

Glossary

%a.: annualized percentage.

% y.o.y.: year-on-year percentage.

ANR: Annual Nominal Rate.

Adjusted profit: Total profit excluding payments made due to court-ordered releases and adjustments to the valuation of public sector assets according to Com. "A" 3911 and modifications.

BCBS: Basel Committee on Banking Supervision.

CABA: Ciudad Autónoma de Buenos Aires.

Consolidated (or aggregate) assets and liabilities: Those arising from excluding operations between financial institutions.

Consolidated result: Excludes results related to shares and participations in other local financial institutions.

CPIBA: Consumer's Price Index of CABA

CB: Corporate Bonds.

CER: Coeficiente de Estabilización de Referencia. Reference Stabilization Coefficient.

CVS: Coeficiente de Variación Salarial. Wage variation coefficient.

Financial margin: Income less outlays of a financial nature. Include interest income, gains from securities, CER/CVS adjustments, exchange rate differences and other financial results. Does not include the items affected by Com. "A" 3911.

FSR: Financial Stability Report.

Foreign exchange price adjustments: Income from the monthly updating of foreign currency-denominated assets and liabilities. The heading also includes income arising from the purchase and sale of foreign currency, arising from the difference in the price agreed (net of direct costs generated by the transaction) and the book value.

Gains on securities: Includes income from government securities, short-term investments, corporate bonds, subordinated debt, options and from other income from financial intermediation. In the case of government securities, it includes the results accrued from income, quotation differences, exponential increase on the basis of the internal rate of return (IRR), and from sales, as well as the charge for impairment to value.

IFRS: International Financial Reporting Standards

Service income margin: Commissions collected less commissions paid. Includes commissions on liabilities, credits, securities, guarantees granted, rental of safe deposits boxes and foreign trade and exchange transactions, excluding in the case of the latter results from the trading of foreign currency, which are recorded in the "Exchange difference" accounts (here included under the heading "Other financial results"). Outflows include commissions paid, contributions to the Banking Social Services Institute (ISSB), other contributions on service income and charges accrued for gross income tax.

Net Interest Income (Interest Margin): Interest collected less interest paid on financial intermediation, on an accrual basis – taken from balance sheet – rather than on a cash basis. Include interest on loans of government securities and premiums on repos and reverse repos.

Lebac and Nobac: Bills and notes of the BCRA.

Leliq: Liquidity Bills of the BCRA.

Liquid assets: Cash disposal (Minimum cash compliance – cash, current account at BCRA and special accounts in guarantee – and other liquid items mainly correspondent accounts) plus Creditor net balance for BCRA repo transactions with Lebac and Nobac.

LCR: Liquidity Coverage ratio.

LR: Leverage Ratio.

mill.: million.

NBFI: Non-Banking Financial Institutions

NW: Net worth.

Netted assets (NA) and liabilities: Those net of accounting duplications inherent to the recording of repurchase agreements, term transactions or unsettled spot transactions.

Net worth exposure to counterpart risk: Non-performing portfolio net of allowances in terms of net worth.

NOCOM: Cash Clearing Notes of BCRA.

Non-performing portfolio: Portfolio in categories 3 to 6, as per the debtor classification system.

OCI: Other Comprehensive Income.

Other financial results: Income from financial leasing, adjustments to valuation of credit to the public sector, contribution to the deposit guarantee fund, interest on liquid funds, difference in market price of gold and foreign exchange, premiums on the sale of foreign currency and other unidentified income (net).

Other Net Incomes: Other income (including, among others, gains on permanent holdings, recovered loans and disallowed provisions) less other losses (including, among others, losses on permanent holdings, losses on sale or devaluation of fixed assets and amortization of business assets).

SD: Subordinated Debt.

p.p.: percentage points.

Private sector credit: Loans to the private sector and private sector securities.

Public sector credit: Loans to the public sector, holdings of government securities, compensation receivable from the Federal Government and other credits to the public sector.

ROA: Net profits as a percentage of netted assets. When referring to accumulated results the denominator includes the average netted assets for the reference months.

ROE: Net profits as a percentage of net worth. When referring to accumulated results the denominator includes the average net worth for the reference months.

RC: Regulatory Capital.(Responsabilidad Patrimonial Computable)

RWA: Risk Weighted Assets.

SME: Small and Medium Enterprises.

US\$: United States dollars.

UVAs: Purchasing Value Units.

UVIs: Housing units.