



9M 2014 Results and Business Update

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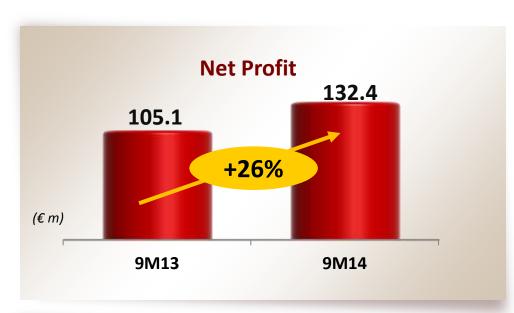
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Yet another excellent quarter





Steady net profit growth: +26%

Growth driven by a sustained business expansion with both net inflows (€3.1bn, +67%) and assets (€33.6bn, +19%) at all-time highs

Strong 3Q management fees: +24%

 Sharp acceleration in quarterly run-rate for management fees, as a result of higher average assets and better product mix

Outstanding profitability ratios

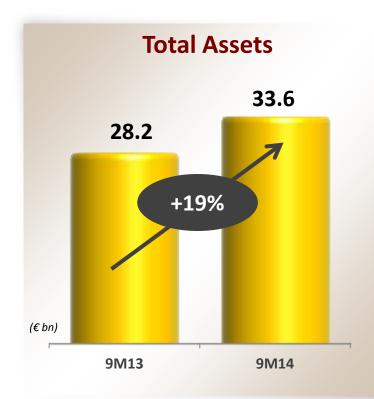
- Asset profitability at 1.86%, with contribution from recurring items (fee+NII) at 1.57%
- Cost/income ratio further improved at 35.4% (from 40.3%)

Solid capital position

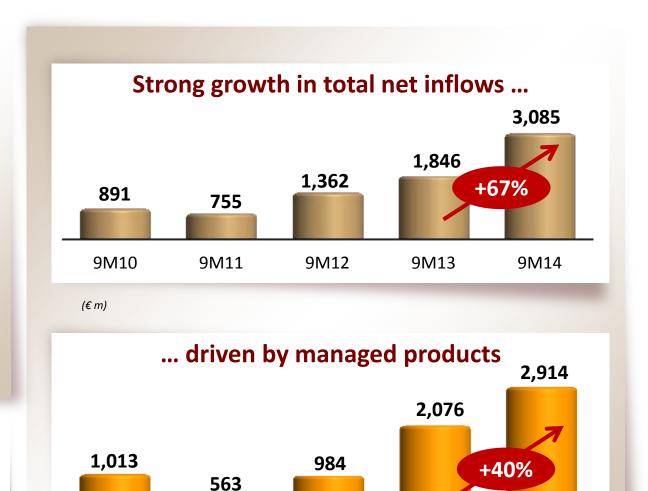
 T1 ratio at 13.9% and TCR at 14.3% at top level for the industry



Net inflows and assets at all-time highs



- Strong increase in assets driven by managed products (+23%)
- 9M net inflows already well above 2013 full years levels



9M12

9M13

9M10

9M11

9M14



Group 9M14 results: key takeaways

(€ m)	9M13	9M14	% Chg
Net Interest Income	92.3	82.3	-10.9%
Gross fees	295.2	353.6	19.8%
Fee expenses	-129.7	-157.3	21.3%
Net Fees	165.5	196.2	18.6%
Net income (loss) from trading activities	10.4	51.3	394.8%
Dividends	0.9	0.8	-10.0%
Net income (loss) from trading activities and Dividends	11.3	52.1	362.2%
Total Banking Income	269.1	330.6	22.9%
Staff expenses	-51.3	-55.7	8.6%
Other general and administrative expense	-77.6	-90.6	16.7%
Depreciation and amortisation	-3.7	-3.1	-14.8%
Other net operating income (expense)	20.4	29.1	42.4%
Total costs	-112.2	-120.3	7.3%
Cost /Income Ratio	-40.3%	-35.4%	4.9 p.p.
Operating Profit	156.9	210.3	34.0%
Net adjustments for impair.loans and other assets	-1.9	-5.3	179.5%
Net provisions for liabilities and contingencies	-18.8	-29.8	58.9%
Profit Before Taxation	136.3	175.2	28.6%
Direct income taxes	-31.2	-43.6	39.7%
Tax rate	22.9%	24.9%	2 p.p.
Income/(losses) after tax on assets held for sales	3.3	0.7	-78.3%
Minorities interest	-3.3	0.0	-100.0%
Net Profit	105.1	132.4	26.0%

Total banking income up by 23% driven by higher net fees and favorable trading conditions

Gross fees up 20% driven by management fees (+21%) thanks to the increase in assets and the better product mix

Operating costs up 7% well below the increase in revenues (+23%) and assets (+19%)

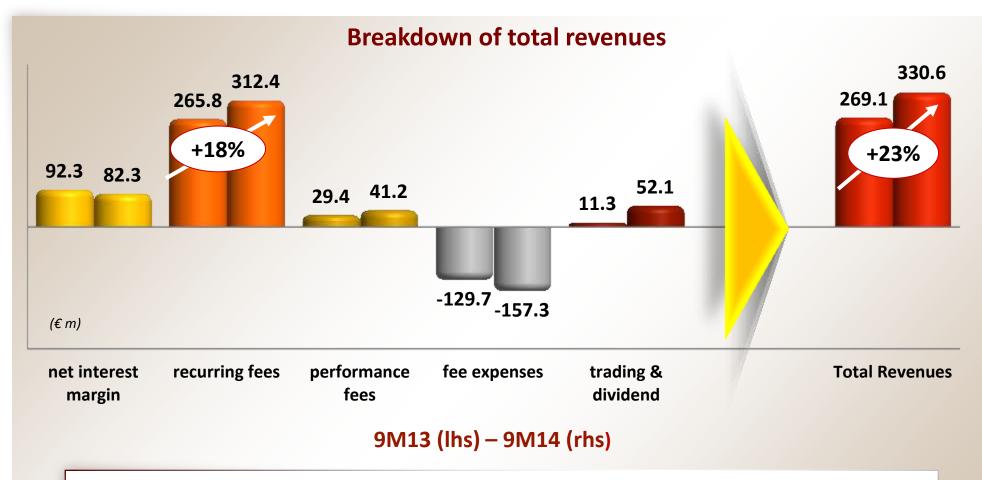
Higher provisions reflect the strong growth in net inflows and high-gear recruiting activity

The increase in **tax-rate** reflects the higher share of trading

Net profit at €132.4m (+26%) best 9M results in 5 years (+121%)



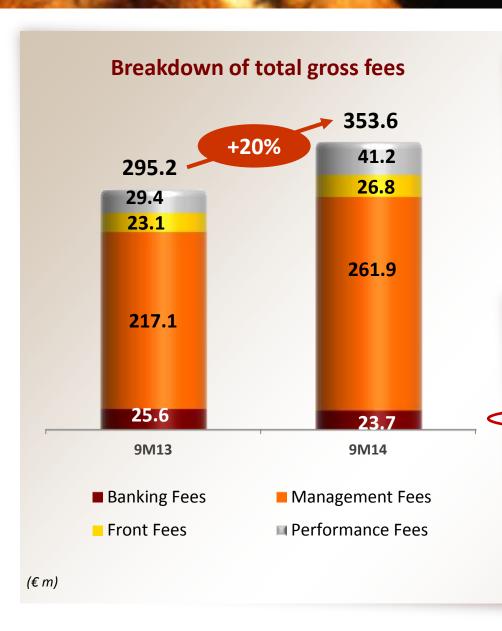
Booming assets feed into revenue growth



- Strong growth in total revenues, with a key contribution from recurring fees
- Favourable trading environment in 2Q more than counterbalanced €10m impact from lower interest rates



Positive trend across fee-income revenues



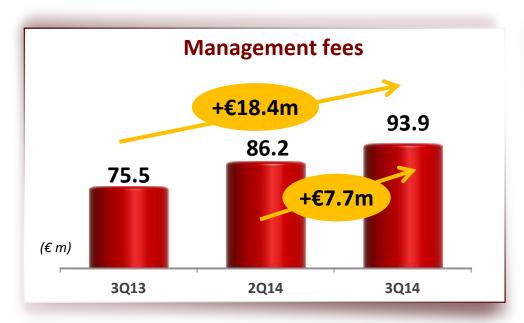
Gross fees driven by management fees

- Double digit growth driven by the continued asset base expansion
- Recurring fees (ex-performance fees) at
 €312m (+18%) represent 88% of total fees

Fee margin			
	9M 12	9M 13	9M14
Recurring fee margin	1.22%	1.30%	1.33%
o/w front	0.11%	0.11%	0.11%
o/w management	1.01%	1.06%	1.12%
o/w banking	0.10%	0.13%	0.10%
Non recurring fee margin	0.23%	0.14%	0.18%
o/w performance	0.23%	0.14%	0.18%
Fee margin	1.45%	1.44%	1.51%



Sharp acceleration in management fees



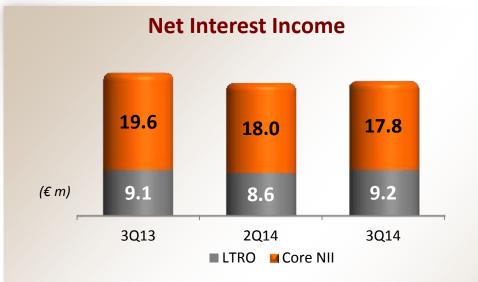
Quarterly run-rate for management fees increased sharply QoQ

- Quarterly run-rate for management fees in 3Q14 at €93.9m (+9% qoq, twice the level of the last two years)
- The QoQ acceleration is linked to the higher average managed assets (€23.1bn, +18%) and to the better product mix (more BG Stile Libero, funds/SICAVs and other insurance products)

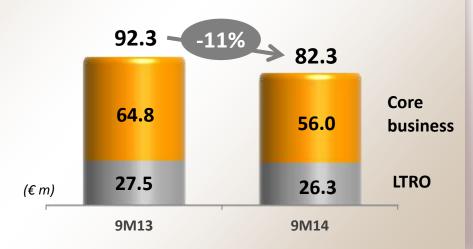




A cautious profile across NII components



9M Net Interest Income (NII)



Defensive profile for bond portfolio

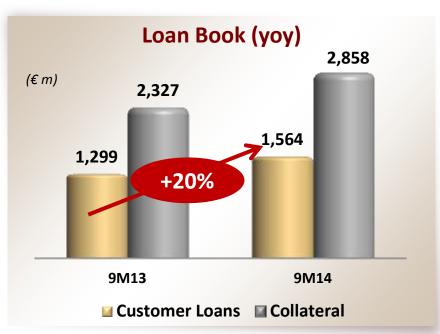
- Broadly stable NII on a QoQ basis, thanks to decreasing funding costs and to the increasing contribution from lending activity
- Defensive investment stance for the Bank's banking book confirmed. Bond duration at 1.6 years, in line with the last three years (maturity at 2.2 years)

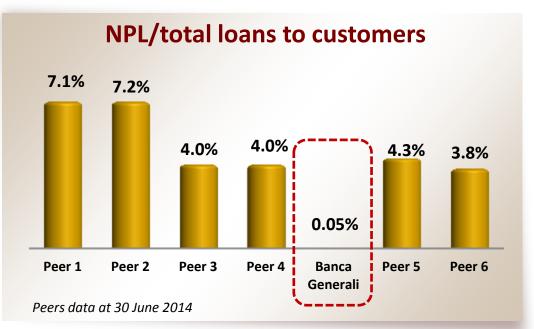
Growing secured lending activity

- Lending activity contributed €15m (+40%) to core NII. The increase is linked to higher loan volumes (€1.6bn, +20%) and higher spread (163 bps, +19 bps yoy)
- Secured lending generated 27% of core NII
- Credit quality is at outstanding levels (NPL at 0.05% of total loans)
- The CSI consolidation will add some €100m to current loan book



Secured lending growing importance

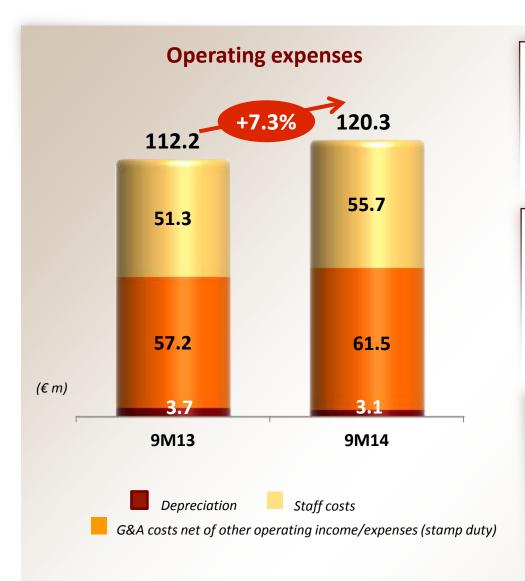








Increased scale is driving cost ratio lower



Operating leverage in place

- Cost increase (+7%) is well below the increase in revenues (+23%) and assets i(+19%)
- Cost/income ratio down to 35.4% (40.3% in 9M13)

Staff costs

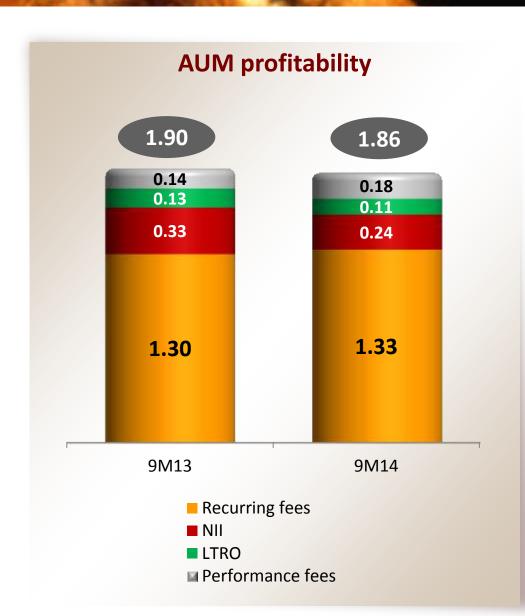
 Costs were driven by: 1) variable incentive schemes linked to the excellent results of the Bank; 2) senior management recruiting for developing new advisory model; 3) more supporting staff linked to increased scale

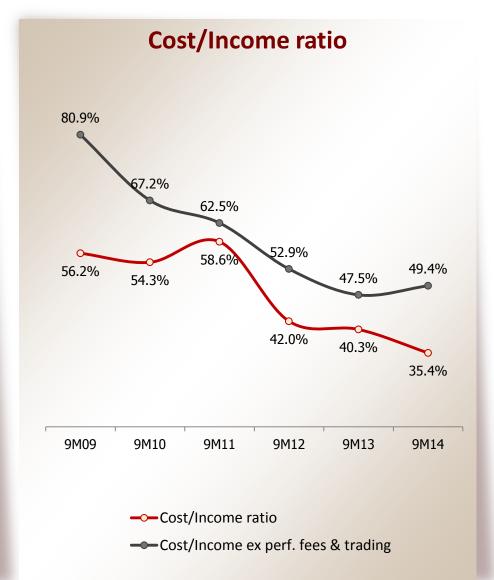
G&A costs (net of stamp duty)

- Total G&A costs incorporated significant oneoff costs linked to the CSI acquisition.
- It also incorporated investments for the upgrading of the IT platform and for the development of the new advisory platform

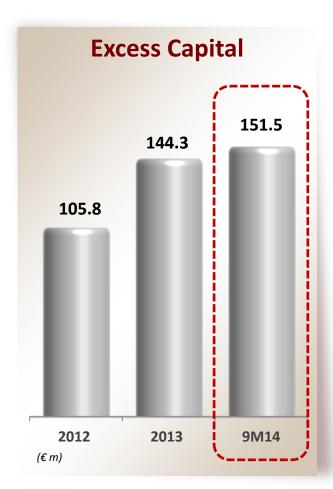


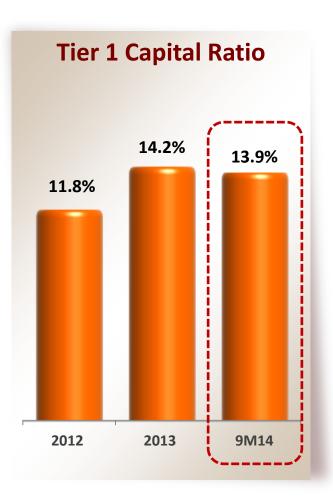
Profitability ratios at best practice levels

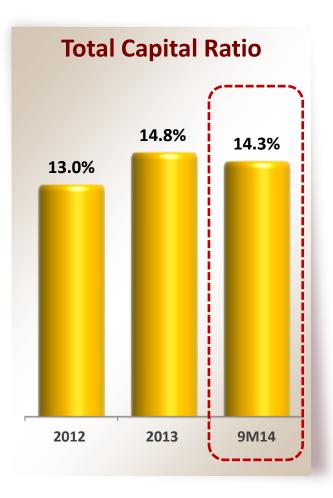












• The slight decrease in the capital ratios (T1 and TC) is due to the impact of Basel 3 coupled with the expansion in the lending activity



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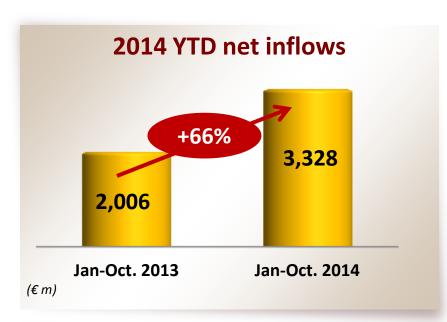
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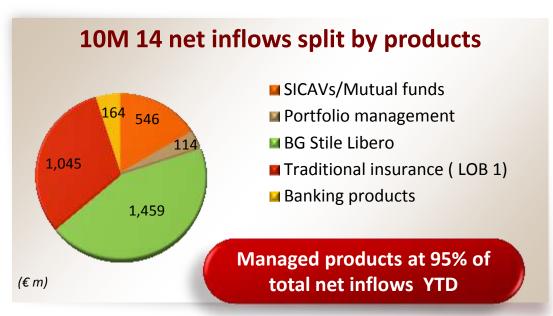
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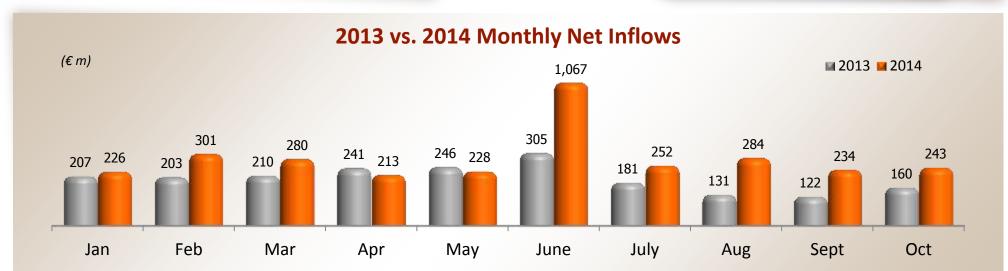
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A record year for net inflows

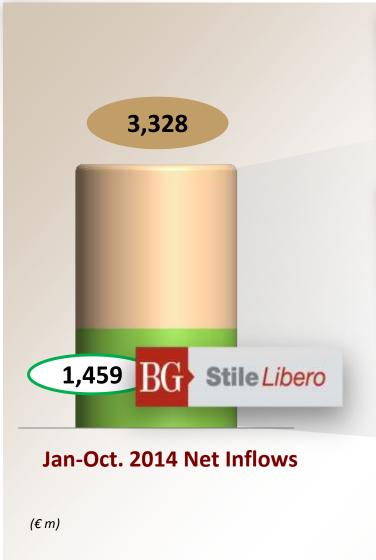






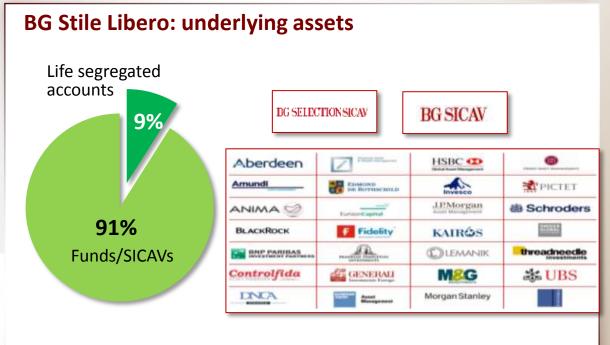


BG Stile Libero delivers above average results



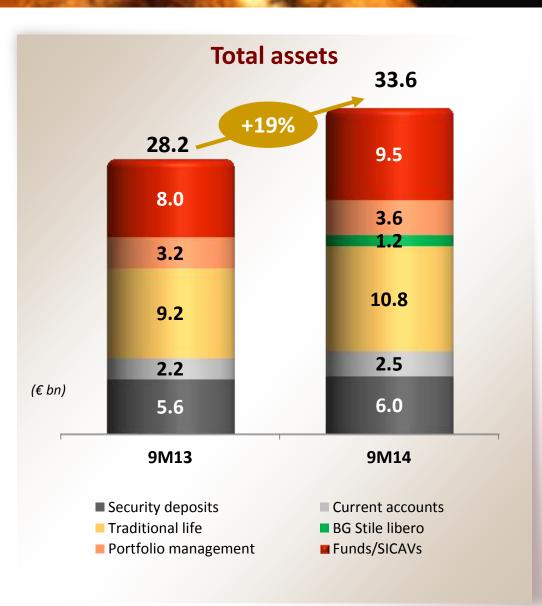
Established as the key tool for investment planning

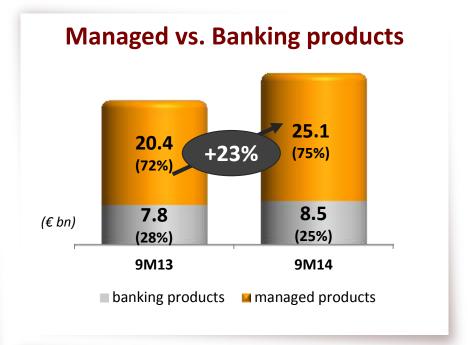
- Date of inception: 28 February, 2014
- Net inflows since inception €1.5bn (≈ 44% of tot. net inflows)





Continued increase in managed assets (+23%)



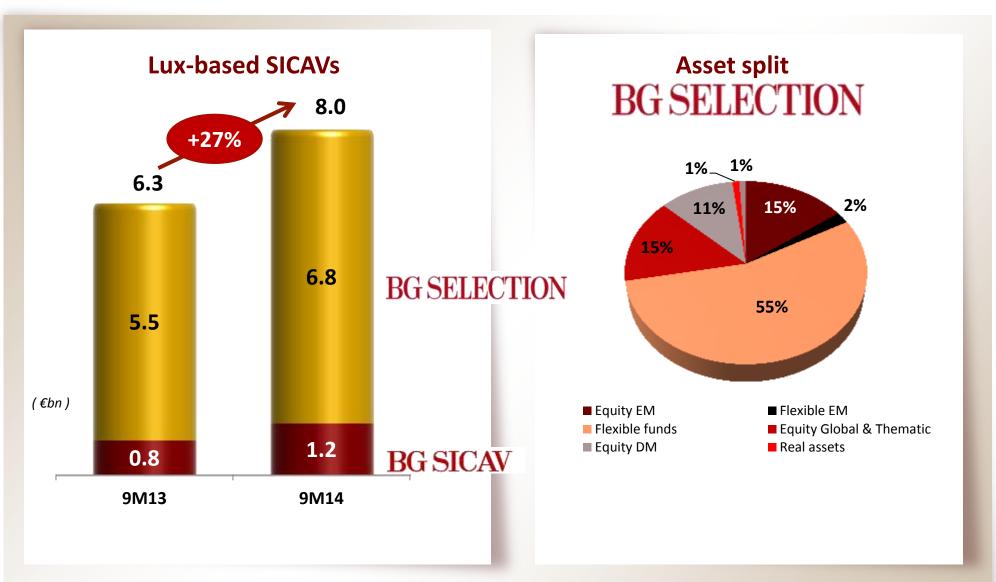


Managed assets at 75% of total (+3pps yoy)

- Total assets at €33.6 (+19%), driven by managed assets (€25.1bn, +23%)
- The bank is indeed exploiting increased demand for enhancing portfolio diversification and seizing worldwide investment opportunities



Double-digit increase for SICAVs



(Assets at 30 September 2014 - €bn)



Recruiting: already above 2013 year-end levels











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Credit Suisse's Italian business acquired ("CSI")

- Transaction completed on 31 October, 2014
- Deal approved by the Bank of Italy
- Asset migration already completed

Economics of the deal

Private Bankers: 51

• Total assets: ≈€1.9bn

Total acquisition consideration: €45m

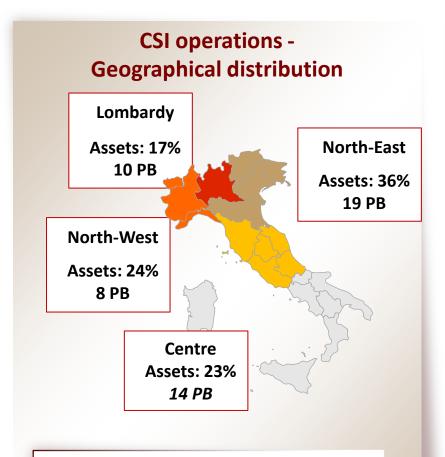
• Deal funding: issue of a **€43m Tier 2 subordinated debt, cash €2m**

• Cost of debt: 3.48% fixed up to 2019

Deal expected to be earnings accretive from 2015

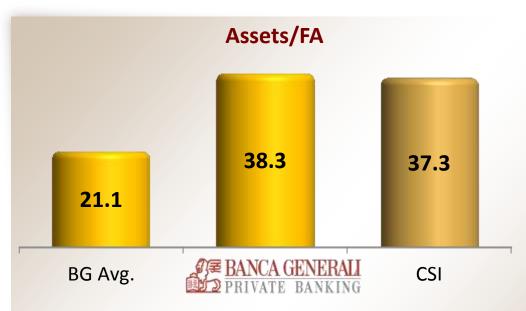


A perfect fit for the existing business



Distribution fit

 Reinforcing BG's presence in the North and Centre of Italy

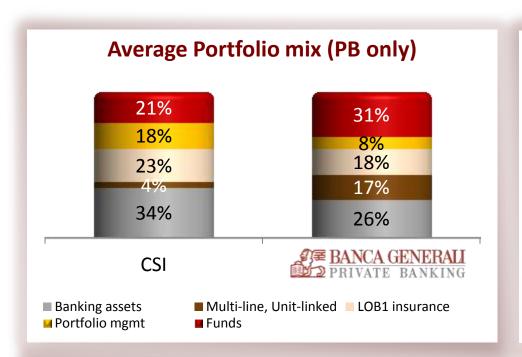


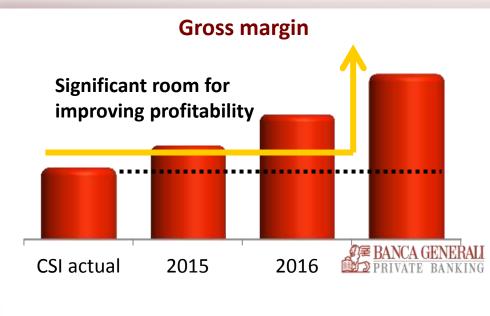
Market positioning

- Strengthening market share in the private banking sector
- Same FA culture and approach to customer service
- Prompting up recruitment of high-profile professionals



Room for increasing CSI profitability





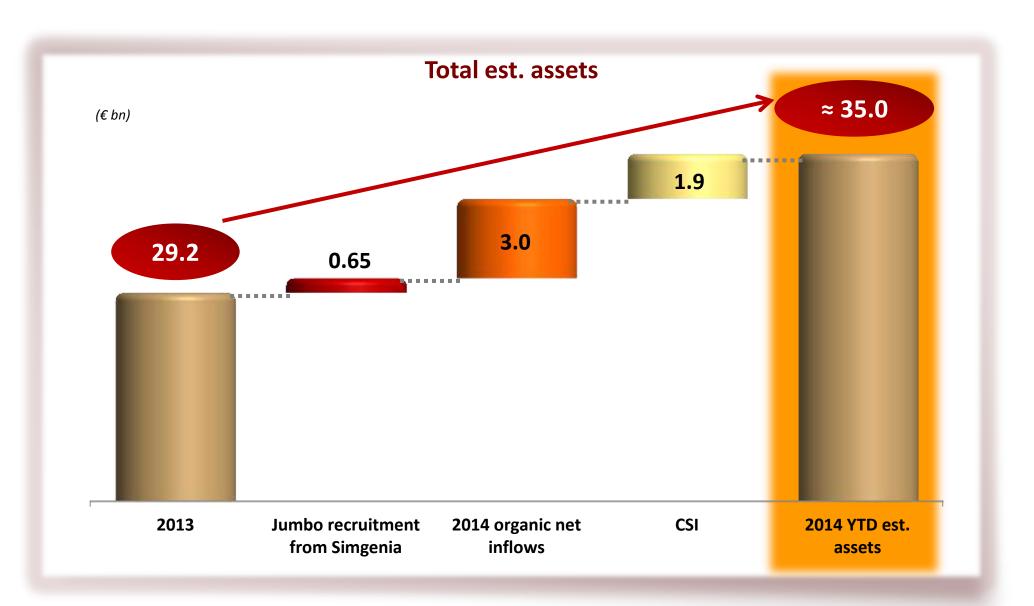
Acquisition expected to be accretive from 2015

- Current CSI profitability is in line with private banking divisions of traditional retail banks
- Increased productivity of the operations acquired stemming from: 1) BG's more comprehensive banking services supported by digital tools and local branches; 2) BG's more advanced insurance offer, including unit-linked and multi-line insurance; 3) BG's wider open architecture offer and more sophisticated inhouse products (BG Selection, BG Sicav, BG Stile Libero)
- Negligible additional fixed costs

Low execution risk

Proven expertise in past integrations

Total Assets heading towards €35bn





Further widening of the service offer







Agreement with pwc, a global brand with a focus on mid-caps and a capillary presence on the Italian market

What it is not

X Corporate lending

Trading on corporate securities

Treasury management

What it is



M&A



Corporate restructuring



Optimisation of financial structure

A new business opportunity



Ongoing efforts to enhance product offer

APP Home banking



- New functions available (bank form on QRcode, bancomat payment/withdrawal
- Better usability



BG SICAV

New third-party mandates

Controlfida





Wider fund offer and Portfolio advisory



- 40 fund managers, 800 funds available
- Recommended portfolio provided by six main fund managers
- Enhanced insurance coverage

New distribution agreements



PIMCO°



Speeding up digital move

Personal branding

- FA personal web page (+ press),
 device independent
- QR code on business card



Business tools

- App Financial desk (+ extended press)
- Digital signature
- Portfolio creation and analysis
- App for recruitment



Personal Advisory

- BG Personal Advisory
- Comprehensive report





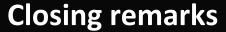


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