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BASIS OF PREPARATION

This report presents the interim Pillar 3 disclosures of Bank of Scotland plc ('the Bank') as at 31 March 2026.

The disclosures have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Disclosure (CRR) section of the PRA Rulebook. Pillar 3 templates required to be disclosed on a quarterly basis that have not been included in this report are listed in the table below along with the reason for exclusion.

PRA reference	Template name	Reason for exclusion
CCR7	RWA flow statements of CCR exposures under the IMM	Not applicable to the Bank
MR2-B	RWA flow statements of market risk exposures under the IMA	Not applicable to the Bank
LIQ1	Liquidity coverage ratio (LCR)	Liquidity is managed at a Lloyds Bank Liquidity Sub-Group level. Refer to the Lloyds Bank plc Q1 2026 Pillar 3 Disclosures for further information.
LIQB	Qualitative information on LCR	

The information presented in this Pillar 3 report is not required to be, and has not been, subject to external audit.

LEVERAGE AND OVERVIEW OF RISK WEIGHTED EXPOSURE AMOUNTS

LR2: Leverage ratio common disclosure¹

LR2		31 Mar 2026	31 Dec 2025	30 Sep 2025	30 Jun 2025
Ref	Leverage ratio				
UK-24b	Total exposure measure excluding claims on central banks	322,922	320,952	318,465	315,906
25	Leverage ratio excluding claims on central banks (%)	4.4%	4.3%	4.2%	4.3%
UK 25c	Leverage ratio including claims on central banks (%)	4.4%	4.2%	4.2%	4.2%
Additional leverage ratio disclosure requirements - leverage ratio buffers					
27	Leverage ratio buffer (%) ²	0.7%	0.7%	0.7%	0.7%
UK-27b	Of which: countercyclical leverage ratio buffer (%)	0.7%	0.7%	0.7%	0.7%
Additional leverage ratio disclosure requirements - disclosure of mean values					
UK-31	Average total exposure measure including claims on central banks ³	324,504	322,402	319,950	317,263
UK-32	Average total exposure measure excluding claims on central banks ³	321,833	319,700	317,239	314,549
UK-33	Average leverage ratio including claims on central banks (%) ³	4.4%	4.3%	4.3%	4.3%
UK-34	Average leverage ratio excluding claims on central banks (%) ³	4.4%	4.3%	4.3%	4.4%

¹ Extracts of LR2 (Leverage ratio common disclosure) that are required to be disclosed quarterly.

² The additional leverage ratio buffer (ALRB) does not apply for the Bank.

³ The average UK leverage ratio is based on the average of the month end tier 1 capital position and average exposure measure over the quarter.

The Bank's UK leverage ratio increased to 4.4% at 31 March 2026 (31 December 2025: 4.3%) reflecting an increase in total tier 1 capital, partially offset by the increase in the leverage exposure measure following lending growth.

LEVERAGE AND OVERVIEW OF RISK WEIGHTED EXPOSURE AMOUNTS (Continued)**OV1: Overview of risk weighted exposure amounts**

		Total RWA		Total own funds requirements
		31 Mar 2026	31 Dec 2025	31 Mar 2026
		£m	£m	£m
1	Credit risk (excluding CCR)	76,126	75,342	6,090
2	Of which the standardised approach	6,314	6,196	505
3	Of which the foundation IRB (FIRB) approach	1,197	1,400	96
4	Of which slotting approach	550	542	44
UK 4a	Of which equities under the simple risk weighted approach	2,861	2,782	229
5	Of which the advanced IRB (AIRB) approach	64,211	63,418	5,137
	Of which: non-credit obligation assets ¹	993	1,004	79
6	Counterparty credit risk (CCR)	173	188	14
7	Of which the standardised approach	98	125	8
UK 8b	Of which credit valuation adjustment (CVA)	75	63	6
16	Securitisation exposures in the non-trading book (after the cap)	701	722	56
17	Of which SEC-IRBA approach	–	–	–
18	Of which SEC-ERBA approach (including IAA)	700	705	56
19	Of which SEC-SA approach	1	17	–
20	Position, foreign exchange and commodities risks (Market risk)	57	54	5
21	Of which the standardised approach	57	54	5
23	Operational risk	6,051	6,051	484
UK 23b	Of which standardised approach	6,051	6,051	484
24	Memo: Amounts below the thresholds for deduction (subject to 250% risk weight)	2,866	2,806	229
29	Total	83,108	82,357	6,649
	Pillar 2A capital requirement ²			1,581
	Total capital requirement			8,230

¹ Non-credit obligation assets (IRB approach) predominantly relate to other balance sheet assets that have no associated credit risk.

² As at 31 March 2026, the Bank's Pillar 2A capital requirement was c.1.9% of risk-weighted assets, of which c.1.1% is to be met with CET1 capital.

LEVERAGE AND OVERVIEW OF RISK WEIGHTED EXPOSURE AMOUNTS (Continued)**CR8: RWA flow statements of credit risk exposures under the IRB approach**

The table below summarises the movements of risk-weighted assets for credit risk exposures under the Internal Ratings Based (IRB) Approach. The table excludes counterparty credit risk exposures, securitisation exposures, other non-credit obligation assets and equity exposures.

	Total RWA quarter to 31 Mar 2026
	£m
1 Risk weighted exposure amount as at the end of previous reporting period	65,360
2 Asset size (+/-)	530
3 Asset quality (+/-)	37
8 Other (+/-)	31
9 Risk weighted exposure amount at the end of the reporting period	65,958

Key movements 31 December 2025 to 31 March 2026:

– **Asset size** increase largely driven by Retail lending growth.

FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This document contains certain forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 21E of the US Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and section 27A of the US Securities Act of 1933, as amended, with respect to the business, strategy, plans and/or results of Bank of Scotland plc together with its subsidiaries (the Group) and its current goals and expectations. Statements that are not historical or current facts, including statements about the Group's or its directors' and/or management's beliefs and expectations, are forward-looking statements. Words such as, without limitation, 'believes', 'achieves', 'anticipates', 'estimates', 'expects', 'targets', 'should', 'intends', 'aims', 'projects', 'plans', 'potential', 'will', 'would', 'could', 'considered', 'likely', 'may', 'seek', 'estimate', 'probability', 'goal', 'objective', 'deliver', 'endeavour', 'prospects', 'optimistic' and similar expressions or variations on these expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements. 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A number of these influences and factors are beyond the Group's control. Please refer to the latest Annual Report on Form 20-F filed by Lloyds Banking Group plc with the US Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC), which is available on the SEC's website at www.sec.gov, for a discussion of certain factors and risks. Lloyds Banking Group plc may also make or disclose written and/or oral forward-looking statements in other written materials and in oral statements made by the directors, officers or employees of Lloyds Banking Group plc to third parties, including financial analysts. Except as required by any applicable law or regulation, the forward-looking statements contained in this document are made as of today's date, and the Group expressly disclaims any obligation or undertaking to release publicly any updates or revisions to any forward-looking statements contained in this document whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise. 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