basis.

(iv) Fair value measurement principles

The fair value of financial instruments is based on their quoted market price at the statement of financial position date without any deduction for transaction costs. If a quoted market price is not available, the fair value of the instrument is estimated by management using pricing models or discounted cash flow techniques.

Where discounted cash flow techniques are used, estimated future cash flows are based on management's best estimate and the discount rate is a market-related rate at the statement of financial position date for an instrument with similar terms and conditions. Where pricing models are used, inputs are based on market-related measures at the statement of financial position date to the largest extent possible.

The following summarizes the major methods and assumptions used in estimating the fair values of financial instruments reflected in Note 24. Fair value information.

Loans and advances: Fair value is calculated based on discounted expected future principal and interest cash flows using the appropriate yield curve and risk spread. Expected future cash flows are estimated considering credit risk and any indication of impairment. The estimated fair values of loans reflect changes in credit status since the loans were made and changes in interest rates in the case of fixed rate loans.

Loans from customers and Debt securities issued: The estimated fair value of fixed-maturity instruments is based on discounted cash flows using an appropriate yield curve.

Trade receivables and Trade payables and other assets/liabilities: For receivables/ payables with a remaining life of less than one year, the notional amount is deemed to reflect the fair value. Other receivables/ payables are discounted to determine the fair value.

(v) Gains and losses on subsequent measurement

Gains and losses arising from changes in fair value are recognised in the income statement for assets held for trading or at fair value through profit or loss and directly in other comprehensive income as a revaluation difference for investment securities at fair value through other comprehensive income. The cumulative gain or loss on debt financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income previously recognised in other comprehensive income is reclassified to profit or loss as a reclassification adjustment when the asset at fair value through other comprehensive income is derecognised. In case of equity instruments the cumulative gain or loss from investment securities at fair value through other comprehensive income remains in the revaluation reserve and is not reclassified to profit or loss. Interest income and expense from debt financial assets are recorded in the income statement by applying the effective interest rate method.

(vi) Derecognition

A financial asset is derecognised when the Group loses control over the contractual rights that comprise that asset. This occurs when the rights are realised, expire or are surrendered. A financial liability is derecognised when the Group's obligations specified in the contract expire or are discharged or cancelled.

Investment securities at fair value through other comprehensive income, financial assets for trading and investment securities measured at fair value through profit or loss that are sold are derecognised and the corresponding receivables from the buyer for the payment are recognised as at the date the Group commits to sell the assets.

Loans and advances to banks and customers are derecognised on the day they are disposed of. If loans and advances do not meet the policy to be held at amortised cost anymore and the control is passed to third parties, the carrying amount of disposed receivable is first adjusted through creation or reversal of impairment in the income statement to the lower of selling price and gross value. Therefore, a gain from derecognition of a receivable can be recognised if and only if the selling price is higher than the gross value of the related receivable.

(vii) Modification

If the terms of a financial asset are modified, then the Group evaluates whether the cash flows of the modified asset are substantially different. If the cash flows are substantially different, then the original financial asset is derecognised and a new financial asset is recognised at fair value plus any eligible transaction costs.

If cash flows are modified when the borrower is in financial difficulties, then the objective of the modification is usually to maximise recovery of the original contractual terms rather than to originate a new asset with substantially different terms. If the Group plans to modify a financial asset in a way that would result in forgiveness of cash flows, then it first considers whether a portion of the asset should be written off before the modification takes place. If the modification of a financial asset measured at amortised cost or FVOCI does not result in derecognition of the financial asset, then the Group first recalculates the gross carrying amount of the financial asset using the original effective interest rate of the asset and recognises the resulting adjustment as a modification gain or loss in profit or loss.

The Group derecognises a financial liability when its terms are modified and the cash flows of the modified liability are substantially different. In this case, a new financial liability based on the modified terms is recognised at fair value. The difference between the carrying amount of the financial liability derecognised and consideration paid is recognised in profit or loss. If the modification of a financial liability is not accounted for as derecognition, then the amortised cost of the liability is recalculated by discounting the modified cash flows at the original effective interest rate and the resulting gain or loss is recognised in profit or loss.

(f) Cash and cash equivalents

The Group includes into Cash and cash equivalents cash on hand and other short term highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less, such as Current account with banks and Loans and advances with original maturities of three months or less.

(g) Loans and advances to customers

Loans and advances granted by the Group are classified as originated loans and receivables. Loans and advances are reported net of impairment allowance (refer to accounting policy 2(j)).

Modifications of the contractual terms may result in derecognition of the original asset when the changes to the terms of the loans are considered substantial. The group considers modifications substantial, if the discounted present value of the cash flows under the new terms, including any fees received net of any fees paid and discounted using the original effective interest rate, is at least 10 % different from the discounted present value of the remaining cash flows of the original loan. In such case, the original financial asset is derecognized and a new financial asset is recognized at its fair value. The difference between the carrying amount of the derecognized asset and the fair value of the new asset is recognized in the consolidated income statement.

For all loans, where the modification of terms did not result in the derecognition of the loan, the gross carrying amount of the modified loan is recalculated based on the present value of the modified cash flows discounted at the original effective interest rate and any gain or loss from the modification is recorded in the consolidated income statement.

(h) Sale and repurchase agreements

Where securities are sold under a commitment to repurchase at a predetermined price (repos), they remain on the statement of financial position and a liability is recorded equal to the consideration received. Conversely, securities purchased under a commitment to resell (reverse repos) are not recorded on the statement of financial position and the consideration paid is recorded as a loan. The difference between the sale price and the purchase price is treated as interest and accrued evenly over the life of the transaction. Repos and reverse repos are recognised on a settlement date basis.

(i) Offsetting

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount is reported in the statement of financial position when the Group has a legally enforceable right to set off the recognised amounts and the transactions are intended to be settled on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

The Group has not offset any assets and liabilities as at 30 June 2024 and 31 December 2023.

(j) Impairment of non-financial assets

The carrying amounts of the Group's assets, other than deferred tax assets and financial instruments at fair value through profit and loss (refer to accounting policy 2(e) and (r)), are reviewed at each statement of financial position date to determine whether there is objective evidence of impairment. If any such indication exists, the asset's recoverable amount is estimated. Goodwill and intangible assets that have an indefinite useful life are not subject to amortisation, but are tested annually for impairment as part of the cash generating unit to which they belong.

An impairment loss is recognised whenever the carrying amount of an asset or its cash generating unit exceeds its recoverable amount. Impairment losses are recognised in the income statement.

The recoverable amount of other assets is the greater of their fair value less costs of disposal and value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessment of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. For an asset that does not generate largely independent cash inflows, the recoverable amount is determined for the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs.

An impairment loss in respect of goodwill is not reversed.

In respect of other assets, an impairment loss is reversed when there is an indication that the impairment loss no longer exists and there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the recoverable amount.

An impairment loss is reversed only to the extent that the asset's carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation or amortisation, if no impairment loss had been recognised.

Impairment of financial assets and contract assets

The 'expected credit loss' (ECL) model applies to financial assets measured at amortised cost or FVOCI, except for investments in equity instruments, and to contract assets. It also applies to loan commitments measured at amortised cost and financial guarantees measured at amortised cost (refer to accounting policy 2 (m)).

Loss allowances are measured on either of the following bases:

- 12-month ECLs. These are ECLs that result from possible default events within the 12-month period after the reporting date.
- Lifetime ECLs. These are ECLs that result from all possible default events over the expected life of a financial instrument.

Lifetime ECL measurement applies if the credit risk of a financial asset at the reporting date has increased significantly since initial recognition. 12-month ECL measurement is applied in other cases.

For the purposes of ECL calculation, financial assets are categorized into three stages (Stage 1, 2, 3). Financial assets that are impaired at the date of initial recognition represent a separate category - Purchased or originated credit-impaired assets ("POCI"). At the date of first recognition, a financial asset is included in Stage 1 or POCI (recorded in stage 3 until derecognition of the financial asset). Subsequent reclassification is carried out according to the occurrence of a significant increase in credit risk (Stage 2) or impairment (default) of the asset (Stage 3).

Stage 1 (12-month ECL)

Financial assets that are not credit impaired and for which there has not been a significant increase in credit risk (SICR) since initial recognition remain classified in Stage 1. For financial assets in Stage 1 12-months expected credit losses are recognised. Interest revenue from these assets is calculated from the gross carrying amounts ("GCA"). An entity may determine that a financial asset's credit risk has not increased significantly if the asset has a low credit risk at the reporting date (further described in the section below).

Stage 2 (lifetime ECL not credit-impaired)

This stage is applicable when the credit risk has increased significantly since initial recognition of the financial asset, but the asset is not credit-impaired. The Group considers that a significant increase in credit risk occurs no later than when an asset is more than 30 days past due. Days past due are determined by counting the number of days since the earliest elapsed due date in respect of which full payment was not received.

Lifetime ECLs are calculated for this stage, i.e. ECLs that result from all possible default events over the expected life of a financial instrument. Interest revenue from these assets is calculated from the GCA.

Stage 3 (lifetime ECL credit-impaired)

In Stage 3, the credit quality of a financial asset has significantly deteriorated (financial instruments that are considered to be in default). Lifetime expected credit losses are recorded for Stage 3, however, interest revenue is calculated from the net amortised cost.

For trade receivables and contract assets without a significant financing component lifetime ECL measurement is used instead of the approach described above.

Financial assets with low credit risk

The credit risk of a financial instrument is considered to be low if the financial instrument has a low risk of default, the borrower has a strong capacity to meet its contractual cash flow obligations in the near term and adverse changes in economic and business conditions in the longer term may, but will not necessarily, reduce the ability of the borrower to fulfil its contractual cash flow obligations. However, collateral does not influence whether a financial instrument has a low credit risk.

Expected credit losses over the remaining life of a financial instrument are not recorded solely due to the fact that it was considered to be a low-risk financial instrument in the previous financial year but due to this assessment at the end of the reporting period.

At the end of the reporting period the Group assesses individual items classified in Stage 1 with low credit risk and if they do not meet the above characteristics, they are reclassified to the relevant stage.

Determining a significant increase in credit risk (SICR) from initial recognition

At each reporting date, the Group assesses whether the credit risk on a financial instrument has increased significantly since initial recognition. When making the assessment, the Group considers the change in the risk of default occurring over the expected life of the financial instrument instead of the change in the amount of expected credit losses. To make that assessment, the Group compares the risk of a default occurring on the financial instrument as at the reporting date with the risk of a default occurring on the financial instrument as at the date of initial recognition and considers reasonable

and supportable information (available without undue cost or effort) that is indicative of significant increases in credit risk since initial recognition.

If there has been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition, the exposure is included in Stage 2 and the lifetime ECL is estimated. If there has been no significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition, the exposure remains in Stage 1 (12-months ECL). If the exposure is in default, it is classified to Stage 3.

Due to the variety of financial assets held, multiple criteria and assessment are used for determining transfers among stages:

- **Rating:** In case the debtor has a credit rating issued by a reputable agency, the movement among stages follows the changes in rating from initial recognition.
- **Cash flows:** In case the cash flows of the underlying asset or debtor can be estimated and the present value of these CF deteriorates by more than 20% from the original estimate upon recognition, the asset is transferred to Stage 2.
- **LTI (Loan to Income):** When ratings or cash flows are not available, the estimate of a change in the Loan to Income (LTI) is used. The Loan is the total exposure of the Company relating to the asset including all other liabilities that are in the same or higher seniority (*pari passu*) as with the Company. The Income corresponds with the estimate of the net assets value less liabilities that are senior to the Company. The movement between stages is determined based on the change in LTI, from the original LTI to LTI as at the balance sheet date according to the Group's matrix, or net assets as appropriate in the specific circumstances of the debtor.
- Indicators of default can serve as another indicator for determining the appropriate impairment stage for the relevant asset (described below).

Indicators of default

To determine whether a financial asset is in default, the Group assesses the common indicators of default listed below:

- The situation when the Group filed a petition for declaring the bankruptcy of the debtor.
- The situation when the debtor has applied for bankruptcy announcement.
- The situation when the bankruptcy was announced.
- The debtor has entered or intends to enter into liquidation.
- The court has ruled that the debtor (legal person) was not founded (does not exist) or the debtor (natural person) has died.
- The final judgment of the court or administrative authority was ordered to enforce the decision to sell the debtor's assets or seize the debtor's assets.
- The situation when the debtor's liability (or a significant portion) is overdue for more than 90 days.
- Manipulation with the financial statements is proven, seeking out the fulfilment of contractual conditions for accelerating the receivable (early repayment).
- It is proven that more than 30% of the funds provided to the debtor by the Group are used by the debtor for another purpose than stated in the contract.
- The debtor acquires external rating corresponding with rating D on the S&P scale.

Purchased or originated credit-impaired financial assets (POCI)

Purchased or newly originated credit-impaired assets are financial assets that are already in default or originated as part of a debtor's loan restructuring that considerably changed the conditions of the loan.

To calculate the effective interest rate, it is necessary to determine the estimated cash flows, including the recoverability of the receivable upon settlement. The adjusted effective interest rate is calculated as implied interest from the value of the purchased receivable (net) and the estimated cash flows. This interest rate is subsequently used to recognise interest income.

Changes in expected credit losses are recorded against the carrying amount of the receivable and the gain or loss on the change is recorded through the income statement.

Determination of expected credit losses

ECLs are in fact the outcome from multiplication of the following parameters: probability of default (PD), expected loss given default (LGD) and exposure at default (EAD).

Determination of probability of default (PD)

Probability of default is from the interval (0;1] and, due to lack of historical data, PDs are taken from the financial stability reports from the national regulator or similar institution for the country of the counterparty. Lifetime PDs for Stage 2 are derived from the annual PDs. When calculating the ECL, forward looking information was considered by the Group by analysing the difference between point-in-time PD and through-the-cycle PD and assessed as not material.

Determination of loss given default (LGD)

LGD is an estimate of the loss arising when default occurs at a given time (expressed as a percentage).

For exposures above a given threshold, LGD is calculated on an individual basis in the form of scenario analyses.

The Group applies LGD at 45% given by Basel III as this sufficiently corresponds with the standard loss from the market default; usually the Group has its assets collateralized or applies other means of debt collection. If valuation of a project is available, the calculation of LGD for individually significant exposures is extended for scenarios which are described below.

Determination of Exposure at default (EAD)

EAD is determined as the total exposure at the time of calculation, i.e. the outstanding principal and accruals/deferrals. 50% (20% in case of maturity less than one year) of irrevocable undrawn commitments is included in EAD to take into consideration the uncertainty of drawing.

Scenarios

For individually significant exposures with available valuation based on cash flows three scenarios are used. Each scenario has a predetermined weight.

Scenario 1 represents a moderate performance/value deterioration and moderate PD increase. The weight assigned to this scenario is 70%.

Scenario 2 represents a significant performance/value deterioration and significant PD increase. The weight assigned to this scenario is 20%.

Scenario 3 represents a catastrophic value decrease and PD increase. The weight assigned to this scenario is 10%.

In case of Stage 3 exposures, scenario application may not be appropriate and thus ECL is determined as the difference between LTI of the exposure and LTI in amount of 1 or in the amount of net assets if negative, as appropriate in the specific circumstances of the debtor. LTI/net assets calculation already reflects the economic distress of the debtor.

Presentation of allowance for ECL in the statement of financial position

Allowances for ECL are presented in the statement of financial position as follows:

- For financial assets measured at amortised cost as a deduction from the gross carrying amount of the assets,
- For loan commitments and financial guarantee contracts generally as a provision,
- Where a financial instrument includes both a drawn and an undrawn component, and the Group cannot identify the ECL on the loan commitment component separately from those on the drawn component, the Group presents a combined loss allowance for both components. The combined amount is presented as a deduction from the gross carrying amount of the drawn component. Any excess of the loss allowance over the gross amount of the drawn component is presented as a provision, and
- For debt instruments measured at FVOCI, the ECL is not deducted from the carrying amount of the financial asset because the carrying amount is already measured at fair value. However, the loss allowance is recognised as reduction of the revaluation reserve in OCI, instead.

Write-off

Loans and debt securities are written off (either partially or in full) when there is no reasonable expectation of recovering a financial asset in its entirety or a portion thereof. This is generally the case when the Group determines that the borrower does not have assets or sources of income that could generate sufficient cash flows to repay the amounts subject to the write-off. This assessment is carried out at the individual asset level.

In case of write-off, the Group directly reduces the gross carrying amount of a financial asset. Write-offs do not have an impact on profit or loss, because the amounts written off are already reflected in the loss allowance. A write-off constitutes

a derecognition event. Nonetheless, financial assets that are written off could still be subject to enforcement activities in order to comply with the Group's procedures for recovery of amounts due.

(k) **Intangible assets**

Goodwill acquired in a business combination

Goodwill represents the excess of the cost of an acquisition over the fair value of the Group's share of the net identifiable assets of the acquired subsidiary/associate at the date of acquisition. Goodwill on acquisition of subsidiaries is included under intangible assets. Goodwill is tested annually for impairment and carried at cost less accumulated impairment losses. Gains and losses on the disposal of an entity include the carrying amount of goodwill relating to the entity sold. Negative goodwill arising on an acquisition is reassessed and any excess remaining after the reassessment is recognised in the income statement.

(l) **Provisions**

A provision is recognised in the statement of financial position when the Group has a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of a past event, and it is probable that an outflow of economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate of the amount can be made.

(m) **Financial guarantees and loan commitments**

Liabilities arising from financial guarantees and loan commitments are included within provisions.

Financial guarantees are contracts that require the Group to make specified payments to reimburse the holder for a loss that it incurs because a specified debtor fails to make payment when it is due in accordance with the terms of a debt instrument.

Loan commitments are firm commitments to provide credit under pre-specified terms and conditions. An initial ECL is recognised as provision in the case of commitments and guarantees (refer to Note 16. Amounts arising from expected credit losses (ECL)). A change in ECL in subsequent periods (while holding commitments and guarantees and the expected cash flows from the financial asset has changed) will be recorded as expense/revenue through off-balance sheet provisions. At the end of the reporting period after an ECL for an off-balance sheet exposure is recorded, the total net exposure value is compared with the value of the acceptable collateral and the amount of acceptable collateral is adjusted to be equal or not to exceed the value of exposure to the client.

Provisions for financial guarantees and loan commitments represent the ECL on the related off-balance sheet liabilities. When it is probable that the Group will have to satisfy its contractual commitments, the ECL is transferred from Stage 1 or Stage 2 to Stage 3 and the amount is appropriately adjusted. When the Group makes the committed payments to the eligible parties, a loan asset is recognised and an ECL on this asset is recognised as well, while the provision for financial guarantees and loan commitments (ECL on the off-balance sheet asset) is released. Release as well as creation of the ECL are recognised in profit or loss under *Net impairment losses on loans, loan commitments and financial guarantees and other financial assets*.

(n) **Trade and other payables**

Trade and other payables are stated at amortised cost.

(o) **Derivatives**

The Group recognises financial derivatives representing economic hedges but not qualifying for the hedge accounting as assets and liabilities held for trading. All changes in its fair value are recognised immediately in profit or loss.

(p) **Interest income and expense**

Interest income and expense is recognised in the income statement as it accrues. Interest income and expense includes the amortisation of any discount or premium or other differences between the initial carrying amount of an interest bearing instrument and its amount at maturity calculated on an effective interest rate basis. All borrowing costs are recognised in the income statement.

(q) **Dealing profits, net**

Dealing profits, net include gains and losses arising from disposals and changes in the fair value of financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, as well as gains and losses from foreign exchange trading.

(r) **Income tax**

Income tax on the profit for the year comprises current and deferred tax.

Current tax is the expected tax payable on the taxable income for the year, using tax rates enacted at the statement of financial position date, and any adjustment to tax payable in respect of previous years.

Deferred tax is provided using the balance sheet liability method, providing for temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for taxation purposes. The following temporary differences are not provided for: the initial recognition of assets or liabilities, in a transaction that is not a business combination, that affect neither accounting nor taxable profit, and differences relating to investments in subsidiaries to the extent that it is probable that they will not reverse in the foreseeable future since the parent is able to control the reversal of the temporary difference. No taxable temporary differences are recognised on the initial recognition of goodwill. In addition, no deferred tax is recognised in respect of financial assets at fair value through profit or loss or other comprehensive income as the income from disposal of financial instruments as well as the revaluation gains or losses are not taxable nor tax deductible under current tax regulations in Cyprus. The amount of deferred tax provided is based on the expected manner of realisation or settlement of the carrying amount of assets and liabilities, using tax rates enacted or substantially enacted at the statement of financial position date.

Income tax is recognised in the income statement, except to the extent that it relates to items recognised directly in other comprehensive income, in which case it is recognised in other comprehensive income.

A deferred tax asset is recognised only to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which the unused tax losses and credits can be utilised. Deferred tax assets are reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that the related tax benefit will be realised. Deferred income taxes are calculated using currently enacted tax rates expected to apply when the asset is realized or the liability settled.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset if there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax liabilities and assets, and they relate to taxes levied by the same tax authority on the same taxable entity, or on different tax entities, but they intend to settle current tax liabilities and assets on a net basis or their tax assets and liabilities will be realised simultaneously.

(s) **Dividends**

Dividends are recognised in the statement of changes in equity and recorded as liabilities in the period in which they are declared.

(t) **Changes in accounting policies**

There were no changes in accounting policies, except for changes resulting from possible modifications of International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as described in section 2.

3. **Critical accounting estimates and assumptions**

The preparation of financial statements requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates and assumptions. It also requires management to exercise judgement in the process of applying the Group's accounting policies. The resulting accounting estimates will, by definition, seldom equal the related actual results. The estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amount of assets and liabilities within the next financial year are discussed below. The estimates and assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period, or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

3.1. Business combinations and purchase price allocations

In a business combination (see also Note 4. Acquisition and establishment of subsidiaries), the acquiree's identifiable assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities are recognised and measured at their fair values at the acquisition date. Allocation of the total purchase price among the net assets acquired for financial statement reporting purposes is performed by management with the support of professional advisors if necessary.

The valuation analysis is based on historical and prospective information available as of the date of the business combination. Any prospective information that may impact the fair value of the acquired assets is based on management's expectations of the competitive and economic environments that will prevail in the future.

The results of the valuation analyses are used as well for determining the amortisation and depreciation periods of the values allocated to specific intangible and tangible fixed assets.

There were no fair value adjustments resulting from business combinations in 2024 (2023: no business combination).

3.2. Financial instruments

When measuring the fair value of a financial asset or a financial liability, the Group uses market observable data as far as possible. Fair values are categorized into different levels in a fair value hierarchy based on the inputs used in the valuation techniques as follows:

- Level 1: quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities
- Level 2: inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e. as prices of similar instruments) or indirectly (i.e. derived from such prices)
- Level 3: inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs)

The Group recognises transfers between levels of the fair value hierarchy at the end of the reporting period during which the change has occurred.

The best evidence of the fair value of a financial instrument on initial recognition is normally the transaction price - i.e. the fair value of the consideration given or received. If the Company determines that the fair value on initial recognition differs from the transaction price and the fair value is evidenced neither by a quoted price in an active market for an identical asset or liability nor on a valuation technique for which any observable inputs are judged to be insignificant for the measurement, then the financial instrument is initially measured at fair value, adjusted to defer the difference between the fair value on initial recognition and the transaction price. Subsequently, the difference is recognised in profit and loss on an appropriate basis but no later than when the valuation is wholly supported by observable market inputs or the transaction is closed out.

If the market for a financial instrument is not active, fair value is estimated using valuation techniques.

Valuation process and techniques

In applying valuation techniques, estimates and assumptions that are consistent with available information about estimates and assumptions that market participants would use in setting a price for the financial instrument are used.

The fair value of Level 3 investments is estimated using various valuation techniques, such as EBITDA multiples or discounted cash flow ("DCF") models. In case of DCF models input come from the specific investment's business plan or cash flow projections. The individual business plans and cash flow projections are critically reviewed by management before inclusion in the models. The discount rates are based on the specificities of the industries and countries in which the investments operate. The key assumptions used in the valuations are the expected cash flows and discount rates. For more detail refer to Note 12. Financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss.

3.3. Expected credit losses

The measurement of ECL allowances for loans and receivables, measured at amortised cost, loan commitments and financial guarantees requires significant assumption about future economic conditions and credit behaviour and judgments are also required in applying the accounting requirements for measuring the ECL

Further information about determining ECL is included in note 2 (j) Impairment of non-financial assets.

4. Acquisitions and establishments of subsidiaries

a) During the first half of 2024, the Group acquired the following companies:

<i>In thousands of EUR</i>	Date of acquisition	Consideration	Cash outflow	Group's interest after acquisition (%)
DIAMCA INVESTMENT LIMITED	28 May 2024	111,479	(82,158)	100.00

b) During the first half of 2024, the Group established the following companies:

<i>In thousands of EUR</i>	Date of establishment	Capital contributed	Group's interest after establishment (%)
JTSEC Financing III a. s.	4 January 2024	88	100.00
J&T ARCH BOND II., a. s.	29 March 2024	88	100.00

JTSEC Financing III a. s. and J&T ARCH BOND II., a. s. are companies with its seat in Slovak republic and were established for purpose of issuing bonds, that will be listed on stock exchange.

DIAMCA INVESTMENT LIMITED is company incorporated in Cyprus and its main activity is holding and trading with financial instruments, as well as the provision of financing.

c) In 2023 the Group established the following companies:

<i>In thousands of EUR</i>	Date of establishment	Capital contributed	Group's interest after establishment (%)
JTSEC Financing I a. s. (formerly JTPEG Financing a.s.)	9 February 2023	88	100.00
JTSEC CZ Financing 1, a.s.	14 March 2023	84	100.00
J&T ARCH BOND I., a. s. (formerly JTSEC Financing II a. s.)	18 April 2023	88	100.00

JTSEC Financing I a.s. is company with its seat in Slovak republic and JTSEC CZ Financing 1, a.s. is company with its seat in Czech republic, both were established for purpose of issuing bonds, that are listed on stock exchange (refer also to Note 20 – Debt securities issued).

J&T ARCH BOND I., a. s. was established for the future projects of the Group and as at 31 December 2023 there were no significant activities.

d) Effect of acquisition

<i>In thousands of EUR</i>	DIAMCA INVESTMENTS LIMITED
Cash and cash equivalents	29
Investment securities measured at fair value through profit or loss	18,008
Trade receivables and other assets	91,958
Deposits and loans from customers	(8)
Other liabilities	(16)
Net identifiable assets and liabilities	109,971
Goodwill on acquisition of new subsidiaries	1,508
Gain on bargain purchase	-
Consideration transferred	111,479
Consideration paid, satisfied in cash	(82,158)
Cash acquired	29
Net cash inflow (outflow)	(82,129)
Profit since acquisition date	(4)
Profit of the acquired entity for the first half of 2024	(7,338)
Turnover since acquisition date	-
Turnover of the acquired entity for first half of 2024	(6,728)

5. Net interest expense

In thousands of EUR

	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
Interest income calculated using effective interest rate		
Loans customers	4,745	1,726
Bonds and other securities	381	1,119
Other	741	294
Total interest income using effective interest rate	5,867	3,139
Interest income according to classes of instruments:		
Financial instruments measured at amortised cost	5,485	2,020
Financial instruments measured at FVOCI	382	1,119
Total interest income using effective interest rate	5,867	3,139
Financial assets for trading	-	-
Total other interest income	-	-
Total interest income	5,867	3,139
Interest expense		
Loans from banks and customers	(7,038)	(919)
Bonds and other securities	(6,862)	(3,730)
Repo transactions	(2,731)	(2,204)
Total interest expense	(16,271)	(6,853)
Interest expense according to classes of instruments:		
Financial instruments measured at amortised cost	(16,271)	(6,853)
Total interest expense	(16,271)	(6,853)
Total net interest expense	(10,404)	(3,714)

6. Net fee and commission expense*In thousands of EUR***Fee and commission expense**

	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
Fees on financial instrument operations	(406)	(210)
Intermediation fees	-	-
Other fees and commission expenses	(53)	(113)
Total fee and commission expense	(459)	(323)

7. Net dealing profit*In thousands of EUR*

	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
Dividend income from financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss	225	158
Dividend income from financial assets measured at FVOCI	17	22
Net gains (losses) from financial instruments held for trading	(3,047)	17,559
- derivatives	(1)	3,973
- equity instruments	(3,046)	13,586
Net gain from disposal of investment at fair value through profit or loss	10,465	5,715
Net gains from non-trading financial assets at FVTPL	8,106	14,186
Net gains (losses) from financial assets measured at FVOCI	228	287
- debt instruments	228	287
Exchange rate gains (losses)	1,813	(261)
Total net dealing profit (loss)	17,807	37,666

8. Expenses by nature*In thousands of EUR*

	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
Consulting expenses	(416)	(212)
Net creation of provisions	(124)	-
Other expenses	(104)	(89)
Total other operating expenses	(644)	(301)
Personnel expenses	(7)	(6)
Total expenses by nature	(651)	(307)

9. Income tax*In thousands of EUR*

	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
Current tax expense		
Current year	(54)	(128)
Adjustments for prior periods	-	(6)
Withheld on interest	(56)	(53)
Total income tax expense	(110)	(187)
Deferred tax expense	(99)	-
Total income tax expense	(209)	(187)

The corporate income tax rate in Cyprus for 2024 and 2023 is 12.5%.

Under certain conditions interest income may be subject to defense contribution at the rate of 30%. In such cases this interest will be exempt from corporation tax. In certain cases, dividends received from abroad may be subject to defense contribution at the rate of 17%.

Gains on disposal of qualifying titles (including shares, bonds, debentures, rights thereon etc) are exempt from Cyprus income tax.

The corporate income tax rate in the Czech Republic for 2024 is 21% (2023: 19 %). The corporate income tax rate in Slovakia for 2024 and 2023 is 21%.

Reconciliation of the effective tax rate:

In thousands of EUR

	30 June 2024		30 June 2023	
	%		%	
Profit before tax		5,654		32,519
Income tax at 12.5%	(12.5)	(707)	(12.5)	(4,065)
Effect of tax rates in foreign jurisdictions	0.3	19	0.0	2
Non-deductible expenses	(4.6)	(262)	(0.1)	(33)
Non-taxable income	15.2	(857)	12.2	3,968
Tax withheld on interest	(1.0)	(56)	(0.2)	(53)
Current year losses for which no deferred tax asset was recognised	(1.1)	(60)	0.0	-
(Underprovided)/overprovided in prior years tax charges	0.0	-	0.0	(6)
Total tax	(3.7)	(209)	(0.6)	(187)

10. Cash and cash equivalents

For the purposes of the cash flow statement, the cash and cash equivalents include the following:

In thousands of EUR

	30 June 2024	31 December 2023
Current accounts at banks	10,363	179
Short-term deposits at banks	120	119
Less impairment loss allowance	-	-
Total cash and cash equivalents	10,483	298
Cash and cash equivalents	10,483	298
Bank overdrafts (refer to note 18)	(121,155)	(95,734)
	(110,672)	(95,436)

11. Financial assets for trading

In thousands of EUR

	30 June 2024	31 December 2023
Shares for trading	56,688	23,725
Option contracts for share purchase	-	8,253
Foreign exchange contracts	-	-
Total financial assets for trading	56,688	31,978

Fair value measurement of assets for trading*In thousands of EUR*

	30 June 2024	31 December 2023
Fair value of assets for trading		
Level 1 – quoted market prices	44,727	23,725
Level 2 – derived from quoted prices	-	-
Level 3 – calculated using valuation techniques	11,961	-
Non-derivative assets for trading	56,688	23,725
Fair value of derivatives		
Level 2 – derived from quoted prices	-	-
Level 3 – calculated using valuation techniques	-	8,253
Derivative assets for trading	-	8,253
Total assets for trading	56,688	31,978

Fair value of option contract as at 31 December 2023 was determined based on transaction price that occurred after the balance sheet date. For the valuation method and inputs used by the Group refer also to Note 3.2 - Financial instruments.

As at 30 June 2024 all financial assets for trading are expected to be settled less than 12 months after the reporting date (2023: all).

12. Financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss*In thousands of EUR*

	30 June 2024	31 December 2023
Shares and other equity instruments	515,674	508,096
Investment funds units	266	269
Total investment securities measured at fair value through profit or loss	515,940	508,365

Investment securities measured at fair value through profit or loss consists mainly of investment shares of several sub-funds of J&T ARCH INVESTMENTS SICAV in amount of EUR 357,230 thousand, out of which EUR 345,668 thousand are traded on Prague Stock Exchange (2023: EUR 391,262 thousand, out of which EUR 380,668 thousand are traded on Prague Stock Exchange).

(i) Fair value measurement of investment securities measured at fair value through profit or loss*In thousands of EUR*

	30 June 2024	31 December 2023
Level 1 – quoted market prices	-	-
Level 2 – derived from quoted prices	363,797	380,668
Level 3 – calculated using valuation techniques	152,143	127,697
	515,940	508,365

(ii) Detail of fair value measurement in Level 3

The following table shows a reconciliation from the opening balances to the ending balances for fair value measurements in Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy:

In thousands of EUR

	2024	2023
Balance at 1 January	127,697	132,884
Additions	28,363	10,000
Disposal	(14,459)	(14,725)
Total gains/(losses) recognised in profit or loss	10,542	(462)
Balance at 31 December	152,143	127,697

Quantitative information about significant unobservable inputs – Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy

The enterprise value of some underlying investments was estimated by way of the sum of parts principle. Thus, the discount rate employed for individual cash generating units of the underlying investments varies depending on size, cyclical, geographic location, etc.

In thousands of EUR

Financial asset	June 2024	Valuation technique	Unobservable input	Input value/Range
J&T ARCH INVESTMENTS, podfond J&T ARCH INV. - dividend. EUR		NAV of the fund		
J&T Investment Pool – I – CZK, a.s.		NAV of the fund		
J&T Investment Pool - I - SKK, a.s.		NAV of the fund		
J&T OSTRAVICE ACTIVE LIFE, closed mutual fund		NAV of the fund		

In thousands of EUR

Financial asset	2023	Valuation technique	Unobservable input	Input value/Range
Best Hotel Properties a.s.	1,807	DCF/Recent transaction	Discount rate	8.87% - 16.56%
			Terminal growth	2.0% - 4.1%
J&T ARCH INVESTMENTS, podfond J&T ARCH INV. - dividend. EUR	10,594	NAV of the fund		
J&T Investment Pool – I – CZK, a.s.	84,562	NAV of the fund		
J&T Investment Pool - I - SKK, a.s.	24,490	NAV of the fund		
J&T OSTRAVICE ACTIVE LIFE, closed mutual fund	269	NAV of the fund		

In thousands of EUR

Financial asset	Input	2023			
		Adverse effects		Favourable effects	
		Sensitivity used	Effect on FV	Sensitivity used	Effect on FV
Shares of Best Hotel Properties a.s. (BHP)	EBITDA	(5.0%)	(714)	5.0%	714
	Discount rate	0.5pp	(681)	(0.5pp)	773

The sensitivity analysis refers to a percentage amount added or deducted from the input and the effect this has on the fair value. The sensitivities are shown under the adverse or favourable effect headings based on whether the particular change in an input has an adverse (negative) or favourable (positive) impact on the fair value of the investment. As per this analysis, EBITDA relates to the projected EBITDA for the entire projected period (including perpetuity). For example, the 5% favourable sensitivity for BHP's EBITDA in amount of EUR 714 thousand means for the Group that if BHP's EBITDA was to increase by 5% consistently over the entire projected period (and perpetuity), the isolated favourable effect of such a change in the fair value of the investment as at the valuation date would equal the stated amount. Similarly, the 0.5pp favourable sensitivity for BHP's Discount rate in amount of EUR 773 thousand means for the Group that if 0.5% was deducted from the discount rate used in the management's DCF valuation of BHP (i.e., the discount rate was decreased by 0.5 percentage point), the isolated favourable effect of such a change on the fair value of the investment as at the valuation date would equal the stated amount.

13. Financial assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income

<i>In thousands of EUR</i>	30 June 2024	31 December 2023
Debt instruments	7,233	3,372
Equity instruments	16,052	398
Total financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income	23,285	3,770

Debt instruments measured at fair value through other comprehensive income present bonds listed on stock exchange with maturity between 2025 and 2034 (2023: between 2025 and 2026).

Equity instrument measured at fair value through other comprehensive income present investment shares of fund listed on stock exchange and perpetual certificates (subordinated unsecured certificates) with no maturity and yield that is fully discretionary and subject to approval of the issuer.

<i>In thousands of EUR</i>	30 June 2024	31 December 2023
Level 1 – quoted market prices	-	-
Level 2 – derived from quoted prices	23,285	3,770
Level 3 – calculated using valuation techniques	-	-
	23,285	3,770

<i>In thousands of EUR</i>	30 June 2024		31 December 2023	
	Fair value	Dividend income	Fair value	Dividend income
Banks and financial institution	16,052	17	398	38
Other	-	-	-	-
Total	16,052	17	398	38

During the year 2023 equity instruments at fair value through other comprehensive income totalling EUR 97 thousand were derecognised. During 2023 the Board of Directors after a resolution, decided to decrease the value of investment held in certificates of J&T BANKA 10% PERP. Received funds in amount of EUR 100 thousand were used for current needs for purchase of another investments.

14. Loans to customers

<i>In thousands of EUR</i>	30 June 2024	31 December 2023
Loans provided	131,846	170,002
Loans - reverse repurchase agreements	9,936	48,030
Less impairment loss allowance for loans (refer to Note 16)	(2,589)	(1,851)
Total loans and advances to customers	139,193	216,181

Loans – reversed repurchase agreements

<i>In thousands of EUR</i>	Fair value of assets held as collateral	Carrying amount of receivable	Repurchase price
30 June 2024			
- maturity up to 1 month	14,709	9,936	9,971
31 December 2023			
- maturity up to 1 month	67,103	48,030	48,104

At 30 June 2024 EUR 28,476 thousand of loans and advances to customers are expected to be recovered more than 12 months after the reporting date (2023: EUR 29,821 thousand).

15. Trade receivables and other assets*In thousands of EUR***30 June 2024** **31 December 2023**

Securities settlement balances	11,002	23,947
- gross	11,035	23,949
- allowance	(33)	(2)
Trade and other receivables	-	2
- gross	-	2
- allowance	-	-
Total receivables presented under risk management (see Note 24)	11,002	23,949
Advance payments	-	88
Deferred expenses	73	123
Total non-financial receivables and other assets	73	211
Total trade receivables and other assets	11,075	24,160

For details on ECL refer to Note 16.

At 30 June 2024 and 31 December 2023 all trade receivables and other assets are expected to be recovered less than 12 months after the reporting date.

Securities settlement balances as at 31 December 2023 include payments for subscription of investment shares in JTPEG INVESTMENTS FUND I SICAV, a.s. in the amount of EUR 21,800 thousand.

16. Amounts arising from expected credit losses (ECL)

The following tables show a reconciliation from the opening to the closing balance of the loss allowance and provisions by class of financial instrument. Explanation of the terms: 12-month ECL, lifetime ECL and credit-impaired are included in Note 2. Material accounting policies

(a) Loans and advances to customers at amortised cost

<i>In thousands of EUR</i>	30 June 2024			2023		
	12-month ECL	Lifetime ECL not credit-impaired	Total	12-month ECL	Lifetime ECL not credit-impaired	Total
Balance at 1 January	1,851	-	1,851	77	-	77
Net remeasurement of loss allowance	921	-	921	673	-	673
New financial assets originated or purchased	179	-	179	1,101	-	1,101
Financial assets that have been derecognised	(362)	-	(362)	-	-	-
Balance at 30 June	2,589	-	2,589	1,851	-	1,851

(b) Trade receivables and other assets

<i>In thousands of EUR</i>	2024			2023		
	12-month ECL	Lifetime ECL not credit- impaired	Total	12-month ECL	Lifetime ECL not credit- impaired	Total
Balance at 1 January	-	2	2	-	13	13
Transfer to lifetime ECL not credit-impaired	-	-	-	-	-	-
Net remeasurement of loss allowance	-	31	31	-	-	-
Financial assets that have been derecognised	-	-	-	-	(11)	(11)
Balance at 30 June	-	33	33	-	2	2

(c) Financial assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income

<i>In thousands of EUR</i>	2024			2023		
	12-month ECL	Lifetime ECL not credit- impaired	Total	12-month ECL	Lifetime ECL not credit- impaired	Total
Balance at 1 January	25	-	25	1,013	-	1,013
Net remeasurement of loss allowance	42	-	42	-	-	-
New financial assets originated or purchased	85	-	85	2	-	2
Financial assets that have been derecognised	(3)	-	(3)	(985)	-	(985)
Write-offs and use	-	-	-	(5)	-	(5)
Balance at 30 June	149	-	149	25	-	25

(d) Loan commitments and financial guarantee contracts

<i>In thousands of EUR</i>	2024			2023		
	12-month ECL	Lifetime ECL credit- impaired	Total	12-month ECL	Lifetime ECL credit- impaired	Total
Balance at 1 January	147	-	147	78	-	78
Net remeasurement of loss allowance	4	-	4	68	-	68
New commitments and financial guarantees issued	-	-	-	1	-	1
Financial assets that have been derecognised	(145)	-	(145)	-	-	-
Balance at 30 June	6	-	6	147	-	147

17. Investments in equity accounted investees*In thousands of EUR*

	30 June 2024	31 December 2023
Red Stone Now s.r.o.	960	984
RED STONE NOW SK a.s.	-	-
Total interests in equity accounted investees	960	984

The table below analyses the share of profit and other comprehensive income from associates:

In thousands of EUR

	30 June 2024	31 December 2023
Carrying amount of interests in associates	960	984
Group's share of:		
Profit for the year	(12)	(516)
Other comprehensive income	-	-
Total share of comprehensive income from associates	(12)	(516)

The following table summarises the financial information of Red Stone Now s.r.o. as included in its own financial statements, The table also reconciles the summarised financial information to the carrying amount of the Group's interest in Red Stone Now s.r.o.

In thousands of EUR

	30 June 2024	31 December 2023
Percentage of ownership interest	49.9%	49.9%
Non-current assets	250	256
Current assets	8,266	11,929
Non-current liabilities	(3,757)	(7,140)
Current liabilities	(2,836)	(3,073)
Net assets (100%)	1,923	1,972
Group's share of net assets (49.9%)	960	984
Carrying amount of interest in associate	960	984

	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
Interest and fee income	935	762
Other income	24	35
Expenses	(984)	(1,076)
Total comprehensive income (100%)	(25)	(279)
Total comprehensive income (49.9%)	(12)	(139)
Group's share of total comprehensive income (49.9%)	(12)	(139)

18. Bank loans*In thousands of EUR*

	30 June 2024	31 December 2023
Overdrafts	121,155	95,734
Received loans from repurchase agreements	9,935	76,284
Other received loans at amortised cost	40,495	40,462
Total bank loans	171,585	212,480

Received loans from repurchase agreements	Fair value of assets held as collateral	Carrying amount of liability	Repurchase price
<i>In thousands of EUR</i>			
30 June 2024			
- maturity up to 1 month	14,709	9,935	9,970
31 December 2023			
- maturity up to 1 month	114,960	76,284	76,457

As at 30 June 2024 EUR 40,494 thousand of the bank loans are expected to be recovered more than 12 months after the reporting date (2023: 38,049).

19. Loans from customers

<i>In thousands of EUR</i>	30 June 2024	31 December 2023
Loans received	29,487	-
Received loans from repurchase agreements	33,911	32,723
Total Loans from customers	63,398	32,723

Received loans from repurchase agreements	Fair value of assets held as collateral	Carrying amount of liability	Repurchase price
<i>In thousands of EUR</i>			
30 June 2024			
- maturity up to 1 month	37,767	30,518	30,635
- maturity 1-6 months	4,136	3,393	3,418
Total	41,903	33,911	34,053
31 December 2023			
- maturity up to 1 month	39,369	31,338	31,437
- maturity 1-6 months	1,740	1,385	1,406
Total	41,109	32,723	32,843

At 30 June 2024 none of Loans from customers are expected to be settled more than 12 months (2023: none) after the reporting date.

20. Debt securities issued

In thousands of EUR

Name	ISIN	Date of issue	Nominal value in original currency	Interest rate	Maturity date	30 June 2024	31 December 2023
JTSEC 4,60/2024	SK4000016846	06.03.2020	100,000 EUR	4.60 %	06.03.2024	-	56,787
JTSEC F. 1 8,25/28	CZ0003552929	27.09.2023	10,000 CZK	8.25 %	27.09.2028	119,946	121,200
JTSEC VAR/2028	SK4000022950	30.05.2023	1,000 EUR	6M Euribor +3.25 %	30.05.2028	29,550	29,560
JT ARCH C.VAR I/2034	SK4000024519	31.01.2024	1 EUR	5.25%	31.1.2034	14,881	-
Total issued debt securities at amortised cost						164,377	207,547

Debt securities issued present debentures issued by Group companies and listed on Bratislava Stock Exchange and Prague Stock Exchange.

The interest from all issues is paid regularly twice a year.

The Group has not had any defaults of principal or interest or other breaches with respect to its debt securities during the first half of 2024 nor during the year ended 31 December 2023.

The total carrying amount of the bonds issued does not include the amount of the bonds held by companies within the Group.

At 30 June 2024 EUR 163,759 thousand of issued debt securities are expected to be settled more than 12 months after the reporting date (2023: 147,770 thousand).

21. Subordinated debt

In thousands of EUR

	30 June 2024	31 December 2023
Subordinated debt	97,585	76,889
Total subordinated debt	97,585	76,889

As at 30 June 2024 and 31 December 2023 subordinated debt presents a loan from related party with maturity in 2024.

22. Trade payables and other liabilities

In thousands of EUR

	30 June 2024	31 December 2023
Trade payables	48	125
Uninvoiced supplies	9	40
Employee benefits	-	6
Other liabilities	19	148
Total payables presented under risk management (see Note 26)	76	319
Current tax payables other than income tax	27	74
Other non-financial liabilities	-	6
Total non-financial payables and other liabilities	27	80
Total	103	399

At 30 June 2024 EUR none of the trade payables and other liabilities are expected to be paid more than 12 months after the reporting date (2023: none).

23. Shareholders' equity

(i) Share capital

	2024 and 2023	2024 and 2023
	Number of shares	TEUR
Authorised		
Ordinary shares of EUR 1 each	11,000	11
Increase of Authorised share capital in 2019 - Ordinary shares of EUR 1 each	21,000	21
Increase of Authorised share capital in 2020 - Ordinary shares of EUR 1 each	38,970	39
Increase of Authorised share capital in 2021 - Ordinary shares of EUR 1 each	5,000	5
	<u>75,970</u>	<u>76</u>
Issued and fully paid	75,970	76

Translation reserve

The translation reserve comprises all foreign exchange differences arising from the translation of the financial statements of foreign operations.

24. Fair value information

The following table is a comparison of the carrying amounts and fair values of the Group's financial assets and liabilities that are not carried at fair value:

As at 30 June 2024	Carrying amount	Fair value			
		Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
<i>In thousands of EUR</i>					
Financial assets					
Cash and cash balances	10,483	-	10,483	-	10,483
Loans to customers	139,194	-	141,007	-	141,007
Trade receivables and other financial assets under risk management (see Note 26)	11,002	-	-	11,002	11,002
Financial liabilities					
Bank loans	171,585	-	171,617	-	171,617
Loans from customers	63,398	-	63,414	-	63,414
Debt securities issued	164,377	167,301	-	-	167,301
Subordinated debt	97,585	-	95,600	-	95,600
Trade payables and other financial liabilities under risk management (see Note 26)	76	-	76	-	76

As at 31 December 2023	Carrying amount	Fair value			
		Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
<i>In thousands of EUR</i>					
Financial assets					
Cash and cash balances	298	-	298	-	298
Loans to customers	216,181	-	217,529	-	217,529
Trade receivables and other financial assets under risk management (see Note 26)	23,949	-	-	23,949	23,949
Financial liabilities					
Bank loans	212,480	-	212,674	-	212,674
Loans from customers	32,723	-	32,725	-	32,725
Debt securities issued	207,547	255,240	-	-	255,240
Subordinated debt	76,889	-	75,276	-	75,276
Trade payables and other financial liabilities under risk management (see Note 26)	319	-	319	-	319

25. Financial commitments and contingencies

<i>In thousands of EUR</i>	30 June 2024	31 December 2023
Guarantees given	-	-
Loan commitments	1,025	107,838
Total	1,025	107,838

26. Related Parties

J&T PRIVATE EQUITY GROUP LIMITED is the ultimate controlling party, that prepares annually the consolidated financial statements.

Identity of related parties

The Group had a related party relationship either at 30 June 2024 and 31 December 2023 or during first half of the year 2024 and 2023 with parties as identified below:

- (1) Key management personnel of the Company (Directors of the Company) and companies they control
- (2) Companies related through the Ultimate Parent Company

Transactions with related parties are realised on terms equivalent to those that prevail in arm's length transactions.

The summary of balances with related parties during at 30 June 2024 and 31 December 2023 is as follows:

<i>In thousands of EUR</i>	<u>30 June 2024</u>		<u>31 December 2023</u>	
	<u>Accounts receivable</u>	<u>Accounts payable</u>	<u>Accounts receivable</u>	<u>Accounts payable</u>
Key management personnel of the Company and companies they control	-	40	-	85
Companies related through the ultimate parent company	163,440	240,070	231,456	191,945
Total	163,440	240,110	231,456	192,030

Provision for doubtful debts due from the "Companies related through the ultimate parent company" as at 30 June 2024 amounted 2,621 EUR thousand (31 December 2023: 1,854 EUR).

Total remuneration provided to key management included in personal expense amounted to 4 EUR thousand in the first half of 2024 (2023: EUR 4 thousand).

The summary of transactions with related parties during first half of 2024 and 2023 is as follows:

<i>In thousands of EUR</i>	<u>30 June 2024</u>		<u>30 June 2023</u>	
	<u>Revenues</u>	<u>Expenses</u>	<u>Revenues</u>	<u>Expenses</u>
Key management personnel of the Company and companies they control	-	(147)	-	(98)
Companies related through the ultimate parent company	5,268	(5,980)	5,806	(1,770)
Total	5,268	(6,127)	5,806	(1,868)

<i>In thousands of EUR</i>	<u>30 June 2024</u>		<u>31 December 2023</u>	
	<u>Loan commitments received</u>	<u>Loan commitments given</u>	<u>Loan commitments received</u>	<u>Loan commitments given</u>
Companies related through the ultimate parent company	100,973	11,949	76,433	107,838
Total	100,973	11,949	76,433	107,838

27. Subsequent events

On 30 August 2024, J&T SECURITIES MANAGEMENT PLC purchased a 100% share in JTSEC CZ Financing 2, a.s., company with its seat in Czech republic. JTSEC CZ Financing 2, a.s. had no significant activities at the moment of acquisition.