



Commerzbank – a sustainable business model in turbulent markets

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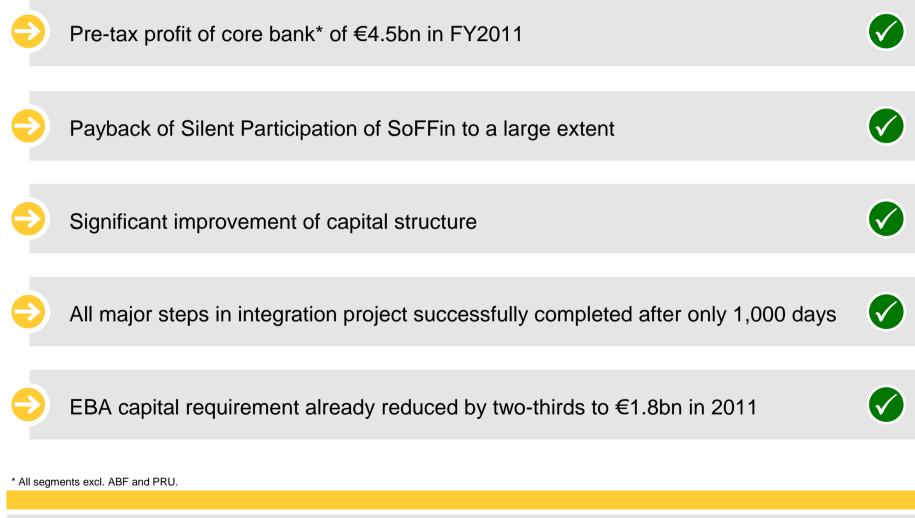
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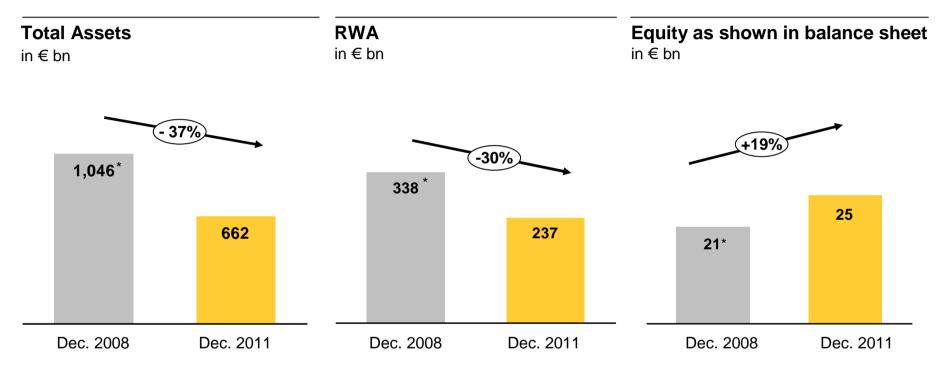


Commerzbank with major strategic achievements in 2011





Development of total assets, RWA and Equity as shown in balance sheet 2008 to 2011

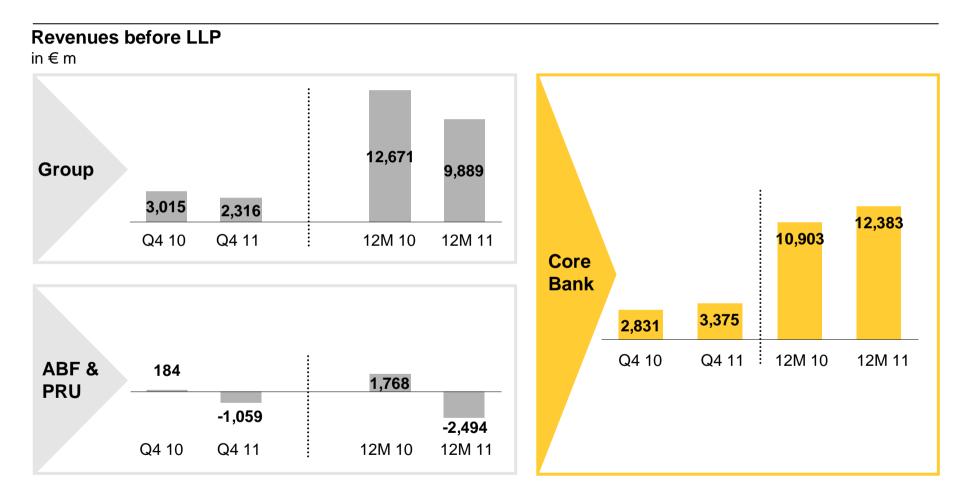


Since 2008 total assets and RWA have decreased – Equity as shown in balance sheet at the same time has significantly strengthened

* Pro forma Commerzbank/Dresdner Bank Group.



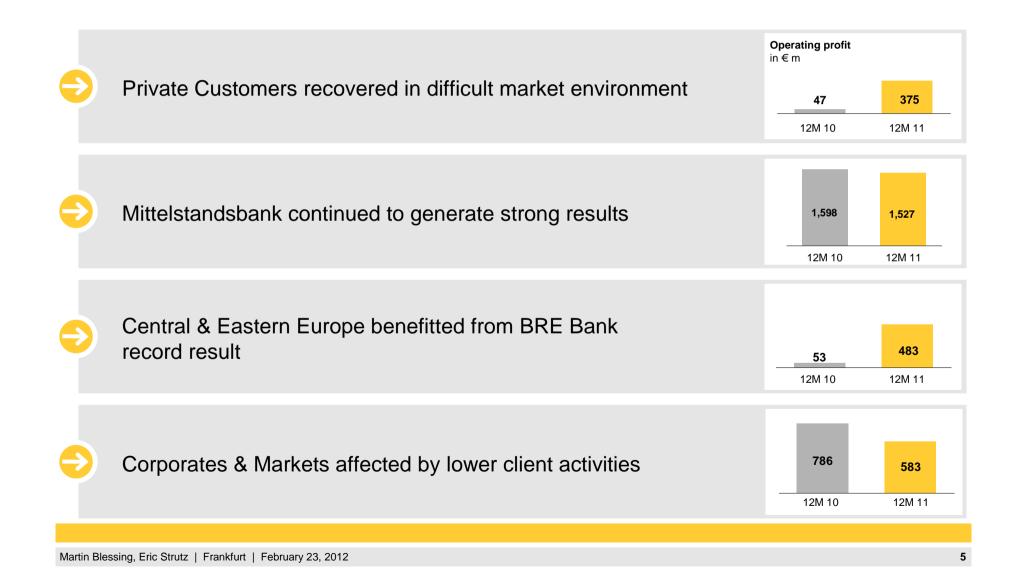
Core Bank revenues before LLP increased by 14% (€1.5bn*) in FY2011



* Including liability management transaction in Q1 and Q4 2011.



Core Bank segments more balanced profit contribution

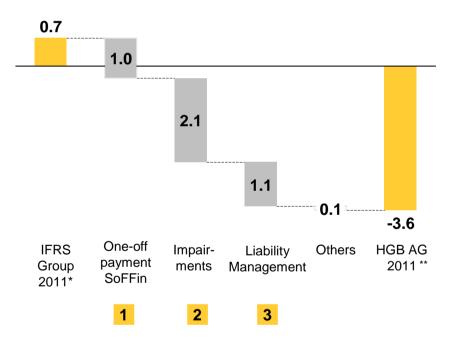




AG accounts (HGB) and Group accounts (IFRS)

Reconciliation of Group accounts (IFRS) with Commerzbank AG (HGB)

in € bn



1 One-off payment SoFFin

- Booked against equity in group accounts (IFRS)
- › Booked in P&L in AG accounts (HGB)
- **2 Impairment** on book value of subsidiaries, mainly Eurohypo:
 - Acceleration of sovereign debt crises
 - New capital requirements

3 Liability Management

 Purchase of hybrid instruments has no effect on AG result in 2011



Despite loss in HGB no write-downs of silent participations/hybrid instruments***

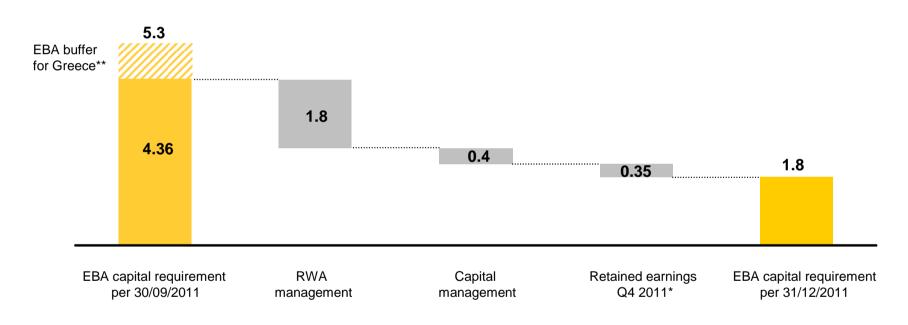
* Consolidated result after tax.

- ** Result after tax Commerzbank AG (HGB).
- *** Including profit participation certificates; excl. Eurohypo.



Capital requirement to fulfil EBA targets already reduced by two-thirds per year-end 2011

Development of capital requirement in € bn



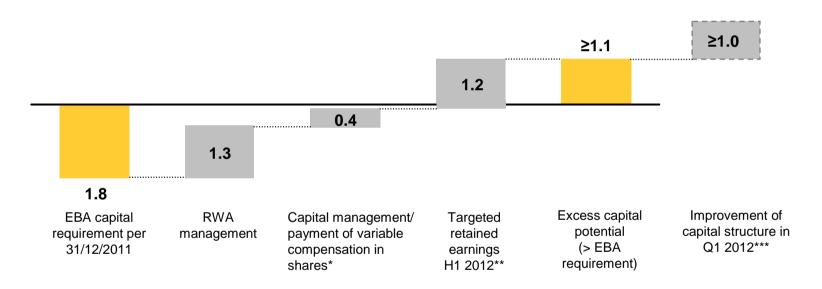
* Including further write-down of Greek sovereign bond exposure.

** According to BaFin/EBA the Q4 2011 sovereign debt impairments will be eligible to reduce the initial shortfall and meet the sovereign buffer (incl. negative effects due to the write-down of corresponding interest rate derivatives used for hedging).



Further measure of more than €2.9bn planned to close the gap in H1 2012 – excess capital potential identified

Planned development of capital requirement in H1 2012 in \in bn



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Successfully completing optimisation of capital structure in Q1 2012 would lead to further accelerated closing of EBA gap

* Concerning most of the non-pay-scale employees.

** Includes further cost synergies and additional cost measures.

** If completed to the full extent, Core Tier 1 capital would be increased by more than €1bn.



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Core Bank again shows strong result in FY2011

		Group				Core E	<mark>3ank⁺</mark>	
in €m	Q4 2010	Q4 2011	12M 2010	12M 2011	Q4 2010	Q4 2011	12M 2010	12M 2011
Revenues before LLP	3,015	2,316	12,671	9,889	2,831	3,375	10,903	12,383
LLP	-595	-381	-2,499	-1,390	-173	-176	-853	-478
Operating expenses	2,164	1,772	8,786	7,992	1,975	1,633	8,071	7,357
Operating profit	256	163	1,386	507	683	1,566	1,979	4,548
Net profit*	257	316	1,430	638				

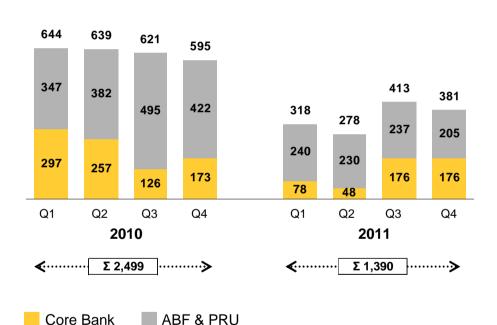
- > Pre-tax profit of Core Bank at a high level with €4.5bn including liability management
- > Revenues before LLP in the Core Bank increased by 14% in FY2011
- > Ongoing portfolio restructuring in ABF led to significantly reduced LLP on group level in FY2011
- > Overall cost base in Core Bank decreased by 9% in full year
- > Group operating profit affected by impairments on Greece sovereign bonds and PF de-risking

* Consolidated result attributable to Commerzbank shareholders.



Further LLP reduction of more than 40% in FY2011

Provisions for loan losses in \in m

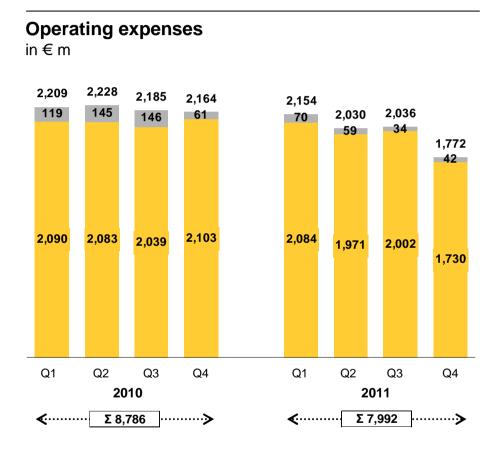


 LLP significantly down against previous year in each quarter

- > Moderate LLP level in Core Bank
- > Significant reduction in ABF by €0.7bn in FY2011
- > LLP target for FY2012: ≤ €1.7bn



Cost down ~ €800m in FY2011



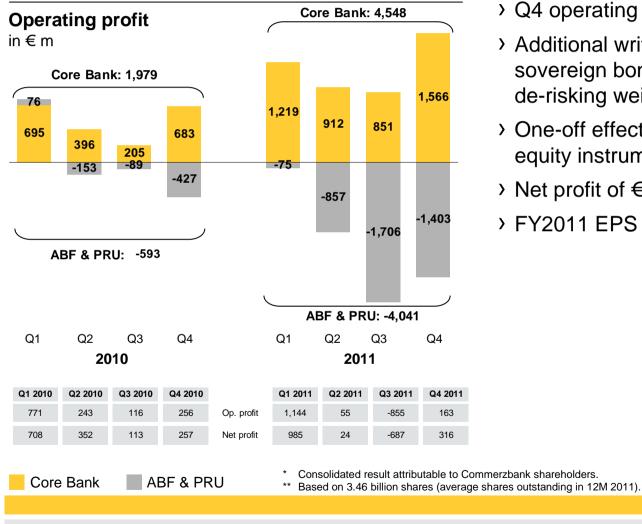
- > Overall costs down by 9% in FY2011
- CIR in Core Bank (without integration charges) at 58% in FY2011
- > €1.8bn synergies already accomplished; further €0.3m cost synergies targeted for FY2012
- > Cost target for FY2012: $\leq \in$ 7.6bn

Operating expenses excl. integration charges

Integration charges



Operating profit and Net profit



- > Q4 operating profit of €163m
- > Additional write-downs on Greek sovereign bonds of €0.7bn and further PF de-risking weighed down profit in Q4
- > One-off effect from repurchase of hybrid equity instruments of €735m in Q4
- > Net profit of €316m*
- > FY2011 EPS of €0.18**



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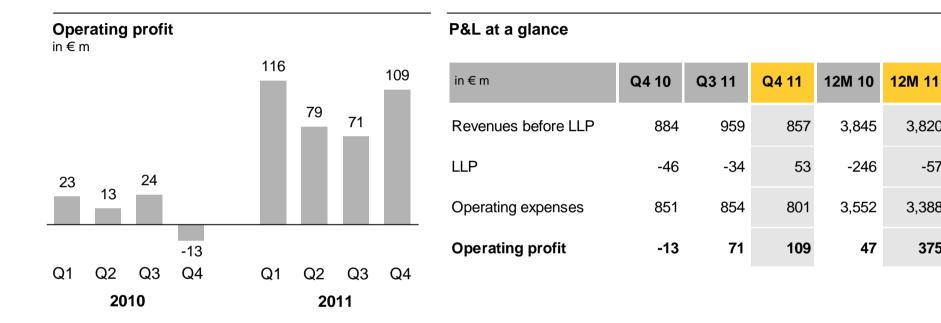
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3,388

375

Private Customers recovered in difficult market environment



	Q4 10	Q3 11	Q4 11	12M 10	12M 11
Ø equity (€ m)	3,451	3,323	3,434	3,494	3,375
Op. RoE (%)	-1.5	8.5	12.7	1.3	11.1
CIR (%)	96.3	89.1	93.5	92.4	88.7

>	Revenues	before LLF	nearly flat	FY2011
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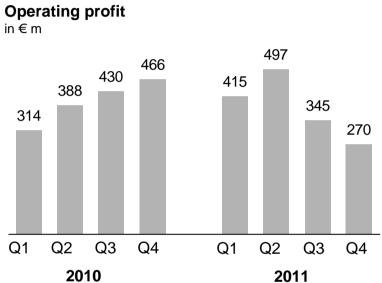
LLP release in Q4

> Costs 6% lower y-o-y, further cost reductions/synergies of €260m in FY2012 targeted



Mittelstandsbank continued to generate strong results

P&L at a glance



Q4 10	Q3 11	Q4 11	12M 10	12M 11
930	782	755	3,319	3,176
-93	-51	-154	-279	-188
371	386	331	1,442	1,461
466	345	270	1,598	1,527
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	Q4 10	Q3 11	Q4 11	12M 10	12M 11
Ø equity (€ m)	5,554	5,355	5,363	5,545	5,378
Op. RoE (%)	33.6	25.8	20.1	28.8	28.4
CIR (%)	39.9	49.4	43.8	43.4	46.0

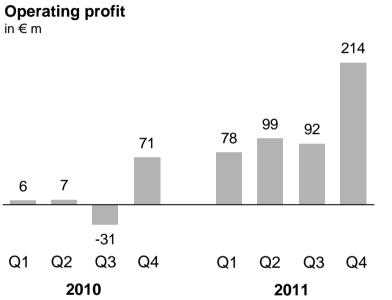
> Improved earnings quality with:

- higher net interest income reflecting credit volume growth and increase in deposit margins
- Higher fee income supported by foreign trade activities
- LLP negatively affected by few single cases in Q4



Central & Eastern Europe benefitted from BRE Bank record result

P&L at a glance



in € m	Q4 10	Q3 11	Q4 11	12M 10	12M 11
Revenues before LLP	257	267	385	979	1,157
LLP	-48	-32	-21	-361	-89
Operating expenses	138	143	150	565	585
Operating profit	71	92	214	53	483

	Q4 10	Q3 11	Q4 11	12M 10	12M 11
Ø equity (€ m)	1,642	1,755	1,744	1,628	1,723
Op. RoE (%)	17.3	21.0	49.1	3.3	28.0
CIR (%)	53.7	53.6	39.0	57.7	50.6

 Q4 revenues before LLP increased y-o-y, including positive one-off effect of €154m

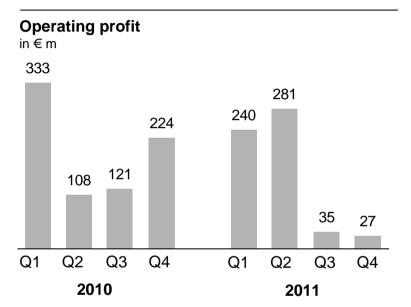
> BRE with record result in Q4

LLP with significant decrease in 2011



Corporates & Markets affected by lower client activities

P&L at a glance



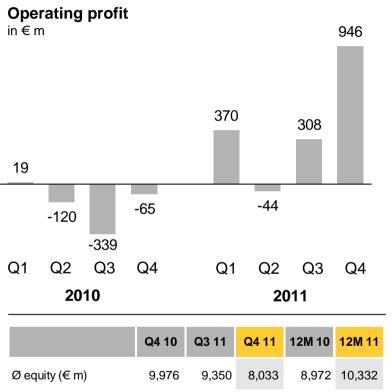
in € m Q4 10 Q3 11 Q4 11 12M 10 12M 11 Revenues before LLP 598 448 397 2.392 2,234 LLP 14 -59 -56 27 -146 **Operating expenses** 354 314 1,633 388 1,505 **Operating profit** 35 27 583 224 786

	Q4 10	Q3 11	Q4 11	12M 10	12M 11
Ø equity (€ m)	3,903	2,781	3,010	3,854	3,026
Op. RoE (%)	23.0	5.0	3.6	20.4	19.3
CIR (%)	64.9	79.0	79.1	68.3	67.4

- Positive operating result in Q4 despite worsened macroeconomic conditions and sovereign crisis
- Prudent cost management reflected in reduction of operating expenses by 8% in FY2011
- Stringent RWA management Basel 2.5 effects more than mitigated



Others and Consolidation



P&L at a glance					
in € m	Q4 10	Q3 11	Q4 11	12M 10	12M 11
Revenues before LLP	162	447	981	368	1,996
LLP	0	0	2	6	2
Operating expenses	227	139	37	879	418
Operating profit	-65	308	946	-505	1,580

- Q4 result benefits from repurchase of hybrid equity instruments
- Integration charges of €0.2bn in 2011



Asset Based Finance weighed down by impairment on Greek bonds and further de-risking in Public Finance

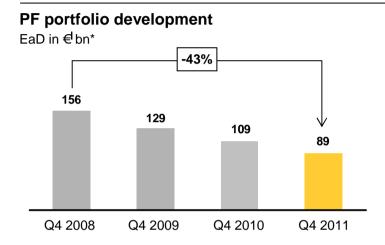
Operating profit in € m		P&L at a glance					
		in € m	Q4 10	Q3 11	Q4 11	12M 10	12M 11
-85 -248	-138	Revenues before LLP	46	-1,097	-1,048	925	-2,432
-403 -532		LLP	-412	-254	-179	-1,584	-907
	-921	Operating expenses	166	143	131	609	572
	-1,358 -1,494	Operating profit	-532	-1,494	-1,358	-1,268	-3,911
Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4	Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4						
2010	2011						

	Q4 10	Q3 11	Q4 11	12M 10	12M 11
Ø equity (€ m)	5,829	5,416	5,368	6,276	5,398
Op. RoE (%)	-36.5	-110.3	-101.2	-20.2	-72.5
CIR (%)	360.9	n/a	n/a	65.8	n/a

- › Q4 revenues before LLP down y-o-y due to:
 - Impairments on Greece
 - Realised losses from the sale of PF assets
 - Lower NII resulting from asset reduction
- > Risk provisions reduced by €677m in FY2011

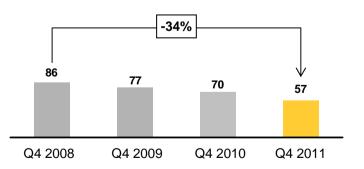


Portfolio reduction in Asset Based Finance



CRE portfolio development

EaD in € bn**



- > Downsizing PF and CRE portfolio ahead of schedule
- Overall GIIPS sovereign exposure reduced by more than 38% since December 2009
- > €0.7bn impairment on Greek sovereign bonds in Q4
- Greek bond exposure down to €0.8bn, portfolio valued at ~26%

GIIPS sovereign exposure (EaD*)									
in € bn	Q4 09	Q4 10	Q4 11						
Greece	3.5	3.0	0.8						
Ireland	<0.1	<0.1	0.0						
Italy	10.7	9.7	7.9						
Portugal	1.7	0.9	0.8						
Spain	4.0	3.1	2.8						
Total	19.9	16.8	12.3						

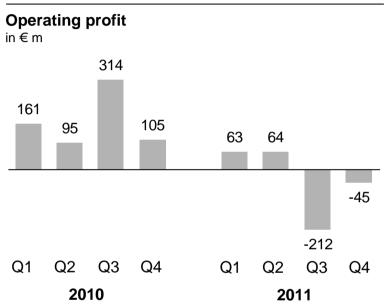
* Incl. PF portfolios of EH and EEPK; incl. non-impaired parts of Greek bonds in LaR and AfS. ** Excl. default portfolio.



Focus on capital optimization in Portfolio Restructuring Unit

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P&L at a glance



in € m	Q4 10	Q3 11	Q4 11	12M 10	12M 11
Revenues before LLP	138	-212	-11	843	-62
LLP	-10	17	-26	-62	-5
Operating expenses	23	17	8	106	63
Operating profit	105	-212	-45	675	-130

	Q4 10	Q3 11	Q4 11	12M 10	12M 11
Ø equity (€ m)	1,097	808	1,291	1,212	1,002
Op. RoE (%)	38.3	-105.0	-13.9	55.7	-13.0
CIR (%)	16.7	n/a	n/a	12.6	n/a

Q4 revenues were w	eighed down by European
Sovereign crisis	

> Further asset reduction



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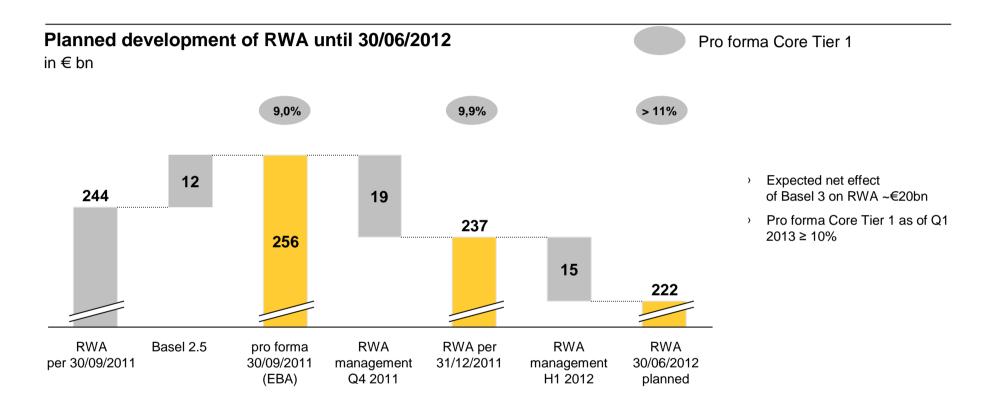


B/S decrease and RWA reduction of 12% in FY2011 despite Basel 2.5, stable core Tier 1 ratio

Total Assets in € bn	RWA in € bn	Core Tier 1 and Tier 1 ratio
 Reduction in non-core assets 	 Ongoing active management in reducing RWA 	Improvement of capital ratios q-o-q
	 Despite effects of Basel 2.5 (€12 bn) RWA sligthly lower q-o-q 	
-12% 754 738 662		11.9 11.0 11.1
002	-12%)	— Tier 1
	268 244 237	10.0 9.4 9.9 — Core Tier 1
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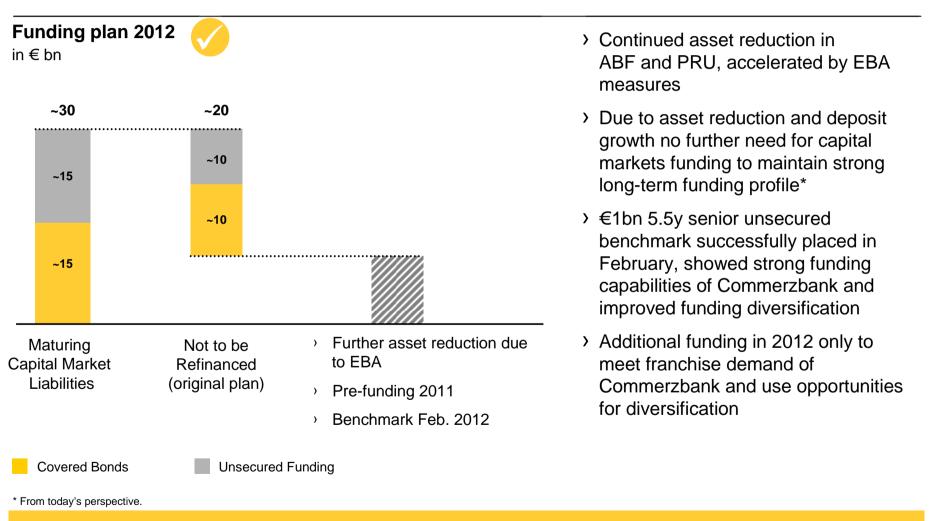
Successful RWA management anticipating Basel 2.5/3 effects



RWA as per year-end 2011 slightly lower than Q3 2011 despite inclusion of Basel 2.5 effects



Strong long-term funding profile, no further issuance into capital markets needed in 2012*



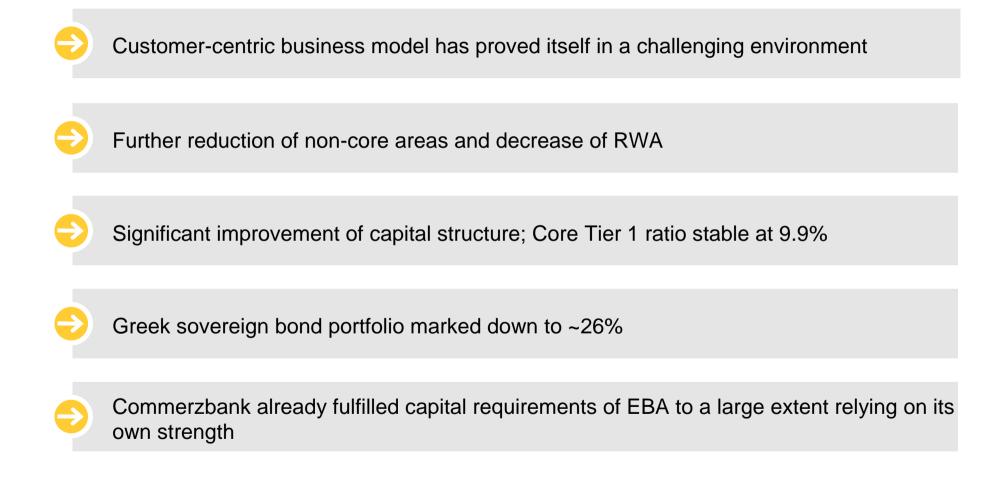


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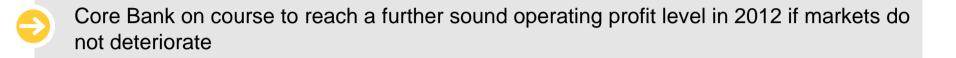


Conclusion





Outlook 2012





Targets FY2012 for LLP ≤€1.7bn and costs ≤ €7.6bn



Ongoing high market uncertainty following the sovereign debt crisis will provide further challenges on ABF performance



Commerzbank on track to achieve Core Tier I ratio of more than 11% per 30/06/2012 – well prepared for Basel 3 capital ratio requirements





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