# GRUPPO BCC ICCREA Credit Update 1Q23



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# Agenda

## Group Overview – Data as at Dec 22

## **Financial highlights – 1Q23**



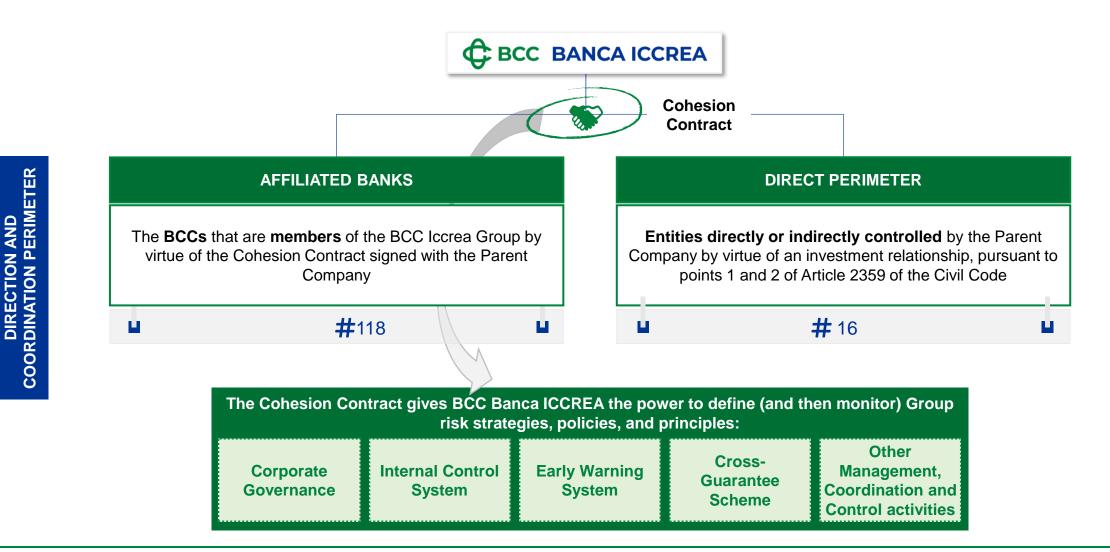
## Gruppo BCC Iccrea, one of the leading players in the Italian banking sector...





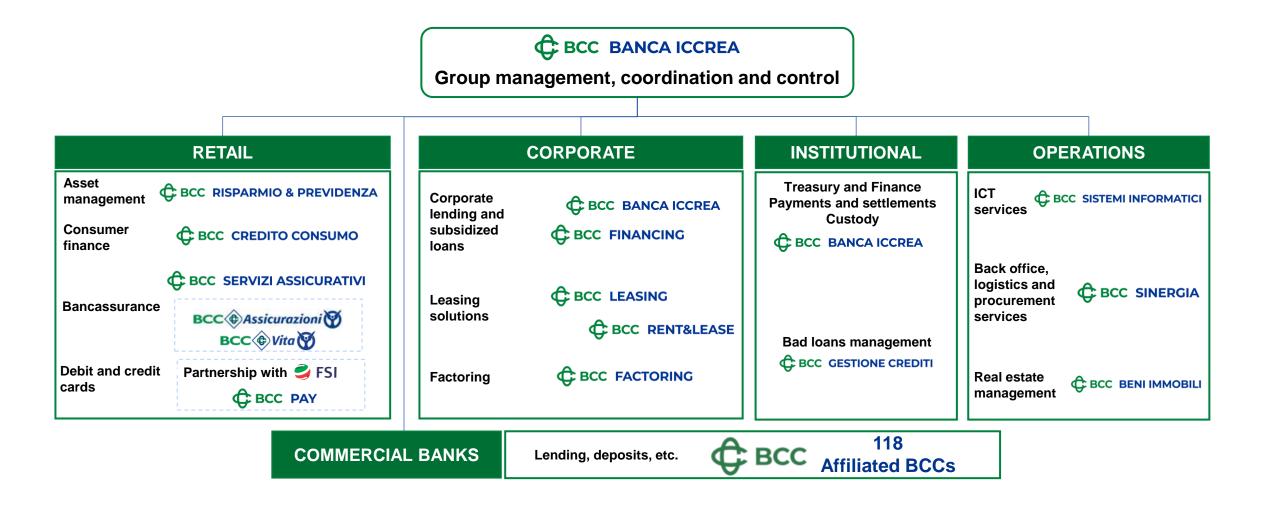
(1) The sample considers the consolidated data of the following peers: Intesa Sanpaolo, UniCredit, Banco BPM, MPS, BPER Pro-forma
(2) Pro forma, excluding discontinued operations (pursuant to IFRS 5)

... the first cooperative banking group in Italy, leveraging on 118 Affiliated Banks operating as a single entity...



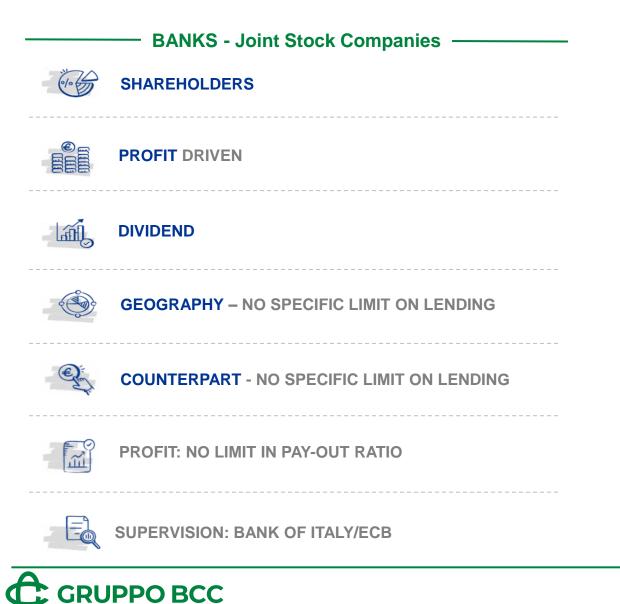


# ... and entities dedicated to offering a full set of financial services and an efficient operating model

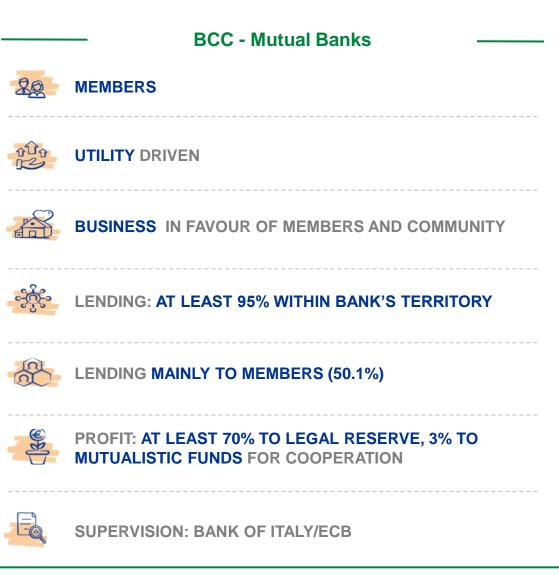




# The mutualistic nature of Cooperative Banks: distinctive features of the business model of the Group...

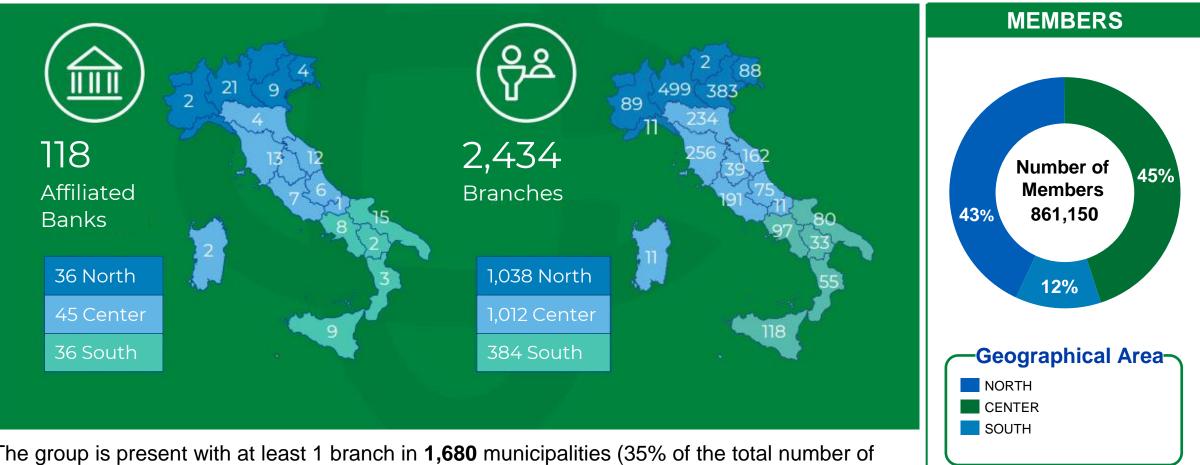


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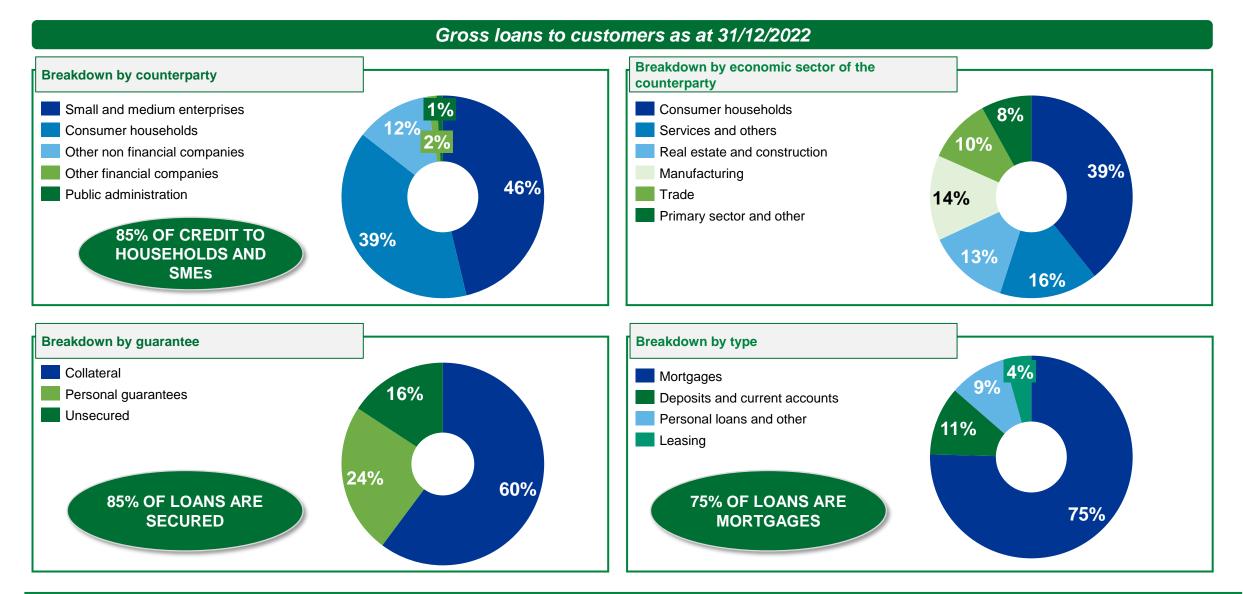
## ... the widespread presence in the country...



The group is present with at least 1 branch in **1,680** municipalities (35% of the total number of banking municipalities). In 335 municipalities (20% of the total), the group's branches represent **the only banking presence** 



### ... and a traditional and typical customer base.....





### ... in line with an ESG approach by nature

### SUSTAINABLE BY NATURE

"In carrying out its activities, the Company is inspired ... by the principles of mutuality without the purpose of private speculation. It aims to benefit members and members of local communities ..... by pursuing the improvement of their moral, cultural and economic conditions .... as well as social cohesion and the responsible and sustainable growth of the territory in which it operates. The Company is distinguished by its social orientation and by its choice to build the common good".

Statute of Cooperative Credit Banks, Article 2

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# SUSTAINABLE GOALS





# The path taken by the Group since its recent inception has enabled to consolidate its identity...

### Unique business model among major Italian banks

The Group is distinguished by the mutualistic purpose that inspires its actions and its business model, which is characterized by its special relationship with members, customers and the local area and by its organizational model

#### Operating model consolidation

Single administrative services hub, centralization of IT services and platforms, Partnerships (salary-backed loan and E-money); and "Factories" (Leasing and Factoring) repositioning

#### Issuer on the Institutional market

Funding in the institutional market (3 bn from 2019), with good feedback also outside Italy with a path of rating improvement aimed at a progressive alignment with main competitors

#### **Relevant «derisking» process**

Since 2019, strong reduction in the stock of NPLs (from around 10.6 bn to around 4.3 bn), mainly through disposals (around 10 bn since 2019) under the GACS scheme

### Rooted presence in the country

Second Italian Bank in terms of number of branches. A widespread network with presence in small municipalities no more served by large banking groups

### **ESG-oriented by nature**

Promoting and investing on initiatives to improve and preserve local communities (from Nov-21 to date, 2 Social Senior Preferred issuances for a total amount of 1 bn)

### Solid capital and financial profile

High capital ratios (buffer approx. 780bps over SREP requirement) to face highly stressed macro scenarios and liquidity ratios (LCR 231%) to ensure ample buffers in managing TLTRO repayment plan



# ... and to achieve tangible improvements in business, capital and financial performance...

	FY 19	FY 22	∆ <b>19-22</b>
Loans to customers	86.0 €/b <i>4.9%</i>	91.5 €/b <u>6.1%</u>	+2.1% (CAGR) +1.2 pp
Direct funding Market share	105.4 €/b <u>6.0%</u>	120.6 €/b <u>6.4%</u>	<b>+4.6%</b> (CAGR) +0.4 pp
Gross NPL ratio	11.6%	4.5%	-7.1 рр
Net NPL ratio	6.1%	1.5%	-4.6 pp
Cost / Income	73.9%	59.2%	-14.7 рр
ROE	2.4%	15.1%	+12.7 pp
CET1r	15.5%	19.2%	+3.7 рр
TCr	16.3%	20.4%	+4.1 pp
MREL <sub>RWA</sub> Profile	20.0%	23.4%	+3.4 pp
GRUPPO BCC Source: Fin	nancial Report 2020, 2021, 2022		

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### ... allowing also the first positive feedbacks from the financial markets

TODAY 2020 Long Term Long Term Outlook Outlook **Fitch**Ratings +2 STABLE BB-Stable BB+ Notch S&P Global STABLE +1 Notch BB Negative BB+ Ratings BB BB M RNINGSTAR POSITIVE **DBRS** Stable (high) (high) ESG ESG +1 **A1 A2** MOODY'S ESG Solutions Notch



# Group Overview - Data as at Dec 22

## **Financial highlights – 1Q23**



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## **1Q23 results: Executive Summary**

Resilient and growing results



2 Sound revenue growth (+4.5%) underpinned mainly by NII (+16.0% YoY)

Asset Quality ratios stable: NPE ratio at 4.5% (gross) and 1.5% (net). Coverage at 68.9%

4 Strong capital position confirmed: CET1r at 19.3%, TCr at 20.4%

## **5** Sound liquidity profile: LCR at 250%, NSFR at 145%



## **1Q23 results: Highlights** *P&L and Balance Sheet key figures evolution*

### Profit & Loss

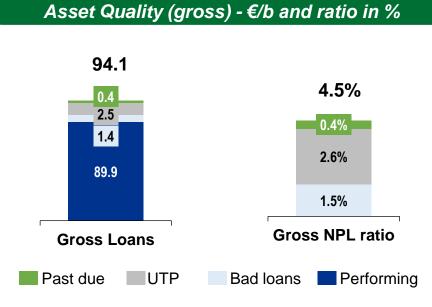
(€mln)	3M 23	3M 22	Δ 3M 22	Δ % 3M 22
Net interest income	957	825	132	16.0%
Net fees	338	319	19	6.0%
Other financial income	31	125	(94)	(75.2%)
Gross Income	1,326	1,269	57	4.5%
Net writedowns / writebacks for credit risk	(22)	(50)	28	(56.1%)
Operating expenses	(711)	(726)	15	(2.0%)
Personnel expenses	(470)	(432)	(38)	8.9%
Other administrative expenses	(270)	(293)	24	(8.1%)
Net provisions	6	(4)	10	(248.3%)
Net adjustments	(56)	(60)	4	(6.3%)
Other operating expenses/income	79	64	16	24.9%
Operating Result	594	494	100	20.2%
Other	(1)	(2)	1	(52.2%)
Profit before taxes	593	492	101	20.4%
Taxes	(97)	(70)	(27)	37.7%
Profit after tax from discontinued operations		9	(9)	(100.0%)
Net Profit	496	431	66	15.2%

Balance Sheet						
(€mln)	1Q23	FY 22	Δ FY 22	Δ % FY 22		
Financial assets	66,548	68,015	(1,467)	(2.2%)		
Net loans to customers	90,300	90,869	(569)	(0.6%)		
Net loans to banks	2,788	1,557	1,231	79.1%		
Other assets	11,830	13,103	(1,273)	(9.7%)		
Total Assets	171,466	173,544	(2,078)	(1.2%)		
Financial liabilities to customers	119,612	119,116	497	0.4%		
Securities issued	9,801	9,196	606	6.6%		
Financial liabilities to banks	23,760	28,518	(4,758)	(16.7%)		
Other liabilities	5,956	4,845	1,111	22.9%		
Group shareholder's equity	12,337	11,870	467	3.9%		
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	171,466	173,544	(2,078)	(1.2%)		



# Asset quality: NPE Ratio (net) at 1.5%

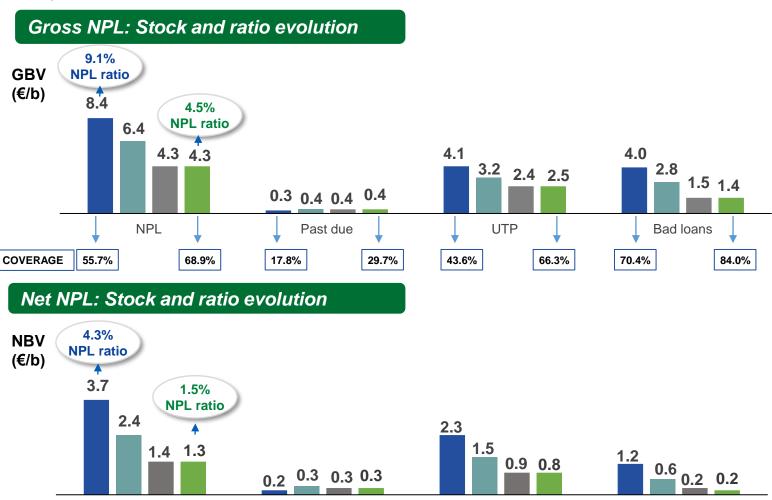
Stock stable and increasing coverage (69%)



- Gross NPL ratio at 4.5% (stable vs. Dec 22)
- Stage 2: 6.6% of total gross loan portfolio
- Net NPL ratio at 1.5% (stable vs. Dec 22)

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- NPE Ratio evolution has been also supported by the de-risking activity carried out by Iccrea Banca
- Initiatives aimed to improve the Group's risk profile are also reflected by the prudent approach adopted by the Group: NPL coverage at 68.9% (+ 1.5 p.p. compared to Dec 22)



2020 2021 2022

Past due

UTP

1Q23

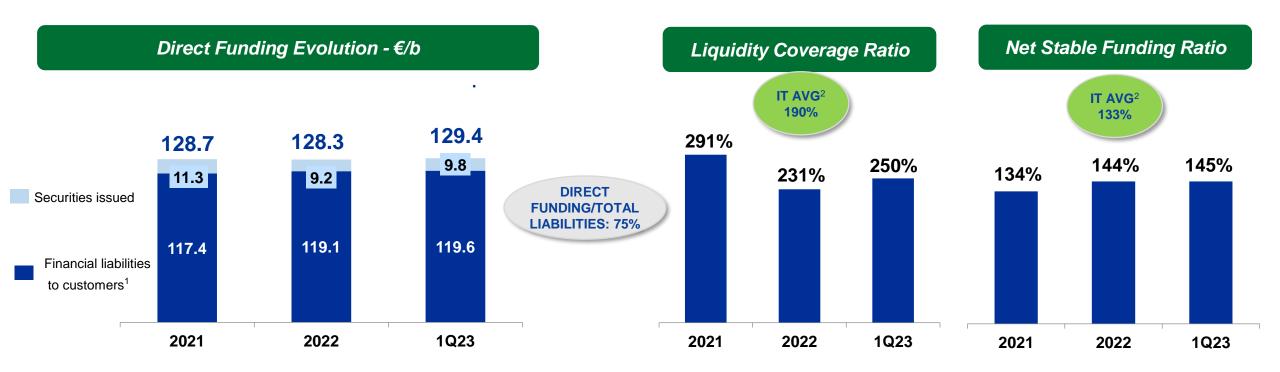
GRUPPO BCC Source: Financial Report 2020, 2021, 2022 and 1Q23 press release

NPL

Bad loans

# Funding structure: A sound liquidity profile

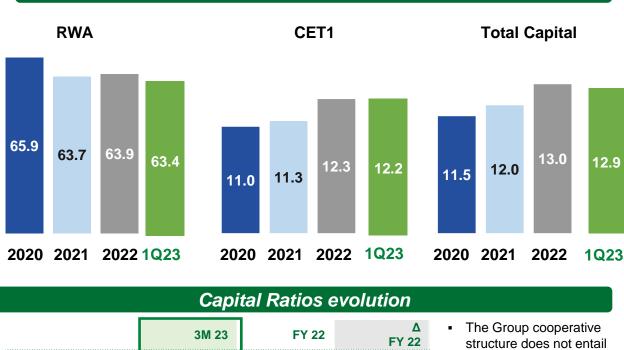
LCR at 250%, NSFR at 145%. Ample liquidity buffers



- Direct funding at 129.4 €/b slightly up vs 2022 level also thanks to the increase in repos and securities issued
- A very solid liquidity position: LCR and NSFR respectively at 250% and 145% well above Italian peers average

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## Leading capital position: Focus on capital ratios and buffer CET 1 at 19.3%, TCR at 20.4%



63,937

12,286

13.025

19.2%

20.4%

63,426

12,210

12,947

19.3%

20.4%

RWA

CET 1

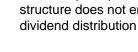
**Total Capital** 

CET1 ratio

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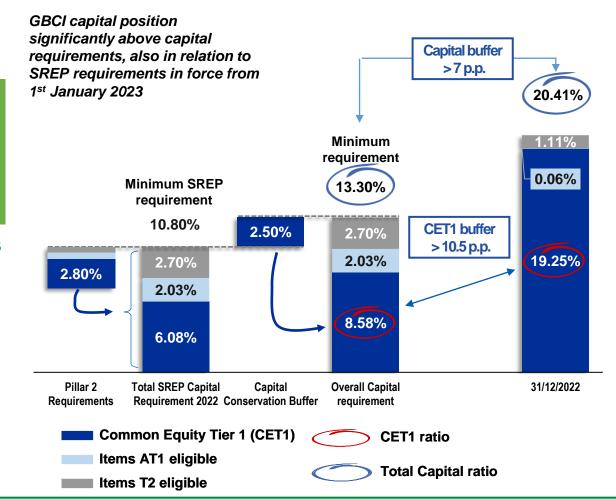
TC ratio

#### Capital Position Evolution - €/b



 1Q23 capital generation able to fully absorb the phase out (31 March 2023) of the filters related to the "transitional regime"

#### Capital Buffer (phased in) - %



**GRUPPO BCC** Source: Financial Report 2020, 2021, 2022 and 1Q23 press release

(511)

(76)

(78)

0.1%

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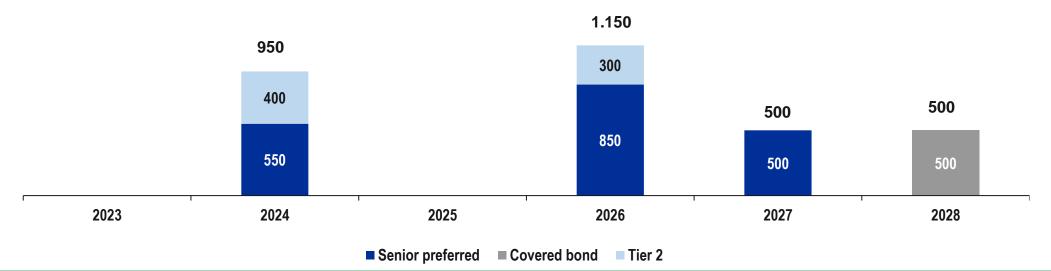
## **Iccrea in the Institutional Bond market**

A more established and frequent Issuer

- Iccrea Banca issued 6 institutional bonds since November 2020:
  - 4 Senior Preferred bonds for an aggregate amount of 1,850 €/m (including 2 Social issuances)
  - A 300 €/m Subordinated Tier 2
  - A 500 €/m inaugural Covered Bond

lssuer	Instrument Type	Announcement date	Coupon (%)	Maturity	Next Call Date	Outstanding Amount (€)
Iccrea Banca SpA	Senior Preferred	10-Jun-14	3.116	19-Jun-24	-	50,000,000
Iccrea Banca SpA	Tier 2	21-Nov-19	4.125	28-Nov-29	28-Nov-24	400,000,000
Iccrea Banca SpA	Senior Preferred	13-Oct-20	2.250	20-Oct-25	20-Oct-24	500,000,000
Iccrea Banca SpA	Covered Bond	13-Sept-21	0.010	23-Sep-28	-	500,000,000
Iccrea Banca SpA	Tier 2	05-Oct-21	4.750	18-Jan-32	18-Jan-26	300,000,000
Iccrea Banca SpA	Social Senior Preferred	10-Nov-21	2.125	17-Jan-27	16-Jan-26	500,000,000
Iccrea Banca SpA	Senior Preferred	13-Sep-22	6.375	Sep-27	Sep-26	350,000,000
Iccrea Banca SpA	Social Senior Preferred	12-Jan-23	6.875	Jan-28	Jan-27	500,000,000

#### Institutional Bonds, Maturity/Call profile -€/m





## **Issuer rating: Actual situation**

Recent upgrades from all rating agencies



	Release date	Long Term	Outlook	Short Term
<b>Fitch</b> Ratings	February, 1 2023	+2 Notch (FEB 23) BB+	Stable	В
<b>S&amp;P Global</b> Ratings	November, 23 2022	+1 Notch (Nov 22)	Stable	В
M RNINGSTAR DBRS	November, 28 2022	BB (high)	Improved on Nov 22 Positive	



# FINANCIAL CALENDAR AND CONTACTS

### **FY23: FINANCIAL CALENDAR**

**May 26, 2023**: Shareholders' Meeting for the approval of the Annual Financial Report as at 31 December 2022

August 14, 2023: Financial results as at 30 June 2023

November 14, 2023: Financial results as at 30 September 2023





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