Lloyds Banking Group plc

Q1 2017 Interim Pillar 3 Report

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BASIS OF PRESENTATION

This report presents the interim Pillar 3 disclosures of Lloyds Banking Group plc ('the Group') as at 31 March 2017 and should be read in conjunction with the Group's Q1 2017 Interim Management Statement.

The disclosures have been prepared in accordance with the European Banking Authority's revised guidelines on Pillar 3 disclosure formats and frequency that were published in December 2016. In addition to summary capital and leverage disclosures, the guidelines require specific templates to be disclosed on a quarterly basis and these are included within this report with the following exceptions:

- Disclosures required by Template CR8 (RWA flow statements of credit risk exposures under the IRB approach) have been covered through the analysis of risk-weighted asset movements by key driver.
- Template CCR7 (RWA flow statements of CCR exposures under the IMM) is not applicable to the Group.
- Template MR2-B (RWA flow statements of market risk exposures under the IMA) has been omitted on the grounds of materiality.

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

FORWARD LOOKING STATEMENTS

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CAPITAL AND LEVERAGE DISCLOSURES

	Transitional		Fully loaded	
	At 31 Mar 2017	At 31 Dec 2016	**At 31 Mar 2017**	At 31 Dec 2016
Capital resources	**£ million**	£ million	**£ million**	£ million
Common equity tier 1				
Shareholders' equity per balance sheet	**44,303**	43,020	**44,303**	43,020
Deconsolidation adjustments[1]	**1,848**	1,342	**1,848**	1,342
Other adjustments	**(4,317)**	(3,893)	**(4,317)**	(3,893)
Deductions from common equity tier 1	**(11,246)**	(11,185)	**(11,246)**	(11,185)
Common equity tier 1 capital	**30,588**	29,284	**30,588**	29,284
Additional tier 1 instruments	**8,075**	8,626	**5,320**	5,320
Deductions from tier 1	**(1,292)**	(1,329)	**–**	–
Total tier 1 capital	**37,371**	36,581	**35,908**	34,604
Tier 2 instruments and eligible provisions	**11,032**	11,113	**7,580**	7,918
Deductions from tier 2	**(1,640)**	(1,571)	**(2,932)**	(2,900)
Total capital resources	**46,763**	46,123	**40,556**	39,622
Total risk-weighted assets	**213,715**	215,534	**213,715**	215,534
Leverage				
Statutory balance sheet assets			**817,416**	817,793
Deconsolidation and other adjustments[1]			**(160,140)**	(169,370)
Off-balance sheet items			**58,536**	58,685
Total exposure measure			**715,812**	707,108
Ratios				
Common equity tier 1 capital ratio	**14.3%**	13.6%	**14.3%**	13.6%
Tier 1 capital ratio	**17.5%**	17.0%	**16.8%**	16.1%
Total capital ratio	**21.9%**	21.4%	**19.0%**	18.4%
Leverage ratio[2]			**5.0%**	4.9%
Modified UK leverage ratio[3]			**5.4%**	5.2%
Average modified UK leverage ratio[4]			**5.3%**	
Average modified UK leverage exposure measure[5]			**663,917**	

1 Deconsolidation adjustments relate to the deconsolidation of certain Group entities for regulatory capital and leverage purposes, being primarily the Group's Insurance business.

2 The countercyclical leverage ratio buffer is currently nil.

3 The Group's leverage ratio on a modified basis, excluding qualifying central bank claims from the exposure measure in accordance with the rule modification applied to the UK Leverage Ratio Framework.

4 The average modified UK leverage ratio is based on the average of the month end tier 1 capital and modified exposure measures over the quarter (1 January 2017 to 31 March 2017). The average of 5.3 per cent reflected a strengthening tier 1 capital position against a broadly flat exposure measure over the quarter.

5 The average modified UK leverage exposure measure is based on the average of the month end exposure measures over the quarter (1 January 2017 to 31 March 2017).

Overview of risk-weighted assets (Template OV1)

	At 31 Mar 2017 £m	At 31 Dec 2016 £m
Credit risk (excluding counterparty credit risk)	**161,630**	162,650
Of which standardised approach	**18,716**	18,688
Of which the foundation rating-based (FIRB) approach	**49,485**	51,438
Of which the retail IRB (RIRB) approach	**65,308**	64,970
Of which corporates – specialised lending	**13,105**	13,469
Of which non-credit obligation assets	**6,859**	6,427
Of which equity IRB under the simple risk-weight or the internal models approach	**8,157**	7,658
Counterparty credit risk	**8,945**	9,623
Of which marked to market	**6,843**	7,552
Of which original exposure	**–**	–
Of which standardised approach	**–**	–
Of which internal ratings-based model method (IMM)	**–**	–
Of which comprehensive approach for credit risk mitigation (for SFTs)	**701**	712
Of which exposures to central counterparties (including trades, default fund contributions and initial margin)	**598**	495
Of which credit valuation adjustment (CVA)	**803**	864
Settlement risk	**–**	–
Securitisation exposures in banking book[1]	**4,148**	3,971
Of which IRB ratings-based approach (RBA)	**3,045**	2,878
Of which IRB supervisory formula approach (SFA)	**45**	–
Of which internal assessment approach (IAA)	**797**	825
Of which standardised approach	**261**	268
Market risk	**2,773**	3,147
Of which standardised approach	**406**	352
Of which internal model approaches	**2,367**	2,795
Large exposures	**–**	–
Operational risk	**25,292**	25,292
Of which basic indicator approach	**–**	–
Of which standardised approach	**25,292**	25,292
Of which advanced measurement approach	**–**	–
Amounts below the thresholds for deduction (subject to 250% risk weight)	**10,927**	10,851
Floor adjustment	**–**	–
Total risk-weighted assets	**213,715**	215,534
Total minimum capital requirements	**17,097**	17,243

[1] Securitisations are shown separately in the table but are included within credit risk in the movement by key driver analysis.

Risk-weighted asset movements by key driver

	Credit risk IRB £m	Credit risk STA £m	Credit risk[1] £m	Counterparty credit risk[2] £m	Market risk £m	Operational risk £m	Total £m
Total risk-weighted assets as at 31 December 2016							215,534
Less total threshold risk-weighted assets[3]							(10,851)
Risk-weighted assets as at 31 December 2016	147,665	18,956	166,621	9,623	3,147	25,292	204,683
Asset size	**(679)**	**162**	**(517)**	**(150)**	**–**	**–**	**(667)**
Asset quality	**383**	**–**	**383**	**(345)**	**–**	**–**	**38**
Model updates	**(25)**	**–**	**(25)**	**–**	**–**	**–**	**(25)**
Methodology and policy	**(370)**	**(87)**	**(457)**	**–**	**–**	**–**	**(457)**
Acquisitions and disposals	**–**	**–**	**–**	**–**	**–**	**–**	**–**
Movements in risk levels (market risk only)	**–**	**–**	**–**	**–**	**(374)**	**–**	**(374)**
Foreign exchange	**(173)**	**(54)**	**(227)**	**(183)**	**–**	**–**	**(410)**
Risk-weighted assets as at 31 March 2017	**146,801**	**18,977**	**165,778**	**8,945**	**2,773**	**25,292**	**202,788**
Threshold risk-weighted assets[3]							**10,927**
Total risk-weighted assets as at 31 March 2017							**213,715**

[1] Credit risk includes securitisation risk-weighted assets.

[2] Counterparty credit risk includes movements in contributions to the default fund of central counterparties and movements in credit valuation adjustment risk.

[3] Threshold risk-weighted assets reflect the element of significant investments and deferred tax assets that are permitted to be risk-weighted instead of being deducted from CET1 capital. Significant investments primarily arise from investments in the Group's Insurance business.

The risk-weighted assets movement table provides analysis of the reduction in risk-weighted assets in the period by risk type and an insight into the key drivers of the movements. The key driver analysis is compiled on a monthly basis through the identification and categorisation of risk-weighted asset movements and is subject to management judgment.

Movements in credit risk-weighted assets in the three months to 31 March 2017 were driven by the following:

- Asset size movements resulted in credit risk-weighted assets reducing by £0.5 billion due to continued active portfolio management partially offset by targeted growth in key customer segments.
- Asset quality movements capture movements resulting from changes in borrower risk, including changes in the economic environment. The net increases in credit risk-weighted assets of £0.4 billion primarily relate to countercyclical risk-weighting impacts rather than any underlying change in asset quality.
- Methodology and policy reductions of £0.5 billion primarily relate to capital efficient securitisation activity.
- Foreign exchange movements reflect the appreciation of Sterling which has contributed to a £0.2 billion decrease in credit risk-weighted assets.

Counterparty credit risk and CVA risk-weighted assets reduced by £0.7 billion mainly driven by foreign exchange and yield curve movements.

Market risk-weighted assets reduced by £0.4 billion largely due to a decrease in the value of long-dated inflation linked gilts and a decrease in interest rate exposure.

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