

STATUTORY DISCLOSURE UNDER BASEL II & III FRAMEWORK SOHAR ISLAMIC





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REPORT ON FACTUAL FINDINGS TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF BANK SOHAR SAOG (THE "BANK") IN RESPECT OF BASEL II - PILLAR III AND BASEL III RELATED DISCLOSURES OF SOHAR ISLAMIC

We have performed the procedures agreed with you and as prescribed in Title 5 of the Islamic Banking Regulatory Framework and Central Bank of Oman's (CBO) Circular No. BM 1027 dated 4 December 2007 with respect to the Basel II - Pillar III Disclosures and Basel III Disclosures (the disclosures) of Sohar Islamic (Islamic Window) of the Bank as at and for the year ended 31 December 2016. The disclosures were prepared by the Islamic Window's management in accordance with the related requirements set out in Title 5 of the Islamic Banking Regulatory Framework, CBO's Circular number BM 1009 dated 13 September 2006, Circular No. BM 1027 dated 4 December 2007 and Circular No. 1114 dated 17 November 2013. Our engagement was undertaken in accordance with the International Standard on Related Services applicable to agreed-upon procedures engagements. The procedures, as set out in Title 5 of Islamic Banking Regulatory Framework and Circular number BM 1027 dated 4 December 2007 were performed solely to assist you in evaluating the Islamic Window's compliance with the related disclosure requirements as set out in Title 5 of Islamic Banking Regulatory Framework, CBO's Circular number BM 1009 dated 13 September 2006 and Circular No. BM 1114 dated 17 November 2013.

We report our findings as follows:

Based on performance of the procedures detailed above, we found the disclosures free from any material misrepresentation.

Because the above procedures do not constitute either an audit or a review made in accordance with International Standards on Auditing or International Standards on Review Engagements, we do not express any assurance on the disclosures.

Had we performed additional procedures or had we performed an audit or review of the disclosures in accordance with the International Standards on Auditing or International Standards on Review Engagements, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

Our report is solely for the purpose set forth in the first paragraph of this report and for your information and is not to be used for any other purpose. This report relates only to the accompanying disclosures to be included in the Bank's annual report for the year ended 31 December 2016 and does not extend to any financial statements of the Bank or its Islamic Window, taken as a whole or to any other reports of the Bank or its Islamic Window.

to young LLC

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1. Introduction

Bank Sohar SAOG (the head office) under an Islamic Banking License issued by the Central Bank of Oman (CBO) on 30 April 2013, carries out Islamic banking operations and other financial trading activities in accordance with Islamic Shari'a rules and regulations under the name of "Sohar Islamic" (the Window).

The following disclosures are being made in accordance with the Islamic Banking Regulatory Framework (IBRF) issued by Central Bank of Oman (CBO). These disclosures aim to provide market participants material qualitative and quantitative information about Sohar Islamic Window risk exposures, risk management strategies and processes of capital adequacy. The Window has not operated as a separate legal entity.

2. Subsidiaries and significant investments

Sohar Islamic is a wholly owned window of Bank Sohar.

3. Capital structure

As required under clauses 3.5.1.2 and 3.5.1.3 of Title 1, 'Licensing Requirements' of Islamic Banking Regulatory Framework (IBRF) issued by CBO, the head office assigned RO 17 million to the Window as assigned capital. As per IBRF windows has to keep minimum RO 10 million as assigned capital.

2015 USD'000	2016 USD'000		2016 RO'000	2015 RO'000
		Tier 1 capital		
31,169	44,156	Assigned capital	17,000	12,000
348	348	Legal reserve	134	134
2,566	2,566	General reserve	988	988
(2,566)	115	Accumulated Profit/losses	44	(988)
31,517	47,184	Total	18,166	12,134
		Tier 2 capital		
1,771	2,592	Impairment allowance on portfolio basis	998	682
1,771	2,592	Total	998	682
33,288	49,776	Total regulatory capital	19,164	12,816

4. Capital adequacy

The window's capital adequacy ratio, calculated according to guidelines set by the CBO guidelines. It stipulate that license should maintain a minimum capital adequacy ratio of 12%.

The Window's lead regulator, Central Bank of Oman, sets and monitors capital requirements for the Window as a whole.

As required under clauses 3.5.1.2 and 3.5.1.3 of Title 1, 'Licensing Requirements' of Islamic Banking Regulatory Framework (IBRF) issued by CBO, the head office has allocated RO 17 million to the Window as assigned capital.

The Bank has an Internal Capital Adequacy Assessment Process (ICAAP) through which senior management assesses the Bank's capital against its risk profile. Asset Liability Committee (ALCO) is the forum in which the capital adequacy is assessed, based on the next quarter's business forecast and the risk profile envisaged.

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4. Capital adequacy (continued)

Total an	d Tier 1 Capital Ratio, Risk Weighted Assets			RO'000
S. No.	Details	Gross Balances (Book Value)	Net Balances (Book Value)*	Risk Weighted Assets
1	On-balance sheet items	140,785	139,769	87,724
2	Off-balance sheet items	36,879	36,879	21,389
3	Derivatives			
4	Total for Credit Risk	-	-	109,113
5	Risk Weighted Asset for Market Risk	-	-	5,450
6	Risk Weighted Asset for Operations Risk			4,320
7	Total Risk Weighted Assets			118,883
8	Tier 1 Capital		18,166	
9	Tier 2 Capital		998	
10	Tier 3 Capital		-	
11	Total Regulatory Capital		19,164	
11.1	Capital requirement for credit risk			13,094
11.2	Capital requirement for market risk			654
11.3	Capital requirement for operational risk			518
12	Total required capital			14,266
13	Tier 1 Ratio			15.28%
14	Total Capital Ratio			16.12%

* Net of provisions

5. Disclosure for Investment Account Holders (IAH)

Investment account holder (depositors) engage in funding of window activities on a profit and loss-bearing basis as Rabb al-Mal (investor) under a Mudaraba contract. The underlying Mudaraba contract that governs the relationship between the account holders and the Licensee.

Window has only Unrestricted Investment account holders.

5.1 Unrestricted Investment Account holder

Equity of Investment account holder under Mudaraba, Mudaraba is a form of partnership in which two or more persons establish a business (Shirkat ul Aqd) for sharing in the profits, in an agreed proportion and one or more of the partner(s) contribute with their efforts while the other partner(s) provide the financial resources. The former is/ are called "Mudarib" and the latter "Rabbul Maal".

5.2 Rules and Structure of Mudaraba and sharia essentials

- 1. Mudaraba means an arrangement in which a person participates with his money (called Rabbul Maal) and another with his efforts (called Mudarib) for sharing in profit from investment of these funds in an agreed manner.
- 2. A Mudarib may be a natural person, a group of persons, or a legal entity and a corporate body.
- 3. Rabbul Maal shall provide his investment in money or species, other than receivables, at a mutually agreed valuation. Such investment shall be placed under the absolute disposal of the Mudarib.
- 4. The conduct of business of Mudaraba shall be carried out exclusively by the Mudarib within the framework of mandate given in the Mudaraba agreement.
- 5. The profit shall be divided in strict proportion agreed at the time of contract and no party shall be entitled to a predetermined amount of return or remuneration.
- 6. Financial losses of the Mudaraba shall be borne solely by the Rabbul Maal, unless it is proved that the Mudarib has been guilty of fraud, negligence or willful misconduct or has acted in contravention of the mandate.

5. Disclosure for Investment Account Holders (IAH) (continued)

5.3 Profit Distribution Mechanism between Shareholders & Depositors of Sohar Islamic under the Common Pool

This profit distribution mechanism sets out the Sharia-compliant mechanism for distribution of the Net ProfitShareholders Funds and Depositors Funds, combined together in the Common Pool will be called Joint Mudaraba capital ("Joint Mudaraba Capital").

Net profit will be calculated in accordance with the following formula:

N=G-(E+D+P)

Where:

'N' means Net Profit

'G' means Gross Profit

'E' means direct expenses in relation to the Activities ("Direct Expenses")

'D' means depreciation of the investment assets ("Investment Assets") in the Common Poolk

'P' means Provisions for bad and doubtful accounts

During the year no expense and provision has been allocated to the pool.

Unrestricted investment account holder accounts are monies invested by customers under Mudaraba to form a pool of funds. Investment accountholder's funds are commingled with the Banks's funds for investment, no priority is granted to any party for the purpose of investments and distribution of profits.

Net Profit will be allocated to the pool participants based on the weighted average balances.

Participation factor, Weights or profit sharing ratios are pre decided by the management of the bank and are intimated to the investors before start of the month. Weighted average balance is calculated at the end of the period by multiplying the participation factor with average balance for the period.

5.3.1 Modarba fee

Modarba fee will be deducted from allocated profit as per the pre-agreed ratio as approved by SSB which will be advised to customers through website or by posting in branches. Initially at the start up stage, it is being fixed as:

Bank-Upto 70%

Depositors - 30%

Bank can create reserves as allowed by Sharia and CBO for smoothing of returns to investors and risk management purposes. Two types of reserves allowed are Profit Equalization reserve (PER) and Investment Risk reserve (IRR).

5.3.2 Profit Equalisation Reserve (PER)

PER comprises amounts appropriated out of the gross income from the Mudaraba to be available for smoothing returns paid to the IAH and the shareholders, and consists of IAH portion and a shareholders portion. Window is not maintaining any reserves.

The basis for computing the amounts to be appropriated are applied in accordance with SSB directions.

5.3.3 Investment Risk Reserve (IRR)

This reserve is created out of the depositors' share of profit out of the Net Profit from the Common Pool. Purpose of the reserve is to offset the effect of future losses. The available balance in the reserve account shall be invested in the Common Pool and the profit earned by investing such balance will be added to the reserve account.

The basis for computing the amounts to be appropriated are applied in accordance with SSB directions.

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5. Disclosure for Investment Account Holders (IAH) (continued)

5.3 Profit Distribution Mechanism between Shareholders & Depositors of Sohar Islamic under the Common Pool (continued)

5.3.3 Investment Risk Reserve (IRR) (continued)

This is to secure suitable and competitive return to the depositors in case there are certain extra ordinary circumstances, depressing the return, which were anticipated by the depositors. The disposition of the reserve amount will take place with the prior approval of the SSB.

In case the balance in the reserve account is not sufficient to face the competition, the shareholders may grant part of their share of profit to the depositors with the approval of SSB.

5.3.4 Transfer to or from Profit Equalization reserve (PER)

Percentage to be approved by Bank management subject to internal sharia approval that should be appropriated by Bank out of the total common pool profit as per the policy of the bank before any distribution takes place, in order to ensure certain level of cushion for the Investment portfolio.

Any provisions that are required against the Islamic financing assets or investments will be provided in the books as per the Bank's policy which will be in adherence to the central bank revised provisioning policy.

The balance of the PER shall also be maintained as a current account.

5.3.5 Transfer to or from (IRR)

In case the rate of return to the depositors in a certain profit distribution period is substantially higher than the market rates, Bank's management may decide to deduct, after taking permission from the SSB, a portion of depositors' share of profit and transfer the same to the IRR.

In case the rate of return to the depositors in a certain profit distribution period is lower than the market, Banks's management may decide to compensate the depositors by transferring the required amount from the said reserve account to increase depositors' return.

5.3.6 Assignment of a portion of shareholders' profit to depositors

If required, the Bank may decide to allocate some portion from their own profit to a specific deposit category(s). This could be either due to increase in the rate of profit announced by other Islamic Financial Institutions / competitors or to encourage a specific category of depositors.

No Profit Equalisation reserve and investment risk reserve has been created during the year and no allocation has been made from shareholders.

Window has not charged any administrative expense to the pool.

5.4 Quantitative Disclosures

During the year profit calculated is distributed among the participation factor declared before each profit calculation period. During the year participation factor range applied and range of range of rate earned are as below:

Product	Participation factor	Average rate earned
Saving-OMR	16.5	1.42%
Saving-AED	7.22	0.60%
Saving-USD	7.22	0.57%
Term 6 Month	10.03	0.73%
Term 12 Months	18.06	1.39%
Term 3 Months	10.03	-

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5. Disclosure for Investment Account Holders (IAH) (continued)

5.4 Quantitative Disclosures (continued)

Close of the year the amount of unrestricted investment account holder with respective category was:

Product	Amount RO'000	% of total URIA
Saving-OMR	33,777	98.71%
Saving-USD	39	0.11%
Term 6 Month	44	0.13%
Term 12 Months	358	1.05%
TOTAL	34,218	100%

Term deposits are deposits can be withdrawn with no loss of capital subject to certain conditions.

Return on Assets & URIA:

				RO'000
	2016	2015	2014	2013
Income on Mudaraba Assets	1,630	1,130	542	134
Income distributed to URIA	400	175	63	9
Return on Average Modarba Assets	4.49%	4.72%	5.30%	5.35%
Return on Average URIA	1.31%	1.00%	1.05%	0.49%

Assets allocated to common pool are:

	RO'000			
OMR	Gross exposure	Provision	Net Exposure	
Ijarah muntahia bittamleek	28,965	286	28,679	
Istisna followed by Ijarah muntahia bittamleek	8,259	83	8,176	
Diminishing Musharka	2,897	29	2,868	
	40,121	398	39,723	

Ratio of Equity of unrestricted Investment account holder to jointly finance assets.

As of reporting date assets allocated to the pool has been financed 85.29% by Equity of unrestricted Investment accounts holder.

Window has earned gross return of 14.73% on average equity in pool assets during the year.

The bank does not have restriction on Investment in URIA pool except if any imposed by the CBO and limits set in banks's policy.

The window does not have any Restricted Investment Accounts.

6. Risk exposure and assessment

6.1 Management of risk in Bank Sohar - approach and policy

The risk management philosophy of window is to identify, capture, monitor and manage the various dimensions of risk with the objective of protecting asset values and income streams such that the interest of head office (and others to whom Sohar Islamic owes a liability) are safeguarded, while maximizing the returns intended to optimize head office return and maintaining its risk exposure within self-imposed parameters.

Sohar Islamic is offering to Corporate and SME customers in Phase One of its operations, products like Term Financing, Working Capital Financing, Short-term Financing, Corporate Deposits, Trade Finance, Cash Management Services and Treasury products. Based on assessment of respective credit risk, security of short-term assets, plant, machinery and real estate is taken to strengthen the quality of its exposure. Sohar Islamic is guided by CBO regulatory requirements to single maximum exposure and has further controls over exposure to senior management staff members or related parties.

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6. Risk exposure and assessment (continued)

6.1 Management of risk in Bank Sohar - approach and policy (continued)

Sohar Islamic approves credit through an Executive Credit Committee (ECC) appointed by the Board of Directors of Bank Sohar with specific delegated limits for exceptions' approvals by Head of Islamic Window.

In Consumer Finance, policy is guided by the objectives of granting finance on sound and collectible basis, investing funds for the benefit of shareholders and protection of depositors and to serve the legitimate needs of communities in line with Sharia' guidelines as approved by the Sharia' Supervisory Board.

Risk Management process is guided by risk diversification and avoidance of concentration of risk. Further, Business Risk Review is the mainstay of internal control of financing portfolio. Periodic Asset Quality Reviews, Sharia' Reviews, Process Reviews, Administrative and Documentation Reviews and Compliance Reviews are performed for both business and senior management.

Currently, Consumer Finance products are limited to Vehicle and House Financing only. Financing and advances are approved through Approval Matrix defining specific limits for designated officials and the Executive Credit Committee.

The Board of Directors of the parent Bank has the power to approve all policy issues relating to credit and risk. It has constituted the Credit Approval Committee (CAC) and granted the highest credit approving authority in the Bank up to the maximum regulatory limits.

6.2 Strategies, Processes and Internal Controls

Comprehensive Risk Management Policy Framework is approved by the Board of parent bank. These are also supported by appropriate limit structures. These policies provide an enterprise-wide integrated risk management framework in the Bank, which are also applicable to Sohar Islamic.

Sohar Islamic is exposed to various types of risk, such as market, credit, profit rate, liquidity and operational, all of which require comprehensive controls and ongoing oversight. The risk management framework summarizes the spirit behind Basel II, which includes management oversight and control, risk culture and ownership, risk recognition and assessment, control activities and segregation of duties, adequate information and communication channels, monitoring risk management activities and correcting deficiencies.

6.3 Credit risk

Sohar Islamic manages its credit risk exposure by evaluating each new product/activity with respect to the credit risk introduced by it. It has established a limit structure to avoid concentration of risks for counterparty, sector and geography.

31 December 2016	Murabaha receivables	ljarah muntahia bittamleek	Istisna followed by Ijarah muntahia bittamleek	Diminishing Musharka	Wakala placements & balance with banks	Debt type securities	Total
In (RO'000)							
Neither past due not impaired	6,338	41,691	20,116	22,532	14,220	10,024	114,921
Past due but not impaired	1475	3188	150	-	-	-	4,813
Past due and impaired	75	-	-	-	-	-	75
Total	7,888	44,879	20,266	22,532	14,220	10,024	119,809

Definitions of past due and impaired

The classification of credit exposures is considered by the Bank for identifying impaired credit facilities, as per CBO circular number BM 977 dated 25 September 2004.

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6. Risk exposure and assessment (continued)

6.3 Credit risk (continued)

6.3.1 Total gross crw edit risk exposures, plus average gross exposure over the period broken down by major types of credit exposure

							RO'000
		Average gross	exposure		Total gross e	xposure	
S. No.	Type of credit exposure	2016 RO'000	2015 RO'000	2016 RO'000	2016 %	2015 RO'000	2015 %
1	Murabaha receivables	6,743	9,873	8,030	7.53%	5,669	7.31%
2	ljarah muntahia bittamleek	42,025	72,383	45,324	42.52%	39,528	50.94%
3	Istisna followed by Ijarah muntahia bittamleek	12,578	5,589	20,470	19.20%	4,938	6.37%
4	Diminishing Musharka	19,886	8,708	22,760	21.35%	17,415	22.45%
5	Debt-type investments	10,026	4,576	10,024	9.40%	10,027	12.93%
	Total	91,258	101,129	106,608	100%	77,577	100%

Percentage of financing for each category of counterparty to gross financing

	201	.6	2015		
	RO'000	%	RO'000	%	
Corporate	56,915	59%	39,284	58%	
Retail	39,669	41%	28,266	42%	
Total	96,584	100%	67,550	100%	

6.3.2 Geographic distribution of exposures, broken down in significant areas by major type of credit exposure

								RO'000
S. No.	Type of credit exposure	Oman	Other GCC countries	OECD countries	India	Pakistan	Others	Total
1	Murabaha receivables	8,030	-	-	-	-	-	8,030
2	ljarah muntahia bittamleek	42,097	3,227	-	-	-	-	45,324
3	Istisna followed by Ijarah muntahia bittamleek	20,470	-	-	-	-	-	20,470
4	Diminishing Musharka	22,760						22,760
5	Debt-type investments	10,024	-	-	-	-	-	10,024
	Total	103,381	5,622	-	-	-	-	106,608

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6. Risk exposure and assessment (continued)

6.3 Credit risk (continued)

6.3.3 Industry or counter party type distribution of exposures, broken down by major types of Credit exposure

								RO '000
S. No.	Economic sector	Murabaha receivables	ljarah muntahia bittamleek	Istisna followed by Ijarah muntahia bittamleek	Diminishing Musharka	Debt-type investments	Total	Off- balance sheet exposure
1	Import trade	13	-	-	808	-	821	-
2	Construction	1,466	14,233	12,016	17,799	8,378	53,892	13,686
3	Service	1,591	1,850	43	4,153	-	7,637	2,750
4	Others	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Personal financing	4,960	26,014	8,411	-	-	39,385	-
6	Government	-	-	-	-	1,646	1,646	-
7	Non-resident	-	3,227	-	-	-	3,227	-
	Total	8,030	45,324	20,470	22,760	10,024	106,608	16,436

6.3.4 Residual contractual maturity breakdown of the whole portfolio, broken down by major types of credit exposures

				Istisna				RO '000
S. No.	Time band	Murabaha receivables	ljarah muntahia bittamleek	followed by Ijarah muntahia bittamleek	Diminishing Musharka	Debt-type investments	Total	Off- balance sheet exposure
1	upto 1 month	187	1,351	36	82	-	1,656	2,624
2	1 - 3 months	312	333	74	427	-	1,146	6,364
3	3 - 6 months	583	1,101	116	332	-	2,132	4,126
4	6 - 9 months	422	713	153	860	-	2,148	516
5	9 - 12 months	630	1,234	180	765	-	2,809	1,370
6	1 - 3 years	3,509	7,980	1,972	5,681	8,378	27,520	1,436
7	3 - 5 years	1,651	5,655	2,466	6,032	1,646	17,450	-
8	Over 5 years	736	26,957	15,473	8,581	-	51,747	-
9	Total	8,030	45,324	20,470	22,760	10,024	106,608	16,436

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6. Risk exposure and assessment (continued)

6.3 Credit risk (continued)

6.3.5 Amount of impaired financing and advancess and, if available, past due financing and advances provided separately broken down by significant geographic areas including, if practical, the amounts of specific and general allowances related to each geographical area

				Dravisia				RO'000
S. No.	Countries	Gross financing	NPLs	General	ons held Specific	Reserve Profit	Provision made during the year	written off
1	Oman	93,357	75	966	19	2	985	-
2	Other GCC	3,227	-	32	-	-	-	-
		96,584	75	998	19	2	985	-

6.3.6 Movements of gross financing and advances

						RO'000
Details	Standard	S.M	Sub- standard	Doubtful	Loss	Total
Opening Balance	67,588	44	35	0	-	67,667
Migration / changes (+ / -)	(1,057)	1,018	39	-	-	-
New financing	30,638	-	-	-	-	30,638
Recovery of financing	(1,721)	-	-	-	-	(1,721)
Financing and advances written off	-	-	-	-	-	-
Closing Balance	95,448	1,062	74	-	-	96,584
Provisions held	998	-	19	-	-	1,017
Reserve Profit	-	-	2	-	-	2

6.3.7 Credit risk: Disclosures for portfolios subject to the standardised approach

6.3.7.1 Qualitative disclosures: For portfolios under standardised approach

The window is following standardised approach in assessing regulatory capital for credit risk. For sovereign risk, zero risk weight is applied, as permitted under this approach, whereas for exposures on banks, the risk weight applied depends on the rating of the banks by Eligible Credit Assessment Institution (ECAI) approved by CBO like, Moody's Standard & Poor, Fitch and Capital Intelligence, subject to the respective country rating. In the absence of external ratings for most of the corporate, the Bank treats them as unrated and applies 100% risk weight on their funded exposures. On the off-balance sheet exposures, the relevant credit conversion factors are applied and aggregated to banks or the corporate, as the case may be, and then the risk weight is applied as stated above. Unavailed or yet to be disbursed exposures are taken under commitments and risk weights assigned as permitted by the IBRF.

6.3.7.2 Quantitative disclosures

The window is following a uniform approach of considering all corporates as unrated and applying 100% risk weights.

6.3.7.3 Credit risk mitigation: Disclosure for standardised approach

The window does not make use of netting whether on or off-balance sheet.

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6. Risk exposure and assessment (continued)

6.4 Profit rate risk in banking book

Profit rate risk is the potential impact of the mismatch between the rate of return on assets and the expected rate of funding due to the sources of finance. Senior management identifies the sources of profit rate risk exposures based upon the current as well as forecasted balance sheet structure of Window. The profit rate risk in the Window may arise due to the following transactions:

- Murabaha transactions;
- Wakala transactions;
- Ijara Muntahia Bittamleek;
- Diminishing Musharka;
- Sukuk; and
- Musharaka investments.

Window management believe that the Window is not exposed to material profit rate risk as a result of mismatches of profit rate re-pricing of assets, liabilities and equity of investment account holders as the re-pricing of assets, liabilities and equity of investment account holders occur at similar intervals. The profit distribution to equity of investment account holders is based on profit sharing agreements. Therefore, Window is not subject to any significant profit rate risk.

6.4.1 Sources of Profit Rate Risk

The different profit rate risks faced by the Window can be classified broadly into the following categories.

- Re-pricing risk which arises from timing differences in the maturity (for fixed rate) and re-pricing (for floating rate) of assets, liabilities and off balance sheet positions. As profit rates vary, these re-pricing mismatches expose Window's income and underlying economic value to unanticipated fluctuations;
- Yield curve risk which arises when unanticipated shifts of the yield curve have adverse effects on Window's income and/or underlying economic value;
- Basis risk which arises from imperfect correlation in the adjustment in the rate earned on products priced and the rate paid on different instruments with otherwise similar re-pricing characteristics. When profit rates change, these differences can give rise to unexpected changes in the cash flows and earnings spread between assets, liabilities, and off balance sheet instruments of similar maturities or re-pricing frequencies; and
- Displaced Commercial Risk refers to the market pressure to pay returns that exceeds the rate that has been earned on the assets financed by the liabilities, when the return on assets is under performing as compared to competitor's rates.

6.4.2 Profit rate risk strategy

Profit rate risk arises from the possibility that changes in profit rates will affect future profitability or the fair values of financial instruments. The window is exposed to profit rate risk as a result of mismatches or gaps in the amounts of assets and liabilities and off-balance sheet instruments that mature or re-price in a given period. The window manages this risk through risk management strategies.

The effective profit rate (effective yield) of a monetary financial instrument is the rate that, when used in a present value calculation, results in the carrying amount of the instrument. The rate is a historical rate for a fixed rate instrument carried at amortised cost and a current rate for a floating rate instrument or an instrument carried at fair value.

6.4.3 Profit rate risk measurement tools

Window uses the following tools for profit rate risk measurement in its book:

- Re-pricing gap analysis which measures the arithmetic difference between the profit-sensitive assets and liabilities of Window book in absolute terms; and
- Basis Point Value ("BPV") analysis which is the sensitivity measure for all profit rate priced products and positions. The BPV is the change in net present value of a position arising from a 1 basis point shift in the yield curve. This quantifies the sensitivity of the position or portfolio to changes in profit rates.

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6. Risk exposure and assessment (continued)

6.4 Profit rate risk in banking book (continued)

6.4.4 Profit rate risk monitoring and reporting

Window has implemented information systems for monitoring, controlling and reporting profit rate risk. Reports are provided on a timely basis to Executive Committee and the Board of Directors of the head office.

6.4.5 Exposure to profit rate risk – non trading portfolios

The Window's profit sensitivity position based on contractual re-pricing arrangements at 31 December 2016 was as follows:

31 December 2016	Effective annual Profit Rate %	Within three months RO'000	Four months to 12 months RO'000	Over one year RO'000	Non sensitive to profit rate RO'000
Assets					
Cash and balances with central banks	-	-	-	-	17,110
Due from banks and financial institutions	0.38	13,850	-	-	370
Murabaha receivables	5.30	498	1,636	5,754	-
ljarah muntahia bittamleek	4.42	1,684	3,049	40,146	-
Istisna followed by Ijarah muntahia bittamleek	5.43	110	449	19,707	-
Diminishing Musharka	5.60	509	1,957	20,066	-
Investment securities	4.64	-	-	10,024	-
Fixed assets		-	-	-	1,294
Other assets		-	-	-	1,556
Total assets		16,651	7,091	95,697	20,330
Liabilities and equity					
Wakala deposits	3.60	42,946	11,950	18,246	-
Customer current accounts		-	-	-	13,050
Other liabilities		-	-	-	1,193
Total liabilities		42,946	11,950	18,246	14,243
Equity of Investment Account Holders	1.73	11,240	-	22,978	-
Total liabilities and equity of Unrestricted Investment Account (URIA)		54,186	11,950	41,224	14,243
Total profit rate sensitivity gap		(37,535)	(4,859)	54,473	6,087
Cumulative profit rate sensitivity gap		(37,535)	(42,394)	12,079	18,166

6.5 Liquidity risk

The Window's approach to managing liquidity is to ensure, as far as possible, that it will always have sufficient liquidity to meet its liabilities when due, under both normal and stressed conditions without incurring unacceptable losses or risking damage to the Bank Sohar SAOG's reputation.

Central treasury receives information from other business units regarding the liquidity profile of their financial assets and liabilities and details of other projected cash flows arising from projected future business. Central treasury then maintains a portfolio of short-term liquid assets, largely made up of short-term liquid investment securities, financing and advancess and advances to banks and other inter-bank facilities, to ensure that sufficient liquidity is maintained within the Bank as a whole. The liquidity requirements of business units are met through short-term financing and advancess from central treasury to cover any short-term fluctuations and longer term funding to address any structural liquidity requirements. The Bank has also laid down a comprehensive liquidity contingency plan for effective management of liquidity. In this process due care is taken to ensure that the Window complies with all the CBO regulations.

All liquidity policies and procedures are subject to review and approved by Asset Liabilities Committee (ALCO). Computation of liquidity gap on maturity of assets and liabilities is provided. The computation has been prepared in accordance with guidelines provided in Circular BM 955 dated 7 May 2003.

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2016 (continued)

6. Risk exposure and assessment (continued)

6.5 Liquidity risk (continued)

6.5.1 Exposure to liquidity risk

The lending ratio, which is the ratio of the total financings and advances to customer deposits and capital, is monitored on a daily basis in line with the regulatory guidelines. Internally the lending ratio is set at a more conservative basis than required by regulation. The Window also manages its liquidity risk on regular basis and by monitoring the liquid ratio which is a ratio of net liquid assets to total assets on a monthly basis. For this purpose net liquid assets are considered as including cash and cash equivalents and investment grade debt securities for which there is an active and liquid market.

Details of the reported lending and liquid ratio as at 31 December 2016 were as follows:

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	Lending ratio	Liquid ratio
Average for the year	82.78%	17.41%
Maximum for the year	85.15%	29.24%
Minimum for the year	77.06%	5.74%

The table below summarises the maturity profile of the Window's liabilities as on the reporting date based on contractual repayment arrangements. The contractual maturities of assets and liabilities have been determined on the basis of the remaining period at the statement of financial position date to the contractual maturity date and do not take account of the effective maturities as indicated by the Window's deposit retention history and the availability of liquid funds.

2016	Carrying amount RO'000		Four months to 12 months RO'000	One to three years RO'000	More than three years RO'000	Total RO'000
Wakala deposits	73,142	22,001	-	-	53,030	75,031
Customer deposit and other accounts	13,050	13,050	7,254	1,942	-	22,246
Other liabilities	1,193	1,193	-	-	-	1,193
Other liabilities	87,385	36,244	7,254	1,942	53,030	98,470
Equity of Investment account holders	34,218	33,819	-	-	401	34,220
	121,603	70,063	7,254	1,942	53,431	132,690

The Window prepares a liquidity gap report to monitor the Window's short term liquidity position on the Rial denominated assets and liabilities in a time horizon spanning one month. The gap is adjusted for availability of instruments for repo or refinance and also for unavailed committed lines of credit, if any. This statement of short term liquidity is to be reported to the ALCO every month.

Windows exposure to profit rate risk has been further elaborated in Annexure 1 and 2.

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2016 (continued)

6. Risk exposure and assessment (continued)

6.6 Market risk

Market risk is the exposure to loss resulting from the changes in the profit rates, foreign currency exchange rates and commodity prices. The objective of market risk management is to manage and control market risk exposures within acceptable parameters, while optimising the return to risk.

Market risk is relevant to banking book and trading book but its measurement and management might differ in each book.

Sohar Islamic proactively measures and monitors the market risk in its portfolio using appropriate measurement techniques such as limits on its foreign exchange open positions although they are insignificant.

6.6.1 Market risk in trading book

Market risk incorporates a range of risks, but the principal elements are Profit rate risk and foreign exchange risk.

Treasury business is conducted within approved market risk limits. It is Treasurer's responsibility to ensure that an appropriate market risk limits structure is available at all times to govern the business.

Limits are set for:

- foreign exchange risk
- rate of return risk
- approved dealing products
- approved dealing currencies
- maximum tenor

The Assets and Liability Committee (ALCO) conducts periodical meetings to discuss the mismatches in assets and liabilities and assesses the profit rate risk, foreign exchange risk and liquidity risk that Sohar Islamic is exposed to, so as to take steps to manage such risks. With the guidance of ALCO, the Bank's treasury manages profit rate and foreign exchange risks, adhering to the policy guidelines, which stipulate appropriate limits.

The capital charge for the applicable market risk is furnished below:

	RO'000
Profit rate position risk	-
Equity position risk	-
Foreign exchange risk	436
Commodity risk	-

6.6.2 Currency risk

Currency risk is the risk that the value of a financial instrument will fluctuate due to changes in foreign exchange rates. The Board has set limits on the overall open position and for open position for each currency. The open position limits include overnight open position and intraday open position. Open positions are monitored on a daily basis and hedging strategies used to ensure positions are maintained within established limits.

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2016 (continued)

6. Risk exposure and assessment (continued)

6.7 Operational risk

Operational risk is defined as the risk of direct or indirect loss resulting from inadequate or failed internal processes, people and systems or from external events. Operational risk arises due to variety of causes associated with the Window's processes, personnel, technology and infrastructure and from external events and to include risks other than credit, market and liquidity risks.

Window has adopted same policies and procedures to mitigate operational risk as those of the head office. Advantages of head office processes and infrastructure are obtained in compliance with IBRF. Policies on following processes are also similar to that of the head office:

- Track loss events and potential exposures;
- Reporting of losses, indicators and scenarios on a regular basis; and
- Review the reports jointly by risk and line managers;

In addition to the above, Window has a dedicated Sharia' compliance officer responsible to ensure compliance with IBRF, Sharia' guidelines and other applicable laws and regulations.

6.8 Displaced Commercial Risk

Displaced commercial risk ("DCR") refers to the magnitude of risks that are transferred to shareholders in order to cushion the Investment Account Holder ("IAH") from bearing some or all of the risks to which they are contractually exposed in Mudaraba contracts.

Under a Mudaraba (profit sharing and loss-bearing) contract, unrestricted IAH are exposed to aggregate impact of risks arising from the assets in which their funds are invested, but this is managed by Sohar Islamic Window through DCR.

This risk-sharing is achieved by constituting and using various reserves such as PER, and by adjusting the Sohar Islamic Window's profit share in order to smooth the returns payable to the IAH from exposure to the volatility of aggregate returns arising from banking risks, and thereby to enable payment of returns that are competitive in the marketplace. PER has been discussed above in detail.

Sohar Islamic Window manages its displaced commercial risk as outlined in its Profit Distribution Policy. The Window foregoes its fee in case displaced commercial risk arises. The Window manages profit rates with other Islamic Windows and full-fledged Islamic / Conventional Banks operating in Oman.

During the year the Bank has on average charged fee of 22.62% of income generated by the assets allocated to the pool.

The window has not created any reserves so no analysis is presented for the same.

6.9 Contract Specific Risk

In each type of Islamic Financing asset is exposed to a varying mix of credit and market risk and accordingly capital is required to be allocated for such risk exposures.

As of reporting date financing assets only carries credit risk and accordingly capital is allocated as per the required regulations by CBO. The current product mix does not change the nature of risk according to the stage of contract.

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2016 (continued)

6. Risk exposure and assessment (continued)

6.9 Contract Specific Risk (continued)

Disclosure of Capital Requirements according to different risk categories for each Shari'a compliant financing contract.

		(RO' 000)
	Risk weighted Assets	Capital Requirements
Murabaha receivables	7,650	918
ljarah muntahia bittamleek	28,276	3,393
Istisna followed by Ijarah muntahia bittamleek	15,059	1,807
Diminishing Musharaka	22,759	2,731
Placements with banks	3,125	375
Investments	8,309	997
Others	2,542	305
Off Balance sheet	21,393	2,567
	109,113	13,093

The net exposure after risk mitigation subject to Standardized approach is as follows:

		(RO' 000)
	Exposure	RWAs - Standardized Approach
Sovereign		
carrying 0%	18,745	-
Banks		
carrying 20%	13,850	2,770
carrying 50%	705	353
Corporate		
carrying 75%	3,262	2,446
Unrated 100%	12,105	12,105
Retail		
carrying 100%	6,862	6,862
Claims secured by residential property		
carrying 35%	33,873	11,856
Claims secured by commercial property		
carrying 100%	48,715	48,716
Non-Performing Loans		
carrying 100%	54	54
Other Assets		
carrying 100%	2,563	2,563
Total On Balance Sheet	140,734	87,725
Off-balance Sheet Items		
carrying 50%	23,624	11,803
carrying 100%	14,822	9,586
	38,446	21,389
Total Banking Book	179,180	109,113

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2016 (continued)

7. Sharia Governance

A Shari'a governance framework has been implemented in the Window whose main objective of is to ensure sharia compliance at all the times. The key elements of sharia governance framework of the Window are as follows:

- i. Shari'a Supervisory Board (SSB)
- ii. Internal Reviewer who has the overall responsibility to undertake and monitor Shari'a Compliance, Shari'a Audit and training functions in accordance with IBRF.

Compliance with Shari'a (as manifested by the guidelines and Fatawa issued by the SSB) and as stipulated in IBRF is mandatory and is being done through review and approval of the contracts, agreements, policies, procedures, products, reports (profit distribution calculations), etc.

The Window ensures that the operations of the Islamic Banking Window are conducted in Shari'a compliance and controlled manner by following policies and procedures:

- a) An appropriate Shari'a governance framework in compliance with IBRF, AAOIFI governance standards and guidelines and directives issued by SSB is maintained;
- b) Key duties and functions are segregated. An independent executive is designated with the responsibility for Shari'a compliance and audit;
- c) Policies and procedures manuals and documentation in relation to our products, operations, compliance, trainings, and internal controls are maintained and available to relevant staff;
- d) Shari'a audit reports are submitted to the SSB in line with the agreed annual plan.
- e) Window cannot place funds with conventional bank including Bank Sohar.
- f) Islamic Banking Window assets are kept separate and distinct from conventional assets;
- g) The Window management ensures that staff for certain key functions reporting to their respective department heads with dotted line reporting to the Head of The Window.
- h) The Window has dedicated staff for business functions, such as consumer, corporate, treasury, etc. and the staff reports to the Head of Islamic Banking.
- i) The core banking system adopted by The Window is capable of recognizing the unique nature of Islamic Banking contracts, transactions and processes.

Shari'a audits are conducted on quarterly basis in accordance with IBRF and submitted to SSB for its review and guidance. SSB has issued its annual report for 2016 on Shari'a compliance of the window and did not report any violations and did not direct any amount to Charity Account.

Internal Shari'a Reviewer oversees the Shari'a training plans and schedule for the Licensee. During the year 2016 training programs were conducted for the staff.

Remuneration to SSB

	RO'000
Shari'a Supervisory Board's sitting fees and remuneration and other costs	52

Shari'a Supervisory Board's meetings and attendance

Name of Sharia Board Members	7 April-16	23 Jun-16	02 Oct-16	18 Dec-16	No. of Meetings Attended
Dr. Hussain Hamed Hassan	\checkmark	-	-	\checkmark	2
Dr.Mudassir Siddiqui	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	4
Sheikh Azzan bin Nasir Farfoor Al Amri	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	4
Sheikh Fahad Mohamed Hilal Al Khalili	-	-	1	1	2

STATUTORY DISCLOSURES UNDER BASEL II FRAMEWORK AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2016 (continued) (ISLAMIC BANKING WINDOW OF BANK SOHAR SAOG) SOHAR ISLAMIC

Statement on Sensitivity of Assets and Liabilities (SAL)

Annexure 1

																RO'000
No.	Assets and OBS	Upto 1 month	1-3 3-6 months months		6-12 months	1-2 years	2-3 years	3-4 years	4-5 years	5-7 years	7-10 years	10-15 years	15-20 years	over 20 years	Non Sensitive	Total
	Cash on Hand	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	691	691
	Deposits with CBO	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	16,419	16,419
	Balances due from HO	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	338	338
	Due from Other Banks	13,850	I	1	I	1	T	I	I	I	I	I	T	I	367	14,217
	Investments	I	I	I	I	8,307	T	1,636	I	I	I	I	T	I	3	9,946
	Financing and Advances	25,959	8,467	17,484	20,532	18,878	1,578	1,132	806	714	498	84	103	274	I	96,508
	Non-Performing Financing and advances	I	I	T	1	1	1	55	I	I	I	I	1	ı.	T	55
	Fixed Assets	I	1	1	I	1	1		I	1	I	I	1	1	1,293	1,293
	Accrued Profit	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	T	332	332
	Other Assets	I	I	ı	I	ı	I	ı	I	ı	ı	ı	ı	ı	967	967
	Total	39,809	8,467	17,484	20,532	27,185	1,578	2,823	806	714	498	84	103	274	20,410	140,767
	Liabilities and OBS															
	Demand Deposits	0	T	T	1	I	I	I	I	T	I	T	T	T	30,375	30,375
	Saving Deposits	11,240	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	11,240
	Time Deposits	13,922	7,024	6,910	5,040	13,882	1,000	I	3,003	I	I	I	I	I	I	50,782
	Other Deposits	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	5,253	5,253
	Balances due to HO	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	T	163	163
	Balances due to Other Banks	22,000	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	22,000
	Profit Payable	778	I	I	1	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	1	778
	Provisions & other Liabilities	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	1,011	1,011
	Capital	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	17,000	17,000
	Reserves	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	2,119	2,119
	Retained Earnings	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	45	45
	Total	47,941	7,024	6,910	5,040	13,882	1,000	ı	3,003	I	I	I	I	I	55,966	140,766
	Gap	(8,132)	1,443	10,574	15,492	13,302	578	2,823	(2,197)	714	498	84	103	274	(35,556)	0
	Cumulative Gap	(8,132)	(6,689)	3,885	19,377	32,679	33,257	36,080	33,883	34,597	35,094	35,179	35,282	35,556	0	

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Exposure to interest rate risk – Annexure 2

	2016 RO'000
Net Profit Income	2,688
Capital	18,502
Based on 50 bps Profit rate shock	
Impact of 50 bps profit rate shock	19.46
Impact as % to Net profit	0.72
Impact as % to CAPITAL	0.11%
Based on 100 bps Profit rate shock	
Impact of 100 bps profit rate shock	38.92
Impact as % to Net profit	1.45
Impact as % to CAPITAL	0.21
Based on 200 bps Profit rate shock	
Impact of 200 bps profit rate shock	77.84
Impact as % to Net loss	2.90
Impact as % to CAPITAL	0.42

STATUTORY DISCLOSURES UNDER BASEL II FRAMEWORK AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2016 (continued) SOHAR ISLAMIC (ISLAMIC BANKING WINDOW OF BANK SOHAR SAOG)

Statement on Maturity of Assets and Liabilities (MAL)

Annexure 3

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		Upto 1	1-3	3-6	6-9	9-12			over 5	
No.	No. Inflows (Assets and OBS)	month	months	months	months	months	1-3 years	3-5 years	years	Total
-	Cash on Hand	691								691
2	Deposits with CBO	13,483	576	434	152	522	582	97	573	16,419
М	Balances due from HO/Affiliates/Branches	338	I	ı.	,	T	I	I	T	338
4	Balances due from Other Banks	14,217	I	I	I	I	I	I	I	14,217
S	Investments	1,768	1,768	1,768	I	I	3,005	1,638	I	9,945
9	Loans and Advances	1,648	1,143	2,128	2,144	2,805	19,105	15,789	51,745	96,508
\sim	Non-Performing Loans	I	I	ı	ı	14	I	I	41	55
00	Fixed Assets								1,293	1,293
6	Accrued Interest	332								332
10	Other Assets	967								967
11	Spot and Forward Purchases	29,645	69,984	23,100	9,625	20,405	1,155	I	I	153,914
12	Committed Lines of Credit	20,000								20,000
13	Letters of Credit/Guarantees/Acceptances	0	35	106	126	30	6	I	4	309
14	Unutilized portion of Overdraft and Loans & Advances	867	67	645	3,538	583	12,017	1,363	1,363	20,443
	Total	83,955	73,572	28,181	15,584	24,358	35,873	18,888	55,019	335,431

STATUTORY DISCLOSURES UNDER BASEL II FRAMEWORK AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2016 (continued) SOHAR ISLAMIC (ISLAMIC BANKING WINDOW OF BANK SOHAR SAOG)

Statement on Maturity of Assets and Liabilities (MAL)

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		Upto 1	1-3	3-6	6-9	9-12			over 5	
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\leftarrow	Current Deposits	6,075	6,075	4,556	3,037	3,037	I	I	7,594	30,375
2	Saving Deposits	561	562	562	562	562	2,810	2,810	2,810	11,240
М	Time Deposits	935	10,010	7,427	783	11,472	14,018	I	6,137	50,781
4	Other Deposits	1,210	1,912	2,082	9	37	3	I	2	5,253
ŝ	Balances due from HO/Affiliates/Branches	163	I	T	T	T	T	I	I	163
9	Balances due to Other Banks	22,000	I	I	ı	I	I	I	ı	22,000
$ \succ $	Interest Payable	778								778
8	Other Liabilities	1,011								1,011
6	Spot and Forward Sales	29,645	69,984	23,100	9,625	20,405	1,155	I	I	153,914
10	Letters of Credit/Guarantees/Acceptances	37	153	98	14	2	Ð	I	I	309
11	Committed Lines of Credit	I	I	I	I	I	20,000	I	I	20,000
12	Unutilized portion of Overdraft and Loans and Advances	4,736	2,017	2,906	3,330	2,206	3,351	533	1,363	20,443
13	Capital								17,000	17,000
14	Reserves								2,119	2,119
15	Retained Earnings								45	45
	Total	67,152	90,713	40,730	17,358	37,721	41,343	3,343	37,070	335,431
	Cumulative Liabilities	67,152	157,864	198,595	215,953	253,674	295,017	298,361	335,431	
	Gap	16,803	(17,140)	(12,549)	(1,774)	(13,363)	(5,470)	15,544	17,949	
	Cumulative Gap	16,803	(337)	(12,886)	(14,660)	(28,024)	(33,493)	(17,949)	0	
	Cumulative Gap as a percentage of Cumulative liabilities	25.02	(0.21)	(6.49)	(6.79)	(11.05)	(11.35)	(6.02)	00.0	

RECONCILIATION TEMPLATE - AS OF Dec '2016

Step 1:

		RO'000
	Balance sheet as in published financial statements As at Dec'16	Under regulatory scope of consolidation As at Dec'16
Assets		
Cash and balances with Central Bank of Oman	17,110	17,110
Certificates of deposit	-	-
Due from banks	14,220	14,220
Financing and advances	95,565	95,565
Investments in securities	10,024	10,024
Loans and advances to banks	-	-
Property and equipment	1,294	1,294
Deferred tax assets	-	-
Other assets	1,556	1,556
Total assets	139,769	139,769
Liabilities		
Due to banks	22,001	22,001
Customer deposits	98,409	98,409
Current and deferred tax liabilities	-	-
Other liabilities	1,193	1,193
Subordinated Debts		-
Compulsory Convertible bonds		-
Total liabilities	121,603	121,603
Shareholders' Equity		
Paid-up share capital	17,000	17,000
Share premium	-	-
Legal reserve	134	134
General reserve	988	988
Retained earnings*	44	44
Cumulative changes in fair value of investments	-	-
Subordinated debt reserve	-	-
Total shareholders' equity	18,166	18,166
Total liability and shareholders' funds	139,769	139,769

* As per IAS 10, Proposed cash dividend of 5% of OMR 8.023 Million is included in retained earnings in the financial statements.

** Proposed cash dividend of OMR 8.023 Million included in Other liabilities for regulatory scope of consolidation.

RECONCILIATION TEMPLATE - AS OF Dec '2016 (continued)

Step 2:

			RO'000
	"Balance sheet as in published financial statements" As at Dec'16	"Under regulatory scope of consolidation" As at Dec'16	Reference
Assets			
Cash and balances with CBO	17,110	17,110	
Balance with banks and money at call and short notice	14,220	14,220	
Investments:	10,024	10,024	
Of which Held to Maturity	1,646	1,646	
Out of investments in Held to Maturity:			
Investments in subsidiaries	NA	NA	
Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures	NA	NA	
Of which Available for Sale	NA	NA	
Out of investments in Available for Sale: Investments in Subsidiaries	NA	NA	
Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures	NA	NA	
Held for Trading	5,346	5,346	
Loans and advances	95,565	95,565	
Of which:			
Loans and advances to domestic banks	-	-	
Loans and advances to non-resident banks		-	
Loans and advances to domestic customers	92,343	92,343	
Loans and advances to non-resident Customers for domestic operations		-	
Loans and advances to non-resident Customers for operations abroad	5,622	5,622	
Loans and advances to SMEs	3,222	3,222	
Financing from Islamic banking window	-	-	
Fixed assets	1,294	1,294	
Other assets of which:	1,556	1,556	
Goodwill and intangible assets Out of which:			
goodwill	-	-	
Other intangibles (excluding MSRs)			
Deferred tax assets	-	-	
Goodwill on consolidation	-	-	
Debit balance in Profit & Loss account			
Total Assets	139,769	139,769	

RECONCILIATION TEMPLATE - AS OF Dec '2016 (continued)

Step 2: (continued)

	Balance sheet	Under regulatory	RO'000
	as in published financial statements As at Dec'16	scope of consolidation As at Dec'16	Reference
Capital & Liabilities			
Paid-up Capital	17,000	17,000	
Of which:			
Amount eligible for CET1	17,000	17,000	
Amount eligible for AT1	-	-	
Reserves & Surplus	1,166	1,166	
Out of which			
Retained earnings	44	44	
Other Reserves	1,122	1,122	
Cumulative changes in fair value of investments	-	-	
Out of which:			
Losses from fair value of investments	NA	NA	а
Gains from fair value of investments	NA	NA	
Haircut of 55% on Gains	NA	NA	
Total Capital	18,166	18,166	
Deposits:	98,409	98,409	
Of which:			
Deposits from banks	-	-	
Customer deposits	98,409	98,409	
Deposits of Islamic Banking window			
Other deposits (please specify) Wakala deposits	37,786	37,786	
Borrowings	22,001	22,001	
Of which: From CBO	-	-	
From banks	22,001	22,001	
From other institutions & agencies	-	-	
Borrowings in the form of bonds, Debentures and sukuks	-	-	
Others (Subordinated debt)	-	-	
Other liabilities & provisions Of which:	1,193	1,193	
Out of which : DTAs related to Investments			
Out of which : DTLs related to Investments			b
Out of which : DTLs related to Fixed Assets		-	
DTLs related to goodwill	-	-	
DTLs related to intangible assets	-	-	
TOTAL	139,769	139,769	

RECONCILIATION TEMPLATE - AS OF Dec '2016 (continued)

Step 3:

Com			RO'000
Com	mon Equity Tier 1 capital: instruments and reserves	Component of regulatory capital reported by bank	Source based on reference numbers/letters of the balance sheet under the regulatory scope of consolidation from step 2
1	Directly issued qualifying common share (and equivalent for non-joint stock companies) capital plus related stock surplus	17,000	
2	Retained earnings	44	
3	Accumulated other comprehensive income (and other reserves)	1,122	
4	Directly issued capital subject to phase out from CET1 (only applicable to non-joint stock companies)	-	
5	Common share capital issued by subsidiaries and held by third parties (amount allowed in group CET1)	-	
6	Common Equity Tier 1 capital before regulatory adjustments	18,166	
7	Prudential valuation adjustments	-	
8	Goodwill (net of related tax liability)	-	
9	Losses from fair value of investments	NA	a
10	DTL related to Investments	-	b
11	Common Equity Tier 1 capital (CET1)	18,166	

BASEL III COMMON DISCLOSURE TEMPLATE - DEC 2016 AFTER DECLARATION OF DIVIDEND

	IDEND		RO'000
	Basel III common disclosure template to be used during the transition of regulatory adjustments		Amounts Subject To Pre-Basel III Treatment
	Common Equity Tier 1 capital: instruments and reserves		
1	Directly issued qualifying common share capital (and equivalent for non-joint stock companies) plus related stock surplus	17,000	
2	Retained earnings	(618)	
3	Accumulated other comprehensive income (and other reserves)	1,122	
4	Directly issued capital subject to phase out from CET1 (only applicable to non-joint stock companies)	-	
	Public sector capital injections grandfathered until 1 January 2018	-	
5	Common share capital issued by subsidiaries and held by third parties (amount allowed in group CET1)	-	-
6	Common Equity Tier 1 capital before regulatory adjustments	17,504	
	Common Equity Tier 1 capital: regulatory adjustments		
7	Prudential valuation adjustments	-	-
8	Goodwill (net of related tax liability)	-	-
9	Other intangibles other than mortgage-servicing rights (net of related tax liability)	-	-
10	Deferred tax assets that rely on future profitability excluding those arising from temporary differences (net of related tax liability)	-	-
11	Cash-flow hedge reserve	-	-
12	Shortfall of provisions to expected losses	-	-
13	Securitisation gain on sale (as set out in paragraph 14.9 of CP-1)	-	-
14	Gains and losses due to changes in own credit risk on fair valued liabilities.	-	-
15	Defined-benefit pension fund net assets	-	-
16	Investments in own shares (if not already netted off paid-in capital on reported balance sheet)	-	-
17	Reciprocal cross-holdings in common equity	-	-
18	Investments in the capital of banking, financial, insurance and takaful entities that are outside the scope of regulatory consolidation, net of eligible short positions, where the bank does not own more than 10% of the issued share capital (amount above 10% threshold)	-	-
19	Significant investments in the common stock of banking, financial, insurance and takaful entities that are outside the scope of regulatory consolidation, net of eligible short positions (amount above 10% threshold)	-	-
20	Mortgage Servicing rights (amount above 10% threshold)	-	-
21	Deferred tax assets arising from temporary differences (amount above 10% threshold, net of related tax liability)	-	-
22	Amount exceeding the 15% threshold	-	-
23	of which: significant investments in the common stock of financials	-	-
24	of which: mortgage servicing rights	-	-
25	of which: deferred tax assets arising from temporary differences	-	-
26	National specific regulatory adjustments REGULATORY ADJUSTMENTS APPLIED TO COMMON EQUITY TIER 1 IN RESPECT OF AMOUNTS SUBJECT TO PRE-BASEL III TREATMENT Of which: [INSERT NAME OF ADJUSTMENT] Of which: [INSERT NAME OF ADJUSTMENT]	-	-
	Of which: [INSERT NAME OF ADJUSTMENT]	-	-
27	Regulatory adjustments applied to Common Equity Tier 1 due to insufficient Additional Tier 1 and Tier 2 to cover deductions	-	
28	Total regulatory adjustments to Common equity Tier 1	-	
29	Common Equity Tier 1 capital (CET1)	17,504	

BASEL III COMMON DISCLOSURE TEMPLATE - DEC 2016 AFTER DECLARATION OF DIVIDEND (continued)

			RO'000
	Basel III common disclosure template to be used during the transition of regulatory adjustments		Amounts Subject To Pre-Basel III Treatment
	Additional Tier 1 capital: instruments		
30	Directly issued qualifying Additional Tier 1 instruments plus related stock surplus	-	
31	of which: classified as equity under applicable accounting standards 5	-	
32	of which: classified as liabilities under applicable accounting standards 6	-	
33	Directly issued capital instruments subject to phase out from Additional Tier 1	-	
34	Additional Tier 1 instruments (and CET1 instruments not included in row 5) issued by subsidiaries and held by third parties (amount allowed in group AT1)	-	
35	of which: instruments issued by subsidiaries subject to phase out	-	
36	Additional Tier 1 capital before regulatory adjustments	-	
	Additional Tier 1 capital: regulatory adjustments		
37	Investments in own Additional Tier 1 instruments	-	
38	Reciprocal cross-holdings in Additional Tier 1 instruments	-	
39	Investments in the capital of banking, financial, insurance and takaful entities that are outside the scope of regulatory consolidation, net of eligible short positions, where the bank does not own more than 10% of the issued common share capital of the entity (amount above 10% threshold)	-	
40	Significant investments in the capital of banking, financial, insurance and takaful entities that are outside the scope of regulatory consolidation (net of eligible short positions)	-	-
41	National specific regulatory adjustments REGULATORY ADJUSTMENTS APPLIED TO ADDITIONAL TIER 1 IN RESPECT OF AMOUNTS SUBJECT TO PRE-BASEL III TREATMENT	-	
	Of which: [INSERT NAME OF ADJUSTMENT]	-	
	Of which: [INSERT NAME OF ADJUSTMENT]	-	
	Of which: [INSERT NAME OF ADJUSTMENT]	-	
42	Regulatory adjustments applied to Additional Tier 1 due to insufficient Tier 2 to cover deductions	-	
43	Total regulatory adjustments to Additional Tier 1 capital	-	
44	Additional Tier 1 capital (AT1)	-	
45	Tier 1 capital (T1 = CET1 + AT1)	17,504	
	Tier 2 capital: instruments and provisions		
46	Directly issued qualifying Tier 2 instruments plus related stock surplus	-	
47	Directly issued capital instruments subject to phase out from Tier 2	-	
48	Tier 2 instruments (and CET1 and AT1 instruments not included in rows 5 or 34) issued by subsidiaries and held by third parties (amount allowed in group Tier 2)	-	
49	of which: instruments issued by subsidiaries subject to phase out	-	
50	Provisions	998	
51	Tier 2 capital before regulatory adjustments	998	

BASEL III COMMON DISCLOSURE TEMPLATE - DEC 2016 AFTER DECLARATION OF DIVIDEND (continued)

	Basel III common disclosure template to be used during the transition of regulatory adjustments		RO'000 Amounts Subject To Pre-Basel III Treatment
	Tier 2 capital: regulatory adjustments		
52	Investments in own Tier 2 instruments	-	
53	Reciprocal cross-holdings in Tier 2 instruments	-	-
54	Investments in the capital of banking, financial, insurance and takaful entities that are outside the scope of regulatory consolidation, net of eligible short positions, where the bank does not own more than 10% of the issued common share capital of the entity (amount above the 10% threshold)	-	-
55	Significant investments in the capital banking, financial, insurance and takaful entities that are outside the scope of regulatory consolidation (net of eligible short positions)	-	-
56	National specific regulatory adjustments REGULATORY ADJUSTMENTS APPLIED TO TIER 2 IN RESPECT OF AMOUNTS SUBJECT TO PRE-BASEL III TREATMENT	-	
	Of which: [INSERT NAME OF ADJUSTMENT]		
	Of which: [INSERT NAME OF ADJUSTMENT]		
	Of which: [INSERT NAME OF ADJUSTMENT]		
57	Total regulatory adjustments to Tier 2 capital	-	
58	Tier 2 capital (T2)	998	
59	Total capital (TC = T1 + T2)	18,502	
	Risk Weighted Assets		
	RISK WEIGHTED ASSETS IN RESPECT OF AMOUNTS SUBJECT TO PRE-BASEL III TREATMENT	-	
	Of which: [INSERT NAME OF ADJUSTMENT]		
	Of which: [INSERT NAME OF ADJUSTMENT]		
	Of which: [INSERT NAME OF ADJUSTMENT]		
60	Total risk weighted assets (60a+60b+60c)	118,883	
60a	Of which: Credit risk weighted assets	109,113	
60b	Of which: Market risk weighted assets	5,450	
60c	Of which: Operational risk weighted assets	4,320	
	Capital Ratios		
61	Common Equity Tier 1 (as a percentage of risk weighted assets)	14.72	
62	Tier 1 (as a percentage of risk weighted assets)	14.72	
63	Total capital (as a percentage of risk weighted assets)	15.56	
64	Institution specific buffer requirement (minimum CET1 requirement plus capital conservation buffer plus countercyclical buffer requirements plus G-SIB/D-SIB buffer requirement expressed as a percentage of risk weighted assets)	9.50%	
65	of which: capital conservation buffer requirement	2.50%	
66	of which: bank specific countercyclical buffer requirement		
67	of which: D-SIB/G-SIB buffer requirement		
68	Common Equity Tier 1 available to meet buffers (as a percentage of risk weighted assets		
	National minima (if different from Basel III)		
69	National Common Equity Tier 1 minimum ratio (if different from Basel 3 minimum)	7.00%	
70	National Tier 1 minimum ratio (if different from Basel 3 minimum)	9.00%	
71	National total capital minimum ratio (if different from Basel 3 minimum)	12.00%	

BASEL III COMMON DISCLOSURE TEMPLATE - DEC 2016 AFTER DECLARATION OF DIVIDEND (continued)

		RO'000
	Basel III common disclosure template to be used during the transition of regulatory adjustments	Amounts Subject To Pre-Basel III Treatment
	Amounts below the thresholds for deduction (before risk weighting)	
72	Non-significant investments in the capital of other financials	-
73	Significant investments in the common stock of financials	-
74	Mortgage servicing rights (net of related tax liability)	-
75	Deferred tax assets arising from temporary differences (net of related tax liability)	-
	Applicable caps on the inclusion of provisions in Tier 2	
76	Provisions eligible for inclusion in Tier 2 in respect of exposures subject to standardised approach (prior to application of cap)	-
77	Cap on inclusion of provisions in Tier 2 under standardised approach	-
78	Provisions eligible for inclusion in Tier 2 in respect of exposures subject to internal ratings-based approach (prior to application of cap)	-
79	Cap for inclusion of provisions in Tier 2 under internal ratings-based approach	-
	Capital instruments subject to phase-out arrangements (only applicable between 1 Jan 2018 ar	id 1 Jan 2022)
80	Current cap on CET1 instruments subject to phase out arrangements	-
81	Amount excluded from CET1 due to cap (excess over cap after redemptions and maturities)	-
82	Current cap on AT1 instruments subject to phase out arrangements	-
83	Amount excluded from AT1 due to cap (excess over cap after redemptions and maturities)	-
84	Current cap on T2 instruments subject to phase out arrangements	-
85	Amount excluded from T2 due to cap (excess over cap after redemptions and maturities)	-

MAIN FEATURES TEMPLATE OF CAPITAL INSTRUMENTS - as of December 2016

1	Issuer	SOHAR ISLAMIC
2	Unique identifier (eg CUSIP, ISIN or Bloomberg identifier for private placement)	NA
3	Governing law(s) of the instrument Regulatory treatment	Banking Law of Oman / Commercial Companies Law
4	Transitional Basel III rules	NA
5	Post-transitional Basel III rules	Common Equity Tier 1
5	Eligible at solo/group/group & solo	group
7	Instrument type (types to be specified by each jurisdiction)"	Allocated capital
3	Amount recognised in regulatory capital (Currency in mil, as of most recent reporting date)	OMR 17 Million
9	Par value of instrument	OMR 17 Million
0	Accounting classification	Allocated capital
1	Original date of issuance	30-Apr-13
2	Perpetual or dated	Perpetual
3	Original maturity date	NA
L4	Issuer call subject to prior supervisory	NA
.5	Optional call date, contingent call dates and redemption amount	NA
6	Subsequent call dates, if applicable	NA
	Coupons / dividends	
.7	Fixed or floating dividend/coupon	NA
.8	Coupon rate and any related index	NA
.9	Existence of a dividend stopper	NA
20	Fully discretionary, partially discretionary or mandatory	NA
21	Existence of step up or other incentive to redeem	NA
22	Noncumulative or cumulative	NA
23	Convertible or non-convertible	NA
24	If convertible, conversion trigger (s)	NA
25	If convertible, fully or partially	NA
26	If convertible, conversion rate	NA
27	If convertible, mandatory or optional conversion	NA
28	If convertible, specify instrument type convertible into	NA
29	If convertible, specify issuer of instrument it converts into	NA
30	Write-down feature	NA
31	If write-down, write-down trigger(s)	NA
32	If write-down, full or partial	NA
33	If write-down, permanent or temporary	NA
34	If temporary write-down, description of write-up mechanism	NA
35	Position in subordination hierarchy in liquidation (specify instrument type immediately senior to instrument)	
36	Non-compliant transitioned features	NA
37	If yes, specify non-compliant features	NA