



# 9M'21 Earnings Presentation



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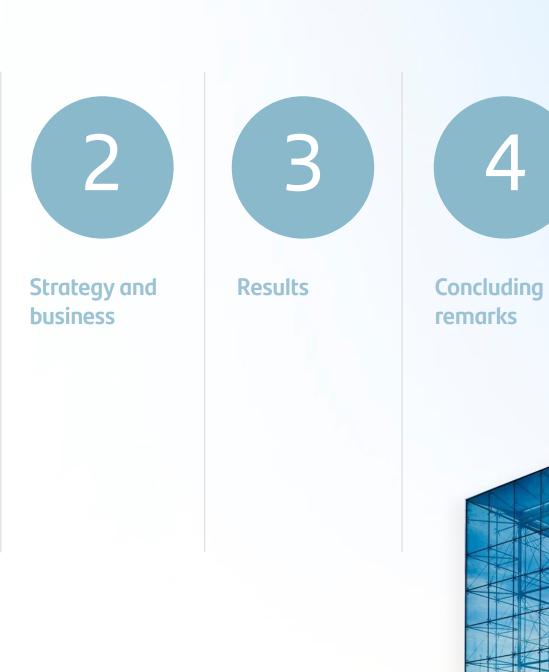
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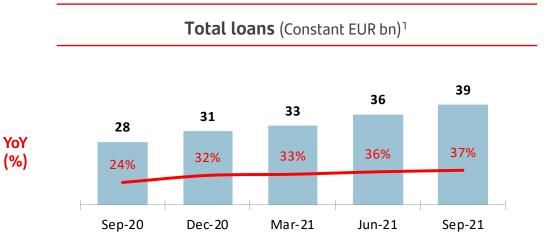


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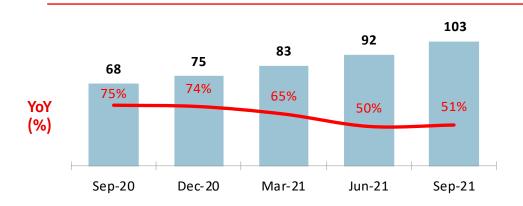
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#### Financial system

## Transactional and well capitalized financial system



**Total customer funds** (Constant EUR bn)<sup>1,2</sup>



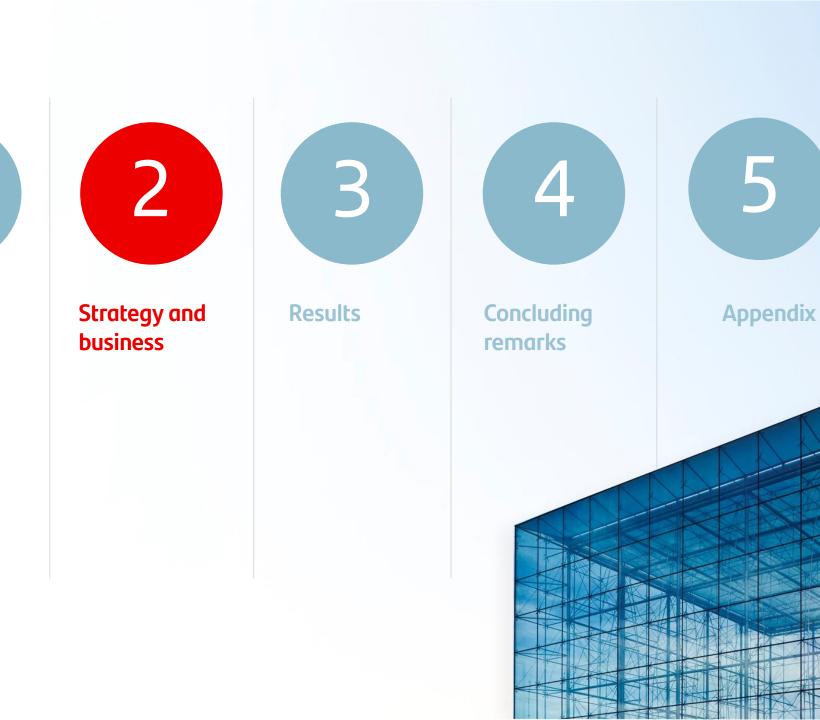
- Loans/GDP<sup>3</sup>: 9.0%. Deposits/GDP<sup>3</sup>: 18.9%.
- Loans: +43% growth YoY in local currency and +7% in dollar-denominated portfolio (in local currency).
- Deposits: 45% growth YoY, 48% in local currency and +34% in dollar-denominated portfolio (in local currency).
- High liquidity levels in both pesos and USD. Excess liquidity placed in Central Bank notes and repos.
- Improved capital ratio<sup>3</sup>: 23.7%. CET1 Ratio<sup>3</sup>: 25.5%.
- Private sector NPL ratio<sup>3</sup> at 4.9% and coverage<sup>3</sup> at 119%, impacted by temporary regulatory flexibility which ended in Jun-21.
- 12M inflation: 51.4%.



Source: Central Bank of Argentina (1) End period exchange rate as of Sep-21

(2) Total customer funds include total deposits and mutual funds

(3) As of Jun-21



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## Santander Argentina: the leading privately-owned bank in Argentina by deposit volumes

ŀ	(EY DATA	9M'21	YoY Var. <sup>4</sup>
<b>A</b>	Customer loans <sup>1</sup>	EUR 4,928 mn	+32.9%
Ē	Customer funds <sup>2</sup>	EUR 11,285 mn	+53.3%
	Underlying att. Profit	EUR 180 mn	+43.4%
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( <u>)</u>	Efficiency ratio	59.6%	+514 bps
Ċ	Loans market share <sup>3</sup>	10.5%	-8 bps
P	Deposits market share <sup>3</sup>	11.5%	+24 bps
	Loyal customers	1.6 mn	+20.1%
	Digital customers	2.7 mn	+0.9%
	Branches	408	-4.4%
00	Employees	8,715	-6.0%

STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

- Customer-centric decisions, helping people and businesses prosper
- Progressing towards a simpler and more efficient model, driven by digital transformation
- Profitable growth increasing revenue with efficient capital allocation
- Be agile and collaborative, with challenging goals and clear priorities
- Continue building our financial services platform

Strategy and business

## High digitalization levels and solid loyalty ratio



Loyal customers (mn)<sup>1</sup> 20% 1.6 1.3 Sep-20 Sep-21 Loyal / Active: 52% (+9 pp YoY) **Digital customers** (mn) 2.7 2.7 1% Sep-20 Sep-21 **Digital sales / total**<sup>2</sup>: 78% (+8 pp YoY)

- Total customers increased by 151 k YoY
- Loyal individuals rose 18% YoY<sup>1</sup> and loyal corporates 39% YoY<sup>1</sup>
- 67% of our SME customers and 59% of our middle market companies are loyal customers

- Digital transactions increased 23% (9M'21 vs. 9M'20)
- Mobile customers rose 19% YoY
- 100% digital onboarding for basic accounts and SMEs

## Customer-centric business model



#### **Building Santander platform** Adding value to different audiences 100% digital MMEN **NOV** Getnet<sup>®</sup> **Grupo Santander** platform to super digital payment solution promote financial inclusion Systemic company to Santander **Consumer finance** promote digital **Cuenta Blanca** ( iienta Senior **Consumer Finance** company payments and increase financial inclusion Enhancing our network model **Reward and benefit programmes Financial inclusion branches** Santander Express: O expanding our non-banking 2.0 branches: closer to our *¡VOLVIERON LOS* correspondent network R MIÉRCOLES! 📣 Santander SORPRESA customers supported by SUPER CLUB 4660 5701 2345 6789 Santander **Agribusiness office** technology Work Café Towards a more digital bank **Recognitions ECHEQ:** digital experience in check 100% digital onboarding for basic GREAT Į PLACE accounts and SMEs issuing, endorsing and financing TO WORK Top app rating in iOS and Android Foreign Trade services in digital **Best Bank** channels Top 5 in GPTW for 2021 Santander 9 12 years

## Further embedding ESG to build a more responsible bank





## Environmental: supporting the green transition

### Helping customers go green<sup>1</sup> EUR 60 mn

Santander was involved in the placement of the 1<sup>st</sup> local bond issuance with green and social certification and the 1<sup>st</sup> sustainability linked bond in the domestic capital markets

### EUR 60 mn

Green loans for CIB customers

### Going green ourselves

Energy 19.5% from renewable energy<sup>1</sup>





### Talented & diverse team<sup>2</sup>

Top **3** company to work for<sup>3</sup>

**22%** women in leadership positions

**40** people with disabilities

### Supporting society<sup>1</sup>

#### >EUR 670 k

invested in university programmes sponsorship >13.3 k items exchanged under "Super Club Comprometidos"

### >1.6 k people financially

Volunteering 90 employees

#### empowered in H1'21 contributing

Governance: doing business the right way

### A strong culture: SPF

Taking ESG criteria into account when determining remuneration

An independent, diverse Board<sup>2</sup>

**45%** independent directors

27% women on Board

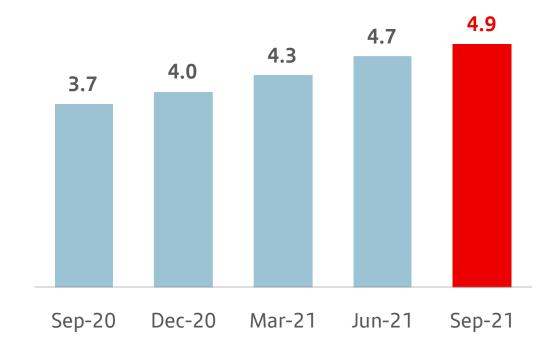


Note: H1'21 and 9M'21 data not audited (1) 9M'21 (2) September 2021 (3) Among financial entities

## Loans grew 33% YoY mainly driven by Individuals and Corporates



**Total customer loans** (Constant EUR bn)<sup>1</sup>



_	Sep-21	Sep-20	YoY (%)	QoQ (%)
Individuals <sup>2</sup>	2.3	1.5	47.0	7.6
o/w Mortgages	0.3	0.2	35.7	5.9
o/w Cards & Consumer Credit	1.8	1.2	45.9	6.2
SMEs	0.5	0.4	35.1	10.5
Corporates & Institutions	0.7	0.5	40.4	9.9
CIB	1.3	1.2	11.1	-3.1
Other	0.1	0.1	28.5	30.1
Total customer loans	4.9	3.7	32.9	5.4



Group criteria (1) Excludes reverse repos. End period exchange rate as at Sep-21 (2) Includes Private Banking

Strategy and business

# Total customer funds rose 53% YoY spurred by local currency deposits and mutual funds

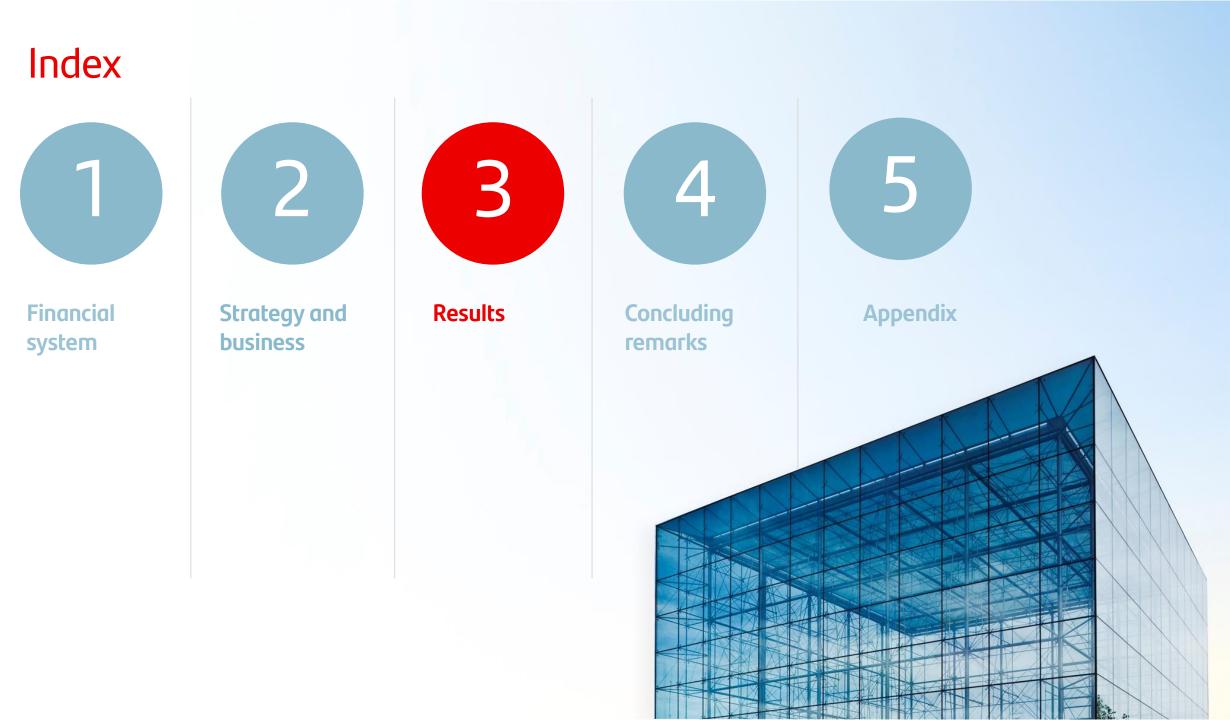


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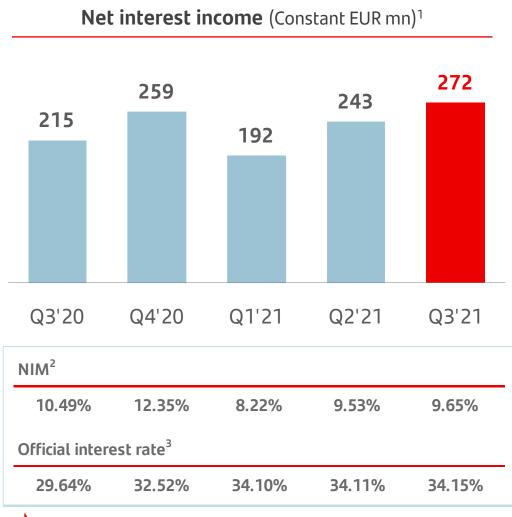


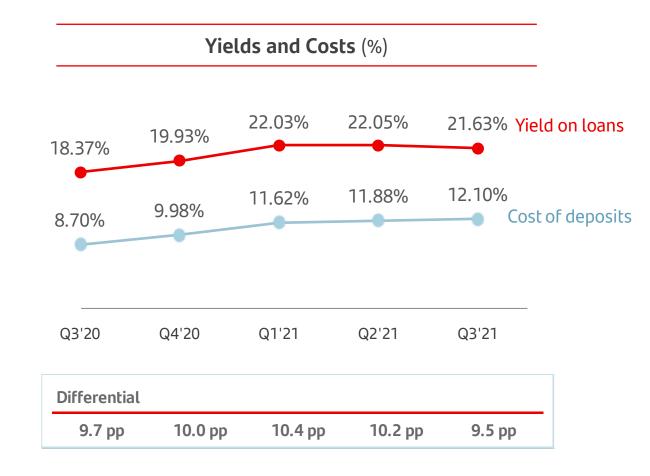
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	Sep-21	Sep-20	YoY (%)	QoQ (%)
Demand	6.0	4.2	43.3	15.6
Time	2.9	1.8	62.7	13.0
Total deposits	8.9	5.9	49.1	14.7
Mutual Funds	2.4	1.4	70.9	15.9
Total customer funds	11.3	7.4	53.3	15.0



# 9M'21 net interest income rose 26% YoY driven by volumes, offsetting the pressure on spreads and funding mix





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# Net fee income increased 72% YoY, underpinned by transactional and investment & pension funds fees



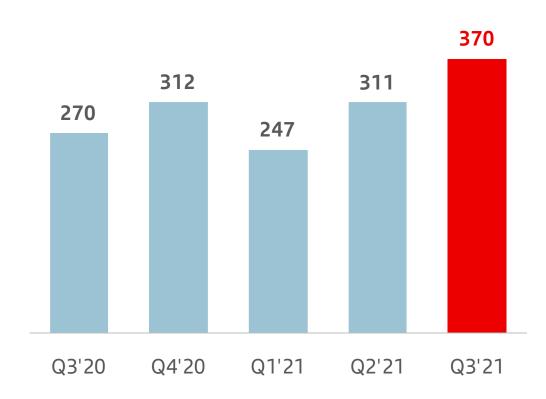
Net fee income (Constant EUR mn)<sup>1</sup> 112 90 88 70 66 Q3'20 Q4'20 Q1'21 Q2'21 Q3'21

	9M'21	9M'20	YoY (%)	QoQ (%)
Transactional fees	177	112	58.0	23.5
Payment methods	64	31	106.3	20.6
Transfers, drafts, cheques	43	22	96.8	27.4
and other orders	64	22	90.8	27.4
Foreign exchange	4	16	-73.8	88.9
currencies	т	10	75.0	00.5
Other transactional	66	43	53.7	20.9
Investment and pension	25	11	116.0	15.1
funds	23		110.0	13.1
Insurance	21	14	52.5	10.8
Securitites and custody	7	3	07.5	24.7
services	/	5	97.5	24.7
Other	42	17	147.5	35.3
Total net fee income	272	158	72.2	23.8

# Total income increased 32% YoY on the back of higher NII, net fee income and gains on financial transactions



Total income (Constant EUR mn)<sup>1</sup>



	9M'21	9M'20	YoY (%)	QoQ (%)
Net interest income	708	563	25.6	11.7
Net fee income	272	158	72.2	23.8
Customer revenue	979	721	35.8	15.0
Other <sup>2</sup>	(51)	(16)	-	-39.5
Total income	929	705	31.8	18.9

# Costs rose 44% YoY impacted by higher inflation, the salary agreement and peso depreciation

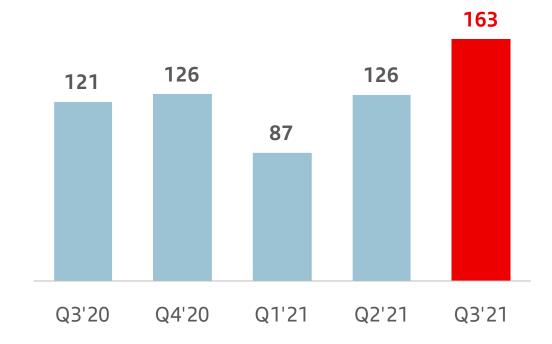
**Operating expenses** (Constant EUR mn)<sup>1</sup>



	9M'21	9M'20	YoY (%)	QoQ (%)
Operating Expenses	554	384	44.2	11.6
Branches (#)	408	427	-4.4	0.0
Employees (#)	8,715	9,267	-6.0	-1.1

# Net operating income rose 17% YoY and 30% QoQ driven by the good performance in the main revenue lines

Net operating income (Constant EUR mn)<sup>1</sup>



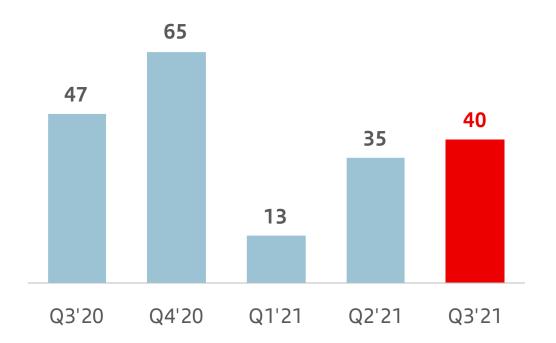
	9M'21	9M'20	YoY (%)	QoQ (%)
Total income	929	705	31.8	18.9
Operating Expenses	(554)	(384)	44.2	11.6
Net operating income	375	321	16.9	29.6
Efficiency ratio	59.6%	54.5%	514 bps	

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# LLPs fell 36% YoY due to covid-19 related provisions recorded in 2020. Cost of credit improvement QoQ and YoY



**Net LLPs** (Constant EUR mn)<sup>1</sup>



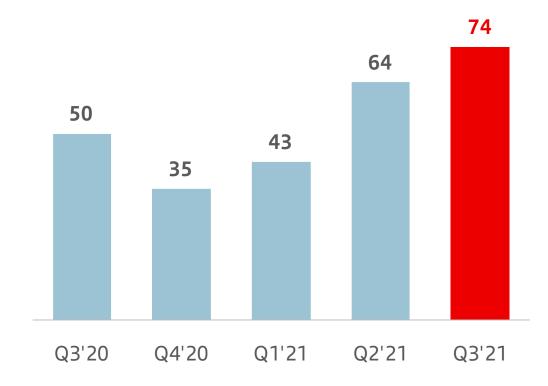
-	9M'21	9M'20	YoY (%)	QoQ (%)
Net operating income	375	321	16.9	29.6
Loan-loss provisions	(88)	(139)	-36.4	15.0
Net operating income after provisions	287	182	57.5	35.2
NPL ratio	3.85%	2.88%	98 bps	52 bps
Cost of credit <sup>2</sup>	3.51%	5.54%	-203 bps	-43 bps
Coverage ratio	149%	186%	-37.0 pp	-18.3 pp



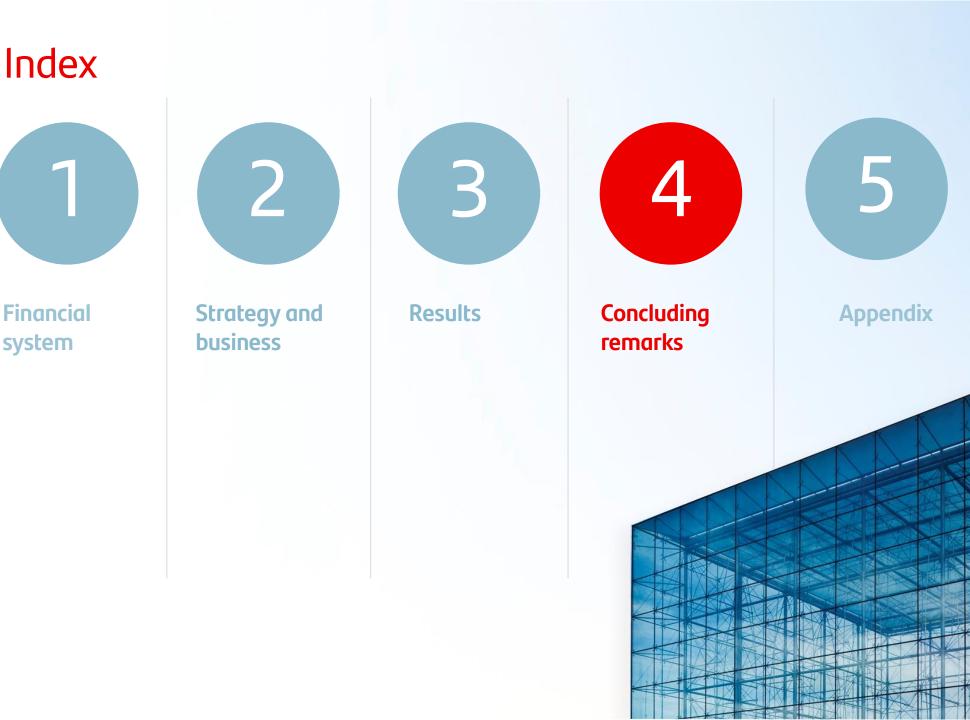
## 9M'21 underlying profit rose 43% YoY boosted by higher revenue and lower LLPs



**Underlying Attributable Profit** (Constant EUR mn)<sup>1</sup>



	9M'21	9M'20	YoY (%)	QoQ (%)
РВТ	193	144	33.5	60.3
Tax on profit	(11)	(18)	-36.9	-
Consolidated profit	182	127	43.3	14.8
Minority interests	(1)	(1)	27.2	16.5
Underlying attributable profit	180	126	43.4	14.8
Effective tax rate	5.8%	12.3%	-6.5 pp	



**Financial** system

## Concluding remarks



Financial System	<ul> <li>Transactional and well capitalized financial system</li> <li>High liquidity levels in both pesos and USD. Excess liquidity placed in Central Bank notes and repos</li> </ul>
	YoY volumes growth mainly driven by local currency loans and deposits

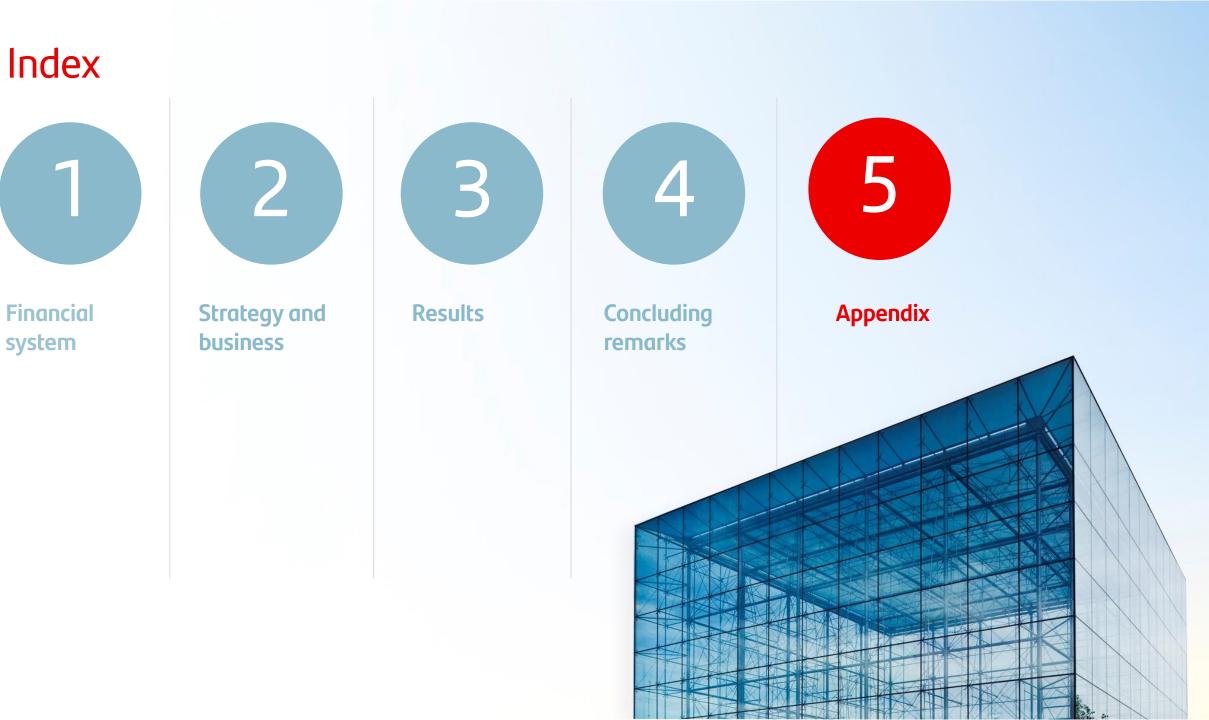
Strategy & Business

- Santander's strategy will continue to focus on 5 pillars: customer experience, operational excellence, profitable growth, new businesses and culture & talent
- Building Santander platform and enhancing our network model
- Volume growth boosted by local currency portfolio

Results	

- Total income increased 32% YoY on the back of higher NII, net fee income and gains on financial transactions
- Costs rose 44% YoY impacted by higher inflation, the salary agreement and peso depreciation
- LLPs fell 36% YoY due to covid-19 related provisions recorded in 2020. Cost of credit improvement QoQ and YoY
- > 9M'21 underlying attributable profit reached EUR 180 mn, +43% YoY boosted by higher revenue and lower LLPs

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Appendix

## Balance sheet

Constant EUR million <sup>1</sup>			Variati	on
	Sep-21	Sep-20	Amount	%
Loans and advances to customers	4,652	3,518	1,134	32.2
Cash, central banks and credit institutions	4,101	2,409	1,693	70.3
Debt instruments	2,394	1,650	744	45.1
Other financial assets	79	50	30	59.6
Other asset accounts	865	645	220	34.0
Total assets	12,092	8,272	3,820	46.2
Customer deposits	8,860	5,943	2,916	49.1
Central banks and credit institutions	834	767	67	8.8
Marketable debt securities	63	18	45	248.1
Other financial liabilities	762	480	282	58.7
Other liabilities accounts	356	294	62	21.2
Total liabilities	10,875	7,503	3,373	45.0
Total equity	1,216	769	447	58.1
Other managed customer funds	2,425	1,419	1,006	70.9
Mutual funds	2,425	1,419	1,006	70.9
Pension funds	—	—	—	—
Managed portfolios	—	_	—	_

Appendix

## Income statement

Constant EUR million <sup>1</sup>			Variation		
	9M'21	9M'20	Amount	%	
Net interest income	708	563	144	25.6	
Net fee income	272	158	114	72.2	
Gains (losses) on financial transactions	108	40	68	172.9	
Other operating income	(159)	(56)	(103)	184.8	
Total income	929	705	224	31.8	
Operating expenses	(554)	(384)	(170)	44.2	
Net operating income	375	321	54	16.9	
Net loan-loss provisions	(88)	(139)	50	(36.4)	
Other gains (losses) and provisions	(94)	(38)	(56)	149.3	
Underlying profit before tax	193	144	48	33.5	
Tax on profit	(11)	(18)	7	(36.9)	
Underlying profit from continuing operations	182	127	55	43.3	
Net profit from discontinued operations		_	_	_	
Underlying consolidated profit	182	127	55	43.3	
Non-controlling interests	(1)	(1)	(0)	27.2	
Underlying attributable profit to the parent	180	126	55	43.4	

Santander (1) Average exchange rate as at 9M'21



Appendix

## Quarterly income statement



#### Constant EUR million<sup>1</sup>

	Q1'20	Q2'20	Q3'20	Q4'20	Q1'21	Q2'21	Q3'21
Net interest income	148	200	215	259	192	243	272
Net fee income	47	45	66	88	70	90	112
Gains (losses) on financial transactions	14	8	17	16	30	35	43
Other operating income	(13)	(14)	(29)	(52)	(45)	(57)	(57)
Total income	196	239	270	312	247	311	370
Operating expenses	(115)	(120)	(149)	(186)	(161)	(186)	(207)
Net operating income	81	119	121	126	87	126	163
Net loan-loss provisions	(46)	(45)	(47)	(65)	(13)	(35)	(40)
Other gains (losses) and provisions	(8)	(13)	(16)	(26)	(32)	(32)	(29)
Underlying profit before tax	27	60	57	35	41	58	93
Tax on profit	(6)	(5)	(7)	0	2	6	(19)
Underlying profit from continuing operations	21	55	51	36	43	65	74
Net profit from discontinued operations	—	—	—	—	—	—	_
Underlying consolidated profit	21	55	51	36	43	65	74
Non-controlling interests	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)
Underlying attributable profit to the parent	21	54	50	35	43	64	74



Our purpose is to help people and businesses prosper.

Our culture is based on believing that everything we do should be:

## Simple Personal Fair





