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**Business Equity Sustainability Trust** 

STRATEGIC PLAN 2019-2021

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### **Introduction to BPER Group**

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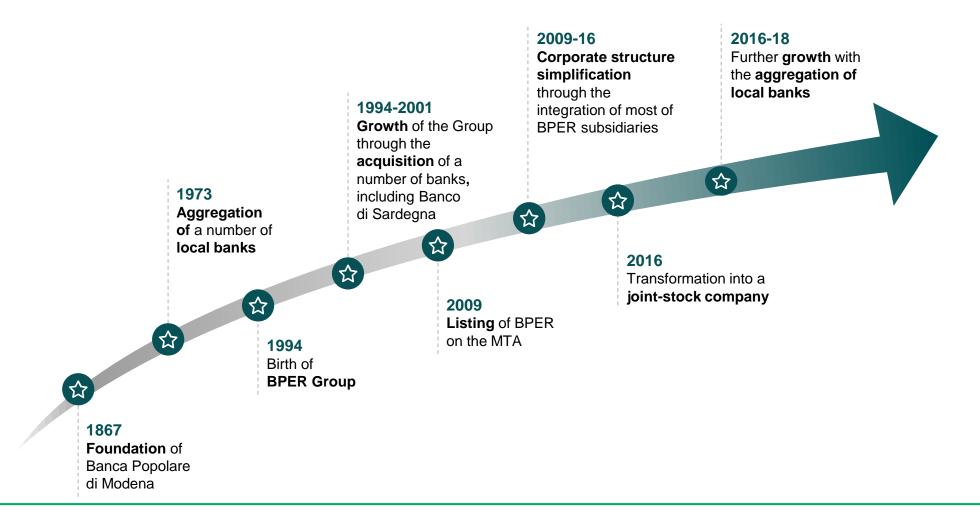
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# BPER Group: over 150 years of history, continuously evolving





### A clear path undertaken over the past 3 years



# Focus on de-risking and solid capital position

- Set-up of BPER Credit
   Management (company focused on NPLs management)
- Gross NPE ratio at 13.8% (11.6% post extraordinary transactions), ~-10 pp vs the June 2016 peak
- CET1 and Tier 1 ratio fully phased FY 2018 equal to, respectively, ~11.9% and 12.0%



Development of the commercial model

- Introduction of dedicated teams and service models
- Transformation of Banca di Sassari into a product factory specialized in consumer credit
- Renewal of the Bancassurance agreement with UnipolSai



# Simplification and optimization of the operating model

- Review of back-office operations
- Delayering of HQ and central structures<sup>1</sup>
- Optimization of the branch network



Evolution of the distribution model

- Footprint rationalization (180<sup>2</sup> branches closed) and implementation of the hub&spoke model
- Introduction of cashlight branches (143 branches involved)
- Development of a multichannel distribution model



- 1. Simplification of the number of organizational units
- 2. Of which 50 closures of Carife

## Three strategic transactions announced in February 2019

Increased scale, value creation, acceleration of de-risking and capital strength confirmed









#### **Description**

- Acquisition of all ordinary and preference shares held by Fondazione di Sardegna in Banco di Sardegna ("BdS") in exchange of new BPER shares and with a convertible AT1 instrument issued by BPER
- Cash acquisition of 100% of Unipol Banca
- Cash disposal of ~ € 1.0 billion gross bad loans portfolio to Unipol Group
- Acquisition in cash with Banca Popolare di Sondrio of 39.99% of Arca SGR
- BPER's stake in Arca SGR increasing to 57%

# Strategic rationale for BPER Group

- Significant improvement in the level of regulatory capital
- Acceleration of the cost optimization process for BdS
- Further **simplification** of the Group structure
- Acquisition of a "clean" bank with no legacy issues
- Increase scale and client base.
   Broaden distribution footprint
- Acceleration of asset quality derisking
- · Significant value creation

 Enhancement of Arca SGR as a key player in Italian asset management space, further strengthening its competitive positioning and contributing to developing its distribution and industrial capabilities

Transaction not included in 2019-21 Industrial Plan

# Potential upside

- Acceleration of the multi-channel strategy (branches, "MyUnipol Banca" online bank, contact center, network of financial advisors)
- · Assurbanking: development of an innovative approach to the distribution of banking products through insurance channels
- Strengthening of consumer credit (Finitalia-UnipolSai partnership) together with Banca di Sassari
- Development of Arca SGR's distribution and industrial capabilities, also considering the possibility to open to new investors who can contribute to the development of the distribution channels or to the further diversification and optimization of its production and innovation capabilities



# The starting point of the Industrial Plan 2019-21

Increased sales thanks to the three strategic transactions

	BPER 2018 <sup>1</sup>	BPER 2018 PF <sup>2</sup>	Variation
Gross customer loans (€B)	51	57	+13%
Total funding (€B)	91	148	+63%
Operating income (€M)	2,163	2,506	+16%
Pre-tax income (€M)	346	510	+48%
# Clients (M)	2.2	2.7	+23%
# Employees	11,615	13,815	+19%
# Branches	1,218	1,476	+21%
Gross NPE ratio (%)	13.8%	11.6%	-2.2pp
CET 1 ratio fully phased (%)	11.9%	11.4%	-0.5pp
Tier 1 ratio fully phased (%)	12.0%	11.8%	-0.2pp



<sup>1.</sup> FY2018 reported data

<sup>2.</sup> *Pro-forma* for the strategic transactions announced on the 8<sup>th</sup> February 2019: transaction with Unipol Gruppo and the acquisition of the Fondazione di Sardegna Minorities in Banco di Sardegna. The impacts exclude the increase of BPER's stakes in Arca SGR

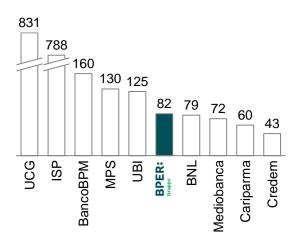
### BPER: a strong and establish Group with a solid client base

### BPER data *pro-forma* for Unipol Banca



# One of the largest banking Groups in Italy

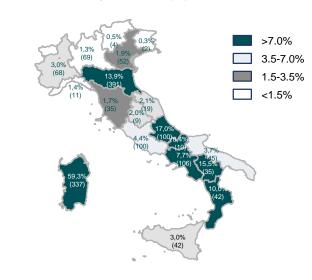
Total assets 2018¹ (€B)





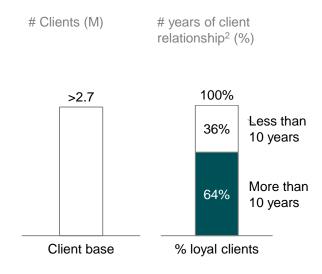
# Network distributed across the entire country

Market share by branches (%)





### Large and loyal client base







- 1. BNL and Cariparma at 31/12/2017
- 2. Data referred to BPER Banca only

# A Group with a strong identity



**5 Commercial Banks** 











A full range of







**Consumer credit** 

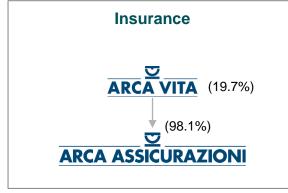




Luxembourg bank

**BPER**: **Bank Luxembourg** 

products and services



Leasing





**Factoring** 



**NPEs** management

**CREDIT** MANAGEMENT

**Operations and IT** 

**BPER**: **Services** 





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# Plan reflects a macro environment characterized by expectations of slower growth and a number of uncertainities



- Macroeconomic outlook
- Slowdown in global GDP growth, particularly in emerging and developing countries<sup>1</sup>
- Worsening expectations for world trade trend <sup>1</sup>



- Slowdown in the Euro Area GDP growth<sup>2</sup>
- In December 2018<sup>3</sup>, German industrial production decreased by 3.9%



- Weakening of the economic recovery, with expected growth below 1% for the next 2 years<sup>4</sup>
- Significant decrease of industrial production in 2018 (-5.5% in December) <sup>5</sup>

Elements of attention and uncertainty

- Commercial tensions between US and China
- Slowdown in emerging countries consumption following the dollar appreciation
- Uncertainty linked to the 2019
   European elections, with nationalistic pressures in some countries
- Future relations between the European Union and the United Kingdom still to be defined
- Review of Quantitative Easing by the ECB

- High volatility of the BTP-Bund spread
- Impacts of the new budget law not immediately verifiable



### **Industrial Plan 2019-21**

### 3 pillars supported by 3 levers







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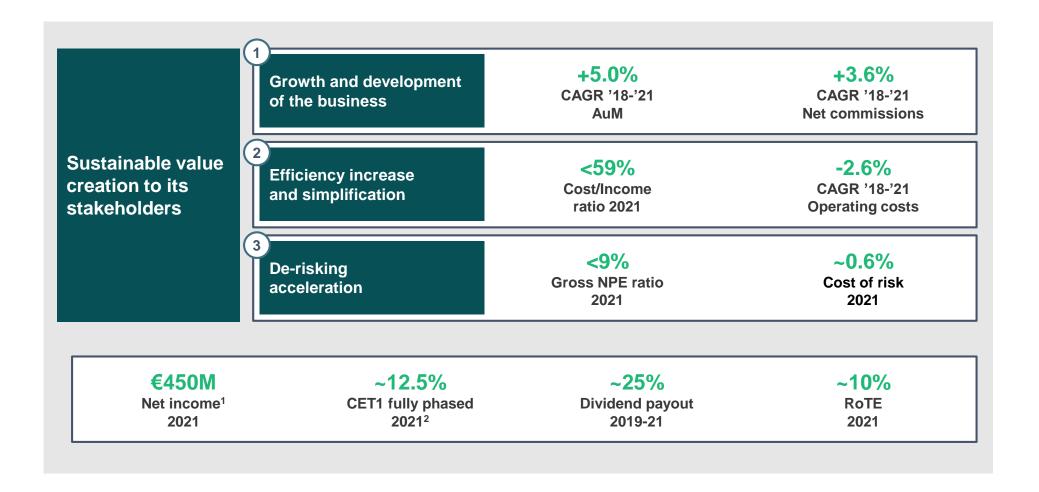
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Sustainable value creation for stakeholders



## Industrial Plan 2019-21 key financial targets





<sup>1.</sup> Net income including minorities contribution

<sup>2.</sup> It excludes the potential benefits connected to the extension of AIRB models to Unipol Banca and the potential conversion of €150M AT1

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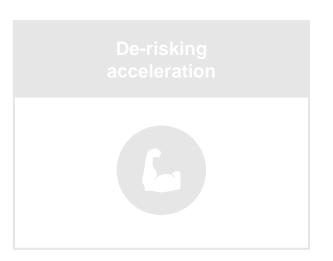
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### Strengthening of the Bancassurance agreement with Arca Vita and Arca Assicurazioni

#### **Initiatives**

Strengthening of the supply and of the distribution model

- Full integration between the insurance and the bank offer
- Strengthening the multi-channel proposition of the Bancassurance value-chain
- Launch of sales campaigns to **increase the penetration** of insurance products and the average premium

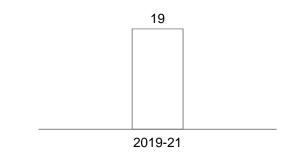


- Creation of dedicated structures for the supervision and the promotion of Bancassurance
- Introduction of insurance specialists and strengthening of the roles dedicated to Bancassurance
- Launch of a wide internal **change management plan**



 IT system integration between Arca Vita and Arca Assicurazioni and BPER

# Average annual growth of insurance premia<sup>1</sup> %



#### Penetration of insurance products<sup>1</sup>





1. Data referred to BPER Group ante extraordinary transactions. Also, it is referred to damage and health insurance products on private customers

### Full potential of wealth management

#### **Initiatives**

### Strengthening of the product factories

- Strengthening and centralization in Optima<sup>1</sup> of the Group's investment services (asset management and advisory)
- Leveraging on the Luxembourg SICAV as a multimanager for private and personal customers

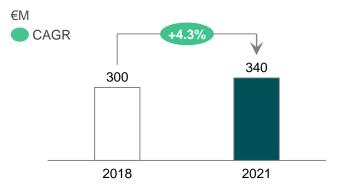
### **Development** and specialization of the distribution model

- Development of dedicated centers for private clients (25-30 centers across Italy)
- Strengthening of the task force dedicated to the Key Clients
- Development of the Unipol Banca network of financial advisors, also in areas with limited coverage of BPER branches

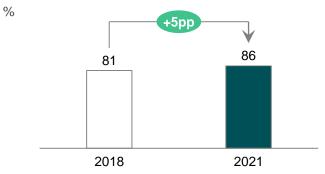
### Offer innovation and rationalization

- Rationalization of the product catalogue
- Development of alternative investments products for customers with an high potential

#### Commissions from indirect funding and life insurance



### AuM/Indirect funding (private clients only)<sup>2</sup>





- 1. BPER Group company specialized in investment services and asset management
- 2. Data referred to BPER Group ante extraordinary transactions

Full development of Banca di Sassari as a consumer credit and payments company

#### **Initiatives**

Consolidation and development of consumer credit

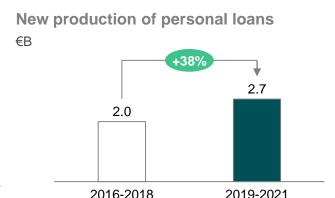
- Optimization and automation of internal processes to improve efficiency, effectiveness and time to market
- Extension to the non-captive market of personal loans and salary-back loans by Banca di Sassari
- Development of credit pre-acceptance processes

**Development** of payment services

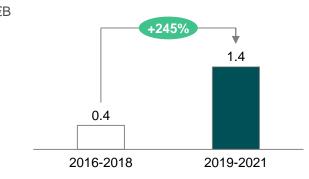
- · Redesign of the processes and of the organizational structure in order to ensure a strong development of the payments business
- Definition of a growth strategy on payments, even towards non-captive customers

**Development of** the distribution model

• Strengthening of direct and indirect channels, both traditional and digital



New production of salary-back loans





Strengthening of global advisory services for corporate and SME clients

#### **Initiatives**

Strengthening of the global advisory services

- Strengthening of multi-service specialist teams, both at central and local levels
- Constant monitoring of customer needs to increase lead generation
- Focus on financial and consulting needs with particular attention to the following topics:
  - Internationalization
  - Search for subsidized and / or structured sources of financing

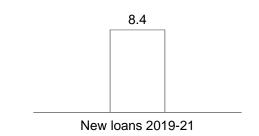
Sector specialization

 Creation of a highly specialized team of professionals dedicated to the development of companies in sectors of excellence

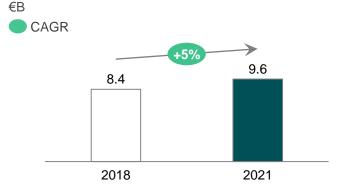
Business finance and investment banking

- Support to high-potential clients in the management of extraordinary events such as:
  - Access to the capital market
  - Finance for growth

New production of Corporate and SME loans €B



### Stock of short-term Corporate and SME loans

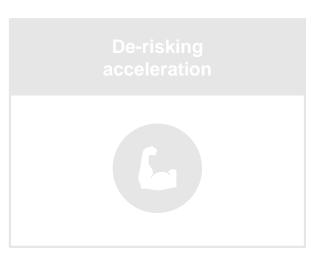




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### **Evolution of the distribution model**

### Footprint reorganization (-230 branches) and new branch formats

#### **Initiatives**

# Footprint rationalization

• Closure of 230 branches (-16%), of which, more than 50% by the end of 2019

# Streamlining of the network governance

 Reorganization and streamlining of the network governance ensuring a more efficient organization and, at the same time, a tighter control of the network

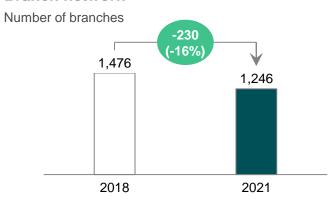
# Innovative branch models

- Introduction of cashless branches, acceleration of cashlight branches openings and installation of advanced self-service machines (CSA<sup>1</sup>, advanced ATM and Remote Teller)
- Set-up of lean branches

# Branch processes optimization

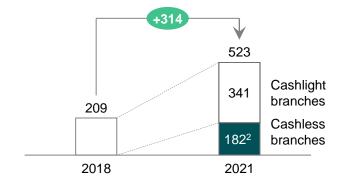
- Simplification of administrative and cash management processes
- Centralization of non-commercial activities to middle and back office (e.g. payments, credit transfers) with increased focus on front-end and high-value-added activities

#### **Branch network**



#### Cashlight e cashless branches

Number of branches





- 1. CSA: Automated machine
- 2. Of which, 73 branches converted from cashlight to cashless

## Rationalization of the Group structure

### Group structure simplification

#### **Initiatives**



- Group target profile characterized by:
  - Two commercial banks: it is expected the integration of Unipol Banca, Cassa di Risparmio di Bra and Cassa di Risparmio di Saluzzo in BPER Banca
  - Integration of BPER Services in BPER Banca
  - A full range of product factories, thanks to the reinforcement of the consumer credit's company
  - Potential further integrations of smaller companies

#### **Evolution of commercial banks of the Group**

# **BPER:** Banco di Sardegna **Today** Banca 5 commercial banks

2021

2 commercial banks







### Valorization of the Real Estate portfolio

### Set-up of a specialized unit and space optimization

#### **Initiatives**

Creation of an Active Real Estate Management unit

- Centralization of all the Group Real Estate activities in a highly specialized unit of portfolio asset management (for business and non-business properties)
- Real Estate competences enrichment thanks to the recruitment of specialists
- Potential strategic partnership with specialized consultants and/or servicing/advisory companies
- Proactive management of assets used as collateral for NPEs, integrated with the lending unit

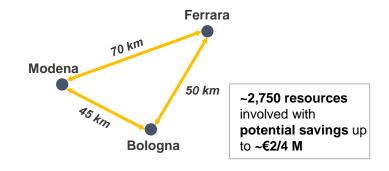
Space optimization

- Space optimization of business properties through space management, footprint rationalization and smart working
- Valorization and remarketing of secondary HQ structures and business properties
- Reorganization of Modena, Bologna and Ferrara hubs after the integration of Unipol Banca

#### **Group properties**



Hub of Modena, Ferrara and Bologna







## **Review of Operations processes and IT evolution**

### Optimization of Operations' processes and continuous evolution of the IT system

#### **Initiatives**

End-to-End review of Operations processes

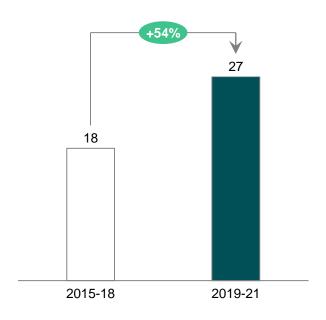
- Simplification and lean innovation of operating processes
- Performance and capacity management models to manage and plan the workforce
- Operational productivity increase through:
  - Dematerialization and extensive use of monitoring tools for end-to-end processes control
  - Set-up of **robots** and **Artificial Intelligence** applications

IT system evolution

- Insourcing on BPER's IT systems of Unipol Banca, generating scale benefits
- Adoption of cloud technologies to reduce time to market and increase operational efficiency
- Design and adoption of organizational and governance models to enable strong automation and other security functionalities

## ITxIT investments<sup>1</sup>







<sup>1.</sup> Data includes: admin expenses IT running, admin expenses IT one-off and capex for IT development. It does not include the investments for the integration of Unipol Banca and Finitalia

# Significant workforce reduction

### Planned workforce reduction of 1.300 headcount by 2021

#### **Initiatives**

#### **Exits**

- ~1.700 total headcount exits:
  - 1,486 headcount exits through retirement and adhesion to the Solidarity Fund
  - 230 headcount exits through maturity of temporary hiring contracts

### Personnel redeployment

- Partial personnel redeployment on more value-added activities
- Increase of the ratio between "center" and "network" staff

#### **New hires**

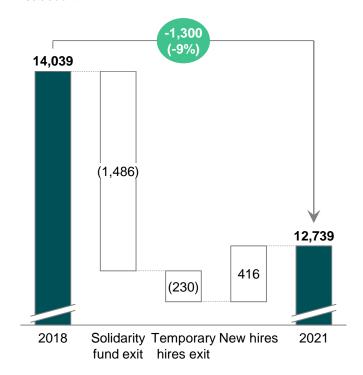
- Recruitment of ~400 headcount
  - Acquisition of new competences and introduction of qualified skills to support business growth
  - Support of the "generational" turnover

### Savings

- This plan unlocks potential running savings higher than €80 M per year
  - One-off costs equal to ~€180-200 M

#### **Group headcount evolution**

# headcount





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# **De-risking acceleration**

### Evolution of the credit management process

#### **Initiatives**

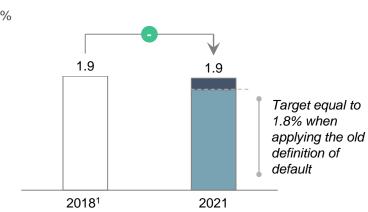
Further strengthening of the underwriting

- Enhancement of the investigation process during underwriting, especially in the Corporate segment
- Tighter control on new production thanks to a commercial performance evaluation system linked to the asset quality
- Extension of the AIRB models for credit management to CR Bra, CR Saluzzo, the large Corporate segment and, potentially, to Unipol Banca



- Proactive management of the loan portfolio with active management of the credit positons signaling potential red flags
- Proactive use of forbearance, with targeted actions on specific asset classes
  - Industrialization of the forbearance measurement sustainability tool
- Set- up of a dedicated unit for performing loans management

#### **Default rate**



#### Cure rate





1. Data referred to BPER Group ante extraordinary transactions

# **De-risking acceleration**

### New model for NPE management

#### **Initiatives**

### **Evolution of** the NPE management

- Implementation of a **new organizational set-up** for the NPE management envisaging an increasing specialization by client segments (Corporate, Retail and Real Estate)
- Improvement of the work-out process
- Increase of the number of NPE positions outsourced
  - Higher recovery rate expected
- Improvement and reorganization of the management and recovery processes of BPER Credit Management by client segment

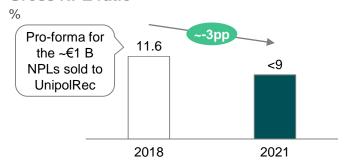
### **Extraordinary** transactions

- · Active management of NPL portoflio
  - Significant reduction of the NPL stock, also thanks to the further disposals in addition to the ~€1 B NPL portfolio sold to UnipolRec
- Migration to the new platform of NPL management and recovery (Laweb 4)

### **Danger rate**



#### **Gross NPE ratio**





1. Data referred to BPER Group ante extraordinary transactions

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Efficiency increase and simplification



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## **Digital transformation**

### New omnichannel model coupled with a strong push on innovation

#### **Initiatives**

Strong investments on the omnichannel model

- Evolution of ICT systems to allow for the full development of a omnichannel model
- · Channels integration into the new CRM
- Introduction of real time marketing tools
- Optimization of client channeling towards different channels (right channeling)
- · Renewal of the corporate banking platform

Digitalization of the sales process

- Evolution of the range of products available and capable of being activated online
- Digital lending extension to "non-clients"

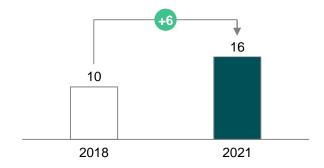
Strong push on innovation leveraging on Fintech

- Development of a light banking solution on the open banking platform of Fabrick
- ICT effort reduction thanks to the increasing reliance on open banking and/or white label solutions

#### Penetration of Internet Banking of retail clients<sup>1</sup>



# Number of online transactions<sup>1</sup> Unit (million)

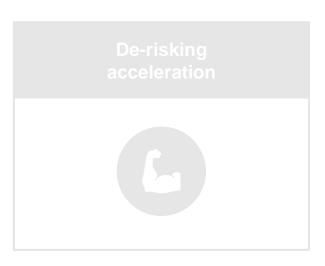




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# People at the heart of future development

Strong employees involvement supported by investments in training and flexibility programs

#### **Initiatives**

Enhanced involvement of employees

- Organization of initiatives for the acknowledgment and valorization of diversity and inclusion of the whole staff (e.g. gender, age, nationality)
- Continuous discussion and engagement with employees
- Evolution of company welfare
- Introduction of an incentive system (LTI) connected to the realization of the Industrial Plan targets

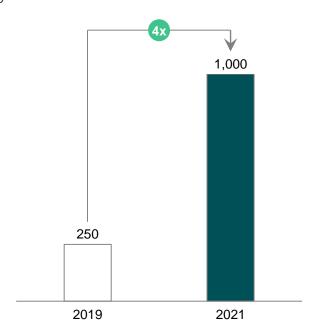
Employees training and professional development

- Design of ad hoc development and coaching plans for employees
  - Strong focus on developing digital and leadership skills
- Set-up of specific training programs for key profiles (e.g. Private banker and Corporate RM)
- Valorization of the competences of employees coming from Unipol Banca

Flexibility programs

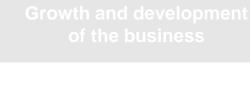
- Set-up of programs to increase the working flexibility
  - Possibility for some employees to work from local hubs (hub working)
  - Push on smart working







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## BPER as a reference model for the community

### 3 main initiatives to support people's needs



Reduction of energy consumptions of BPER Banca by increasing the efficiency and the deployment of renewable sources



Implementation of an **environmental management system** compliant with the UNI EN ISO regulation<sup>2</sup>

Incentive on initiatives of **employees sustainable mobility**, of which:

- Installment of a number of charging stations for electric vehicles
- Launch of a car pooling app for employees





#### #LaBancaCheSaLeggere

Promotion of cultural initiatives as driver for the social development

- Authors presentations at BPER Forum Monzani<sup>3</sup> and in other locations
- + 20% annual increase of cultural events<sup>3</sup>
- "Nati per leggere" initiative, to initiate families to the reading activity

Promotion of financial education of new generations

- ∼66,000 students involved³
- Dedicated program for kids and families



Design and distribution of 3,000 books<sup>3</sup>



Set-up of a provider's sustainability rating system



Management of ESG unsolicited rating for BPER Banca and request of a solicited rating:

- Standard Ethics Rating
- ★ Target: to reach level EE by 2021
- Rating CDP
- ★ Target: to reach level C- by 2021



<sup>2.</sup> UNI EN ISO 14001:2015 regulation (the system will not be certified)

3. Valuation on the time horizon 2019-21



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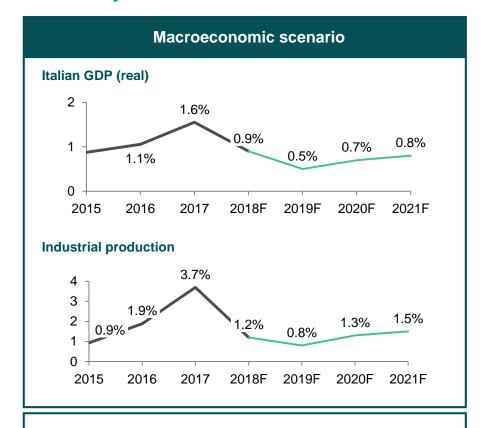
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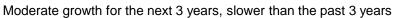
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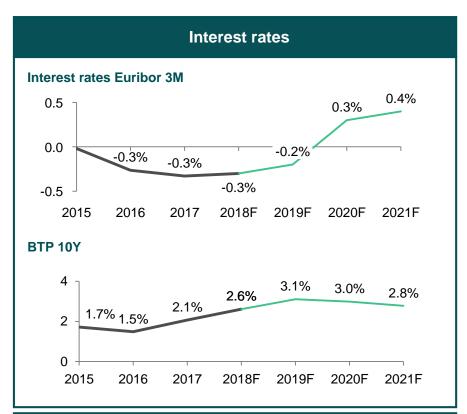


## **Key macroeconomic forecasts**

Industrial plan assumptions are conservative and reflect a slowdown of economic growth for the next 3 years







Moderate increase expected for interest rates with Euribor 3M to return positive only by 2020



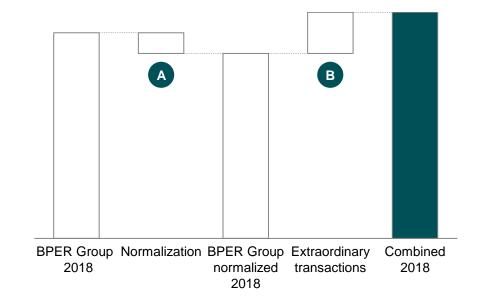
Source: Prometeia estimates, macroeconomic scenario at December '18

# 2018 financials homogeneous with 2021 targets

#### Overview of 2018 normalization and pro-forma process

- To provide a **clear and homogeneous representation** of 2018 data with **2021 targets**, 2018 results have pro-forma with 2021 data
- A BPER Group 2018 results have been normalized for:
  - The impact of non recurring items1
  - The alignment of 2018 tax rate to the one applied in 2021
- It has been prepared a **pro-forma of 2018 results** including the impact of **extraordinary transactions** announced on February 2019
  - Acquisition of Banco di Sardegna minorities
  - Acquisition of 100% of Unipol Banca
  - Disposal of €1.0 B GBV of bad loans to Unipol Group
  - The impact of the increase of BPER's stake in Arca Holding has not been taken into account in the numbers

#### Build-up of 2018 pro-forma results

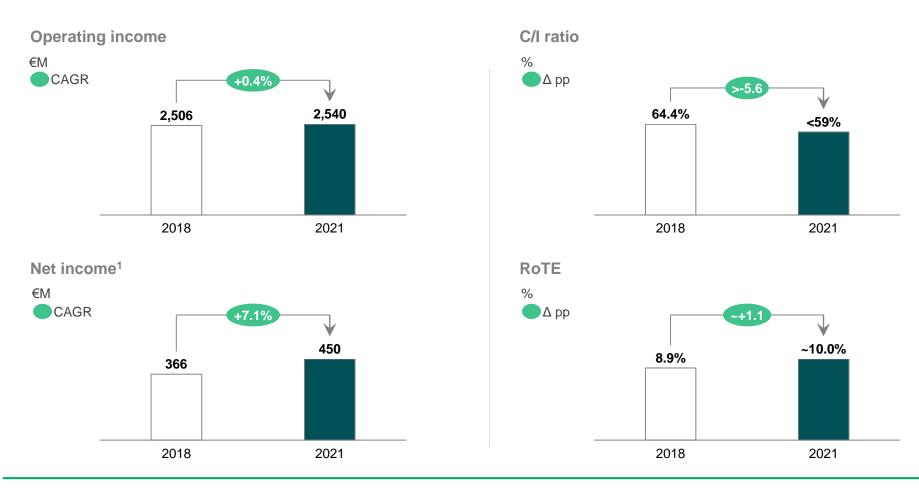




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# **Key 2021 financial targets**

### Profitability increase...

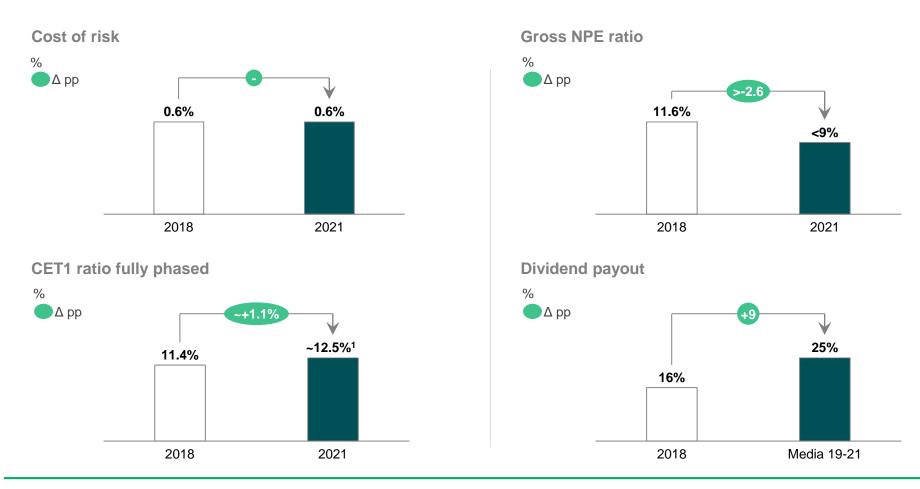




1. Net income including minorities contribution

### **Key 2021 financial targets**

### ...further improvement of the assets quality and capital position



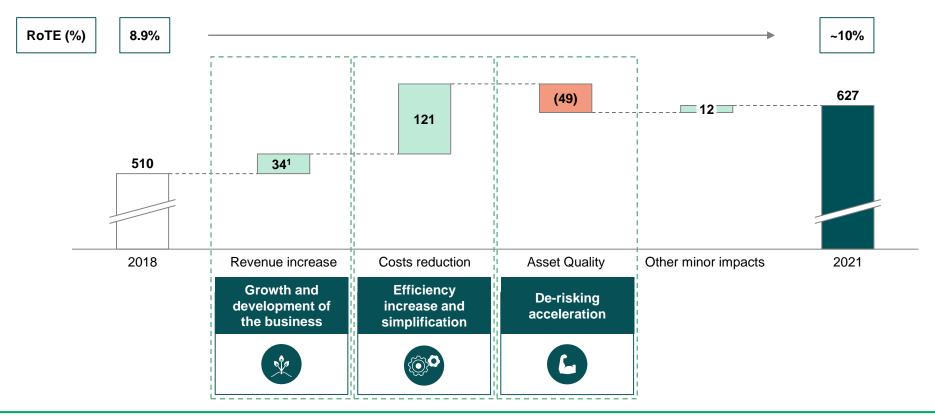


### Pre-tax income evolution

Enhanced operating efficiency and greater commercial effectiveness drive the increase of pretax income

Pre-tax income

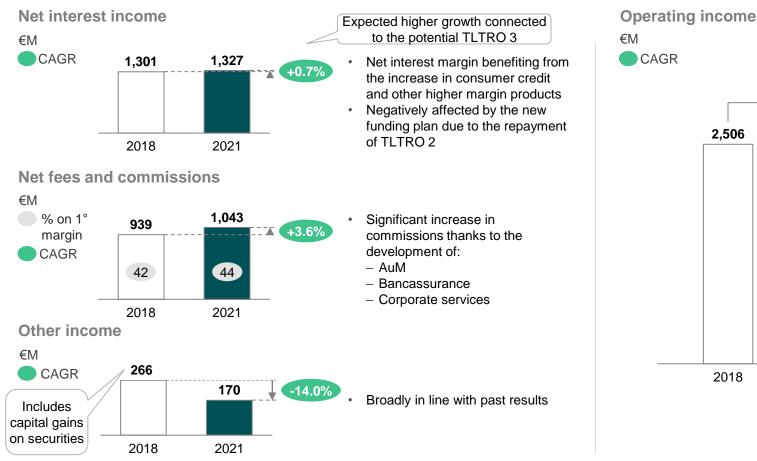
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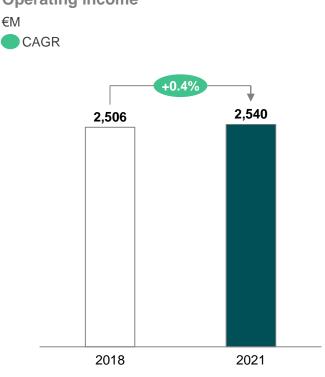




### **Operating income**

#### Operating income growth driven by higher commissions

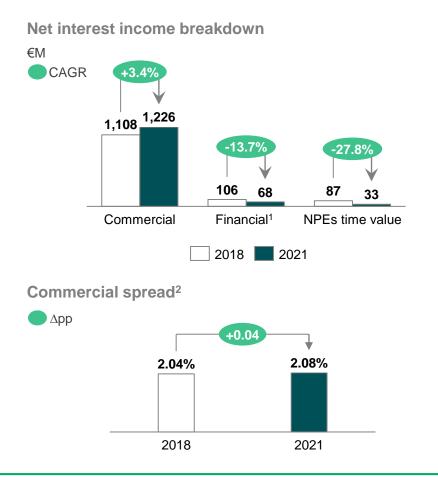


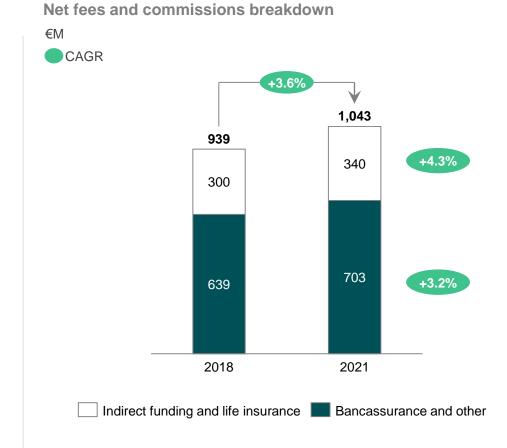




### Net interest income and net fees and commissions

Increased commercial net interest income. Commissions growth driven by wealth management and Bancassurance





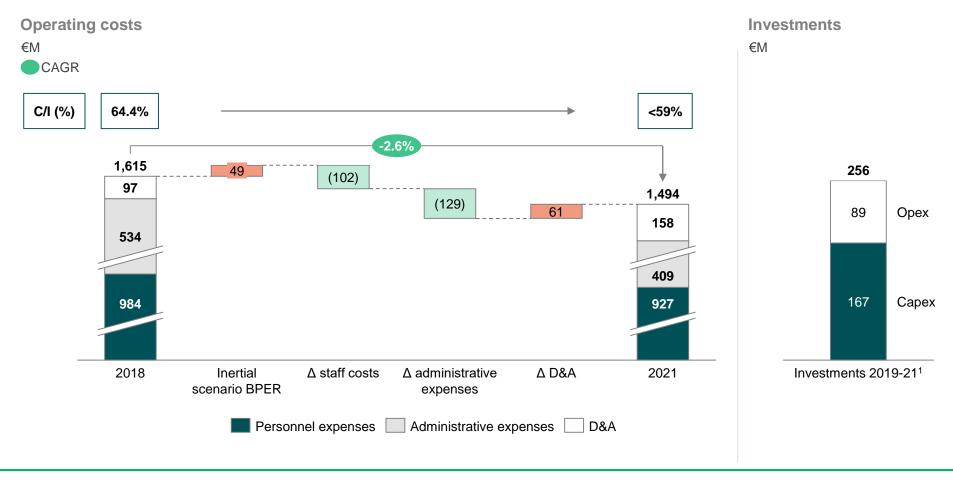


<sup>2.</sup> Spread of the commercial banks



### **Operating costs**

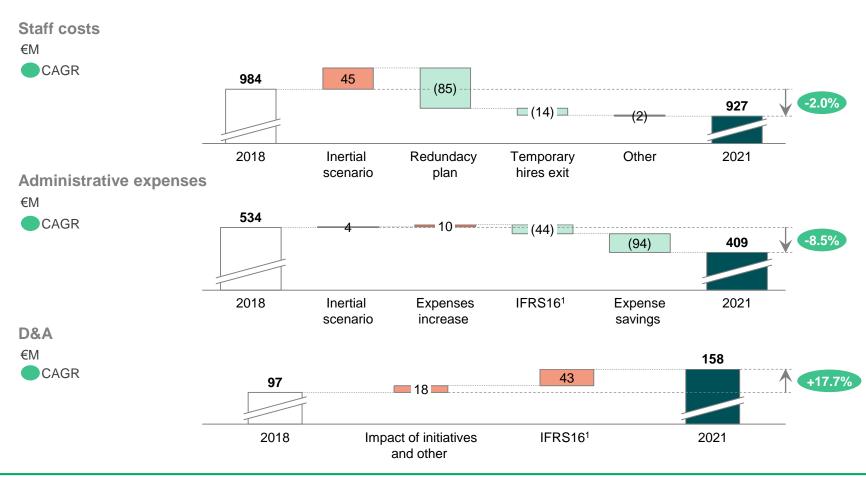
Target Cost/Income lower than 59% thanks to cost base reduction (I/II)





# **Operating costs**

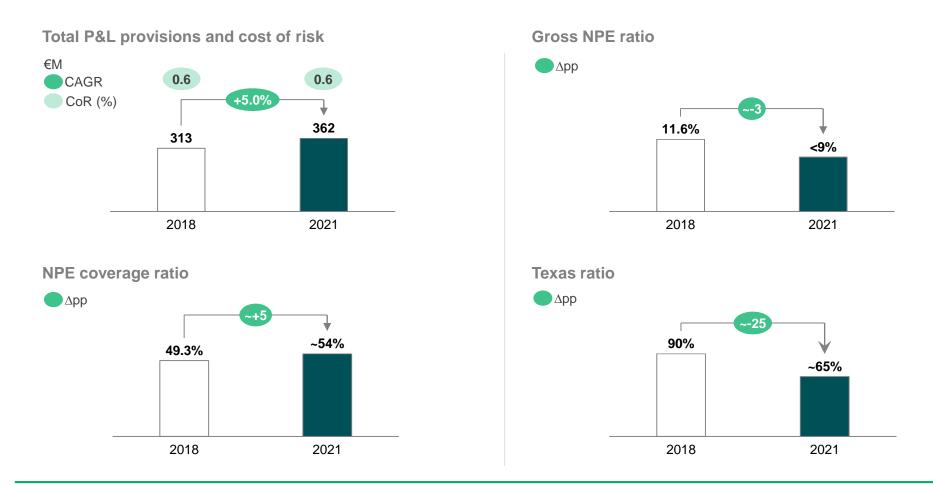
Significant staff costs and administrative expenses reduction thanks to the Group's streamlining and simplification (II/II)





# **Asset quality**

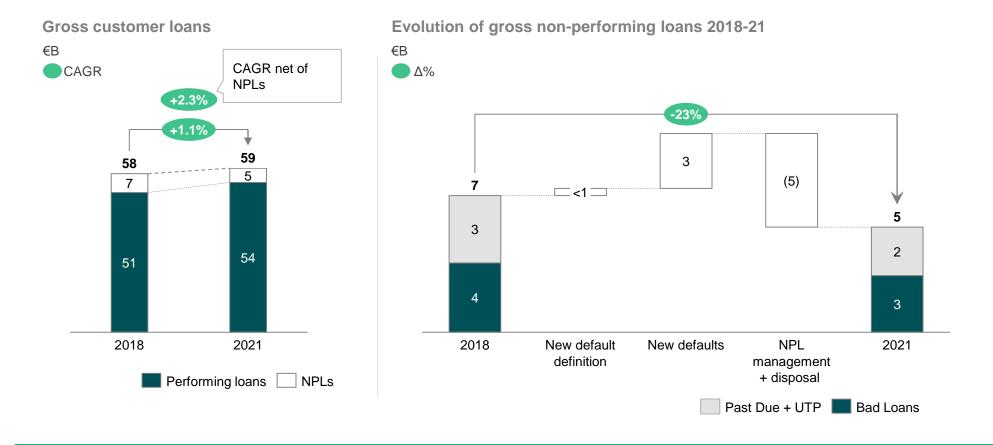
### Gross NPE ratio lower than 9% thanks to the implementation of de-risking initiatives





### **Customer loans**

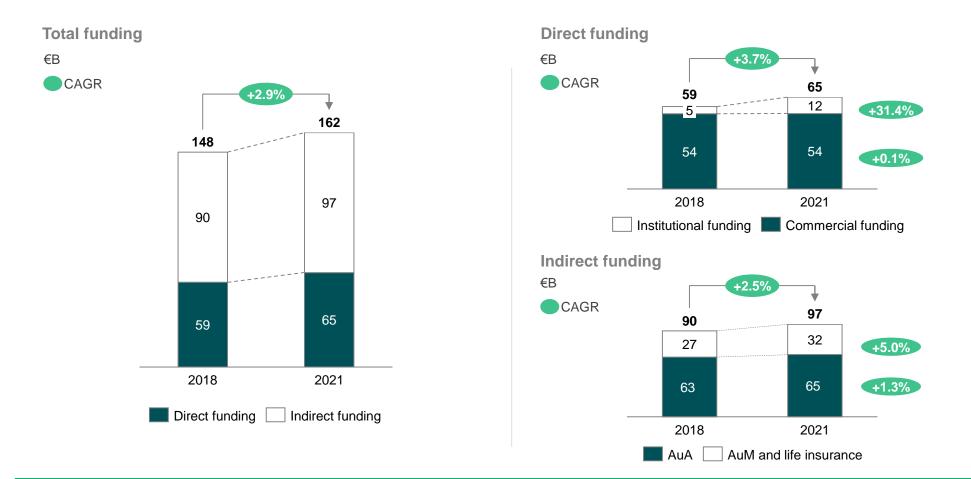
Reduction of NPLs by ~23%, thanks to both NPL management and selected NPLs and UTPs disposal





# **Total funding**

### Increase in total funding, driven by AuM and institutional funding

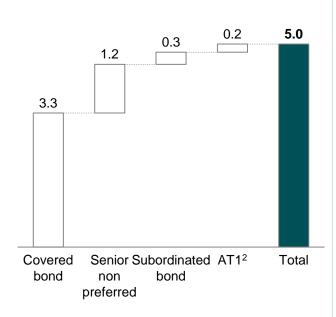




# **Institutional funding**

#### Increase in institutional funding issuances, in order to also reinburce the TLTRO 2

Institutional funding issuances €B



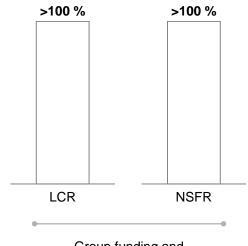
Stock of inst. and inter-banking funding €B

Funding	2018	2021	CAGR 18-'21	
Covered Bonds	2.0	4.5 <sup>1</sup>	30.6%	
AT1 <sup>2</sup>	0.2	0.2	- 16.0%	
Subordinated bond	0.5	0.8		
Repos	2.4	5.0	26.9%	
Senior non preferred		1.2	-	
Institutional funding	5.1	11.7	31.4%	
Funding from ECB + interbank position	11.6	6.5	(17.6%)	
Total	16.7	18.2	2.9%	

€750 M Covered Bonds at floating rate due in 2020

Regulatory requirements on funding and liquidity at 2021





Group funding and liquidity ratios at 2021 largely compliant with regulatory requirements

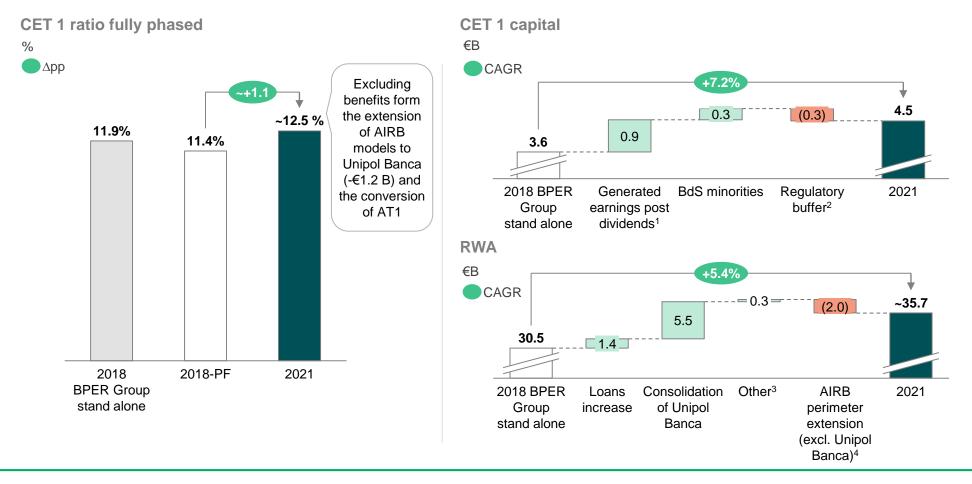


<sup>1.</sup>  $\in$  4.5 B of covered bonds at 2021 resulting from new issues for  $\in$  3.3 B and  $\in$  750 M maturing in 2020

<sup>2.</sup> Already included in the initial pro-forma scheme

### **Regulatory capital**

Further capital strengthening, thanks to organic capital generation and the adoption of AIRB models





<sup>1.</sup> Over € 1 B of generated earnings gross of dividends distribution. The € 0.9 B post dividends include both the impact of badwill resulting from extraordinary operations announced in February 2019, and some one-off costs

<sup>2.</sup> Includes the impact of IFRS16, TRIM, the new definition of default and the new GL EBA

 $<sup>{\</sup>it 3. Includes the regulatory buffer impact, the disposal of AQUI portfolio and the PMI supporting factor}\\$ 

<sup>4.</sup> Extension of AIRB models to the companies of the Group and to the Large Corporate segment, excluding Unipol Banca

# **Profit & loss, balance sheet and KPI**

Profit & Loss (€M)	2018-PF	2021	CAGR '18-'21	
Net interest income	1,301	1,327	+0.7%	
Net fees and commissions	939	1,043	+3.6%	
Other income <sup>1</sup>	266	170	(14.0%) + <b>0.4%</b>	
Operating income	2,506	2,540		
Operating costs	(1,615)	(1,494)	(2.6%)	
Pre-provision operating income	891	1.045	+5.5%	
Total provisions	(313)	(362)	+5.0%	
Post-provision operating income	578	683	+5.7%	
Pre-tax income	510	627	+7.1%	
Net income <sup>2</sup>	366	450	+7.1%	

Balance sheet (€B)	2018-PF	2021	CAGR '18-'21	
Net customer loans	54	56	+1.6%	
Direct funding (commercial + institutional)	59	65	+3.7%	
Ratios (%)	2018-PF	2021	∆pp '18-'21	
RoTE	8.9	~10.0	~+1.1	
C/I ratio	64.4	<59	(>5.4)	
Cost of risk	0.6	0.6	-	
Tax rate	28	28	-	
Gross NPE ratio	11.6	<9	~-3	
NPE coverage ratio	49.3	~54	>+4.7	
CET 1 ratio fully phased	11.4	~12.5	~+1.1	
Dividend pay-out <sup>3</sup>		25		



- 1. Dividends, negotiating results from financial activities, other income and expenses
- 2. Net income including minorities contribution
- 3. Data referred to the average payout across 2019-21

### **BPER 2021**



A **SOlid** Group, with effective risk management capacities...

~12.5% CET 1 ratio fully phased



...able to generate **Sustainable value**...

~10% RoTE 2021



...with a **simple** and **efficient** operating model...

<59% C/I ratio



...in continuous growth...

+3.6% (CAGR 2019-21) Net commis.



...close to people and companies needs...

# € 59 B





and with a strong attention towards the **COMMUNITY** 

2,700,000 clients



# Agenda

**Introduction to BPER Group** 

**Industrial Plan 2019-21** 

The key initiatives of Industrial Plan 2019-21

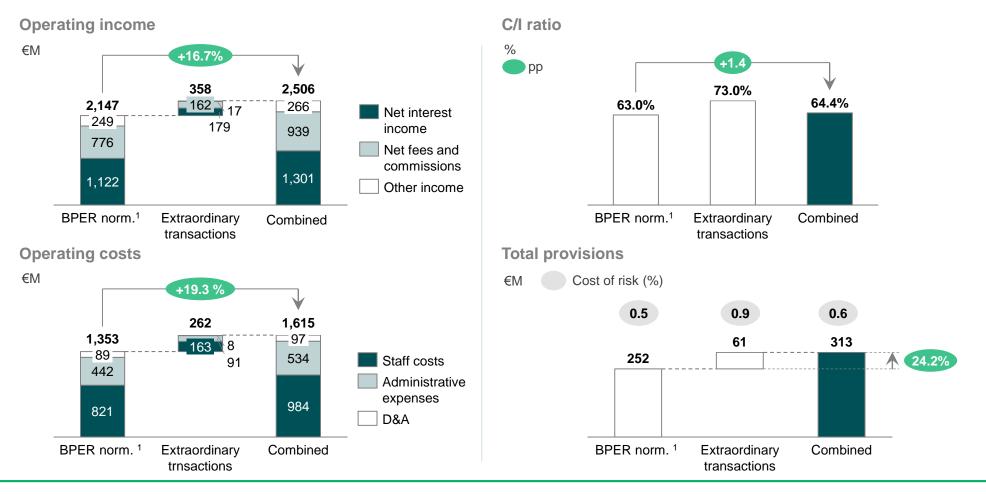
**Key financial targets** 

### **Appendix**



### 2018 pro-forma data (I/II)

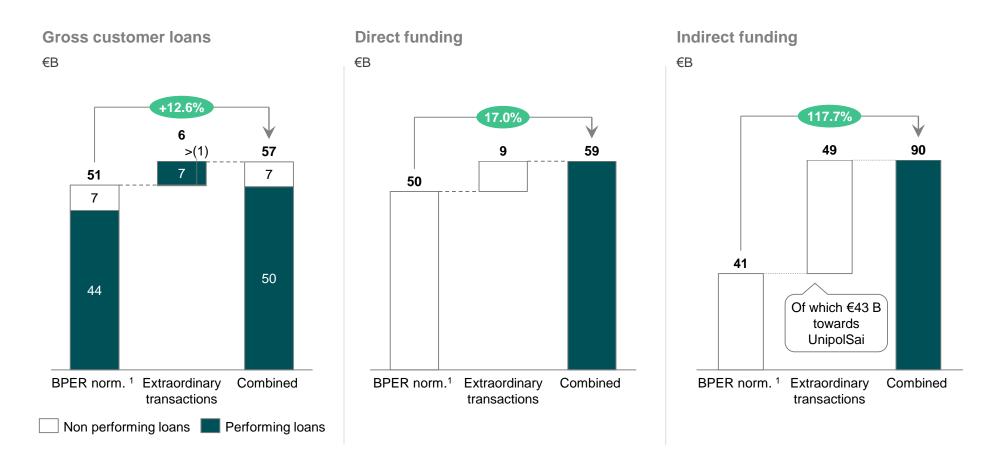
#### 2018 data includes the impact of extraordinary transactions





### 2018 pro-forma data (II/II)

### 2018 data includes the impact of extraordinary transactions





# Profit & Loss, balance sheet and key indicators pro-forma 2018

	(€M unless otherwise stated)	BPER	Normalized <sup>1</sup>	BPER Norm.	Extra. transac.	Combined
Balance sheet Profit & Loss	Operating income	2,163	(16)	2,147	358	2,506
	Operating costs	(1,383)	30	(1,353)	(262)	(1,615)
	Pre-provision operating income	780	14	794	97	891
	Total provisions	(309)	57	(252)	(61)	(313)
	Post-provision operating income	472	71	542	36	578
	Pre-tax income	346	142	487	22	510
	Net income <sup>2</sup>	446	(96)	350	16	366
	Net customer loans (€B)	47	-	47	7	54
	Direct funding (commercial+ institutional) (€B)	50	-	50	9	59
Ratios B	C/I ratio (%)	63.9%	-	63.0%	73.0%	64.4%
	Cost of risk (%)	0.7%	-	0.5%	0.9%	0.6%
	RoTE (%)	-	-	8.6%	-	8.9%
	Gross NPE ratio (%)	13.8%	-	13.8%	-	11.6%



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