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Q1 2022 Results

May 11, 2022

DRIVE CHANGE
IN CANADIAN
BANKING
TO ENRICH
PEOPLE'S
LIVES

16.6%¹

ROE 10-year average

340K+²

Customers

Carbon
Neutral

Scope 1 & 2 GHG emissions

540%¹

10-year total
shareholder return

CANADA'S
CHALLENGER
BANK™

15.7%¹

EPS growth 10-year CAGR

1. As at December 31st, 2021

2. As at March 31st 2022

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Andrew Moor
President & CEO

Positive outlook following best-ever quarterly earnings¹ plus dividend increase

\$2.64

Adjusted Diluted EPS

+33% y/y +15% q/q

19.2%

Adjusted ROE

+2.1% y/y +2.1% q/q

1.87%

Adjusted NIM

+0.10% y/y +0.06% q/q

\$118.7

Adjusted PPPT (MM)

+28% y/y +16% q/q

\$2.51

Diluted EPS

+27% y/y +10% q/q

18.3%

ROE

+1.2% y/y +1.3% q/q

1.86%

NIM

+0.09% y/y +0.05% q/q

\$112.7

PPPT (MM)

+21% y/y +11% q/q

\$57.64

BVPS

+18% y/y +4% q/q

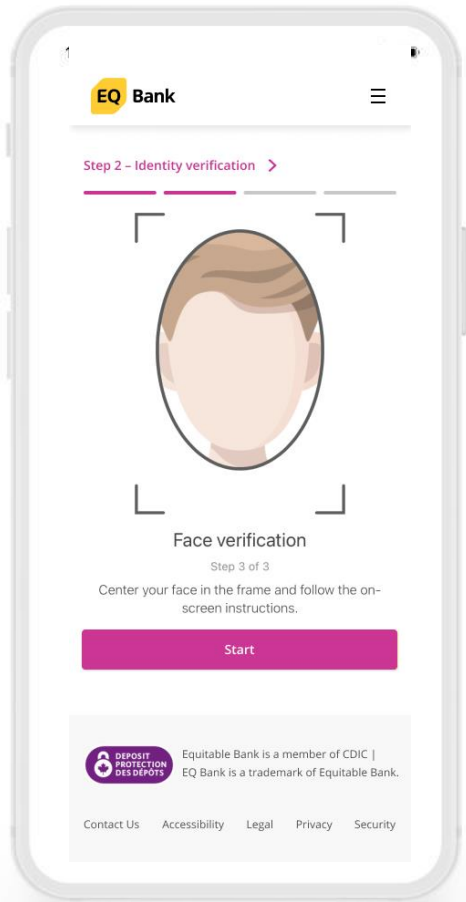
\$0.29

Dividend per common share²

+57% y/y +4% q/q

1. Adjusted results are non-GAAP. Adjusted results are being introduced starting Q1 2022 for adjustments relating to Concentra Bank acquisition / integration costs.
 2. The dividend of \$0.29 declared on May 10, 2022 is 57% increase over the \$0.185 dividend declared on May 4, 2021.

EQ Bank's new AI-powered onboarding feature



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- Utilizes informed artificial intelligence to verify government-issued ID and match with live selfie photo
- Reduces friction in digital account openings: early analytics show a lift in account openings resulting from the new feature

Best-in-class digital bank continues to grow

+91%

Digital transactions
YTD y/y

+15%

Average products per
customer YTD y/y

266,000+

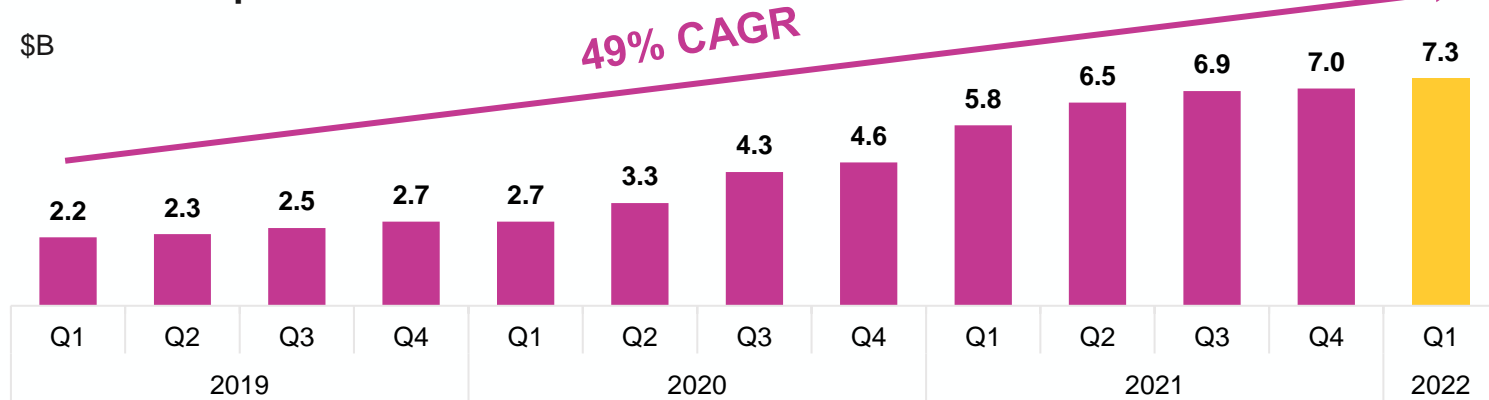
Customers
+32% y/y

7-10x

Customer lifetime
value to customer
acquisition cost

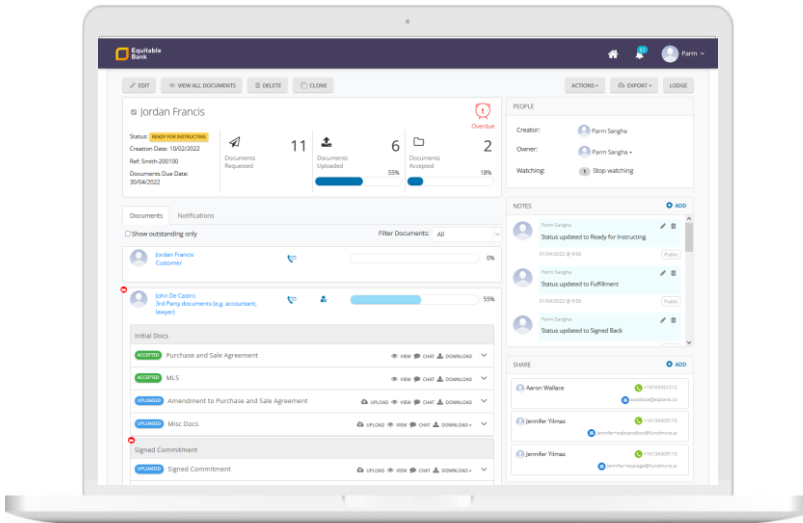
EQ Bank Deposits

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Expecting further EQ Bank growth in 2022 with a reduction in customer cost of acquisition

Equitable Connect streamlines the broker experience



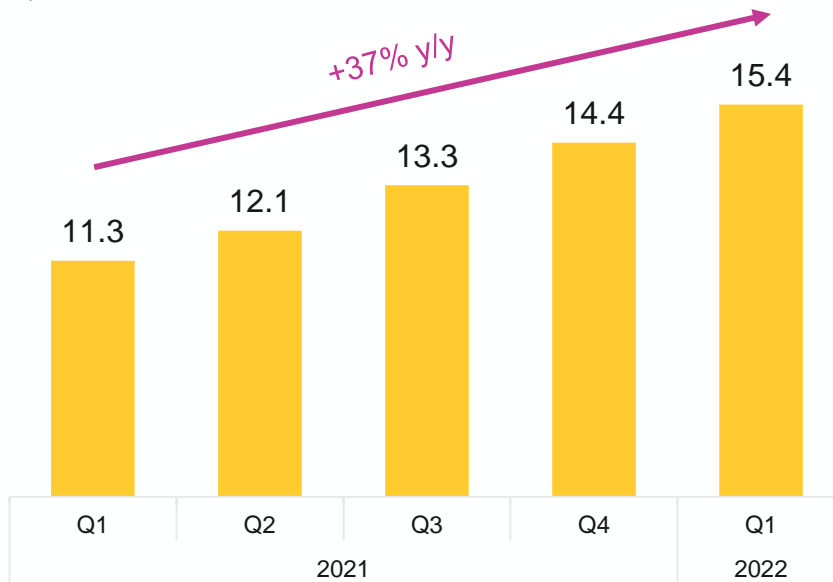
New Cloud-based fulfillment portal

- Improves the document sharing experience for our broker business partners
- Provides anywhere/anytime access from any device with real-time updates

Outstanding single-family residential Alt loan growth

SFR Alt Loan Principal

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SFR Alt loan growth of 37% y/y, 7% q/q

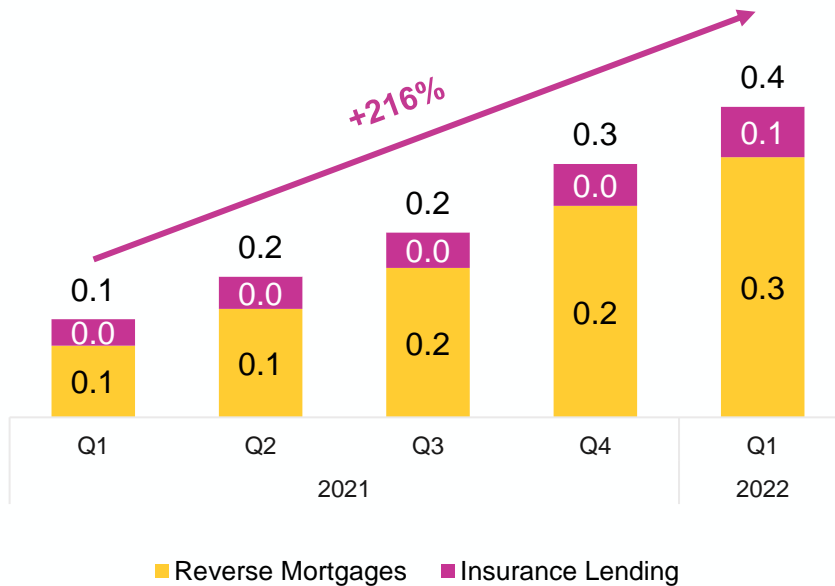
- Originations +63% y/y to \$1.7B in Q1 2022, supported by meaningful broker partnerships and superior customer services
- Average Beacon score of 710 (+3bps q/q and +5bps y/y) and average LTV of 58% (down 2% q/q and 3% y/y) on the SFR Alt portfolio

Total Personal Banking growth +\$3.8B or +20% y/y

Significant wealth decumulation business advancements

Decumulation Loan Principal

\$B



- Decumulation assets increased to \$363 million through expanded brand awareness and distribution
- Decumulation originations were \$72MM, +124% y/y
- Expanded insurance lending products with the Immediate Financing Arrangement (IFA) and partnership with Equitable Life of Canada

Decumulation loan principal more doubled y/y

- Reverse mortgage portfolio +262% y/y
- Insurance lending portfolio +91% y/y

Concentra Bank acquisition update



Concentra®



- Closing process moving forward with Competition Bureau approval received, review by Minister of Finance pending
- Building strong working relationships with the credit union system is a key focus
- Transformation Management Office with dedicated resources created to develop formal integration plans while both banks continue to operate independently until closing

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Chadwick Westlake
CFO

Q1 results highlight continued momentum on all fronts

In \$MM, unless otherwise noted and except for per share amounts	Q1 2022 Adjusted ¹	Change	
		Y/Y	Q/Q
ROE	19.2%	2.1%	2.1%
Revenue	\$188.5	26%	10%
Non-Interest Expenses	\$69.8	22%	0%
Pre-Provision Pre-Tax	\$118.7	28%	16%
PCL ²	(\$0.1)	(84%)	(91%)
Net Income After Tax	\$92.4	34%	15%
Diluted EPS	\$2.64	33%	15%
NIM	1.87%	0.10%	0.06%
Efficiency Ratio	37.0%	(1.2%)	(3.6%)
YTD Operating Leverage	3.7%	(10.8%)	9.4%
Conventional Loans (\$B) ²	\$22.5	35%	7%
Book Value Per Share ²	\$57.64	18%	4%
CET1 ²	13.5%	(1.0%)	0.2%

1. Adjusted results are non-GAAP
 2. Adjusted metric not applicable

Adjusted ROE

- Adjusted ROE landed above our target range of 15% - 17% in Q1, finishing the quarter at 19.2%

Adjusted Revenue

- Revenue grew y/y and sequentially with strong average asset growth of 16% y/y
- Effective and disciplined margin management lead to NIM expansion of 10 bps y/y, driving record NIAT growth of 34% y/y, 15% q/q

Adjusted Expenses

- Investment in the business driving 25% y/y NIE growth in adjusted compensation and benefits due to 26% growth in FTE over the same period
- Efficiency increased as a result of strong revenue growth and corresponding positive operating leverage

Adjusted Earnings

- Record earnings reflecting lending growth, margin management, benefits from strategic investments, PCL net benefit and disciplined capital allocation

Reaffirming 2022 adjusted outlook

Medium-term core guidance	Q1 2022 Results	2022 Full-Year Outlook ¹
Adjusted ROE	19.2%	15% +
Adjusted Pre-Provision Pre-Tax Income Growth (PPPT)	28% ²	12% +
Adjusted Diluted EPS Growth	33% ²	8-10%
Dividend Growth	57% ³	51% increase announced in Q1 2022 followed by quarterly ⁴ increases
BVPS Growth	18% ²	12% +
CET1 Ratio	13.5%	13% +

1. Guidance represents expected growth rates was from December 31, 2021 to December 31, 2022.

2. Represents y/y growth from March 31, 2021 to March 31, 2022.

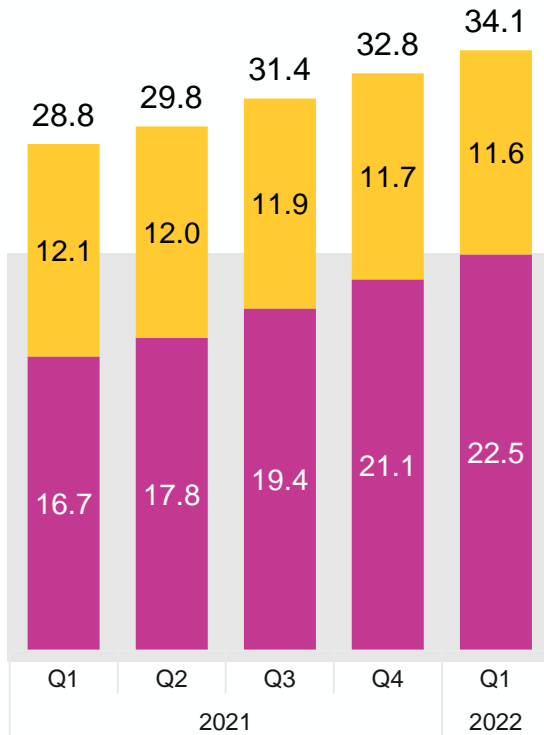
3. Represents y/y growth from dividend of \$0.185 declared on May 4, 2021 to the dividend of \$0.29 declared on May 10, 2022.

4. The dividend declared on February 7, 2022 represented a 51% increase over the dividend declared in February 2021. Dividends are expected to increase between 20% – 25% from the levels that otherwise would have been paid out in 2021 had capital distributions by banks not been restricted by OSFI at the onset of the pandemic.

Conventional uninsured business driving AUM growth

Loan Principal

\$B

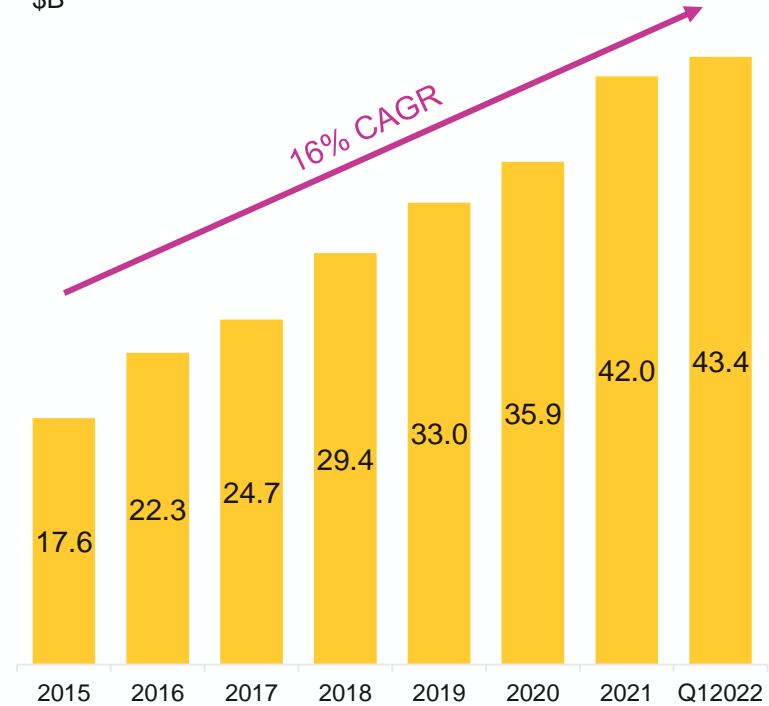


- Conventional
- Insured (Prime + Multis)

Conventional loan growth
+35% y/y
+7% q/q

Assets Under Management

\$B



Positioned for future growth based on pipeline

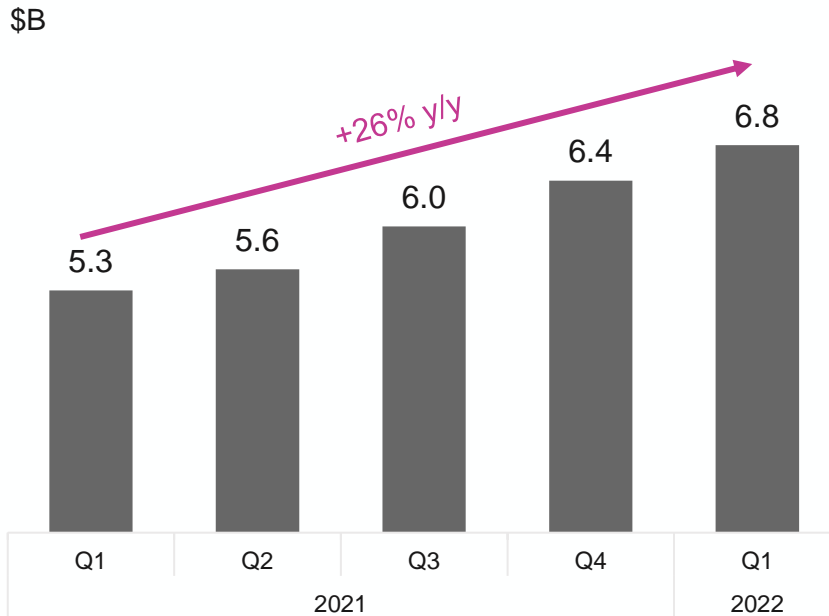
Personal Banking		Portfolio Balance (\$B)	Y/Y Performance ²	2022 Outlook ¹
EQ Bank	Deposits	7.3	25%	20%-30%
Single Family Residential Lending	Alternative mortgages	15.4	37%	12%-15%
	Prime mortgages	7.4	(7%)	0%-5%
Wealth Decumulation	Reverse mortgages	0.30	262%	150%+
	Cash Surrender Value loans	0.06	91%	100%+
Commercial Banking		Portfolio Balance (\$B)	Y/Y Performance ²	2022 Outlook ¹
Business Enterprise Solutions	Loans to entrepreneurs & SMEs	1.1	19%	10%-15%
Commercial Finance Group	Loans to institutional/corporates	4.1	16%	10%-15%
Multi-Unit Insured ³	CMHC insured mortgages (on-balance sheet)	4.2	2%	0%-5%
Specialized Finance	Total Loans	0.71	178%	20%-30%
Equipment Leasing	Total Loans	0.77	31%	10%-15%

Q1 y/y loan principal growth was 18% vs. guidance of 12-15%

1. 2022 Guidance represents y/y principal growth guidance from December 31, 2021 to December 31, 2022
2. Y/Y Performance represents y/y principal growth from March 31, 2021 to March 31, 2022
3. Insured multi-unit residential mortgages under management grew by 10% y/y from March 31, 2021 to March 31, 2022

Conventional loans lead Commercial to double-digit growth

Conventional Commercial Loan Principal¹



Conventional Commercial loans grew by 26% y/y or 5% q/q

- Each commercial loan type ended the quarter in line with or ahead of guidance
 - Expanded our specialized financing portfolio to a record balance nearing \$715MM
 - Equipment leasing portfolio +31% y/y, with 63% of leases being of prime quality

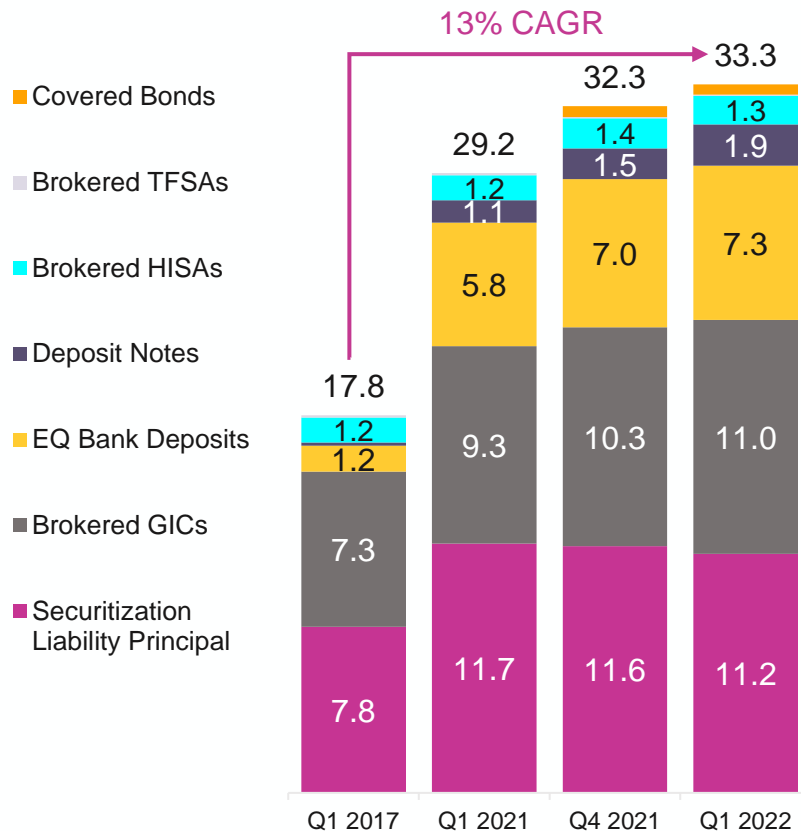
Commercial Banking loans² reached \$10.9B in Q1, growing 16% y/y or 4% q/q and exceeding guidance of 10% - 15% for 2022

1. Chart includes equipment leases
 2. Represents on balance sheet commercial loan principal

Growing and diversifying our sources of funding

Sources of Funding (on B/S)

\$B



Total deposit principal \$22.1B +27% y/y

- EQ Bank deposit principal +25% y/y to \$7.3B

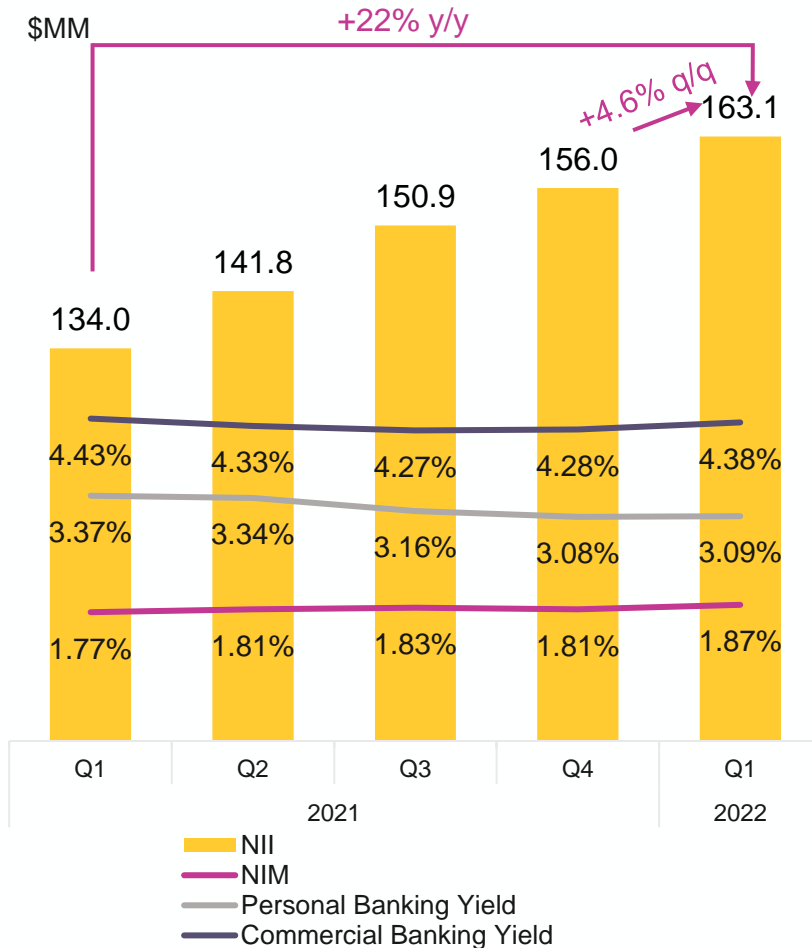
Successfully diversifying funding stack

- EQ Bank deposits represented 22% of on-balance sheet funding (vs. 7% 5 years prior)
- Brokered deposits 37% (vs. 48% 5 years prior)
- Wholesale funding 7% (vs. 1% 5 years prior)
- Securitization 34% (vs. 44% 5 years prior)

Completed largest deposit note issuance in bank's history for a combined \$500MM

Positive momentum continues in both NII and NIM

Net Interest Income and Impact on NIM¹



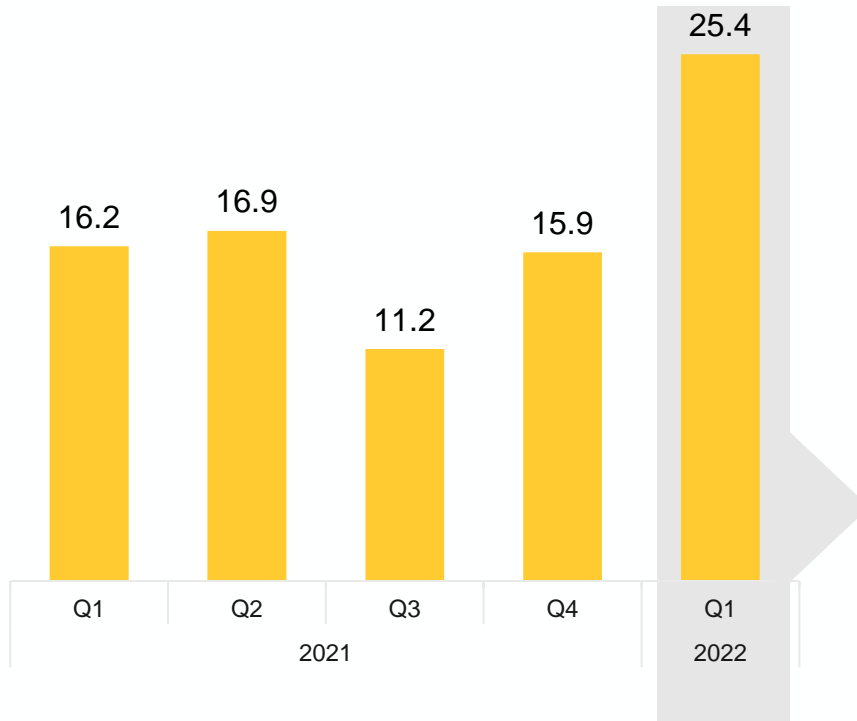
- Q1 2022 adjusted NII +22% y/y on 16% growth in average assets and 10bps increase in NIM
- High end of NIM guidance for 2022 as of Q1 due to disciplined loan pricing strategies, coupled with funding diversification through EQ Bank and secured and unsecured wholesale funding
- Equipment leasing highest yielding business line at 10.2%

1. Adjusted NII and NIM displayed for Q4 2021 and Q1 2022

Non-interest income gains on strategic investments

Non-interest Income

\$MM

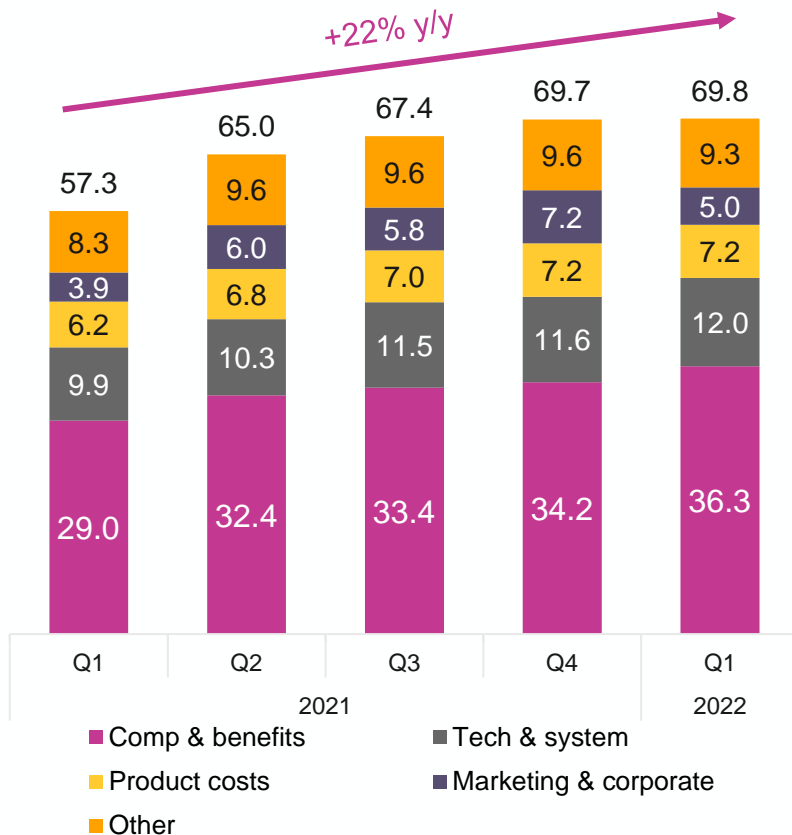


- Non-interest income +60% or +\$9.5MM sequentially driven by gains on strategic investments of \$15.9MM, +\$6.9MM or 77%
- Gains on securitization and income from retained interests also up \$1.2MM or 31% q/q on higher margins and an increase in volumes derecognized

Spending and investing for competitive advantage

Non-interest Expenses¹

\$MM

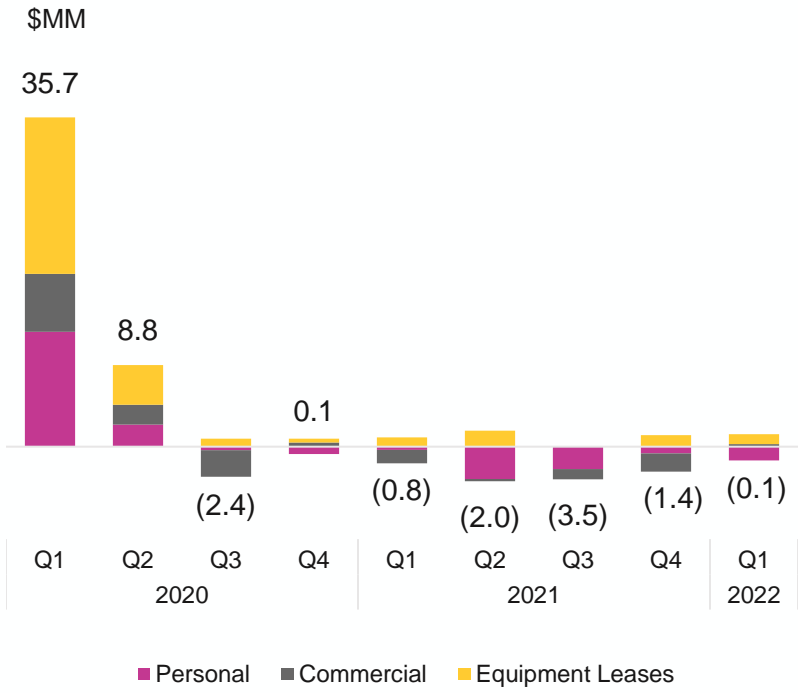


- Adjusted compensation expenses represented 52% of our total NIE at \$36.3MM, up from 49% representation in Q4 2021
 - Quarterly increase largely resulted from 26% increase in FTE, annual salary inflationary adjustments
- YTD operating leverage of 3.7%, in-line with goal of flat leverage for 2022 overall
- Q1 reported efficiency ratio 39.9% (37.0% adjusted)
- In Q1 reported expenses, integration expenses for the pending acquisition of Concentra Bank \$5.1MM

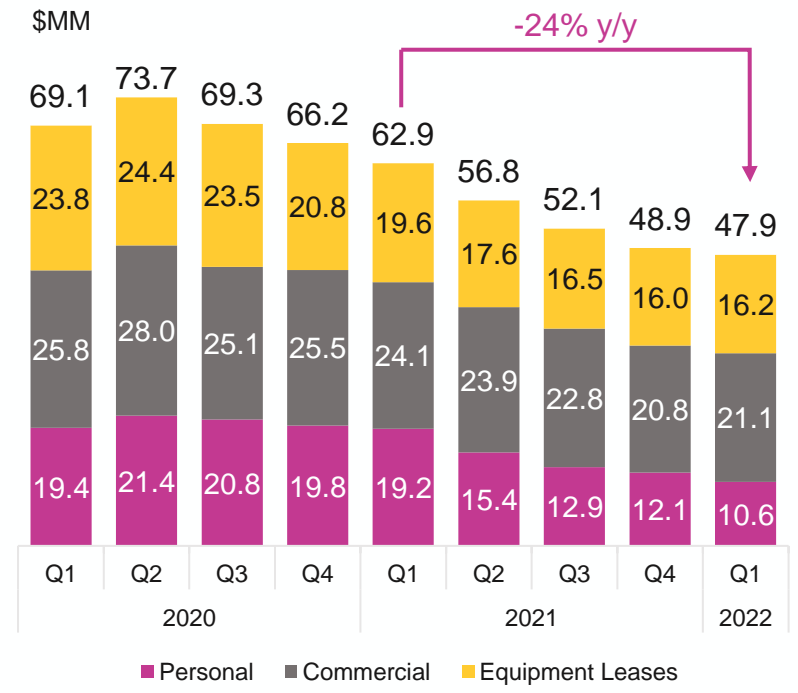
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Macroeconomic forecasts led to an ACL reversal and PCL net benefit; loan books remain well provisioned

Provision for Credit Losses



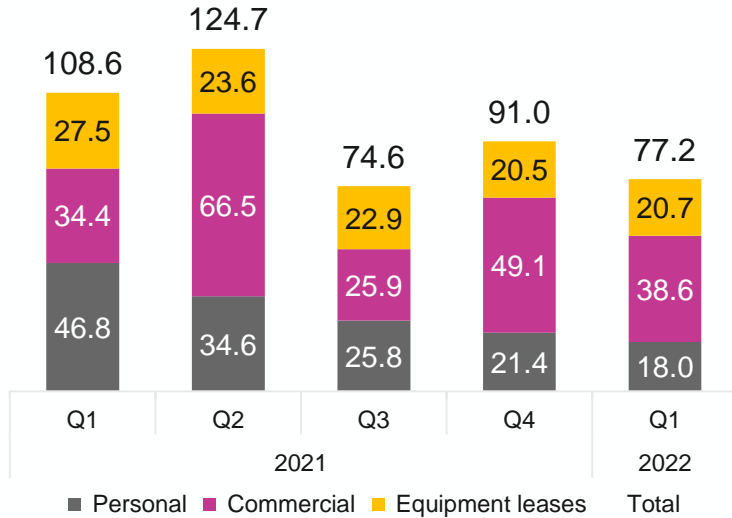
Allowance for Credit Losses



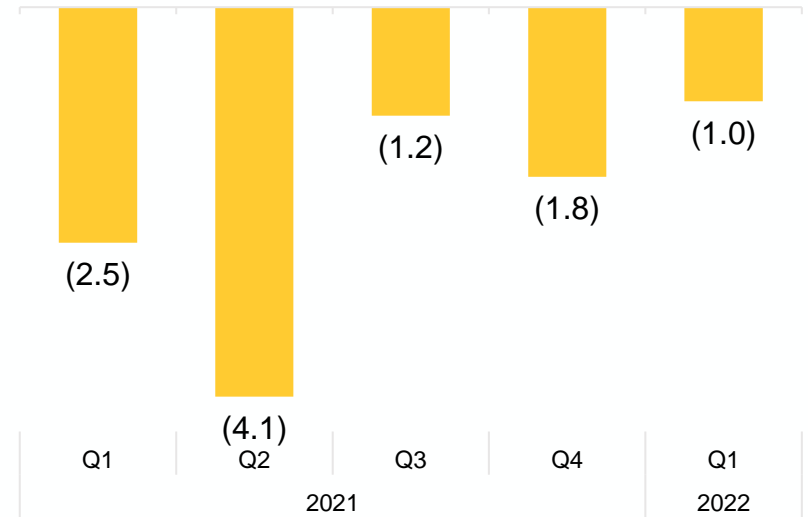
Released \$1.2MM of Stage 1 and 2 allowances based on expected loss modelling

Credit trends remain strong: Impaired loans remain low and write-offs are below historical levels

Gross Impaired Loans
\$MM

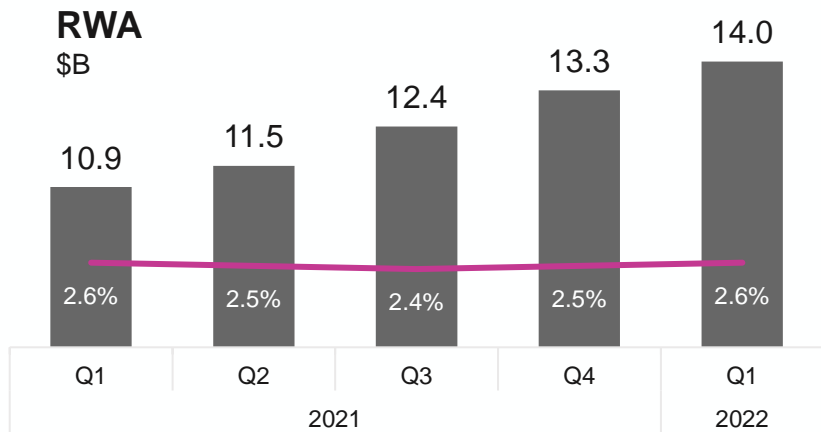
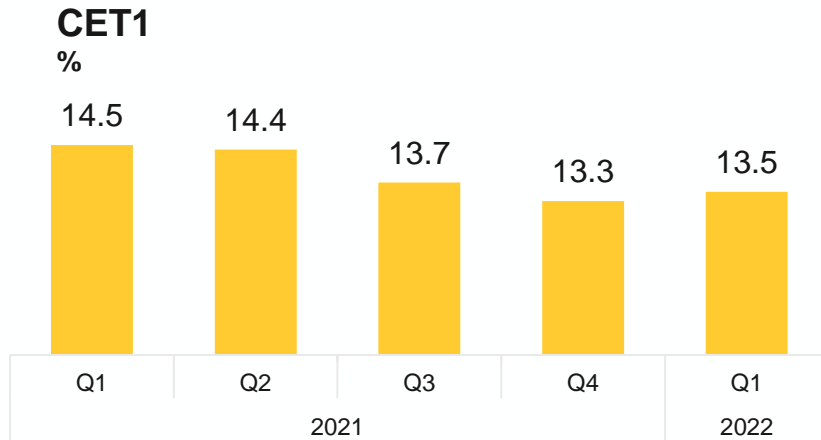


Write-offs
\$MM



Gross impaired loans down \$13.8MM or 15% from last quarter, largely attributable to a net reduction in single family mortgages of \$26.8MM

In excess capital position even with increasing dividend



■ Risk Weighted Assets — Return on Risk Weighted Assets

- CET1 increased sequentially due to higher earnings and capital from the new funding facility at the Group level, despite higher growth in risk-weighted assets
- Continuing to grow dividend consistent with guidance
- Tailwinds to be realized as we progress towards becoming an AIRB bank

Final Thoughts

- Best quarterly earnings ever with reaffirmed 2022 guidance, growth and diversification momentum
- Disciplined margin management with tailwinds of additional covered bond issuances and focus on higher margin conventional lending
- Winning with new growth platforms, technologies, and partnerships
- Proven business model built for resilience and growth across economic cycles
- Steps towards closing Concentra Bank acquisition on track