



# **ISLAMIC DEVELOPMENT BANK**

# ORDINARY CAPITAL RESOURCES FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024





This is the second of two volumes of the Annual Report of the Islamic Development Bank. The first volume reviews the development impact of the Bank's investments, projects and policies, highlights innovation in key sectors and initiatives during the year. This is published separately as the Annual Report. Both volumes are available online at **www.isdb.org**.

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# **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT**

Your Excellencies the Chairman and Members of the Board of Governors Islamic Development Bank – Ordinary Capital Resources Jeddah Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

# **Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements**

# Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Islamic Development Bank – Ordinary Capital Resources (the "Bank"), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2024, the statements of income, comprehensive income, changes in members' equity, cash flows and changes in off balance sheet assets under management for the year then ended, and notes comprising significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Bank as at 31 December 2024, and its results of operations, changes in members' equity, cash flows, changes in off balance sheet assets under management for the year then ended in accordance with the Financial Accounting Standards ("FAS") issued by the Accounting and Auditing Organisation for Islamic Financial Institutions ("AAOIFI").

In our opinion, the Bank has also complied with the Islamic Shari'ah Principles and Rules as determined by the Group's Shari'ah Board of the Bank during the year ended 31 December 2024.

# **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with Auditing Standards for Islamic Financial Institutions ("ASIFIs") issued by AAOIFI and International Standards on Auditing ("ISAs"). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the 'Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements' section of our report. We are independent of the Bank in accordance with the AAOIFI's Code of Ethics for Accountants and Auditors of Islamic Financial Institutions ("AAOIFI Code"), International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants ("IESBA Code") together with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements as endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the AAOIFI and IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

# **Key Audit Matters**

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgment, were of most significance in our audit of the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2024. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial statements as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

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# **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT (CONTINUED)**

Key audit matter	How our audit addressed the key audit matter
Expected credit loss allowance against project assets	
As at 31 December 2024, the Bank's project assets amounted to ID 17.39 billion (2023: ID 17.34 billion) representing 58% (2023: 59%) of total assets. The Expected Credit Loss ("ECL") allowance was ID 729 million (2023: ID 553 million) as at this date. The audit of the expected credit loss allowance	<ol> <li>We obtained an understanding of the project assets business process, the credit risk management process, the policy for impairment and credit losses and the estimation process of determining impairment allowances for project assets and the ECL methodology.</li> </ol>
against project assets is a key area of focus because of its size and due to the significance of the estimates and judgments used in classifying project assets into various stages, determining related allowance requirements, and the complexity of the judgements, assumptions and	<ol> <li>We assessed the controls over the following areas to determine if they has been appropriately designed and implemented:</li> </ol>
estimates used in the ECL models. The Bank recognizes allowances for ECL at an amount equal to 12-month ECL (stage 1) or full lifetime ECL (stage 2). A loss allowance for full lifetime ECL is required for a financial instrument if the credit risk on that financial instrument has increased significantly since initial recognition.	<ul> <li>approval, accuracy and completeness of ECL allowances and governance controls over the monitoring of the model and post model adjustments, through key management and committee meetings that form part of the approval process for project assets impairment allowances.</li> <li>model outputs; and</li> </ul>
ECLs are a probability-weighted estimate of the present value of credit losses. These are measured as the present value of the difference between the cash flows due to the Bank under	<ul> <li>the recognition and measurement of ECL allowances</li> <li>3. On a sample basis, we selected project</li> </ul>
the contract and the cash flows that the Bank expects to receive arising from the weighting of multiple future economic scenarios, discounted at the asset's effective profit rate. The Bank employs statistical models for ECL calculations, and the key variables used in these calculations are probability of default (PD), loss given default (LGD); and exposure at default (EAD), which are defined in note 3 to the financial statements.	<ul> <li>assets and assessed and evaluated:</li> <li>the Banks's identification of SICR (stage 2), the assessment of the credit-impaired classification (stage 3) and whether relevant impairment events had been identified in a timely manner and classification of project assets into various stages and the determination of defaults / individually impaired</li> </ul>
The material portion of the project assets is assessed individually for the significant increase in credit risk (SICR) and measurement of ECL. This requires management to capture all qualitative and quantitative reasonable and supportable forward-looking information while assessing SICR, or while assessing credit-impaired criteria for the exposure. Management judgement may also be involved in manual staring everyide in	<ul> <li>exposures.</li> <li>the forward-looking information incorporated into the impairment calculations by involving our specialists to challenge the multiple economic scenarios chosen and related weightings applied.</li> </ul>

also be involved in manual staging override In accordance with the Bank's policies, if required.

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# **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT (CONTINUED)**

Key audit matter	How our audit addressed the key audit matter
The measurement of ECL amounts for project assets classified as Stage 1 and Stage 2 are carried out by ECL models with limited manual intervention, However, it is important that the key variables in these models, being PD, LGD, EAD	<ul> <li>the calculation methodology and its alignment with the requirement of FAS 30.</li> </ul>
and macroeconomic adjustments are valid throughout the reporting period and are subject to a review process by an independent third-party expert. For the impaired project assets, the Bank measures the ECL as the product of LGD and EAD of each instrument.	<ul> <li>the post model adjustments and management overlays, if any and the qualitative factors which were considered by the Bank to recognize any post model adjustments, in case of data or model limitations.</li> </ul>
This was considered as a key audit matter and the audit was focused on this matter due to the materiality of the project assets and the complexity of the judgements, assumptions and estimates used in the ECL models.	4. We tested models and the IT applications, used in the credit impairment process and verified the integrity of data used as input to the impairment models.
Refer to note 3 to the financial statements for the accounting policy for the impairment of financial assets, note 15 for the disclosure of impairment and note 30 for credit risk disclosure and the key assumptions and factors considered in determination of ECL.	5. The Bank performed an external validation of the ECL model and LGD models including macro-economic model during prior period. We considered the process of this external validation of the models and its impact on the results of the impairment estimate. We assessed the methodology and framework designed and implemented by the Bank as to whether the impairment models outcomes and stage allocations appear reasonable and reflective of the forecasts used by the Bank to determine future economic conditions at the reporting date.
	6. Where relevant, we utilized our internal specialists to assist us in reviewing model calculations, evaluating related inputs and assessing assumptions used in the ECL model particularly around macroeconomic variables, forecasted macroeconomic scenarios and probability weights and of assumptions used in post model adjustments, where applicable.
	<ol> <li>We assessed the disclosures in the financial statements relating to this matter against the requirements of the Financial Accounting Standards issued by AAOIFI.</li> </ol>



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# **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT (CONTINUED)**

# **Other Information**

Management is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the annual report but does not include the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. The Bank's 2024 Annual Report is expected to be made available to us after the date of this auditor's report.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we will not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information identified above when it becomes available and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

# Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

The management is responsible for the Bank's undertaking to operate in accordance with Islamic Shari'ah Principles and Rules as determined by the Bank's Shari'ah Board.

The management is also responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with FAS and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Bank's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Bank or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Bank's financial reporting process.

# Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ASIFIs, issued by AAOIFI, and ISAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with ASIFIs, issued by AAOIFI, and ISAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due
  to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain
  audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of
  not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from
  error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the
  override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Bank's internal control.

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT (CONTINUED)

# Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements (continued)

- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of managements' use of the going concern basis of
  accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists
  related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Bank's ability to continue
  as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw
  attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such
  disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit
  evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions
  may cause the Bank to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Plan and perform the Bank's audit to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business units within the Bank as a basis for forming an opinion on the Bank's financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and review of the audit work performed for purposes of the Bank's audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with those charged with governance, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial statements of the current year and those are therefore the key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

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18 Ramadan, 1446 March 18, 2025



# ISLAMIC DEVELOPMENT BANK - ORDINARY CAPITAL RESOURCES

# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at 31 December 2024

(All amounts in thousands of Islamic Dinars unless otherwise stated)

	Notes	31 December 2024	31 December 2023
Cash and cash equivalents	4	927,002	1,159,129
Commodity murabaha placements	5	4,260,426	5,476,570
Wakala placements	6	702,325	-
Sukuk investments	7	4,302,550	3,316,708
Murabaha receivables	8	385,412	361,091
Treasury assets		10,577,715	10,313,498
Restricted mudaraba	10	391,328	477,037
Istisna'a assets	11	8,247,718	8,613,135
Instalment sale	12	4,435,079	3,785,564
ljarah assets	13	2,685,476	2,755,290
Loans (Qard)	14	1,625,603	1,713,051
Project assets		17,385,204	17,344,077
Equity investments	16	624,562	566,945
Investment in associates	17	910,961	834,366
Other investments		89,848	92,963
Investment assets		1,625,371	1,494,274
Property, equipment and intangibles		61,351	63,401
Other assets	18	71,410	56,864
Total Assets		29,721,051	29,272,114
Liabilifies			
Commodity murabaha liabilities	19	872,018	1,054,753
Sukuk issued	20	16,618,865	17,119,289
Other liabilities	21	240,795	251,241
Total Liabilities		17,731,678	18,425,283
Members' Equity			
Paid-up capital	23	7,464,654	6,800,473
Reserves	24	4,136,592	3,729,625
Net income for the year		388,127	316,733
Total Members' Equity		11,989,373	10,846,831
Total Liabilities and Members' Equity		29,721,051	29,272,114
Off-Balance-Sheet assets under Management		83,557	83,153
Commitments	26		

# ISLAMIC DEVELOPMENT BANK - ORDINARY CAPITAL RESOURCES

# STATEMENT OF INCOME

# For the year ended 31 December 2024

(All amounts in thousands of Islamic Dinars unless otherwise stated)

	Notes	For the year ended 31 Dec 2024	For the year ended 31 Dec 2023
Income from: Commodity murabaha placements Wakala placements Sukuk investments Murabaha <b>Treasury assets</b>	7	263,711 31,292 147,664 21,443 <b>464,110</b>	258,422 - 91,907 22,085 <b>372,414</b>
Restricted mudaraba Istisna'a assets Instalment sale Ijarah assets, net of depreciation of assets under Ijarah Loans (Qard) <b>Project assets</b>	13.1	23,014 334,110 169,603 145,516 10,513 <b>682,756</b>	27,287 287,155 121,819 122,609 8,834 567,704
Equity investments Share of income from investment in associates Other investments <b>Investment assets</b>		55,391 30,570 2,347 <b>88,308</b>	32,656 35,796 3,607 <b>72,059</b>
Foreign exchange gains/(losses) Swap hedging losses Other <b>Other income / (loss)</b>	18(a)	7,269 (633) 6,177 <b>12,813</b>	(7,431) (538) 3,300 <b>(4,669)</b>
Total Income		1,247,987	1,007,508
Financing costs Expected credit losses and Impairment charge	19 & 20 15	(503,110) (170,056)	(398,865) (114,623)
Net income before operating expenses		574,821	494,020
Administrative expenses Depreciation and amortisation	25	(179,082) (7,612)	(172,317) (4,970)
Total operating expenses		(186,694)	(177,287)
Net income for the year		388,127	316,733

# ISLAMIC DEVELOPMENT BANK - ORDINARY CAPITAL RESOURCES STATEMENT OF OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME For the year ended 31 December 2024

(All amounts in thousands of Islamic Dinars unless otherwise stated)

	Notes	For the year ended 31 Dec 2024	For the year ended 31 Dec 2023
Net income for the year		388,127	316,733
Other Comprehensive Income:			
Items that will not be reclassified to the statement of income:			
Actuarial gains /(losses) relating to retirement pension and medical plans	22	53,333	(471)
Items that may subsequently be reclassified to the statement of Income:		53,333	(471)
Fair value changes on equity and other investments Fair value changes on hedge Investment in associates share of reserve	18 17	67,690 (5,197) <u>32,825</u> <b>95,318</b>	95,877 (11,202) 5,705 <b>90,380</b>
Total Other Comprehensive Income for the year		148,651	89,909
Total Comprehensive Income for the year		536,778	406,642

For the year ended 31 December 2024

(All amounts in thousands of Islamic Dinars unless otherwise stated)

		I		Rese	Reserves				
					Pension				
					and				Total
		Paid-up	General	Fair value	medical	Other	Total	Net	Members'
	Notes	capital	reserve	reserve	obligations	reserves	reserves	income	equity
Balance at 1 January 2023		6 41 1 996	3 167 960	328 480	(116,611)	7.597	3 487 426	173,108	10 072 530
Net Income for the vear							1	316.733	
Other Comprehensive Income		1	I	95,877	(471)	(5,497)	89,909		89,909
Total Comprehensive income		•	•	95,877	(471)	(5,497)	89,909	316,733	406,642
Increase in paid-up capital	23	388,477	I	1	1	1		1	388,477
Transfer to general reserve	24	I	173,108	'	'	I	173,108	(173,108)	•
Allocation for grants	24	I	(20,818)	'	'	I	(20,818)	I	(20,818)
Balance at 31 December 2023		6,800,473	3,320,250	424,357	(17,082)	2,100	3,729,625	316,733	10,846,831
Net Income for the year		I		-	-	1	•	388,127	388,127
Other Comprehensive Income		I	I	67,690	53,333	27,628	148,651	I	148,651
Total Comprehensive income	. 1	•	•	67,690	53,333	27,628	148,651	388,127	536,778
Increase in paid-up capital	23	664,181		1	I		•	•	664,181
Payment of ICD's share capital on behalf of Member									
Countries		I	(838)	I	ı	'	(838)	I	(838)
Transfer from other reserves to fair value reserve		I	(60,607)	28,245	I	32,362	•	I	•
Transfer to general reserve	24	I	316,733	I	I	I	316,733	(316,733)	•
Allocation for grants	24	I	(57,579)	1	I		(57,579)	I	(57,579)
Balance at 31 December 2024		7,464,654	3,517,959	520,292	36,251	62,090	4,136,592	388,127	11,989,373

# ISLAMIC DEVELOPMENT BANK - ORDINARY CAPITAL RESOURCES

# STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

# For the year ended 31 December 2024

(All amounts in thousands of Islamic Dinars unless otherwise stated)

	Notes	For the year ended 31 Dec 2024	For the year ended 31 Dec 2023
Cash flows from operations			
Net income for the year		388,127	316,733
Adjustments for non-cash items:			
Depreciation / amortisation		7,612	4,970
Depreciation on ijarah assets	13.1	255,580	241,867
Share of income from investment in associates, net		(30,526)	(35,796)
Expected credit losses and impairment charge	15	170,056	114,623
Accrued income – sukuk investments		(11,910)	(3,983)
Unrealised fair value losses on sukuk	7	739	729
Gain on disposal of sukuk investments	7	-	(1,739)
Amortisation of other income		(567)	(566)
Accrued finance cost – Sukuk issued	20	6,947	30,187
Amortisation of Sukuk issuance costs/discount	20	5,750	2,820
Foreign exchange (gains) / losses		(7,269)	7,431
Gain on disposal of investment in associates	17	(44)	-
Gain on disposal of equity investments	16	(17,350)	(4,766)
Operating income before changes in operating assets and liabilit	ies	767,145	672,510
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:			
Restricted mudaraba		96,887	100,403
Istisna'a assets		336,300	117,989
Instalment sale		(624,832)	(714,188)
ljarah assets		(178,686) 44,857	(131,887) 6,121
Loans (Qard)			
Otherassets		(17,454)	21,863
Other liabilities		40,087	25,955
Commodity murabaha placements		1,276,822	(1,569,332)
Wakala placements Murabaha receivables		(702,835)	-
		(21,220)	(41,290)
Net cash generated from / (used in) operating activities Cash flows from investing activities		1,017,071	(1,511,856)
Acquisition of sukuk investments	7	(1,583,603)	(930,866)
Proceeds from redemption of sukuk investments	7	719,393	234,661
Proceeds from disposal of equity investments	16	20,043	7,749
Acquisition of other investments	10	6,733	(11,565)
Acquisition/increase in share of associate	17	(15,722)	(1,721)
Dividends from associates	17	2,394	3,957
Proceeds from capital repayment/disposal of investment in asso	ciates 17	128	221
Additions to property, equipment and intangibles		(5,562)	(7,955)
Net cash used in investing activities		(856,196)	(705,519)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Increase in paid-up capital		664,181	388,477
Payment of ICD's share capital on behalf of Member countries		(838)	-
Allocation for grants	24	(57,579)	(20,818)
Proceeds from issuance of sukuk	20	3,388,093	3,788,831
Redemption of sukuk	20	(4,216,179)	(3,026,185)
Commodity murabaha liabilities Net cash (used in)/generated from financing activities		(163,372) (385,694)	641,336 <b>1,771,641</b>
Net change in cash and cash equivalents		(224,819)	(445,734)
Exchange difference on cash and cash equivalents		(7,308)	1,046
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year		1,159,129	1,603,817
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	4	927,002	1,159,129

ISLAMIC DEVELOPMENT BANK - ORDINARY CAPITAL RESOURCES STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN OFF-BALANCE-SHEET ASSETS UNDER MANAGEMENT

For the year ended 31 December 2024

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	Opening Balance	Additions	Withdrawals	Withdrawals Net Income Mudarib fee	Mudarib fee	Foreign exchange Gain/(loss)	Transfers	Closing Balance
2024								
Commodity murabaha placements	64,070	2,646	(8,314)	3,402	(145)	1,843	2,339	65,841
Sukuk investments	19,083	'	1	469		517		17,716
	83,153	2,646	(8,314)	3,871	(159)	2,360	•	83,557
2023								
Commodity murabaha placements	63,337	I	(1,184)	2,339	(209)	(518)	305	64,070
Sukuk investments	19,239	-		343	(37)	(157)	(305)	19,083
	82,576	•	(1,184)	2,682	(246)	(675)	•	83,153

Notes to the financial statements from 1 to 32 form an integral part of these financial statements.

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#### 1. ORGANISATION AND OPERATIONS

Islamic Development Bank (the "Bank" or "IsDB") is a Multilateral Development Bank established pursuant to Articles of Agreement signed and ratified by its Member Countries in 1394H (1974). The Bank carries out its business activities through its headquarters in Jeddah, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia and eleven regional hubs located in other member countries. The purpose of the Bank is to foster economic development and social progress of member countries and Muslim communities, in accordance with the Islamic Shari'an principles. The Bank has 57 Member Countries (2023: 57).

As a supranational institution, the Bank is not subject to any national banking regulations, is neither supervised by any external regulatory authority and is not subject to any taxes, tariffs or Zakat.

The Bank is required to carry out its activities in accordance with its Articles of Agreement, Financial Regulations and the principles of Shari'ah. The Bank established Group Shari'ah Board whose functions are set out in Note 28.

IsDB affiliates and Special Funds have separate and distinct assets and liabilities and the Bank does not control any of the Affiliates and Special Funds for the purpose of acquiring of benefits and, therefore, they are not considered as subsidiaries of the Bank.

The Bank's official address is 8111 King Khalid Street, Unit No. 1, Al Nuzlah Yamania Dist, Jeddah 22332-2444, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

The financial statements were authorized by the Resolution of the Board of Executive Directors for submission to the Board of Governors 50th Annual Meeting.

#### 2. BASIS OF PREPARATION

#### Statement of compliance

These financial statements are prepared in accordance with Financial Accounting Standards ("FAS") issued by the Accounting and Auditing Organization for Islamic Financial Institutions ("AAOIFI") and Shari'ah Rules and Principles as determined by the Group Shari'ah Board of the Bank. In accordance with the requirements of AAOIFI, for principal accounting matters for which no AAOIFI standard exists, the Bank seeks guidance from relevant International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") issued by the International Accounting Standards ("IFRS") provided they do not contradict with the rules and principles of Shari'ah as determined by the Group Shari'ah Board of the Bank.

#### **Basis of measurement**

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention except for the following items:

- Investments in equity and funds are measured at fair value through Other comprehensive income;
- Investments in associates are measured using equity method of accounting;
- Certain investments in sukuk are measured at fair value through Statement of Income designated as such at the time of initial recognition; and
- Profit rate and cross-currency profit rate swaps are measured at fair value.
- Post-employment benefits plan measured using actuarial present value calculation based on projected unit credit method.

#### Unit of Account

In accordance with the Bank's Articles of Agreement, Islamic Dinar ("ID") is the unit of account of the Bank and is equal to one Special Drawing Right ("SDR") of the International Monetary Fund ("IMF"). These financial statements have been presented in ID, which is the functional and presentation currency of the Bank. Except as otherwise indicated, the financial information presented in ID has been rounded to the nearest thousands.

The Bank primarily operates in USD and EUR which collectively constitute 74.1% (2023: 75.7%) of SDR, to which ID is equalized. Therefore, Management and the Board of Executive Directors concluded that Islamic Dinar effectively reflects the economic impacts of the Bank's underlying transactions, events and conditions and is accordingly its unit of account.

#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Financial assets and liabilities

Financial assets and liabilities are recognized in the statement of financial position when the Bank becomes a party to the related contractual rights or obligations.

#### **Financial assets**

A financial asset is any asset that is cash, an equity instrument of another entity, a contractual right to receive cash or another financial asset from another entity or to exchange financial assets or financial liabilities with another entity under conditions that are potentially favorable to the Bank.

A financial liability is any liability that is a contractual obligation to deliver cash or another financial asset to another entity or to exchange financial assets or financial liabilities with another entity under conditions that are potentially unfavorable to the Bank.

Recognized financial assets and financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value, for concessional loans (Qard) fair value is best evidenced by the transaction amount. Transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of financial assets and financial liabilities (other than financial assets and financial liabilities at FVTPL) are added to or deducted from the fair value of the financial assets or financial liabilities, as appropriate. Transaction costs directly attributable to the acquisition of financial assets or financial liabilities at FVTPL are recognized immediately in profit or loss.

On initial recognition, financial assets are classified and measured at either of (i) amortised cost, (ii) fair value through other comprehensive income or (iii) fair value through statement of income, on the basis of both:

- a. the institution's business model for managing the investments; and
- b. the expected cash flow characteristics of the investment in line with the nature of the underlying Islamic finance contracts.

Financial assets comprise investments in debt-type, equity-type financial instruments and other investment instruments.

#### (i) Classification

#### Debt-type instruments

#### Categorization

Debt-type instruments are instruments, whereby the transaction structure results in creation of a monetary or non-monetary liability;.

Investments in debt-type instruments are categorized into following a) non-monetary debt-type instruments or b) monetary debttype instruments.

a) Non-monetary debt-type instruments – these are debt-type instruments whereby the transaction structure results in creation of a non-financial liability or usufruct or services to be delivered in future; and are classified into the following categories: 1) at amortised cost, 2) at fair value through Other Comprehensive Income or 3) fair value through Statement of Income.

A non-monetary debt-type instrument is classified and measured at amortised cost only if investment is held within a business model whose objective is to hold such investment in order to collect expected cash flows till maturity of the instrument and the investment have a reasonably determinable effective yield.

A non-monetary debt-type instrument classified and measured at fair value through Other Comprehensive Income only if the investment is held within a business model whose objective is achieved by both collecting expected cash flows and selling the investment and the investment have a reasonably determinable effective yield.

A non-monetary debt-type instrument classified and measured at fair value through Statement of Income include investments held for trading or designated at fair value through Statement of Income at inception. At inception, a non-monetary debt-type instrument can only be designated at fair value through Statement of Income if it eliminates or significantly reduces a measurement or recognition inconsistency that would otherwise arise on measuring the assets or liabilities or quasi equity recognising the gains or losses on them on different bases.

b) Monetary debt-type instruments – these are debt-type instruments whereby the transaction structure results in creation of a financial liability / debt; and are classified and measured at cost, till the time the transaction at the back-end is executed: and at amortised cost thereafter.

#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### Equity-type instruments

Equity-type instruments are instruments that evidence a residual interest in the assets of an entity after deducting all its liabilities and quasi-equity balances, including ordinary equity instruments and such other structured investment instruments that classify as equity instrument.

Investments in equity-type instruments are classified into the following categories: 1) at fair value through Statement of Income or 2) at fair value through Other Comprehensive Income.

Equity-type investments classified and measured at fair value through Statement of Income include investments held for trading or designated at fair value through Statement of Income.

An investment is classified as held for trading if acquired or originated principally for the purpose of generating a profit from shortterm fluctuations in price or dealer's margin. Any investments that form part of a portfolio where there is an actual pattern of shortterm profit taking are also classified as 'held for trading'.

Investments designated at fair value through Statement of Income are those which are managed and evaluated internally for performance on a fair value basis.

On initial recognition, the Bank makes an irrevocable election to designate certain equity instruments that are not designated at fair value through Statement of Income to be classified as investments at fair value through Other Comprehensive Income.

#### Other investment instruments

Other investment instruments are investment instruments which do not meet the definition of either debt-type or equity-type instruments.

Other investment instruments are classified into the following categories: 1) at amortised cost, 2) at fair value through Other comprehensive income or 3) fair value through Statement of Income.

Other investment instrument is classified and measured at amortised cost only if investment is held within a business model whose objective is to hold such investment in order to collect expected cash flows till maturity of the instrument and the investment have a reasonably determinable effective yield.

Other investment instrument classified and measured at fair value through Other Comprehensive Income only if the investment is held within a business model whose objective is achieved by both collecting expected cash flows and selling the investment and the investment have a reasonably determinable effective yield.

Other investment instrument classified and measured at fair value through Statement of Income include investments held for trading or designated at fair value through Statement of Income at inception. At inception, a non-monetary debt-type instrument can only be designated at fair value through Statement of Income if it eliminates or significantly reduces a measurement or recognition inconsistency that would otherwise arise on measuring the assets or liabilities or quasi equity derecognise the gains or losses on them on different bases.

#### (ii) Recognition and derecognition

Investment securities are derecognised at the trade date i.e., the date that the Bank contracts to purchase or sell the asset, at which date the Bank becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. Investment securities are derecognised when the rights to receive cash flows from the financial assets have expired or where the Bank has transferred substantially all risk and rewards of ownership.

#### (iii) Measurement

#### Initial recognition

Investment securities are initially recognised at fair value plus transaction costs, except for transaction costs incurred to acquire investments at fair value through statement of income which are charged to statement of income.

#### Subsequent measurement

Investments at fair value through statement of income are re-measured at fair value at the end of each reporting period and the resultant re-measurement gains or losses is recognised in the statement of income in the period in which they arise. Subsequent to initial recognition, investments classified at amortised cost are measured at amortised cost using the effective profit method less any impairment allowance. All gains or losses arising from the amortisation process and those arising on de-recognition or impairment of the investments, are recognised in the statement of income.

#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Investments at fair value through Other Comprehensive Income are re-measured at their fair values at the end of each reporting period and the resultant gain or loss, arising from a change in the fair value of investments are recognised in the statement of other comprehensive income and presented in a separate fair value reserve within the member's equity. When the investments classified as fair value through Other comprehensive income are sold, impaired, collected or otherwise disposed of, the cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in other comprehensive income is transferred to the statement of income.

Investments which do not have a quoted market price or other appropriate methods from which to derive a reliable measure of fair value when on a continuous basis cannot be determined, are stated at cost less impairment allowance, (if any).

#### (iv) Measurement principles

#### Amortised cost measurement

The amortised cost of a financial asset or liability is the amount at which the financial asset or liability is measured at initial recognition, minus capital repayments, plus or minus the cumulative amortisation using the effective profit method of any difference between the initial amount recognised and the maturity amount, minus any reduction for impairment. The calculation of the effective profit rate includes all fee and points paid or received that are an integral part of the effective profit rate.

#### Fair value measurement

Fair value is the amount for which an asset could be exchanged, or an obligation settled between well informed and willing parties (seller and buyer) in an arm's length transaction. The Company measures the fair value of quoted investments using the market bid price for that instrument at the close of business on the statement of financial position date. For investment where there is no quoted market price, a reasonable estimate of the fair value is determined by reference to the current market value of another instrument, which is substantially the same or is based on the assessment of future cash flows. The cash equivalent values are determined by the Bank by discounting future cash flows at current profit rates for contracts with similar term and risk characteristics.

The table below summarizes IsDB's major financial assets and liabilities and their measurement and recognition principles. Detailed accounting policies are provided in the relevant sections below.

Item	Recognition principles
Commodity murabaha placements	Gross carrying value less allowance for expected credit losses
Wakala placements	Equity accounting basis
Murabaha receivables	Amortised cost less allowance for expected credit losses
Investments in sukuk classified as either at	Fair value through statement of income; or amortised cost less expected credit losses
Istisna'a and Installment sale	Amortised cost less allowance for expected credit losses
Restricted mudaraba	Amortised cost less allowance for expected credit losses
Ijarah assets	Amortised cost less depreciation and impairment
Loans (Qard)	Disbursements plus accrued service fee less expected credit losses
Equity investments Other investments	Fair value through other comprehensive income Amortised cost less allowance for expected credit losses
Sukuk issued	Amortised cost
Commodity murabaha liabilities	Amortised cost

#### Offsetting of financial assets and liabilities

Financial assets and liabilities are offset only when there is a legally enforceable right to set off the recognized amounts and the Bank intends to either settle on a net basis, or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously. Income and expenses are presented on a net basis only when permitted under Financial Accounting Standards ("FAS") issued by AAOIFI, or for gains and losses arising from a group of similar transactions.

#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### Treasury assets

Treasury assets include cash and cash equivalents, commodity murabaha placements, wakala placements, sukuk investments and murabaha receivables.

#### Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash in hand, bank balances, commodity murabaha placements and wakala placements through banks having a maturity of three months or less from the date of placement that are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in their fair value. Cash and cash equivalents are carried at amortised cost less allowance for credit losses in the statement of financial position.

#### Commodity murabaha placements

Commodity murabaha placements entails the purchase and sale of commodities at agreed profit rates. The buying and selling of commodities is limited by the terms of agreement between the Bank and other financial institutions. Commodity murabaha placements are carried at gross carrying value less allowance for expected credit losses.

#### Wakala placements

These are investments where the Bank acts as a principal/investor and which are managed on a wakala investment agency basis. For accounting purposes, these are classified as Wakala venture approach as investments are made in transferable instruments or in a single pool of assets, where such assets are subject to frequent changes throughout the term of the contract at the discretion of the agent and/or the role of the agent is not limited whereby the agent performs day-to-day asset management function and, where applicable, is also responsible for replacement of assets or recoveries against them.

Wakala investments are initially recognized at cost and are subsequently adjusted to include investor's share in the profit or loss of the Wakala venture net of any agent's remuneration payable as of the reporting date.

#### Sukuk investments

Sukuk are certificates of equal value representing undivided share in ownership to tangible assets, usufructs, services or (in the ownership) of assets of a particular project or special investment activity, classified as monetary debt-type or non-monetary debt-type instrument measured either at amortised cost or at fair value through Statement of Income.

IsDB's investments (including sukuk investments) are classified under (i) Transactional Operational Portfolio (TOP), (ii) Core Operational Portfolio (COP) or (iii) Stable Portfolio (SP) (details on and definitions of these portfolios are provided in Note 30 "Liquidity risk" section).

Sukuk that are initially designated at fair value through Statement of Income, if it eliminates or significantly reduces a measurement or recognition inconsistency. Such securities are grouped under either TOP or COP. On initial recognition, these investments are measured at fair value based on quoted market prices. At the end of each reporting year, such investments are re- measured at fair value with the resulting gain or loss recognized in the Statement of Income and classified within income from sukuk investments.

Sukuk that are acquired with positive intent and ability to hold them to contractual maturity are grouped under SP and are measured at amortised cost less allowance for credit losses.

#### Murabaha receivables

The Bank entered into a restricted Mudaraba arrangement with ITFC, under which ITFC provides financing to its customers. Due to the restricted nature of mudaraba and the Bank's direct exposure to the credit risk on the underlying assets, this arrangement is classified and reported under Murabaha receivables.

Murabaha receivables is stated at selling price, less unearned income, less repayments, mudarib share of profit and allowance for expected credit losses.

#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### Project assets

Project assets include restricted mudaraba, istisna'a assets, instalment sale, ijarah assets and loans (Qard).

#### Restricted Mudaraba

Restricted Mudaraba is based on the profit-sharing and loss-bearing Mudaraba contract where profits are shared between the parties based on the terms of the Mudaraba agreement. IsDB as a "Rab al Maal" provides capital under a line of financing facility to a "Mudarib" who invests this capital based on prescribed investment criteria such as sector, commercial terms, security package, etc. IsDB also obtains a third party sovereign guarantee covering the investment risk in addition to the underlying projects' security package. Restricted mudaraba contracts are stated at the amount of disbursements made, less impairment (if any).

#### <u>Istisna'a assets</u>

A sale contract between two parties whereby the Bank undertakes to construct, for its customer, a specific asset or property according to certain pre-agreed specifications to be delivered during a pre-agreed period of time in consideration of a pre-determined price, which comprises the cost of construction and a profit amount.

The work undertaken is not restricted to be accomplished by the Bank alone and the whole or part of the construction/development can be undertaken by third parties under the control and responsibility of the Bank.

Istisna'a assets in progress represent disbursements made as well as accrued income against assets being either constructed or manufactured Istisna'a profit (difference between the sale price of asset or property to the customer and the Bank total Istisna'a cost) is internally accounted for on a time-apportioned basis over the period of the contract based on the principal amount outstanding.

#### Instalment sale

Sale whereby the Bank sells to a customer, an asset which it has purchased and acquired based on a promise from that customer to buy. The selling price includes the profit margin. Amounts receivable from the instalment sale transactions are stated at selling price, less unearned income, less repayments and allowance for credit losses.

#### ljarah assets (ljarah Muntahia Bittamleek)

Ijarah is an agreement (either direct or through a syndicate) whereby the Bank, acting as a lessor, purchases assets according to the customer request (lessee), based on his promise to lease the asset for an agreed rent for a specific period. The Bank transfers the right to the lessee for a rental payment for the lease period. Throughout the Ijarah period, the Bank retains ownership of the leased asset. At the end of the Ijarah period, the Bank transfers title of the asset to the lessee without consideration.

Ijarah assets under construction are stated at cost of manufacturing or acquisition and are not depreciated. No rental income is recognized on the assets during the construction/manufacturing period. Rental income received during the construction period (advance rental) is recorded under other liabilities and amortised to Ijarah income after the asset is transferred to Ijarah asset in use (Note 13).

Once constructed/manufactured or acquired, Ijarah assets are transferred to the customer at which time they are classified as Ijarah assets in use. Ijarah assets in use are stated at the aggregate cost, less the accumulated depreciation as at the reporting date and allowance for impairment. Ijarah assets are depreciated on the estimated usage basis.

#### Loans (Qard)

Loan (Qard) is a long-term concessional (non-profit bearing) facility provided to finance development projects in Member Countries bearing a service fee at a rate sufficient to cover the Bank's actual administrative expenses.

Loan (Qard) amounts outstanding represent amounts disbursed in respect of projects plus accrued service fees, less repayments received and allowance for expected credit losses.

#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### **Investment Assets**

Investment assets include equity investments, investments in funds, investments in associates and other investments.

#### Equity investments at fair value through other comprehensive income

Equity investments are intended for long-term holding and may be sold in response to liquidity needs, changes in fair values or within the overall context of the Bank's developmental activities. Accordingly, the Bank has opted to designate all of its equity investments at fair value through other comprehensive income.

#### Listed investments measured at market value

#### Unlisted investments in equities measured at fair value through other comprehensive income

Unlisted investments in equities are carried at fair values determined by independent valuers. Fair value gains/losses are reported in other comprehensive income. If there is objective evidence that an impairment loss has been incurred, the amount of impairment is measured as the difference between the carrying amount of investment and its expected recoverable amount. Impairment losses recognized in statement of income are reversed through statement of other comprehensive income.

After the initial designation, the Bank shall not reclassify investments in equity-type securities into or out of the fair value through its statement of other comprehensive income category.

#### Investment in funds at fair value through other comprehensive income

Investments in funds are intended to be held for a long-term period. These investments are Initially and subsequently measured at fair value, and any unrealised gains or losses arising from the change in their fair value are reported in other comprehensive income until the investment is derecognized or determined to be impaired, at which time the cumulative gain or loss previously recorded in other comprehensive income is recognized in the Statement of Income.

Investments in funds whose fair value cannot be reliably measured are carried at cost less allowance for any impairment in the value of such investments.

#### Investments in associates

In accordance with IsDB's Articles of Agreement, Articles 17.2 and 17.5 "The Bank shall not acquire a majority or controlling interests in the share capital of the project in which it participates except when it is necessary to protect the Bank's interest or to ensure the success of such project or enterprise" and "The Bank shall not assume responsibility for managing any project or enterprise in which it has invested except when necessary to safeguard its investment".

Consequently, the Bank does not exercise control over any of its investments regardless of percentage of voting rights. For investments in which the Bank holds 20 per cent or more of the voting rights and having significant influence, such investments are accounted for and classified as investments in associates, unless they are held for sale.

Investments in associates are accounted for using the equity method of accounting and are initially recognized at cost (including transaction costs directly related to acquisition of investment in associate). The Bank's investment in associates includes goodwill identified on acquisition (net of any accumulated impairment loss). The Bank's share of its associates' post-acquisition profits or losses is recognized in the Statement of Income; its share of post-acquisition movements in reserves is recognized in Other comprehensive income. The cumulative post-acquisition movements are adjusted against the carrying amount of the investment and reduced by dividends and return of capital. When the Bank's share of losses in an associate equal or exceeds its interest in the associate, including any other unsecured receivables from the respective associate, the Bank does not recognize further losses, unless it has incurred obligations or made payments on behalf of the associate.

If the ownership interest in an associate is reduced but significant influence is retained, only a proportionate share of the amounts previously recognized in reserves is classified to statement of income where appropriate.

The Bank determines at each reporting date whether there is any objective evidence that the investment in associate is impaired. If this is the case, the Bank calculates the amount of impairment as being the difference between the fair value of the associate and the carrying value and recognizes the amount in the Statement of Income. Intergroup unrealised gains on transactions between the Bank and its associates are eliminated to the extent of the Bank's interest in the associates. Intragroup losses are also eliminated unless the transaction provides evidence of an impairment of the asset transferred. Dilution gains and losses in associates are recognized in the Statement of Income. The Bank's share of the results of associates is based on financial statements available up to a date not earlier than three months before the date of the statement of financial position, adjusted to conform to the accounting policies of the Bank. The accounting policies of associates have been changed where necessary to ensure consistency with policies adopted by the Bank.

#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### Profit rate and cross currency profit rate swaps or wa'ad

The Bank uses Murabaha based profit-rate and cross currency profit-rate swaps or wa'ad for asset/liability management purposes to modify mark-up rate or currency characteristics of sukuk issued. Wa'ad is a unilateral undertaking which is binding in Shariah to exchange one set of cash flows for another. For profit-rate swaps, counterparties generally exchange fixed and floating rate profit payments in a single currency and offsets principal exchange. For cross-currency profit-rate swaps, fixed and floating profit payments are exchanged in different currencies and principals exchanges in the same currency are offset with each other.

These instruments are initially recognized at fair value at the date the contract is entered into and are subsequently re-measured at fair value at the end of each reporting period with the resulting gain or loss recognized in the Statement of Income, unless designated in a hedge (Tahawwut) relationship, with positive fair values recognized within other assets and those with negative fair values recognized within other liabilities.

The Bank uses widely recognized valuation models for measuring the fair value of profit-rate and cross-currency profit-rate swaps or wa'ad that use only observable market data and require little management judgment and estimation.

#### Hedge (Tahawwut) accounting

The Bank designates profit-rate and cross-currency profit-rate swaps or wa'ad, in respect of foreign currency risk and profit rate risk, as cash flow hedges.

At the inception of the hedge relationship (Tahawwut), the Bank documents the relationship between the hedging instrument/wa'ad and the hedged item, along with its risk management objectives and its strategy for undertaking various hedge transactions (Tahawwut). Furthermore, at the inception of the hedge, the Bank documents whether the hedging instrument/wa'ad is highly effective in offsetting changes in cash flows of the hedged item attributable to the hedged risk.

#### Cash flow hedges

The effective portion of changes in the fair value of swaps or wa'ad that are designated and qualify as cash flow hedges is recognized in statement of other comprehensive income. The gain or loss relating to the ineffective portion is recognized immediately in the Statement of Income and is included in the "Swaps hedging gains/(losses)' line item.

The cash flow hedging reserve represents the cumulative effective portion of gains or losses arising on changes in fair value of hedging instruments or wa'ad entered into for cash flow hedges. The cumulative gain or loss arising on changes in fair value of the hedging instruments or wa'ad that are recognized and accumulated under other comprehensive income are reclassified to Statement of Income only when the hedged transaction affects the Statement of Income.

Amounts previously recognized in the statement of other comprehensive income are reclassified to Statement of Income in the periods when the hedged item affects the Statement of Income, in the same line as the recognized hedged item.

Hedge accounting is discontinued when the Bank revokes the hedging relationship (Tahawwut), when the hedging instrument expires or is sold, terminated, or exercised, or when it no longer qualifies for hedge accounting.

#### Impairment assessment

#### Impairment of assets held at amortised cost

The Bank applies the credit loss approach to financing instruments measured at amortised cost, loan commitments, and treasury investments held at amortised cost. No impairment loss is recognised on equity and other investment carried at fair value and on loan commitments issued and financial guarantee contracts issued as per expected credit loss model. To assess the extent of credit risk, the financial assets are divided into three (3) categories:

- i. Stage 1 No significant increase in credit risk;
- ii. Stage 2 Significant increase in credit risk (SICR); and
- iii. Stage 3 Credit impaired financial assets.

Allocation to different stages is based on the degree of deterioration in the credit quality of the financial asset. At each reporting date, the Bank assesses whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk. The Bank monitors all financial assets, issued loan commitments and financial guarantee contracts that are subject to the impairment requirements to assess whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition. If there has been a significant increase in credit risk the Bank will measure the loss allowance based on lifetime rather than 12-month ECL. Currently, the Bank has assessed Nil loss allowance on issued loan commitments and financial guarantee contracts.

#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

In assessing whether the credit risk on a financial instrument has increased significantly since initial recognition, the Bank compares the risk of a default occurring on the financial instrument at the reporting date based on the remaining maturity of the instrument with the risk of a default occurring that was anticipated for the remaining maturity at the current reporting date when the financial instrument was first recognised. In making this assessment, the Bank considers both quantitative and qualitative information that is reasonable and supportable, including historical experience and forward-looking information that is available without undue cost or effort, based on the Bank's historical experience and expert credit assessment including forward-looking information.

Multiple economic scenarios form the basis of determining the probability of default at initial recognition and at subsequent reporting dates. Different economic scenarios will lead to a different probability of default. It is the weighting of these different scenarios that forms the basis of a weighted average probability of default that is used to determine whether credit risk has significantly increased.

Forward-looking information includes the future prospects of the countries and industries in which the Bank's counterparties operate, obtained from economic expert reports, financial analysts, governmental bodies, relevant think-tanks and other similar organisations, as well as consideration of various internal and external sources of actual and forecast economic information. The Bank allocates its counterparties to a relevant internal credit risk grade depending on their credit quality. The quantitative information is a primary indicator of significant increase in credit risk and is based on the change in lifetime PD by comparing rating transitions and/or days past due, given that macro-economic scenario data and models for certain countries are not readily available, in such cases proxy scenarios and models have been used.

The PDs used are forward-looking and the Bank uses the same methodologies and data used to measure the loss allowance for ECL.

The qualitative factors that indicate significant increase in credit risk are reflected in PD models on a timely basis. However the Bank still considers separately some qualitative factors to assess if credit risk has increased significantly.

Given that a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition is a relative measure, a given change, in absolute terms, in the PD will be more significant for a financial instrument with a lower initial PD than compared to a financial instrument with a higher PD.

All financial assets are allocated to stage 1 on initial recognition. However, if a significant increase in credit risk is identified at the reporting date compared with initial recognition, then the asset is transferred to stage 2 (Refer to Note 30 Risk management). If there is objective evidence of impairment, then the asset is credit-impaired and allocated to stage 3 as described in Note 30 - Risk management.

With the exception of Purchased or originated credit-impaired (POCI) financial assets (which are considered separately below), ECLs are required to be measured through a loss allowance at an amount equal to:

- 12-month ECL, i.e. lifetime ECL that result from those default events on the financial instrument that are possible within 12 months after the reporting date, (referred to as Stage 1); or

- full lifetime ECL, i.e. lifetime ECL that result from all possible default events over the life of the financial instrument, (referred to as Stage 2).

- As for instruments classified in stage 3, loss allowance is quantified as the product of LGD and EAD of each instrument.

Credit-impaired financial assets

A financial asset is 'credit-impaired' when one or more events that have a detrimental impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset have occurred. Credit-impaired financial assets are referred to as Stage 3 assets. Evidence of credit-impairment includes observable data about the following events

For Sovereign: Prolonged Civil War/ external arms conflict

For Non-Sovereign: Company files for bankruptcy Cancellation of Operating License Clear evidence that the company will not be able to make the future repayments

It may not be possible to identify a single discrete event—instead, the combined effect of several events may have caused financial assets to become credit-impaired. The Bank assesses whether debt instruments that are financial assets measured at amortised cost or FVTOCI are credit-impaired at each reporting date.

For financial assets classified as Stage 3 assets, the Bank recognizes income when actually received.

#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### Purchased or originated credit-impaired (POCI) financial assets

POCI financial assets are treated differently because the asset is credit-impaired at initial recognition. For these assets, the Bank recognises all changes in lifetime ECL since initial recognition as a loss allowance with any changes recognised in profit or loss. A favourable change for such assets creates an impairment gain.

#### Modification and derecognition of financial assets

A modification of a financial asset occurs when the contractual terms governing the cash flows of a financial asset are renegotiated or otherwise modified between initial recognition and maturity of the financial asset. A modification affects the amount and/or timing of the contractual cash flows either immediately or at a future date.

A loan forbearance is granted in cases where although the borrower made all reasonable efforts to pay under the original contractual terms, there is a high risk of default or default has already happened and the borrower is expected to be able to meet the revised terms. The revised terms in most of the cases include an extension of the maturity of the financial asset, changes to the timing of the cash flows of the financial asset (principal and profit repayment), reduction in the amount of cash flows due (principal and profit forgiveness).

When a financial asset is modified the Bank assesses whether this modification results in derecognition. In accordance with the Bank's policy a modification results in derecognition when it gives rise to substantially different terms. To determine if the modified terms are substantially different from the original contractual terms the Bank considers the following:

A quantitative assessment is performed to compare the present value of the remaining contractual cash flows under the original terms with the contractual cash flows under the revised terms, both amounts discounted at the original effective profit rate. If the difference in present value is greater than 10% the Bank deems the arrangement is substantially different leading to derecognition. When performing a quantitative assessment of a modification or renegotiation of a credit-impaired financial asset or a purchased or originated credit-impaired financial asset that was subject to a write-off, the Bank considers the expected (rather than the contractual) cash flows before modification or renegotiation and compares those with the contractual cash flows after modification.

In the case where the financial asset is derecognised the loss allowance for ECL is remeasured at the date of derecognition to determine the net carrying amount of the asset at that date. The difference between this revised carrying amount and the fair value of the new financial asset with the new terms will lead to a gain or loss on derecognition. The new financial asset will have a loss allowance measured based on 12-month ECL except in the rare occasions where the new loan is considered to be originated-credit impaired. This applies only in the case where the fair value of the new loan is recognised at a significant discount to its revised par amount because there remains a high risk of default which has not been reduced by the modification. The Bank monitors credit risk of modified financial assets by evaluating qualitative and quantitative information, such as if the borrower is in past due status under the new terms.

When the contractual terms of a financial asset are modified and the modification does not result in derecognition, the Bank determines if the financial asset's credit risk has increased significantly since initial recognition by comparing:

- the remaining lifetime PD estimated based on data at initial recognition and the original contractual terms; with
- the remaining lifetime PD at the reporting date based on the modified terms.

For financial assets modified as part of the Bank's forbearance policy, where modification did not result in derecognition, the estimate of PD reflects the Bank's ability to collect the modified cash flows taking into account the Bank's previous experience of similar forbearance action, as well as various behavioural indicators, including the borrower's payment performance against the modified contractual terms. If the credit risk remains significantly higher than what was expected at initial recognition the loss allowance will continue to be measured at an amount equal to lifetime ECL. If a forborne loan is credit impaired due to the existence of evidence of credit impairment (see above), the Bank performs an ongoing assessment to ascertain if the problems of the exposure are cured, to determine if the loan is no longer credit-impaired. The loss allowance on forborne loans will generally only be measured based on 12-month ECL when there is evidence of the borrower's improved repayment behaviour following modification leading to a reversal of the previous significant increase in credit risk.

Where a modification does not lead to derecognition the Bank calculates the modification loss by comparing the gross carrying amount before and after the modification (excluding the ECL allowance). Modification losses, if any, for financial assets are included in the statement of income in 'Losses on modification of financial assets'. Then the Bank measures ECL for the modified asset, where the expected cash flows arising from the modified financial asset are included in calculating the expected cash shortfalls from the original asset.

The Bank derecognises a financial asset only when the contractual rights to the asset's cash flows expire (including expiry arising from a modification with substantially different terms), or when the financial asset and substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset are transferred to another entity. If the Bank neither transfers nor retains substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership and continues to control the transferred asset, the Bank recognises its retained interest in the asset and an associated liability for amounts it may have to pay. If the Bank retains substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of a transferred financial asset, the Bank continues to recognise the financial asset and also recognises a collateralised borrowing for the proceeds received.

#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### Definition of default

Critical to the determination of ECL is the definition of default. The definition of default is used in measuring the amount of ECL and in the determination of whether the loss allowance is based on 12-month or lifetime ECL, as default is a component of the probability of default (PD) which affects both the measurement of ECLs and the identification of a significant increase in credit risk.

The Bank considers the following as constituting an event of default:

- All contracts or obligors rated 21 in the Bank's internal scale (equivalent to C in Moody's scale and D in both S&P's and Fitch Ratings' scale); or

- Moreover, the Bank also uses a rebuttable presumption based on DPD. This rule is applied if the contractual payments are due for more than 180 days for sovereign contracts and 90 days for non-sovereign ones, unless there is reasonable and supportable information indicating that the contract is not credit-impaired.

This definition of default is used by the Bank for accounting purposes as well as for internal credit risk management purposes. The definition of default is appropriately tailored to reflect different characteristics of different types of assets.

The Bank uses a variety of sources of information to assess default which are either developed internally or obtained from external sources. As noted in the definition of credit impaired financial assets above, default is evidence that an asset is credit impaired. Therefore, credit impaired assets will include defaulted assets, but will also include other non-defaulted given the definition of credit impaired is broader than the definition of default.

#### Write-off

When the non-sovereign exposure is deemed uncollectible, it is written-off against the related impairment provision and any excess loss is recognized in the Statement of Income. Such assets are written-off only after all necessary procedures have been completed and the amount of loss has been determined. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written-off are credited to the Bank's Statement of Income. Sovereign exposures are not written-off based on the Bank's past experience, since its inception. Bank has not written off any non-sovereign financial assets during the current and prior year.

#### Financial liabilities

The Bank derecognizes financial liabilities when, and only when, its contractual obligations are discharged or cancelled, or have expired. The difference between the carrying amount of the financial liability derecognized and the consideration paid and payable is recognized in profit or loss.

The Bank also derecognizes a financial liability when its terms are modified and the cash flows under the modified terms are substantially different. In this case, a new financial liability based on the modified terms is recognized at fair value. It is assumed that the terms are substantially different if the discounted present value of the cash flows under the new terms, including any fees paid net of any fees received and discounted using the original effective rate is at least ten per cent different from the discounted present value of the remaining cash flows of the original financial liability. The difference between the carrying amount of the financial liability extinguished and the new financial liability with modified terms is recognized in the statement of income and statement of other comprehensive income.

#### Impairment of investments held at fair value through other comprehensive income

The Bank exercises judgment to consider impairment on the financial assets including equity investments held at fair value through other comprehensive income, at each reporting date. This includes determination of a significant or prolonged decline in the fair value of equity investments below cost. The determination of what is 'significant' or 'prolonged' requires judgment. In making this judgment, the Bank evaluates among other factors, the normal volatility in share prices. In addition, the Bank considers impairment to be appropriate when there is evidence of deterioration in the financial health of the investee, industry and sector performance, changes in technology, and operational and financing cash flows.

The Bank considers 30% or more, as a reasonable measure for significant decline below its cost, irrespective of the duration of the decline. Prolonged decline represents decline below cost that persists for 1 year or longer irrespective of the amount.

#### Other amortised cost assets

An assessment is made at each reporting date to determine whether there is objective evidence that an amortised cost asset or a group of such assets may be impaired. The amount of the impairment losses for other assets is calculated as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and its estimated recoverable amount. Adjustments to the provision are recorded as a charge or credit in the Bank's statement of income.

#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### Commodity murabaha purchase and sale agreements

The Bank enters into commodity murabaha purchase and sale agreements with certain banks for liquidity management purposes. Under the terms of the agreements, the Bank purchases certain commodities from these banks on a deferred payment basis and sells these through those banks to third parties. The payable related to the purchased commodity under these agreements is recognized at the value of consideration paid and is presented as commodity murabaha purchase liabilities in the statement of financial position. The difference between the sale and purchase prices is recognized as financing cost and accrued on an amortised cost basis over the period of agreements.

#### Sukuk issued

The Sukuk assets have been recognised in the IsDB financial statements, as IsDB is the Service Agent, whilst noting that IsDB has sold these assets at a price to the sukukholders through the SPV by a valid sale contract transferring ownership thereof to the sukukholders.

#### Property, equipment and intangibles

Property, equipment and intangibles are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation, accumulated amortisation and impairment loss, if any. Land is not depreciated. Changes in the expected useful lives are accounted for by changing the period or method, as appropriate, and treated as changes in accounting estimates. The depreciable amount of other property, equipment and intangibles is depreciated/amortised using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives.

The assets' residual values, depreciation methods and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at the date of each statement of financial position.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with carrying amount. These are included in the statement of income.

Subsequent expenditures are capitalized only when it is probable that the future economic benefits of the expenditure will flow to the Bank. Ongoing repairs and maintenance are expensed as incurred.

All such assets are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. The carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount.

#### Post-employment benefit plans

The Bank operates three defined post-employment benefit plans for its employees, the Staff Retirement Pension Plan ("SRPP"), the Staff Retirement Medical Plan ("SRMP") and the Retirement Medical Solidarity Plan ("RMSP"). All of these plans require contributions to be made to separately administered funds. A defined benefit plan is a plan that defines an amount of benefit that an employee will receive on retirement, usually dependent on one or more factors such as age, years of service and percentage of final gross salary. Independent actuaries calculate the defined benefit obligation on an annual basis by using the Projected Unit Credit Method to determine the present value of the defined benefit plan and the related service costs. The underlying actuarial assumptions are used to determine the projected benefit obligations.

A full actuarial valuation is performed every three years by engaging independent actuaries. For intermediate years, the defined benefit obligation is estimated by the independent actuaries using approximate actuarial roll-forward techniques that allow for additional benefit accrual, actual cash flows and changes in the underlying actuarial assumptions, mainly the change in discount rate based on the market condition as at valuation date.

The present value of the defined benefit obligation due until the retirement date is determined by discounting the estimated future cash outflows (relating to service accrued to the reporting date) using the yields available on US AA rated corporate bonds. The bonds have terms to maturity closely matching the terms of the actual defined benefit obligation.

The current service cost of the defined benefit plan recognized in the Statement of Income reflects the increase in the defined benefit obligation resulting from employee service in the current year. The cost on defined benefit obligation represents increase in liability due to passage of time.

Retrospective modifications to benefits or curtailment gain or loss are accounted for as past service costs or income in the statement of income in the period of plan amendment.

#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Actuarial gains or losses, if material, are recognized immediately in other comprehensive income in the year they occur. The pension liability is recognized as part of other liabilities and pension asset as part of other assets in the statement of financial position. The liability/asset represents the present value of the Bank's defined benefit obligations, net of the fair value of plan assets.

The pension committee, with advice from the Bank's actuaries, determines the Bank's contributions to the defined benefit scheme and the contributions are transferred to the scheme's independent custodians.

Further detail and analysis of the post-employment benefit plans are included in Note 22.

#### Off-balance sheet assets under management

Off-balance sheet assets under management represent funds received by the Bank from third parties for investment in specified products as directed by them. These products are managed in a fiduciary capacity and the Bank has no entitlement to these products. Third parties bear all the risks and earn all the rewards on these products net of management fee. Off-balance sheet assets are not included in the statement of financial position since the Bank does not have the right to use or dispose of these products except within the conditions of the contract between the Bank and third parties.

#### **Revenue** recognition

#### Commodity murabaha placements

Income from placements with banks is recognized on an effective yield basis over the period of the contract based on the principal amounts outstanding.

#### Wakala placements

Income from Wakala placements is recognized on an equity accounting basis over the period from the actual disbursement of funds to the date of maturity.

#### Investments in sukuk

Income from investments in sukuk is accrued on an effective yield basis and is recognized in the Statement of Income. For the sukuk designated at fair value through Statement of Income, gains and losses resulting from the re-measurement of the fair values at the reporting date are also recognized in the Statement of Income.

#### Murabaha income, Istisna'a income, income from instalment sale and Restricted Mudaraba income

Murabaha income, Istisna'a income, income from instalment sale and Restricted Mudaraba income are recognized using the effective yield over the period of respective transactions.

#### ljarah assets

Income from Ijarah assets is recognized using the effective yield basis (which represents the Ijarah rental net of depreciation against the Ijarah assets) starting from the date the right to use the asset is transferred to the lessee.

#### Loan (Qard) service fees

The Bank charges loan (Qard) service fee only to cover its actual administrative costs related to loans provided to the member countries. Thus, the loans (Qard) service fee is calculated during the financial periods starting from the signature date.

The loan (Qard) service fee is allocated and recognized in the Statement of Income over the specified financial periods.

#### **Dividend income**

Dividend income is recognized when the right to receive the dividend is established i.e. according to its declaration date.

#### Foreign currency

#### Foreign currency transactions and balances

Monetary and non-monetary transactions denominated or requiring settlement in a foreign currency are translated into Islamic Dinar at the spot exchange rates at the transaction dates.

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated into the unit of account at the exchange rate ruling on the reporting date. Foreign currency differences resulting from retranslation of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are recognized in the Statement of Income as foreign exchange gains/losses.

Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies that are measured at fair value (including Equity investments) are retranslated into the unit of account at the spot exchange rate at the date that the fair value was determined. Foreign currency differences resulting from translation of such investments are recognized in other comprehensive income.

Translation differences relating to the changes in the amortised cost are recognized in the statement of income.

#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### Foreign operations – investments in associates

The results and the net investment in the Bank's associates are translated into Islamic dinar as follows:

- IsDB's share of net income/loss of an associate is translated at the average annual exchange rate. All resulting exchange differences are recognized in other comprehensive income.
- Exchange differences arising from the translation of the net investment in associates (opening equity and movements in equity during the reporting year) are taken to other comprehensive income.

#### Sukuk financing cost

Sukuk financing costs are recognized in the Statement of Income and include the amortisation of the issuance costs and swap financing cost element. Sukuk issued is recognized at amortised cost, except for those sukuk used as hedged items. Amortised cost of such sukuk is adjusted for the hedging gains / losses.

#### Zakat and Tax

In accordance with the Articles of Agreement and the fact that the Bank's equity is part of Bait-ul-Mal (public money), the Bank is not subject to Zakat or any Taxes.

#### Earnings prohibited by Islamic Shari'ah

Any income earned by the Bank from sources, which are forbidden by the Islamic Shari'ah, is not included in the Bank's Statement of Income but is transferred to the Special Account Resources Waqf Fund, in accordance with the Shari'ah Rules and Principles as determined by the Group Shari'ah Board of the Bank.

#### Critical accounting judgments and estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with FAS issued by AAOIFI, requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and income and expenses. It also requires Management to exercise its judgment in the process of applying the Bank's accounting policies. Such estimates, assumptions and judgments are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including obtaining professional advices and expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. The most significant judgements and estimates are summarized below:

#### Significant judgements

#### Designation of investments in sukuk

Investments in sukuk are designated as either amortised cost or at fair value through statement of income.

Amortised cost designation is driven by the intent and ability of the Bank to hold these securities to contractual maturity. Their liquidation is necessitated only in extreme stressed market conditions.

#### Designation of Investments in equity capital

Designation of Investments in equity capital and real estate and other funds at fair value through other comprehensive income is driven by the intention of management to hold these for a long-term.

#### Going Concern

The Bank's management has made an assessment of the Bank's ability to continue as a going concern and is satisfied that the Bank has the resources to continue in business for the foreseeable future. Furthermore, the management is not aware of any material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt upon the Bank's ability to continue as a going concern. Therefore, the financial statements continue to be prepared on the going concern basis.

#### Classification of investments

Management decides on acquisition of an investment whether it should be classified as equity- type instrument at fair value through statement on income, equity-type instrument at fair value through other comprehensive income, debt-type instrument at fair value through statement of income or debt-type instrument at amortised cost.

#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### Significant estimates

#### Expected credit losses against financial assets

Expected credit losses against financial assets – The measurement of credit losses under FAS 30 across all categories of financial assets requires judgement, in particular, the estimation of the amount and timing of future cash flows and collateral values when determining impairment losses and the assessment of a significant increase in credit risk. These estimates are driven by a number of factors, changes in which can result in different levels of allowances. The methodology and assumptions used for estimating both the amount and timing of future cash flows are reviewed regularly to reduce any differences between loss estimates and actual loss experience.

The Bank's ECL calculations are outputs of complex models with a number of underlying assumptions regarding the choice of variable inputs and their interdependencies. Elements of the ECL models that are considered accounting judgements and estimates include:

- i) The Bank's internal credit grading model, which assigns PDs to the individual grades;
- ii) The Bank's criteria for assessing if there has been a significant increase in credit risk necessitating the loss allowance to be measured on a 12 month or lifetime ECL basis and the applicable qualitative assessment;
- iii) Development of ECL models, including the various formulas and the choice of inputs
- iv) Determination of associations between macroeconomic scenarios and, economic inputs, such as unemployment levels and collateral values, and the effect on PDs, EADs and LGDs
- v) Selection of forward-looking macroeconomic scenarios and their probability weightings, to derive the economic inputs into the ECL models

#### Post-employee benefits plans

The Bank uses the projected unit credit method to determine the present value of its defined benefit plans and the related service costs. In this regard, the Bank uses certain assumptions of discount rates, expected return on plan assets and rate of salary increases, which may differ from actual experiences. These estimates are updated on an annual basis.

#### Valuation of sukuk and associated swaps

The Bank uses systems based on industry standard pricing models and valuation techniques to value sukuk issued and their associated swaps. The models use market-sourced inputs.

#### Fair value of investments

The fair values of investment securities that are not quoted in active markets is measured by using valuation techniques and external valuations, which require a certain degree of judgement and estimation. Nonetheless, the actual amounts that are realised in future transactions may differ from the current estimates at fair value and may still be outside management estimates, given the inherent uncertainty surrounding valuation of unquoted investments.

#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### The effect of new and revised financial accounting standards

The following new financial accounting standards ("FAS") of The Accounting and Auditing Organization for Islamic Financial Institutions ("AAOIFI"), which became effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024, have been adopted in these financial statements if found to be applicable.

#### FAS 1 (Revised 2021) - "General Presentation and Disclosures in the Financial Statements"

AAOIFI has issued revised FAS 1 in 2021. The revised FAS 1 supersedes the earlier FAS 1 General Presentation and Disclosures in the Financial Statements of Islamic Banks and Financial Institutions and introduces the concepts of quasi-equity, off-balance-sheet assets under management and other comprehensive income to enhance the information provided to the users of the financial statements. The Bank has effectively adopted the standard from 1 January 2024.

The adoption of the standard by the Bank primarily resulted in the introduction of Statement of Other Comprehensive Income as a separate statement presented after the statement of income, which represents changes in equity during a period other than those changes resulting from transactions with the members in their capacity as the members of the Bank, primarily these changes were presented in the statement of changes in members' equity.

Other comprehensive income may be presented either according to a single statement approach (effectively combining both Statement of Net Income and all non-owner changes in equity in a single statement), or according to a two-statement approach in a Statement of Income and a separate Statement of Other Comprehensive Income. The Bank has elected to provide such information according to the two-statement approach in a Statement of Income as well as in a Statement of Other Comprehensive Income.

The adoption of FAS 1 has resulted in below reclassification in the statement of changes in member's equity:

	As previously reported	Reclassification	As reclassified
Statement of changes in members' equity			
Actuarial gains /(losses) relating to retirement pension and medical plans	(471)	471	-
Fair value changes on equity investments	95,877	(95,877)	-
Fair value changes on hedge	(11,202)	11,202	-
Investment in associates share of reserve	5,705	(5,705)	-
Other comprehensive income for the year	-	89,909	(89,909)
Total changes in member's equity	89,909	-	(89,909)

Further the management of the Bank presented a separate statement of changes in off-balance sheet assets under management. Previously, this information was disclosed in the notes to the financial statements.

#### Financial Accounting Standard – 40 "Financial Reporting for Islamic Finance Windows"

The objective of this revised standard is to establish financial reporting requirements for Islamic finance windows and applicable to all conventional financial institutions providing Islamic financial services through an Islamic finance window. This standard improves upon and supersedes FAS 18 "Islamic Financial Services Offered by Conventional Financial Institutions". This standard is effective for the financial periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024. The Bank has assessed the requirements of this standard and concluded that it is not applicable to the Bank as it is not a conventional financial institution.

#### Standards issued but not yet effective

The following new FASs have been issued. The Bank intends to adopt these financial reporting standards when they become effective and is currently assessing the impact of these new FASs on its financial statements and systems.

(i) Financial Accounting Standard - 42 "Presentation and Disclosures in the Financial Statements of Takaful Institutions"

This standard sets out the principles for the presentation and disclosure for the financial statements of Takaful institutions. It aims to ensure that the Takaful institutions faithfully present the information related to these arrangements to the relevant stakeholders as per the contractual relationship between the parties and the business model of the Takaful business in line with the Shari'ah principles and rules.

This standard improves the presentation and disclosure requirements, in line with the global best practices, and supersedes the existing FAS 12 "General Presentation and Disclosures in the Financial Statements of Islamic Insurance Companies".

This standard shall be effective on the annual financial statements of the Takaful institutions beginning on or after 1 January 2025. FAS 42 shall not impact the financial statements as the Bank is not a Takaful institution.

#### 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### Standards issued but not yet effective (continued)

(ii) Financial Accounting Standard - 43 "Accounting for Takaful: Recognition and Measurement"

This standard sets out the principles for the recognition, measurement and reporting of Takaful arrangements and ancillary transactions for the Takaful institutions. It aims to ensure that the Takaful institutions faithfully present the information related to these arrangements to the relevant stakeholders as per the contractual relationship between the parties and the business model of the Takaful business in line with the Shari'ah principles and rules. The requirements of this standard are duly aligned with the international best practices of financial reporting for the insurance business.

This standard shall be effective on the financial statements of the Takaful institution for the annual financial reporting period beginning on or after 1 January 2025. FAS 43 shall not impact the financial statements as the Bank is not a Takaful institution.

(iii) Financial Accounting Standard - 45 "Quasi-Equity (including Investment Accounts)"

This standard prescribes the principles of financial reporting related to the participatory investment instruments (including investment accounts) in which an Islamic financial institution controls the underlying assets (mostly, as a working partner), on behalf of the stakeholders other than the owners' equity. Such instruments (including, in particular, the unrestricted investment accounts) normally qualify for on-balance sheet accounting and are reported as quasi-equity.

This standard provides the overall criteria for on-balance-sheet accounting for participatory investment instruments and quasiequity, as well as, pooling, recognition, derecognition, measurement, presentation and disclosure of quasi-equity. It further addresses financial reporting related to other quasi-equity instruments and certain specific issues.

This standard shall be effective for the financial reporting period beginning on or after 1 January 2026 with early adoption permitted. The Bank is currently evaluating the impact of this standard on its financial statements.

(iv) Financial Accounting Standard - 46 "Off-Balance-Sheet Assets Under Management"

This standard prescribes the criteria for characterization of off-balance sheet assets under management and the related principles of financial reporting in line with the "AAOIFI conceptual framework for financial reporting".

This standard encompasses the aspects of recognition, derecognition, measurement, selection and adoption of accounting policies etc relating to off balance sheet assets under management, as well as, certain specific aspects of financial reporting, e.g. impairment and onerous commitments by the institution. The standard also includes the presentation and disclosure requirements, particularly aligning the same with the requirements of FAS 1 "General Presentation and Disclosures in the Financial Statements" in respect of the Statement of changes in the off balance sheet assets under management.

This standard shall be effective for the financial reporting period beginning on or after 1 January 2026 with early adoption permitted. This standard shall be adopted at the same time as adoption of FAS 45 "Quasi-Equity (including Investment Accounts)". The Bank is currently evaluating the impact of this standard on its financial statements.

(v) Financial Accounting Standard - 47 "Transfer of Assets Between Investment Pools"

This standard prescribes the financial reporting principles and disclosure requirements applicable to all transfer of assets between investment pools related to (and where material, between significant categories of) owners' equity, quasi-equity and off-balance sheet assets under management of an institution. It requires adoption and consistent application of accounting policies for such transfers in line with Sha'riah principles and rules and describes general disclosure requirements in this respect.

This standard shall be effective for the financial reporting period beginning on or after 1 January 2026 with early adoption permitted. The Standard is not applicable to the Bank as it does not have investment pools.

(vi) Financial Accounting Standard - 50 "Financial reporting for Islamic Investment Institutions (Including Investment Funds)"

This standard prescribes the financial reporting principles applicable to the Islamic investment institutions. In particular it emphasizes on standardization with regard to the form and contents of the financials statements of investment institution. This standard prescribes the overall requirements for the presentation, minimum contents and recommended structure of their financial statements in a manner that facilitates truthful and fair presentation in line with Shari'ah principles and rules.

This standard shall be effective for the financial reporting period beginning on or after 1 January 2027 with early adoption permitted. The Bank is currently evaluating the impact of this standard on its financial statements.

## 4. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
Current and call accounts with banks	105,229	349,190
Commodity murabaha placements with maturities less than 3 months from		
origination date (note 5)	786,389	820,894
Wakala placements with maturities less than 3 months from origination date (note 6)	35,883	-
Less: Allowance for expected credit losses (note 15)	(499)	(10,955)
	927,002	1,159,129

Commodity murabaha placements and wakala placements included within cash equivalents are those interbank placements, which have an original tenor equal to, or less than three months. Placements with original maturities of above three months are disclosed in notes 5 and 6.

#### 5. COMMODITY MURABAHA PLACEMENTS

	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
Placements with banks	5,050,654	6,301,369
Commodity murabaha placements with maturities less than 3 months (note 4)	(786,389)	(820,894)
Less: Allowance for expected credit losses (note 15)	(3,839)	(3,905)
	4,260,426	5,476,570

#### 6. WAKALA PLACEMENTS

	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023	
Placements with banks	721,459	-	
Share of profit accrued	16,749	-	
Wakala placements with maturities less than 3 months (note 4)	(35,883)	-	
	702.325	-	

#### 7. SUKUK INVESTMENTS

	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
Sukuk investments	4,302,727	3,316,944
Less: Allowance for expected credit losses (note 15)	(177)	(236)
	4,302,550	3,316,708

#### The movement in sukuk investments is as follows:

	Year ended 31 Dec 2024	Year ended 31 Dec 2023
Opening balance	3,316,708	2,638,856
Movements during the year:		
Additions	1,583,603	930,866
Redemptions	(719,393)	(232,922)
Accrued income	11,910	3,983
Unrealised fair value losses	(739)	(729)
Unrealised exchange revaluation gains / (losses)	110,402	(23,601)
Add: Reversal of allowance for expected credit losses (note 15)	59	255
Closing Balance	4,302,550	3,316,708

	Counterparty rating				
31 Dec 2024	AA+ to AA-	A+ to A-	BBB or Lower	Unrated	Total
Sukuk classified at fair value through statement of income:					
- Governments	-	35,044	-	-	35,044
	-	35,044	-	-	35,044
Sukuk classified at amortised cost:					
- Financial institutions	224,827	1,345,094	-	-	1,569,921
- Governments	233,267	1,136,167	985,571	96,339	2,451,344
- Other entities	-	246,241	-	-	246,241
	458,094	2,727,502	985,571	96,339	4,267,506
Total	458,094	2,762,546	985,571	96,339	4,302,550

Historical cost of sukuk investments classified at fair value through statement of income as at 31 December 2024 is ID 38.3 million (31 December 2023 - ID 37.2 million).

# 7. SUKUK INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

	Counterparty rating				
31 Dec 2023	AA+ to AA-	A+ to A-	BBB or Lower	Unrated	Total
Sukuk classified at fair value through statement of income:					
- Governments	-	34,705	-	-	34,705
	-	34,705	-	-	34,705
Sukuk classified at amortised cost:					
- Financial institutions	192,984	933,655	-	-	1,126,639
- Governments	109,489	784,262	853,685	95,033	1,842,469
- Other entities	-	312,895	-	-	312,895
	302,473	2,030,812	853,685	95,033	3,282,003
Total	302,473	2,065,517	853,685	95.033	3,316,708

Income from sukuk investments is comprised of the following:

	Year ended 31 Dec 2024	Year ended 31 Dec 2023
Coupon income	148,403	90,897
Realised capital gain	-	1,739
Unrealised fair value losses	(739)	(729)
	147,664	91,907

#### 8. MURABAHA RECEIVABLES

	31 Dec 2024			3	1 Dec 2023	
		Non -			Non -	
	Sovereign	Sovereign	Total	Sovereign	Sovereign	Total
Gross amount receivable	265,605	136,735	402,340	215,400	157,290	372,690
Less: Deferred profit	(9,105)	(5,455)	(14,560)	(5,420)	(4,249)	(9,669)
Net amount receivable	256,500	131,280	387,780	209,980	153,041	363,021
Less: Allowance for expected						
credit losses (note 15)	(802)	(1,566)	(2,368)	(1,117)	(813)	(1,930)
	255,698	129,714	385,412	208,863	152,228	361,091

#### 9. PROJECT ASSETS

		31 Dec 2024			31 Dec 2023	
		Non -			Non -	
	Sovereign	Sovereign	Total	Sovereign	Sovereign	Total
Restricted mudaraba (note 10)	393,838	-	393,838	478,359	-	478,359
Istisna'a assets (note 11)	8,437,643	107,972	8,545,615	8,698,443	133,333	8,831,776
Instalment sale (note 12)	4,427,952	86,516	4,514,468	3,784,397	74,912	3,859,309
ljarah asset (note 13)	2,498,465	379,456	2,877,921	2,526,575	385,393	2,911,968
Loans (Qard) (note 14)	1,781,908	-	1,781,908	1,816,309	-	1,816,309
	17,539,806	573,944	18,113,750	17,304,083	593,638	17,897,721
Less: Allowance for expected						
credit losses (note 15)	(719,461)	(9,085)	(728,546)	(547,164)	(6,480)	(553,644)
	16,820,345	564,859	17,385,204	16,756,919	587,158	17,344,077

Notes 10-14 provide detailed information on each type of project assets. Note 15 provides detailed information on allowance for expected credit losses and impairment on treasury, project and investment assets. Note 30 provides information on the credit quality of the treasury, project and investment assets.

#### 10. RESTRICTED MUDARABA

	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
Gross amount of financing	393,838	478,359
Less: Allowance for expected credit losses (note 15)	(2,510)	(1,322)
	391 328	477 037

#### 11. ISTISNA'A ASSETS

	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
Istisna'a assets in progress	2,388,635	3,318,787
Istisna'a receivable:		
Gross amounts receivable	7,524,247	6,650,793
Less: Deferred profit	(1,356,494)	(1,123,633)
Net Istisna'a receivable	6,167,753	5,527,160
Less: Share of syndication participants	(10,773)	(14,171)
Less: Allowance for expected credit losses (note 15)	(297,897)	(218,641)
	8,247,718	8,613,135

#### 12. INSTALMENT SALE

	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
Gross amounts receivable	4,914,016	4,066,597
Less: Deferred profit	(399,548)	(207,288)
Net amounts receivable	4,514,468	3,859309
Less: Allowance for expected credit losses (note 15)	(79,389)	(73,745)
	4,435,079	3,785,564

#### 13. IJARAH ASSETS

#### IJARAH MUNTAHIA BITTAMLEEK

	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
Assets under construction	830,060	1,152,943
ljarah receivables	157,659	143,113
Assets in use:		
Cost	5,187,990	4,663,465
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(3,266,076)	(3,010,497)
Asset in use, net of accumulated depreciation	1,921,914	1,652,968
Total	2,909,633	2,949,024
Less: Share of syndication participants	(31,712)	(37,056)
Balance, net of share of syndication participants	2,877,921	2,911,968
Less: Allowance for impairment losses (note 15)	(192,445)	(156,678)
	2,685,476	2,755,290

#### 13.1 Income from Ijarah Assets

	Year ended	Year ended
	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
Gross Income	404,305	368,117
Less: Depreciation of assets under Ijarah	(255,580)	(241,867)
Income before share of Syndication participants	148,725	126,250
Less: Share of syndication participants	(3,209)	(3,641)
Net rental income	145,516	122,609

#### 13.2 Future cash flows from Ijarah contracts

Future cash outflows related to Ijarah contracts are summarized below:

Within 1 year	1 Year to 5	More than 5	Total	
	years	years		
113,134	539,287	55,906	708,327	
175,651	280,545	-	456,196	

Future cash inflows related to Ijarah contracts are summarized below:

	Within 1 year	1 Year to 5	More than 5	Total	
		years	years		
24	111,872	214,906	315,074	641,852	
23	120,406	153,208	375,882	649,496	

Since most of the projects are under floating rates, future dues of markup are arrived at by applying underlying reference rates at end of each year.

### 14. LOANS (QARD)

Loans (Qard) Less: Allowance for expected credit losses (note 15)

31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
1,781,908	1,816,309
(156,305)	(103,258)
1,625,603	1,713,051

#### 15. ALLOWANCE FOR EXPECTED CREDIT LOSSES AND IMPAIRMENT

Allowance for expected credit losses and impairment comprised of the following:

		31 Dec 2024			
	Note	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Cash and each equivalents	4			499	499
Cash and cash equivalents	4	-	-		
Commodity murabaha placements	5	155	-	3,684	3,839
Sukuk investments	1	177	-	-	177
Murabaha receivables	8	2,160	208	-	2,368
Restricted mudaraba	10	1,154	1,356	-	2,510
Istisna'a assets	11	47,759	113,703	136,435	297,897
Instalment sale	12	28,012	21,381	29,996	79,389
ljarah assets	13	27,501	8,633	156,311	192,445
Loans (Qard)	14	32,401	9,085	114,819	156,305
Other investments		1,511	1,071	16,591	19,173
		140,830	155,437	458,335	754,602
Equity investments	16				70,170
Investment in associates	17				-
					824,772

		31 Dec 2023			
	Note	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Cash and cash equivalents	4	-	-	10,955	10,955
Commodity murabaha placements	5	221	-	3,684	3,905
Sukuk investments	7	138	98	-	236
Murabaha receivables	8	1,929	1	-	1,930
Restricted mudaraba	10	861	461	-	1,322
Istisna'a assets	11	49,696	75,423	93,522	218,641
Instalment sale	12	25,106	27,340	21,299	73,745
ljarah assets	13	26,378	2,472	127,828	156,678
Loans (Qard)	14	27,331	9,568	66,359	103,258
Other investments		1,567	1,608	10,671	13,846
		133,227	116,971	334,318	584,516
Equity investments	16				50,023
Investment in associates	17				20,177
				_	654,716

## 15. ALLOWANCE FOR EXPECTED CREDIT LOSSES AND IMPAIRMENT (CONTINUED)

An analysis of changes in allowances for expected credit losses ("ECL") and impairment in relation to Bank's financial assets is as follows:

	31 Dec 2024			
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Balance as at 1 Jan 2024	133,227	116,971	334,318	584,516
New assets originated or purchased	9,088	-	-	9,088
Assets derecognized or repaid (excluding write offs)	(687)	(1,184)	-	(1,871)
Transfer from stage 1 to Stage 2	(5,242)	5,242	-	-
Transfer from stage 2 to Stage 1	7,494	(7,494)	-	-
Transfer from stage 3 to Stage 2	-	-	-	-
Transfer from stage 1 to Stage 3	-	-	-	-
New and increased allowance (net of releases)	(3,050)	41,902	124,017	162,869
Balance as at 31 Dec 2024	140,830	155,437	458,335	754,602
Equity investments				70,170
Investment in associates				-
				824,772

	31 Dec 2023			
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Balance as at 1 Jan 2023	112,140	75,519	284,568	472,227
New assets originated or purchased	8,968	-	-	8,968
Assets derecognized or repaid (excluding write offs)	(1,525)	(259)	-	(1,784)
Transfer from stage 1 to Stage 2	(9,122)	9,122	-	-
Transfer from stage 2 to Stage 1	6,425	(6,425)	-	-
Transfer from stage 3 to Stage 2	-	6,469	(6,469)	-
Transfer from stage 1 to Stage 3	-	-	-	-
New and increased allowance (net of releases)	16,341	32,545	56,219	105,105
Balance as at 31 Dec 2023	133,227	116,971	334,318	584,516
Equity investments				50,023
Investment in associates				20,177
				654,716

The movement in allowance for expected credit losses and impairment is as follows:

	Year Ended 2024	Year Ended 2023
Opening Balance	654,716	544,362
Charge for the year	170,056	114,623
Write offs / reversals	-	(4,269)
Closing Balance	824,772	654,716

As at 31 December 2024 and 31 December 2023, the following is the ageing of the overdue balances:

	31 Dec 2024						
In months	0-6	7-12	13-24	Over 24	Total	Sovereign	Non- sovereign
Murabaha receivables	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Istisna'a assets	16,474	6,698	13,395	54,217	90,784	90,784	-
Instalment sale	2,053	492	1,986	53,101	57,632	57,632	-
ljarah asset	7,986	5,127	10,175	66,832	90,120	90,120	-
Loans (Qard)	8,699	6,995	14,724	69,977	100,395	100,395	-
Total	35,212	19,312	40,280	244,127	338,931	338,931	-
	31 Dec 2023						
							Non-
In months	0-6	7-12	13-24	Over 24	Total	Sovereign	sovereign
Murabaha receivables	3,403	-	-	-	3,403	3,403	-
Istisna'a assets	39,567	16,137	17,046	8,111	80,861	80,319	542
Instalment sale	763	492	5,349	42,077	48,681	48,681	-
ljarah asset	6,879	5,074	9,799	57,921	79,673	77,624	2,049
Loans (Qard)	4,268	6,233	12,822	55,787	79,110	79,110	-
Total	54,880	27,936	45,016	163.896	291,728	289,137	2,591

### 16. EQUITY INVESTMENTS

	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
Equity investments:		
Listed	441,450	410,481
Unlisted	253,282	206,487
	694,732	616,968
Less: Allowance for impairment (note 15)	(70,170)	(50,023)
	624.562	566,945

The historical cost of above investments carried at fair value through other comprehensive income as at 31 December 2024 is ID 186 million (31 December 2023 – ID 168.52 million).

The movement in allowance for impairment is as follows:

	Year ended 31 Dec 2024	Year ended 31 Dec 2023
Opening balance	50,023	51,958
Charge for the year	660	2,334
Reclassification (note 16.1)	20,177	-
Reversal of impairment on disposal	(690)	(4,269)
Closing Balance	70,170	50,023

The movement in equity investments is as follows:

	Year ended 31	Year ended 31
	Dec 2024	Dec 2023
Opening balance	566,945	479,356
Movements during the year:		
Disposals	(2,693)	(7,252)
Reversal of impairment on disposal	690	4,269
Impairment charge for the year	(660)	(2,334)
Net unrealized fair value gains	60,280	92,906
Closing Balance	624,562	566,945

16.1 During the year, the Bank reclassified a fully impaired investment with a historical cost and allowance for impairment of USD 20,177 from associate to equity investments, as the bank no longer have significant influence over the investment.

During 2024 and 2023, the Bank has revalued its investments in unlisted equities based on valuation performed by independent valuers. The carrying values of the investments were adjusted to reflect the changes in fair values. Unlisted equity investments of ID 200 million as at 31 December 2024 (2023: ID 175 million) have been revalued by the independent valuers, resulting in fair value gain of ID 26 million (2023: fair value gain of ID 15 million).

# 17. INVESTMENT IN ASSOCIATES

Opening balance Reclassification (Note 16.1)

Closing Balance

	Year ended 31 Dec 2024	Year ended 31 Dec 2023
Opening balance	834,366	815,499
Additions	15,722	1,721
Disposals/capital repayments	(84)	(221)
Share of other comprehensive income - Foreign currency translation	20,753	(1,397)
Share of other comprehensive income - other reserves	12,072	7,102
Share of income	31,077	36,030
Loss on deemed disposal of associates	(551)	(234)
Dividend received	(2,394)	(3,957)
	910,961	854,543
Less: Allowance for impairment (note 15)	-	(20,177)
Closing Balance	910,961	834,366

The movement in allowance for impairment is as follows:

Year ended 31 Dec 2024	Year ended 31 Dec 2023
20,177	20,177
(20,177)	-
-	20,177

Name of the entity	Country of incorporation	Entity's activities	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
Bosnia Bank International	Bosnia	Banking	45.46%	45.46%
Islamic Bank of Guinea	Guinea	Banking	31.55%	31.55%
Bank Muamalat Indonesia (note 16.1)	Indonesia	Banking	1.48%	1.48%
Syrikat Takaful Indonesia	Indonesia	Insurance	26.39%	26.39%
National Fibres Limited	Pakistan	Manufacturing	21.15%	21.15%
Tatarstan International Investment				
Company (TIIC)	Russia	Investment Co.	20.32%	20.32%
Islamic Bank of Senegal	Senegal	Banking	33.26%	33.26%
slamic Corporation for the development of the Private Sector (ICD)	Saudi Arabia	Private Sector Investment	41.50%	41.55%
International Islamic Trade Finance				
Corporation (ITFC)	Saudi Arabia	Trade Financing	35.67%	35.68%
Awqaf Properties Investment Fund				
(APIF)	Saudi Arabia	Waqf Real Estate	31.65%	27.78%
IsDB Infrastructure Fund II	Bahrain	Investment Co.	26.67%	26.67%
Saudi SME Fund Al- Malaz Capital	Saudi Arabia	Investment Co.	25.00%	25.00%

The financial position, revenue and results of operations of associates in IDs, based on their latest available financial statements as at the statement of financial position date were as follows:

-	Year	IsDB's Share of investment	Total assets	Total liabilities	Revenue	Net Income /(loss)	lsDB's Share of Net income /(loss)
Bosna Bank International	2024	39,421	670,626	583,911	14,405	11,565	5,258
_	2023	35,531	651,835	573,673	21,925	9,094	4,134
Islamic Bank of Guinea	2024	5,193	199,810	179,250	9,350	2,529	798
	2023	4,305	163,673	150,017		968	305
Syrikat Takaful	2024	1,714	82,963	72,474	5,668	193	51
Sylikal Takalul	2023	1,688	89,565	79,258	4,420	370	98
Informine Barely of Connegral	2024	37,765	1,041,937	948,046	44,568	5,620	1,869
Islamic Bank of Senegal	2023	29,415	942,895	854,459	48,022	16,884	5,616
ICD	2024	367,393	2,532,822	1,647,538	134,856	8,900	3,694
	2023	343,826	2,189,845	1,362,415	107,366	15,467	6,427
ITC	2024	340,958	1,518,524	632,585	107,189	64,730	23,087
ITFC	2023	306,336	1,219,896	361,330	92,653	48,523	17,313
	2024	32,543	108,018	5,153	3,938	2,848	901
APIF	2023	27,509	102,120	3,098	4,037	2,379	661
	2024	85,805	314,444	343	4,343	(17,578)	(4,687)
IsDB Infrastructure Fund II	2023	85,720	321,682	231	2,181	3,899	1,822
Saudi SME Fund Al- Malaz Capital	2024	168	692	20	542	424	106
sabai sme runa Al- Malaz Capital =	2023	36	698	68	420	(1,382)	(346)

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# 18. OTHER ASSETS

	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
Swaps designated in hedge accounting relationships (note 18a)	-	9,073
Related party balances (note 29)	6,958	7,995
Accrued staff retirement and medical benefit scheme asset (note 22)	27,397	-
Staff loans and advances (Qard)	30,515	32,463
Others	6,540	7,333
	71,410	56,864

#### 18(a) SWAPs

Detailed information on equity, statement of income and position impacts of the cash flow hedges is provided in the table below.

31 Dec 2024		Hedging relation	nships	
		Equity	Statement of	income
Swaps	Notional amount	Closing credit in hedge reserve		tair values
Cash flow hedges	86,578	1,891	(4,604)	(633)

Statement of Financial Position		
Swaps designated in hedge		
relationships		
Liability Asset		
523 -		

Cash flow hedges

31 Dec 2023		Hedging relationship	s	
		Equity	Statement of i	income
Swaps	Notional amount	Closing credit in hedge reserve	Financing income	Loss on changes in fair values
Cash flow hedges	383,540	(3,306)	(13,405)	(538)

Statement of Financial Position		
Swaps designated in hedge relationships		
Liability Asset		
-	9,073	

Cash flow hedges

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#### 18. OTHER ASSETS (CONTINUED)

The Bank uses profit-rate and cross currency profit-rate swaps for managing its cash flows and hedging the below risks:

- Currency risk arising out of the change in the foreign exchange rates on sukuk issued; and Α.
- Mark-up risk arising out of the change in variable mark-up rate applicable on sukuk issued. Β.

The Bank uses fixed to fixed cross-currency profit rate swaps to hedge the exposure to adverse fluctuations in GBP-USD exchange rate giving rise to consequent fluctuation in cash outflows in the form of the fixed periodic distribution amount on the sukuks issued.

There is one outstanding swap as of December 31, 2024 (2023: two outstanding swaps) as below:

Cross currency profit rate swap against series 49 sukuk: The Bank pays 1.49% per annum on USD 110.754 million notional amount and receive 0.965% per annum on GBP 90 million notional amount that equals the principal amount outstanding on the sukuk issued.

	Notional	amount	Fair v	alue	
	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023	
currency profit rate swap	86,578	85,404	(523)	1,556	
	-	298,136	-	7,517	
	86,578	383,540	(523)	9,073	

Following are the maturities of the outstanding swaps:

	Notional	amount	Fair value		
	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023	
2024	-	298,136	-	7,517	
2029	86,578	85,404	(523)	1,556	
	86,578	383,540	(523)	9,073	

The profit payments on the swaps and sukuk issued occur simultaneously and the amount accumulated in other comprehensive income is reclassified to statement of income over the period that the floating rate profit payments on debt affect profit or loss.

#### **19. COMMODITY MURABAHA LIABILITIES**

	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
Purchase price payable to:		
Banks	872,018	1,054,753
	872,018	1,054,753

The Bank has entered into commodity murabaha purchase and sale agreements with certain counter parties. Under the terms of the agreements, the Bank has purchased certain commodities from these counter parties on deferred payment basis and has simultaneously sold these through those banks to third parties. The outstanding balance above represents the purchase price under these agreements. Financing cost incurred on commodity murabaha purchases during 2024 was ID 34.9 million (2023: ID 19.1 million).

#### 20. SUKUK ISSUED

IsDB Trust Services Limited ("ITSL"), IsDB Trust Services No.2 SARL ("ITS Lux") and Tadamun Services Berhad ("TSB") have issued the following global sukuk. As at 31 December 2024 and 31 December 2023, sukuk issued were as follows:

	Data after	Issue	ID equivalent		Maturity date	Rate per annum	
	Date of issue	Currency	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023	•	• • •	
Listed	04/25/2019	USD	-	1,123,391	04/25/24	2.843 % Fixed	
	10/02/2019	USD	-	1,122,972	10/02/24	1.957% Fixed	
	12/04/2019	EUR	-	821,029	12/04/24	0.037% Fixed	
	01/16/2020	EUR	239,783	247,044	01/16/27	0.3150% Fixed	
	02/26/2020	USD	1,543,125	1,499,448	02/26/25	1.8090% Fixed	
	05/28/2020	GBP	86,649	85,445	05/28/29	0.9640% Fixed	
	06/25/2020	USD	1,150,293	1,117,732	06/25/25	0.9080% Fixed	
	03/31/2021	USD	1,922,914	1,868,484	03/21/26	1.2620% Fixed	
	10/21/2021	USD	1,383,994	1,344,819	10/21/26	1.2620% Fixed	
	04/28/2022	USD	1,349,351	1,311,158	04/28/27	3.2130% Fixed	
	10/27/2022	USD	773,217	751,332	10/27/27	4.7470% Fixed	
	03/01/2023	EUR	123,067	126,784	03/01/26	3.539% Fixed	
	03/14/2023	USD	1,554,451	1,510,456	03/14/28	4.598% Fixed	
	10/03/2023	USD	1,629,478	1,583,359	10/03/28	4.906% Fixed	
	11/14/2023	EUR	800,423	453,559	11/14/28	3.456% Fixed	
	5/15/2024	USD	1,542,808	-	5/15/2029	4.754% Fixed	
	6/5/2024	EUR	81,193	-	6/5/2031	3.300% Fixed	
	10/15/2024	USD	966,622	-	10/15/2029	4.047% Fixed	
	11/05/2024	EUR	400,151	-	11/05/2029	2.798% Fixed	
			15,547,519	14,967,012			
Not Listed	06/29/2016	MYR	-	56,262	06/28/24	4.360 % Fixed	
	02/24/2017	EUR	-	247,085	02/24/24	0.374 % Fixed	
	02/27/2017	EUR	-	123,514	02/27/24	0.350 % Fixed	
	01/16/2019	EUR	-	41,202	01/16/24	0.385 % Fixed	
	12/10/2019	USD	-	74,755	12/10/24	3 Month LIBOR + 0.43%	
	12/10/2019	USD	-	74,755	12/10/24	3 Month LIBOR + 0.43%	
	12/11/2019	USD	-	186,468	12/11/24	2% Fixed	
	01/21/2020	USD	432,972	421,276	01/21/25	6 Month LIBOR + 0.37%	
	07/16/2020	USD	76,982	74,804	07/16/25	0.88 % Fixed	
	09/30/2020	EUR	358,685	369,546	09/30/26	0.10 % Fixed	
	04/27/2021	USD	-	301,029	04/27/24	3 Month SOFR + 0.25%	
	08/16/2021	USD	-	56,044	08/16/24	0.789% Fixed	
	06/12/2023	EUR	121,852	125,537	06/12/26	3.508% Fixed	
	7/22/2024	EUR	80,855	-	7/22/2027	3.300% Fixed	
			1,071,346	2,152,277			
Total			16,618,865	17,119,289			

The trust certificates (Sukuk) confer certificate holders to receive payments (Periodic Distribution) on specified dates (Periodic Distribution Dates) out of the profit elements of ijarah assets, equity investments, sukuk investments and receivables in respect of murabaha and istisna'a contracts, restricted mudaraba assets and qard ("the Portfolio") sold at each Series (issuance) by IsDB to IsDB Trust Services Limited, IsDB Trust Services No.2 SARL and Tadamun Services Berhad (the Trustees).

After the sale of the Portfolio, IsDB as a third party, guarantees performance to the trustees (obligors) of the Portfolio, that if any beneficiary is unable to pay any amount owed under the Portfolio, IsDB will make the payment. Also, IsDB undertakes to purchase the portfolio on the maturity date or early dissolution date for an amount equivalent to the aggregate nominal amount (i.e. price of the original sale). In the event that IsDB is unable to provide resources for the redemption of the Sukuk under any Series (whether on Maturity or Dissolution), the Board of Governors of IsDB may call such part of the callable capital as may be sufficient for IsDB to meet its obligations under such Series. Finance cost related to sukuk liabilities during the year ended 31 December 2024 amounted to ID 468.2 million (2023: ID 379.8 million).

The only sukuk issued by Tadamun Services Berhad matured on 28 June 2024 and the SPV is in the process of being liquidated Principal amount outstanding on sukuk designated as hedged items is ID 87 million (2023: ID 384 million) (note 18a).

#### 20. SUKUK ISSUED (CONTINUED)

Subsequent to the year ended December 31, 2024, sukuk amounting to ID 1,976 million matured and redeemed.

The movement in sukuk issued during the year is as follows:

	Year ended	Year ended
	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
Opening balance	17,119,289	16,362,665
Movements during the year:		
Issuances	3,388,093	3,788,831
Redemptions	(4,216,179)	(3,026,185)
Accrued finance cost	6,947	30,187
Premium/discount on and cost incurred in issuance of sukuk (net)	5,750	2,820
Exchange losses/(gains)	314,965	(39,029)
Closing Balance	16,618,865	17,119,289

#### 21. OTHER LIABILITIES

	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
Related party balances (note 29)	106	4,407
Accrued expenses	11,216	16,666
Swaps designated in hedge accounting relationships (note 18a)	523	-
Deferred income – Ijarah	131,416	113,816
Accrued staff retirement and medical benefit scheme liability (note 22)	53,684	74,763
Staff related liabilities	14,195	16,082
Unrestricted placements	2,658	2,608
Deferred grant income	567	1,134
Others	26,430	21,765
	240,795	251,241

#### 22. POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFIT PLANS

IsDB Group staff retirement plan comprises of defined benefit and hybrid plans within Staff Pension Plan ("SPP") and Retirees Medical Solidarity Plan ("RMSF"), and defined benefit plan within Staff Retirement Medical Plan ("SRMP") (collectively referred to as staff retirement plans ("SRPs")). Every person employed by the Bank and its affiliates under a regular appointment or a fixed-term contract commencing from 01/07/1447H (01/01/2025G), as defined in the Bank and affiliates employment policies, is eligible to participate in the SRP from the date of joining the Bank.

IsDB Group has a multi-employer plan and includes the Islamic Development Bank - Ordinary Capital Resources (IsDB-OCR), Special Account Resources Waqf Fund (WAQF), The International Islamic Trade Finance Corporation (ITFC), The Islamic Corporation for Development (ICD), The Islamic Corporation for the Insurance of Investments and Export Credit (ICIEC) and Islamic Solidarity Fund for Development (ISFD).

#### Staff Pension Plan (SPP)

SPP is a combination of both old defined benefit plan (Pillar I) and new hybrid pension plan (Pillar II) and became effective on 1st Rajab 1399H (corresponding to May 27, 1979) and 17/05/1442H (01/01/2021G) respectively. Every person employed by the Bank and its affiliates under a regular appointment or a fixed-term contract commencing from 01/07/1447H (01/01/2025G, as defined in the employment policies of the Bank and its affiliates, is eligible to participate in the SPP, from the date of joining the Bank and its affiliates. Participation in the hybrid pension plan (Pillar II) is limited to those who have less than five years of service as of December 31, 2020, on optional basis, however, those who joined the Bank from January 1, 2021, are enrolled automatically.

In both pillars, the employee contributes at a rate of 11.1% (2023-11.1%) of the basic annual salary while the Bank it's ats affiliates contribute 25.9% (2023-25.9%).

The main features of the SPP are:

- (i) Normal retirement age is the 62nd anniversary of the participant's birth.
- (ii) On retirement, the eligible retired employee is entitled to 2.5% under the old staff retirement plan or 1% under the hybrid plan in the Defined Benefit ("DB") component, of the Weighted Highest Average Remuneration ("WHAR") for the old pension plan and Highest Average Remuneration ("HAR") (as defined by the pension committee) for each year of pensionable service and limited to a maximum of 30 hijri years.
- (iii) 10% of It's and its affiliates contribution of 25.9%, and 5% of employee's contribution of 11.1%, are used to fund the Defined Contribution ("DC") component of the hybrid plan. The accumulated fund and its investment returns will be paid as retirement lump sum benefits to the participants in the hybrid plan.
- (iv) Benefits payment upon early retirement, disability benefits, termination benefits, pre-retirement death or postretirement death benefits are also paid as determined by the pension committee.

#### 22. POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFIT PLANS (CONTINUED)

#### Staff Retirement Medical Plan (SRMP)

Effective 1st Muharram 1421H (corresponding to 6 April 2000), the Bank established the medical benefit scheme for retired employees via the BED resolution dated 18 Shawwal 1418H (corresponding to 15 February 1998). This was extended to eligible staff members of the Bank's affiliates i.e. for SPP. The Bank and its affiliates at a rate of 1% and the staff at a rate of 0.5% of the basic salaries respectively fund the SRMP. The purpose of the SRMP is to pay a monthly amount to eligible retired employees towards their medical expenses.

The entitlements payable for each retired employee under the medical plan is computed according to the following formula: WHAR (as defined by the pension committee) X contributory period (limited to a maximum of 30 Hijri years) X 0.18%

Benefits payment upon early retirement, disability benefits, termination benefits, pre-retirement death or post- retirement death benefits are also paid as determined by the pension committee.

#### Retirees Medical Solidarity Fund (RMSF)

In February 2019, the BED approved, establishment of the Retirees Medical Solidarity Fund (RMSF) which would provide new medical coverage benefits for IsDB Group staff future retirees. Under the proposal, active staff members who have at least 10 years of service period before their normal retirement age as of January 1, 2019 will automatically fall under RMSF. Those staff members who do not meet the minimum service period threshold will be offered the option to join the new Fund.

Under RMSF, retirees will have their actual medical costs covered as per the minimum guaranteed benefit schedule. This mainly covers hospitalization and emergency care, repatriation and ambulance transport. Overseas specialist hospitalization and outpatient care is also covered but only in specified countries.

Members of RMSF started to receive benefits as from April 1, 2022 (the full implementation date of the Plan).

RMSF is funded on 4/4/4 % contributions basis. Employees contribute 4% of their pensionable salaries and the employer matches it with 4%. Retirees also contribute 4% of their pension (before commutation withdrawals). Both employer and employee contributions started to accrue on January 1, 2019.

Retirees who were eligible to be covered by the Fund were asked to pay up the 10 years minimum required contributions period to receive benefits.

#### Administration of SRPs

The Pension Committee appointed by the President of IsDB Group, administers SPP and SRMP whereas the Executive Committee (EC) administers RMSF as separate funds on behalf of its employees. These two committees are responsible for the oversight of investment and actuarial activities of the SRPs. The SPP's assets are invested in accordance with the policies set out by the Pension Committee. The Bank and its affiliates underwrite the investment and actuarial risk of the SRPs and share the administrative expenses of SPP and Medical Plan, whereas RMSF pays its administrative expenses.

#### Risks

#### Investment risk

The present value of the SRPs' liability is calculated using a discount rate determined by reference to the US AA-Rated corporate bond market; if the return on SRPs' asset is below this rate, it will create a plan deficit. Currently the SRPs' have a relatively balanced investment in equity securities, debt instruments and real estate. Due to the long-term nature of the SRPs' liabilities, the administrator of SRPs' considers it appropriate that a reasonable portion of the SRPs' assets should be invested in equity securities and in real estate to leverage the return generated by the fund.

#### Discount rate

A decrease in the bond return rate will increase the SRPs' liability but this will be partially offset by an increase in the return on the SRPs' debt investments.

#### Longevity risk

The present value of the SRPs' liability is calculated by reference to the best estimate of the mortality of SRPs' participants both during and after their employment. An increase in the life expectancy of the SRPs' participants will increase the SRPs' liability.

#### <u>Salary risk</u>

The present value of the SRPs' liability is calculated by reference to the future salaries of SRPs' participants. As such, an increase in the salary of the SRPs' participants will increase the SRPS' liability.

#### 22. POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFIT PLANS (CONTINUED)

#### The following table summarizes the movements on the present value of the defined benefit obligation:

	S	SPP		RMSF		MP
	31Dec24	31Dec23	31Dec24	31Dec23	31Dec24	31Dec23
Benefit obligation – opening balance	329,930	306,096	7,482	6,035	12,349	12,324
Current service costs	14,849	14,078	1,122	1,039	95	102
Expense on defined benefit obligation	16,575	15,181	439	349	614	603
Plan participations contributions	5,841	5,716	2,331	2,149	23	25
Disbursements from plan assets	(16,412)	(11,562)	(245)	(213)	(989)	(921)
Net actuarial (gain)/loss	(18,629)	2,892	(4,810)	(1,828)	(44)	315
Currency translation loss / (gain)	9,499	(2,471)	215	(49)	356	(99)
Benefit obligation – closing balance	341,653	329,930	6,534	7,482	12,404	12,349

#### The movements in the plan assets are as follows:

	SP	D	DA	CE.	60	SRMP	
				RMSF			
	31Dec24	31Dec23	31Dec24	31Dec23	31Dec24	31Dec23	
Fair value of plan assets – opening balance	241,233	227,741	27,025	17,365	6,740	6,549	
Other adjustments	6,681	(2,537)	56	4,618	40	38	
Profit on plan assets	12,356	11,542	1,558	1,151	327	312	
Return on plan assets greater or (less) than							
discount rate	22,133	(1,172)	188	-	752	(39)	
Plan participations contributions	5,841	5,716	2,331	2,149	23	25	
Employer contribution	13,730	13,343	2,241	2,095	778	829	
Disbursements from plan assets	(16,412)	(11,562)	(245)	(213)	(989)	(921)	
Currency translation gain / (loss)	6,946	(1,838)	777	(140)	194	(53)	
Fair value of plan assets – closing balance	292,508	241,233	33,931	27,025	7,865	6,740	
Deficit/(Surplus)	49,145	88,697	(27,397)	(19,543)	4,539	5,609	
		31 Dec 2024	ļ		31 Dec 2023		
	Deficit (lial	bility)	urplus (Asset)	Deficit (lia	bility) Su	rplus (Asset)	
Net – liability/(asset) recognized in the							
statement of financial position							
representing deficit/(surplus) of benefit	5	3,684	(27,397)	7	4,763	-	
obligation over fair value of plan assets							
(note 18 and Note 21)							

The above net liability/(asset) mainly represents the cumulative actuarial losses/(gains) resulting from the difference between the actual experience and the assumptions used in estimating the liability, which is recognized by the Bank in the statement of other comprehensive income immediately in the year it arises, if material.

Based on the actuarial valuations, the pension and medical benefit expenses for the year ended 31 December 2024 and 31 December 2023 for the Bank comprised the following:

	SI	PP	RMSF		SRMP	
	31Dec24	31Dec23	31Dec24	31Dec23	31Dec24	31Dec23
Current service costs	14,849	14,078	1,122	1,039	95	102
Expense on defined benefit obligation	16,575	15,181	439	349	614	603
Income on assets	(12,356)	(11,542)	(1,558)	(1,151)	(327)	(312)
Currency translation loss/(gain)	(2,553)	633	562	(91)	(162)	46
Amount recognized in statement of						
income	16,515	18,350	565	146	220	439
Actuarial gains/(losses) due to assumptions	(18,629)	2,892	(4,810)	(1,828)	(44)	315
Return on plan assets (less) or greater than						
discount rate	(22,133)	1,172	(188)	-	(752)	39
Other adjustments	(6,681)	2,537	(56)	(4,618)	(40)	(38)
Amount recognized in statement of other						
comprehensive income	(47,443)	6,601	(5,054)	(6,446)	(836)	316

#### 22. POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFIT PLANS (CONTINUED)

Principal assumptions used in the actuarial valuations are as follows:

	SPP		RMSF		SRMP	
	31Dec24	31Dec23	31Dec24	31Dec23	31Dec24	31Dec23
Discount rate	5.66%	5.0%	5.66%	5.0%	5.66%	5.0%
Rate of expected salary increase	4.5%-6.5%	4.5%-6.5%	4.5%-6.5%	4.5%-6.5%	4.5%-6.5%	4.5%-6.5%

The discount rate used in determining the benefit obligations is selected by reference to the long-term rates on AA rated corporate bonds. Rate of expected salaries increase for 2024 and 2023 was based on age i.e., 20-35 years – 6.5%, 35-50 years – 5.0% and above 50 years – 4.5%.

The sensitivity of defined benefit obligation to changes in the weighted principal assumptions is as follows:

<u>2024</u>						
	SPP		RMSF		SRMP	
	+0.5%	-0.5%	+0.5%	-0.5%	+0.5%	-0.5%
Discount rate	(20,838)	23,249	(980)	1,176	(537)	581
Rate of expected salary increase	8,188	(7,704)	-	-	8	(8)

#### <u>2023</u>

	SPI	SPP		RMSF		P
	+0.5%	-0.5%	+0.5%	-0.5%	+0.5%	-0.5%
Discount rate	(21,445)	24,088	(1,185)	1,435	(575)	626
Rate of expected salary increase	8,843	(8,292)	_	-	15	(15)

The following table presents the plan assets by major category:

	SPP		RMSF		SRMP	
	31Dec24	31Dec23	31Dec24	31Dec23	31Dec24	31Dec23
Cash and cash equivalents and						
commodity placements	110,164	131,422	31,226	17,888	7,462	5,944
Managed funds and instalment sales	85,451	61,360	-	-	-	-
Investments in sukuk	91,678	45,317	2,310	6,356	379	703
Land	3,616	3,105	-	-	-	-
Others – net	1,599	29	395	2,781	24	93
Plan net assets	292,508	241,233	33,931	27,025	7,865	6,740

The following table summarizes the funding status of the SPP at the end of the last four reporting years and expectations for the next year:

	31Dec25	31Dec24	31Dec23	31Dec22	31Dec21
Present value of defined benefit obligation	(362,499)	(341,653)	(329,930)	(306,096)	(386,924)
Fair value of plan assets	310,675	292,508	241,233	227,741	202,282
Plan deficit	(51,824)	(49,145)	(88,697)	(78,355)	(184,642)

The expected employer contribution for year ended 31 December 2025 is ID 13,952 thousand and expected costs to be recognized in statement of income is ID 16,631 thousand.

The following table summarizes the funding status of the **RMSF** at the end of the last four reporting years and expectation for the next year:

	31Dec25	31Dec24	31Dec23	31Dec22	31Dec21
Present value of defined benefit obligation	(10,232)	(6,534)	(7,482)	(6,035)	-
Fair value of plan assets	40,357	33,931	27,025	17,365	-
Plan surplus	30,125	27,397	19,543	11,330	-

The expected employer contribution for year ended 31 December 2025 is ID 2,148 thousand and expected costs to be recognized in statement of income is ID (580) thousand.

#### 22. POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFIT PLANS (CONTINUED)

The following table summarizes the funding status of the **SRMP** at the end of the last four reporting years and expectation for the next year:

	31Dec25	31Dec24	31Dec23	31Dec22	31Dec21
Present value of defined benefit obligation	(12,739)	(12,404)	(12,349)	(12,324)	(34,295)
Fair value of plan assets	7,918	7,865	6,740	6,549	11,039
Plan deficit	(4,821)	(4,539)	(5,609)	(5,775)	(23,256)

The expected employer contribution for year ended 31 December 2025 is ID 38 thousand and expected costs to be recognized in statement of income is ID 322 thousand.

The amounts recognized in the pension and medical obligations reserve are as follows:

	SPP	RMSF	SRMP	31Dec24	31DeC23
				Total	Total
Opening balance	26,584	(21,456)	11,954	17,082	16,611
Actuarial (gain)/loss due:					
Effect of changes in demographic assumptions	1,420	-	99	1,519	-
Effect of changes in financial assumptions	(31,257)	(1,600)	(778)	(33,635)	4,632
Effect of experience adjustments	11,208	(3,210)	635	8,633	(3,253)
Return on plant assets greater/(less) than discount rate	(22,133)	(188)	(752)	(23,073)	1,211
Other adjustments	(6,681)	(56)	(40)	(6,777)	(2,119)
Closing balance	(20,859)	(26,510)	11,118	(36,251)	17,082

The expected maturity analysis is below:

	SPP		RMSF		SRMP	
	31Dec24	31Dec23	31Dec24	31Dec23	31Dec24	31Dec23
Year 1	18,323	21,139	(38)	(41)	441	863
Year 2	17,471	14,360	(34)	(37)	497	885
Year 3	18,887	16,056	(23)	(33)	558	914
Year 4	17,541	16,352	(17)	(23)	616	935
Year 5	18,937	15,572	(11)	(16)	654	951
Next 5 years	102,039	88,677	57	2,994	3,798	4,556

#### 23. PAID UP CAPITAL

Capital includes subscriptions paid-up by member countries. The Bank is not exposed to any externally imposed capital requirements. As at the reporting date, IsDB's shareholders consist of 57 member countries from Asia, Africa, Europe and South America.

The capital of IsDB as at 31 December was as follows:

		31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
Authorized capital	10,000,000 shares of ID 10,000 each	<u>100,000,000</u>	100,000,000
Issued capital	5,865 231 (31 December 2023 – 5,613,528) shares of ID 10,000 each	58,652,310	56,135,280
Less: Available for subscription		-	(878,630)
Subscribed capital		58,652,310	55,256,650
Callable capital		(43,413,215)	(40,899,205)
Called up capital		15,239,095	14,357,445
Amount not yet due		(7,364,810)	(7,140,695)
Instalments overdue		(409,631)	(416,277)
Paid up capital		7,464,654	6,800,473

The Bank received ID 664.18 million (2023: ID 388.48 million) against paid-up capital during the year.

For each Islamic Dinar of paid capital, the Bank has as at 31 December 2024 ID 0.61 (31 December 2023: ID 0.60) of total accumulated reserves.

On 22 Shawwal 1444 (12 May 2023), the Board of Governors approved a special capital increase (SCI) amounting to ID 2.517 billion which was affected during 2024.

#### 24. RESERVES

Reserves consist of the general reserves, net result for the previous period, fair value reserve for recognition of fair value gains and losses on investments designated at fair value through OCI, pension and medical obligations and other reserves mainly intended to report reserve movements related to investments in associates and hedge accounting. General reserve

In accordance with Section 1 of Article 42 of the Articles of Agreement of the Bank, the annual net income of the Bank is required to be transferred to the general reserve, when approved by the Board of Governors until this reserve equals 25% of the Bank's subscribed capital. As at 31 December 2024, general reserve made up 6.10% of the subscribed capital (31 December 2023: 6.01%). Any excess of the net income over the above limit is available for distribution to Member Countries.

According to the Board of Governors' resolution no BG/5-443 and resolution no BG/6-443, the following allocations were made from the general reserve during the year ended 31 December 2024:

- 8% not less than USD 10 million (2023 10% with a ceiling of US\$ 20 million) of the Bank's normalized net income for the year ended 31 December 2023 was allocated in the form of technical assistance grants to finance strategic programs and other significant operational initiatives in member countries during 2024 amounting to ID 22.9 million (2023: ID 14.9 million).
- 3% not more than US\$ 8 million (2023 4% with a ceiling of US\$ 8 million) of the Bank's normalized net income for the year ended 31 December 2023 was allocated for financing the Bank's Scholarship Programs in the form of grants during 2024 amounting to ID 6.0 million (2023: ID 5.9 million).

Based on the above resolutions, the Bank, estimates to allocate ID 28.9 million during 2025 towards technical assistance grants to finance strategic programs and ID 6.1 million for financing the Bank's Scholarship program from the normalized net income of the Bank for 2024.

Further, according to the Board of Governors' resolution no BG/6-445, 10% of the Bank's normalized net income of the financial year ended 31 December 2023 equivalent to ID 28.6 million was allocated during 2024 to Special Assistance Liquidity Facility.

#### 25. ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

	Year ended	Year ended
	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
Staff costs	142,987	136,359
IT Expenses	14,642	14,492
Consultancy fees	4,149	3,837
Others (note 25.1)	17,304	17,629
	179,082	172,317

25.1 It includes audit and audit related services fees amounting to ID 387 thousand (2023: ID 363 thousand).

#### 26. COMMITMENTS

In the normal course of business, the Bank is a party to financial instruments with off-statement of financial position risk. These instruments comprise commitments to make project related disbursements, equity contribution commitments and other items and are not reflected in the statement of financial position.

The Bank uses same credit control and management policies in undertaking off-statement of financial position commitments as it does for on-statement of financial position operations.

#### Undisbursed commitments:

	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
Istisna'a	1,475,886	2,092,154
Intalment sale	5,649,715	3,637,550
Loans (Qard)	652,586	568,895
ljarah assets	514,132	582,833
Investment in equity and funds	31,462	22,951
	8,323,781	6,904,383

#### 27. EARNINGS AND EXPENDITURES PROHIBITED BY SHARI'AH

Income from transactions not approved by the Shari'ah Board of the IsDB Group is not recorded in the Statement of Income of the Bank but transferred to Special Account Resources Waqf Fund (Waqf Fund) in accordance with Shari'ah Rules and Principles as determined by the Group Shari'ah Board of the IsDB. These funds are distributed for charitable purposes by the Waqf Fund.

Income realised during the year from transactions which are not approved by the Group Shari'ah Board of the IsDB are as follows:

	202	24	2023		
	No of events	Amount	No of events	Amount	
Portfolio supervision/monitoring fee	1	37	-	-	
Late payment charges	6	4	2	2	
Interest from legacy accounts with conventional banks	3	4	7	7	
		45		9	

#### 28. SHARI'AH BOARD FUNCTIONS

The Bank's business activities are subject to the supervision of the IsDB Group Shari'ah Board consisting of members appointed by the Chairman of the IsDB Group in consultation with the Board of Executive Directors of IsDB. The Group Shari'ah Board was established pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Executive Directors of IsDB. The members of the Board are appointed for 3 years and may be reappointed.

The Board has the following functions:

- to consider all products introduced by the Bank, its affiliates and trust funds for use for the first time and rule on their conformity with the principles of the Islamic Shari'ah, and lay down basic principles for drafting of related contracts and other documents;
- to give its opinion on the Shari'ah alternatives to conventional products which the Bank, its affiliates and trust funds intend to use, and to lay down basic principles for drafting of related contracts and other documents and contribute to their development with a view to enhancing the Bank's, its affiliates' and trust funds' experience in this regard;
- to respond to the Shari'ah related questions, enquiries and explications referred to it by the Board of Executive Directors or the management of the Bank, its affiliates and trust funds;
- to contribute to the Bank, its affiliates and trust funds programme for enhancing the awareness of its staff members of Islamic banking and deepen their understanding of the fundamentals, principles, rules and values relative to Islamic financial transactions; and
- to submit to the Board of Executive Directors of the Bank, its affiliates and trust funds a comprehensive report showing the measure of the Bank's, its affiliates' and trust funds' commitment to principles of Shari'ah in the light of the opinions and directions given and the transactions reviewed.

#### 29. RELATED PARTY BALANCES AND TRANSACTIONS

In the ordinary course of its activities, the Bank transacts with related parties defined as member countries, affiliates, associate entities, trust funds and other programs initiated by the Bank and key decision-making bodies comprising of the Board of Governors, the Board of Executive Directors and the Shari'ah Board and the entities controlled or influenced by such parties.

The Bank's development activities were principally conducted with its member countries.

#### 29. RELATED PARTY BALANCES AND TRANSACTIONS (CONTINUED)

The net balances due from / (to) the Bank, affiliates and trust funds at the end of the year are as follows:

	31Dec24		31Dec23	
	Due from	Due to	Due from	Due to
World Waqf Foundation	142	-	479	-
Awqaf Properties Investment Fund	18	-	9	-
Islamic Corporation for the Insurance of Investments and Export Credit	1,119	-	810	-
Special Account Resources Waqf Fund	1,030	-	-	(2,230)
IsDB Special Assistance Fund	-	-	1,914	-
IsDB Staff Retirement Pension Plan	135	-	364	-
IsDB Staff Retirement Medical Plan	44	-	-	-
Al Aqsa Fund	-	-	1,495	-
Islamic Corporation for Development of Private Sector	1,151	-	803	-
International Islamic Trade Finance Corporation	487	-	1,500	-
Islamic Development Bank – Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques				
(Late) King Abdullah Bin Abdul Aziz Program for Charity Works (KAAP)	241	-	201	-
Islamic Solidarity Fund for Development	243	-	-	(2,015)
Sacrificial Meat Project	-	-	164	-
Bunyan Fund	26	-	-	(1)
Global Muslim Philanthropy Fund for Children	-	-	16	-
National Education Sector Fund	306	-	-	(125)
Lives and livelihoods Fund	300	-	154	-
Dueauville Partnership	70	-	68	-
Afghanistan Humanitarian Trust Fund	22	-	6	-
Kafala	-	-	12	-
IsDB Retirement Medical Solidarity Fund	10	-	-	(36)
Economic empowerment fund for Palestine people	1,610	-	-	-
WeFl	4	-	-	-
Libyan Program for Development and Reintegration	-	(106)	-	-
Total	6,958	(106)	7,995	(4,407)

The Bank provides a range of services to its affiliates and special trust funds. These services primarily encompass IT support, treasury functions, and general administrative services. Additionally, the Bank process payments or collect dividends, coupons, and other income on behalf of these entities as needed. Such transactions are conducted in the normal course of business. The Bank provides sovereign financing to member countries (i.e. project assets) and related income is disclosed in the statement of income. Other than this project financing, the Bank entered into the following significant related party transactions:

- (a) In 2008, the Bank's Board of Executive Directors' resolved to allocate USD 1 billion of IsDB OCR resources to ITFC for managing its Murabaha receivables (note 8), where ITFC will act as a Mudarib (under a Mudaraba agreement). The respective Mudarib share of profits (i.e. ITFC's share of profit generated from the Mudaraba agreement) charged by ITFC during the year amounts to ID 3.2 million (2023: ID 3.8 million).
- (b) The Bank acts as Mudarib for Awqaf Properties investment Fund (APIF), its affiliate. The mudarib share of profit charged by the Bank during 2024 amounted to ID 0.33 million (2023: 0.26 million).
- (c) Compensation of Key management and expenses of the Board of Executive Directors.

Key management comprises the President and the Vice Presidents. The compensation expense for the year related to key management for their services and compensations related to the Board of Executive Directors are shown below:

	Year ended	Year ended
	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
Board of Executive Directors expenses	1,097	962
Salaries and other short-term benefits	2,053	2,027
Accumulated post-employment benefits	872	507

#### 30. RISK MANAGEMENT

The Bank's risk management philosophy is to manage the key risk dimensions to preserve asset value and income streams and safeguard the interests of both the members and sukuk holders. Risks inherent in the Bank's activities are managed through a process of ongoing identification, measurement, mitigation and monitoring. Risk limits are in place as a primary mitigating measure in addition to other controls.

The Bank is exposed mainly to credit, liquidity, market and operational risks. The degree of risk the Bank is willing to assume in pursuing the developmental mandate is limited by its risk-bearing capacity, risk tolerance and commitment to maintain a prudent risk profile consistent with maintaining its 'AAA' credit rating. The risks and processes to mitigate these risks have not significantly changed from the previous year.

The highest level of risk management oversight in the Bank is assured by the Board of Executive Directors and is delegated to the Bank's President. The Board is committed to the highest standards of corporate governance. In addition to approving all risk management policies, the Audit Committee of the Board regularly reviews trends in the Bank's risk profiles and performance to ensure compliance with the underlying policies.

Three management level committees perform risk monitoring and oversight roles: the Asset and Liability Management Committee ("ALCO"), the Operations and Investment Committees ("OC" and "IC") and Risk Management Committee (RMC). The ALCO is the oversight and control organ of the Bank's finance and treasury risk management activities. OC and IC ensure effective implementation of the Bank's credit policies and oversees all credit risk issues related to sovereign and non-sovereign operations. The RMC ensures that there is appropriate monitoring and oversight on all major risks arising from financing and investment operations through adopting relevant risk management frameworks, policies, guidelines, and risk reports.

Further, the Bank has a Risk Management Department ("RMD") that is responsible for identification, assessment, mitigation and reporting on key financial risks. Day-to-day operational responsibility for implementing the Bank's financial and risk management policies and guidelines are delegated to the appropriate business departments.

The following sections describe in detail the manner in which the Bank manages the different sources of risks.

#### Credit Risk

Credit risk is the risk that an obligor (i.e. sovereign, financial institution, corporate, project company, etc.) may fail to discharge its contractual obligation resulting in financial loss to the Bank. Credit risk is the largest source of risk for the Bank arising essentially from its financing and investment operations.

The Bank manages three principal sources of credit risk:

- (i) credit risk pertaining to its sovereign financing operations portfolio;
- (ii) credit risk pertaining to its non-sovereign financing portfolio (projects, corporates, and financial institutions)
- (iii) counterparty credit risk in its treasury portfolio.

The Bank has put in place a comprehensive credit risk management framework including policies, guidelines, and tools on various types of financing operations. The credit policy formulation, limit setting and exposure monitoring are performed independently by RMD, which ensures that business departments comply with relevant guidelines and prudential limits established by the Board of Executive Directors ("BED") and Management. The Bank uses a 21-scale risk rating system, with "1" being the best rated exposure and corresponding to "AAA" on the international rating agencies scale and 21 as selective default. The 21 scales are again grouped into 7 categories starting from "A" to "G".

## 30. RISK MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

### Credit Risk (continued)

The Bank's total outstanding gross exposure as at the year-end on its sovereign and non-sovereign project assets and murabaha receivables are summarized below:

#### 31 Dec 2024

Country	Total sovereign exposure	Total non- sovereign exposure	Total outstanding exposure	% of total outstanding exposure
Indonesia	1,331,308	-	1,331,308	7.2%
Türkiye	1,244,727	83,450	1,328,177	7.2%
Senegal	1,230,313	518	1,230,831	6.7%
Egypt	882,301	-	882,301	4.8%
Pakistan	818,246	30,246	848,492	4.6%
Oman	783,612	-	783,612	4.2%
Uzbekistan	729,309	33,949	763,258	4.1%
Cote d'Ivoire	713,353	-	713,353	3.9%
Turkmenistan	660,187	-	660,187	3.6%
Iran	646,168	137	646,305	3.4%
Total top 10 countries	9,039,524	148,300	9,187,824	49.7%
Total other countries	8,756,782	556,924	9,313,706	50.3%
Total	17,796,306	705,224	18,501,530	100%
Total sovereign exposure			17,796,306	96.2%
Total non-sovereign exposure			705,224	3.8%
Total			18,501,530	100%

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		Total non-		% of total
Country	Total sovereign	sovereign	Total outstanding	outstanding
	exposure	exposure	exposure	exposure
Türkiye	1,405,944	78,287	1,484,231	8.1%
Indonesia	1,270,652	-	1,270,652	7.0%
Senegal	1,192,516	2,119	1,194,635	6.5%
Egypt	852,027	27,319	879,346	4.8%
Iran	795,591	137	795,728	4.4%
Pakistan	743,342	50,774	794,116	4.3%
Oman	754,441	-	754,441	4.1%
Uzbekistan	677,399	24,827	702,226	3.8%
Morocco	607,421	60,445	667,866	3.7%
Cote D'Ivoire	658,425	-	658,425	3.6%
Total top 10 countries	8,957,758	243,908	9,201,666	50.3%
Total other countries	8,556,305	502,771	9,059,076	49.7%
Total	17,514,063	746,679	18,260,742	100.0%
Total sovereign exposure			17,514,063	95.9%
Total non-sovereign exposure			746,679	4.1%
Total			18,260,742	100.0%

#### 30. RISK MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

## Credit Risk (continued)

#### Sovereign credit risk

When the Bank finances sovereign entities, it requires a full sovereign guarantee or the equivalent. In extending such financing, the Bank is exposed to country risk, which includes potential losses arising from a country's inability or unwillingness to service its obligations to the Bank. The Bank manages country credit risk, taking into consideration its preferred creditor treatment, through appropriate policies and guidelines covering the end-to-end process including country risk assessment (via country's credit rating) and limit setting, operations planning, quality at entry of project proposals, disbursement, repayment and overdue management. Portfolio monitoring is performed on regular basis to ensure adherence to guidelines and limits and appropriate actions are taken to preserve the quality of the portfolio.

The table below provides analysis of the credit quality of sovereign exposures related to gross project assets and Murabaha receivables:

	31 Dec 2024	1	31 Dec 2023		
Risk rating category	Amount	%	Amount		
Category "A"	6	0.0%	8	0.0%	
Category "B"	2,833,283	1 <b>5.9</b> %	1,998,685	11.4%	
Category "C"	3,802,546	21.3%	5,259,397	30.1%	
Category "D"	5,903,079	33.2%	5,066,704	28.9%	
Category "E"	4,163,312	23.4%	4,051,322	23.1%	
Category "F"	240,607	1. <b>4</b> %	295,433	1.7%	
Category "G"	853,473	4.8%	842,514	4.8%	
Total	17,796,306	100.0%	17,514,063	100.0%	

#### Non-sovereign credit risk

Exposure to non-sovereign credit risk arises from financing operations extended to projects, corporates, and financial institutions without explicit guarantees of concerned governments. Such financing are however limited to strategic entities and projects in member countries whereby the government is generally a major stakeholder as a shareholder or guarantor of supplier/off-taker, such as in Private Public Partnership projects.

The Bank manages credit risk inherent in non-sovereign financing operations at two levels; transaction level and portfolio level. At the transaction level, the Bank adopts comprehensive risk assessment guidelines and rating models for projects, corporates and financial institutions to enhance the due diligence process and ensure quality at entry of new proposals. The Bank has in place a limit management framework to determine maximum exposure to any financing operation based on its credit profile. Moreover, appropriate guarantees and securities are obtained for non-sovereign operations based on the risk assessment and due diligence process. The due diligence and approval process is vetted through the technical committees and the operations committees before submission to the President or Board for approval.

At the portfolio level, monitoring is performed on regular basis within an established early warning system. Based on the outcome of the assessment, the risk rating of the operations are updated accordingly and appropriate actions taken as regards any operation showing signs of deterioration of its credit profile.

The table below provides analysis of the credit quality of non-sovereign exposures related to gross project assets and murabaha receivables:

	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023		
Risk rating category	Amount	%	Amount	%
Category "A"	-	0.0%	-	0.0%
Category "B"	354,818	50.3%	251,976	33.7%
Category "C"	65,842	9.3%	142,682	19.1%
Category "D"	158,821	22.5%	184,850	24.8%
Category "E"	125,743	17. <b>9</b> %	165,535	22.2
Category "F"	-	0.0%	1,636	0.2%
Category "G"	-	0.0%	-	0.0%
Total	705,224	100.0%	746,679	100.0%

#### 30. RISK MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

#### Credit Risk (continued)

#### Treasury assets

The assets subject to credit risk within treasury assets include cash and cash equivalents, commodity murabaha placements, Wakala placements, sukuk investments and murabaha-based profit-rate and cross-currency project rate swaps. The Bank minimizes these credit risks through a prudential framework of: (i) approved counterparties, (ii) minimum credit rating thresholds for specific instruments and counterparty banks, (iii) prudential exposure limits and (iv) counterparty credit risk mitigation measures.

The table below provides an analysis of the credit quality of the liquid fund portfolio (gross cash and cash equivalents, commodity murabaha placements and wakala placements):

	31 Dec 2024	4	31 Dec 2023		
Risk rating category	Amount	%	Amount	%	
Category "A"	-	0.0%	143,575	2.2%	
Category "B"	5,885,739	<b>99.9</b> %	6,492,350	97.6%	
Category "C"	1,123	0.0%	151	0.0%	
Category "D"	2,141	0.0%	1,974	0.0%	
Category "E"	-	0.0%	-	0.0%	
Category "F"	-	0.0%	-	0.0%	
Category "G"	5,088	0.1%	12,509	0.2%	
Total	5,894,091	100.0%	6,650,559	100.0%	

#### Concentration of financial assets with credit risk exposure

Concentrations of credit risk arise when a number of counterparties are engaged in similar business activities, or activities in the same geographic region, or have similar economic features that would cause their ability to meet contractual obligations to be similarly affected by changes in economic, political or other conditions. Concentrations of credit risk indicate the relative sensitivity of the Bank's performance to developments affecting a particular industry or geographic location. The exposure management framework adopted by the Bank addresses country limits at the level of total portfolio and limits for single non-sovereign obligor or group of connected obligors. To maintain appropriate diversification, the framework also covers concentration limits relating to single country, at the level of total portfolio and treasury portfolio, to single counterparty, at the level of treasury portfolio and non-sovereign portfolio, and to sector, at the level of non-sovereign portfolio.

The distribution of the Bank's assets by geographic region is as follows:

31 Dec 2024	Africa	Asia	Europe	Non-Member Countries	Total
Treasury assets	249,147	8,859,238	1,126,328	343,002	10,577,715
Project assets	8,281,991	8,793,677	309,536	-	17,385,204
Investment assets	399,979	1,073,339	-	152,053	1,625,371
Other assets	10,125	122,636	-	-	132,761
Total assets:	8,941,242	18,848,890	1,435,864	495,055	29,721,051
%	30%	63%	5%	2%	100%

31 Dec 2023	Africa	Asia	Europe	Non- Member Countries	Total
Treasury assets	278,411	8,104,381	1,394,720	535,986	10,313,498
Project assets	8,052,147	8,981,253	299,378	11,299	17,344,077
Investment assets	400,113	947,550	-	146,611	1,494,274
Other assets	10,662	109,603	-	-	120,265
Total assets:	8,741,333	18,142,787	1,694,098	693,896	29,272,114
%	30%	62%	6%	2%	100%

#### 30. RISK MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

#### Credit Risk (continued)

The distribution of the Bank's assets by industry sector is as follows:

31 Dec 2024	Treasury assets	Project assets	Investment assets	Other assets	Total	%
Public utilities	-	6,903,142	-	-	6,903,142	23%
Transport and telecom	-	4,580,132	-	-	4,580,132	16%
Agriculture	-	2,143,084	-	-	2,143,084	7%
Industry and mining	-	208,865	363,171	-	572,036	2%
Social Services	-	3,056,237	-	-	3,056,237	10%
Financial Institutions	7,482,845	-	1,205,991	-	8,688,836	30%
Governments	2,463,217	-	-	-	2,463,217	8%
Trade	385,412	-	-	-	385,412	1%
Other	246,241	493,744	56,209	132,761	928,955	3%
Total assets:	10,577,715	17,385,204	1,625,371	132,761	29,721,051	100%

31 Dec 2023	Treasury assets	Project assets	Investment assets	Other assets	Total	%
Public utilities	-	7,170,114	-	-	7,170,114	24%
Transport and telecom	-	4,559,297	-	-	4,559,297	16%
Agriculture	-	2,025,724	-	-	2,025,724	7%
Industry and mining	-	186,809	365,054	-	551,863	2%
Social Services	-	2,858,670	-	-	2,858,670	10%
Financial Institutions	7,762,326	-	1,063,147	-	8,825,473	30%
Governments	1,877,204	-	-	-	1,877,204	6%
Trade	361,091	-	-	-	361,091	1%
Other	312,877	543,463	66,073	120,265	1,042,678	4%
Total assets:	10,313,498	17,344,077	1,494,274	120,265	29,272,114	100%

#### Expected Credit Risk for financial assets measured at amortised cost

The Bank applies a three-stage approach to measuring expected credit losses (ECLs) for financial assets measured at amortised cost.

#### Determining the stage for impairment

The Bank's staging model relies on a relative assessment of credit risk, because it reflects the significant increase in credit risk (SICR) since initial recognition of an asset. The staging assessment is made at the contract level rather than counterparty level, since the quantum of change in credit risk may be different for different contracts belonging to the same obligor. Also, different contracts of the same counterparty may have different credit risk at initial recognition.

Stage 1 includes financial instruments that have not had a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition or that have low credit risk at the reporting date. The Bank considers a financial asset to have low credit risk when it has an internal or external credit rating of 'investment grade' as per globally understood definition and has not suffered a significant downgrade.

Stage 2 includes financial assets that experience a SICR. When determining whether the risk of default has increased significantly since initial recognition, the Bank considers both quantitative and qualitative information and analysis based on the Bank's historical experience and expert credit risk assessment, including forward looking information that is available without undue cost or effort. Irrespective of the outcome of the above assessment, the Bank presumes that the credit risk on its sovereign and non-sovereign exposures has increased significantly since initial recognition when contractual payments are more than 90 days past due for sovereign financings and more than 30 days past due for non-sovereign financings on a material repayment amount. When a stage 2 instrument shows a significant enhancement in credit quality at the assessment date, it can move back to stage 1.

#### 30 RISK MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

#### Credit Risk (continued)

Where there is objective evidence that an identified financial asset is impaired, specific provisions for impairment are recognized in the Statement of Income, and under FAS 30, the asset is classified in Stage 3. The Bank presumes that assets are credit-impaired when contractual payments are more than 180 days past due for sovereign financings and more than 90 days past due for nonsovereign financings on a material repayment amount. Besides, the Bank may consider an asset as impaired if the Bank assesses that the obligor is unlikely to pay its credit obligations in full, without recourse by the Bank to actions such as realising security.

A financial asset is no longer considered impaired when all past due amounts have been recovered, and it is determined that the outstanding amounts with future expected income are fully collectable in accordance with the original contractual terms or revised terms of the financial instrument with all criteria for the impaired classification having been remedied. The financial asset will be transferred back to stage 2 after a cure period of 6 months.

The Bank regularly monitors the effectiveness of the criteria used to identify whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk and revises them as appropriate to ensure that the criteria are capable of identifying significant increase in credit risk before the amount becomes past due.

#### Measurement of Expected Credit Losses (ECLs)

ECL represents the average credit losses weighted by the probabilities of default (PD), whereby credit losses are defined as the present value of all cash shortfalls. The ECL is calculated for both Stage 1, Stage 2 and Stage 3 instruments by multiplying three main components, being the probability of default (PD), loss given default (LGD) and the exposure at default (EAD), and discounting the resulting provision using the instrument's effective profit rate (EPR).

These ECL parameters are generally derived from internally developed models and other historical data. They are adjusted to reflect forward-looking information as described below.

PD represents the likelihood of a counterpart defaulting on its financial obligation over different time horizon (e.g., 1 year or lifetime). The estimates the PDs using internal rating tools tailored to the various categories of counterparties and exposures. These internal rating models are based on internally and externally compiled data comprising both quantitative and qualitative factors. They produce a relative credit risk grading, which is in turn are associated with a likelihood of default (PD) over a one-year horizon, that is calibrated to reflect the Bank's long run average default rate estimates (through-the-cycle (TTC) PD). The Bank uses a specific model based on country and industry parametrization to convert its TTC PDs into point-in time (PIT) PDs and derives a PIT PD term structure.

LGD is the magnitude of the potential loss in the event of a default. This is generally estimated as value lost plus costs net of recovery (if any) as percentage of outstanding amount. The Bank uses internal LGD estimation models that consider the structure, collateral, and seniority of the claim and the counterparty rating and jurisdiction. LGD estimates are calibrated to reflect the recovery experience of the Bank as well as the Multilateral Development Banks' consortium data.

EAD represents the expected exposure in the event of a default. The Bank derives the EAD from the current exposure to the counterparty and potential changes to the current amount allowed under the contract including amortisation. The EAD of a financial instrument is its gross carrying amount. For contract under disbursement and financial commitments such as guarantees, letter of credit., the EAD includes the amount drawn, as well as potential future amounts that may be drawn under the contract.

FAS 30 requires ECLs to be forward-looking. The Bank uses a statistical model that links its counterparties' future performance to the current and future state of the macroeconomic environment. The model links macroeconomic scenarios to counterparty's default risk. Macroeconomic factors taken into consideration include, but are not limited to, gross domestic product, equity market prices, unemployment rates, and commodity prices and these require an evaluation of both the current and forecast direction of the macro-economic cycle. The Bank estimates its ECLs by calculating the weighted average ECL of its exposures across three (3) set of forward-looking macroeconomic scenarios.

#### Exposure Amounts and ECL coverage

The Bank recognizes 12-month ECL for stage 1 instruments and lifetime ECL for stage 2 instruments. For stage 3 instruments, the Bank calculates a loss allowance as the product of LGD and EAD of each instrument.

#### 30. RISK MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

#### Credit Risk (continued)

Tables below present the breakdown of gross exposure amount (project and treasury assets and other investments debt-type that are subject to credit risk), impairment allowance, and the coverage ratio by exposure type for financial instruments measured at amortised cost as at 31 December 2024.

31 Dec 2024		Gross Exposure Amount			Allowance for ECL			
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Sovereign	18,132,182	1,311,415	850,529	20,294,126	136,148	147,877	445,360	729,385
Non-Sovereign	8,257,250	97,987	18,995	8,374,232	4,682	7,560	12,975	25,217
Total 31 December 2024	26,389,432	1,409,402	869,524	28,668,358	140,830	155,437	458,335	754,602

31 Dec 2024 —	Coverage Ratio (Allowance for ECL/ Exposure Amount)						
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total			
Sovereign	0.75%	11.28%	52.36%	3.59%			
Non-Sovereign	0.06%	7.72%	68.31%	0.30%			
Total 31 December 2024	0.53%	11.03%	52.71%	2.63%			

31 Dec 2023		Gross Exposure Amount			Allowance for ECL			
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Sovereign	16,848,983	1,435,224	838,349	19,122,556	125,610	114,355	325,786	565,751
Non-Sovereign	7,361,074	77,360	28,326	7,466,760	7,617	2,616	8,532	18,765
Total 31 December 2023	24,210,057	1,512,584	866,675	26,589,316	133,227	116,971	334,318	584,516

31 Dec 2023 —	Coverage Ratio (Allowance for ECL/ Exposure Amount)					
51 Dec 2025	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total		
Sovereign	0.75%	7.97%	38.86%	2.96%		
Non-Sovereign	0.10%	3.38%	30.12%	0.25%		
Total 31 December 2023	0.55%	7.73%	38.57%	2.20%		

#### Liquidity Risk

Liquidity risk arises when there is insufficient liquidity to meet cash flow needs in a timely manner including adverse impact on reputation caused by the inability to maintain normal lending operations; and inability to sell an investment at a reasonable price within the required period of time. In light of the above, the liquidity risk management framework designed to identify, measure and mitigate these risks consists of the Liquidity Policy, Liquidity Investment Strategy and Liquidity Risk Management Guidelines.

The over-arching objectives of the Banks' liquidity risk management activities are to ensure that:

- a. the Bank has sufficient liquid funds to meet future contractual obligations (essentially disbursement obligations and debt service requirements); and
- b. maintain uninterrupted financial operations in the event of stress or unattractive market conditions. For this purpose, the Bank has to maintain a prudential minimum liquidity ("PML") as a safeguard against cash flow interruptions and highly liquid investments for operational and day-to-day cash management.

#### 30. RISK MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

#### Liquidity Risk (continued)

Consistent with the fundamental Asset and Liability Management principle, the liquidity portfolio has been structured into three distinct portfolios:

- (i) Transactional Operational Portfolio (TOP):
- (ii) Core Operational Portfolio (COP); and
- (iii) Stable Portfolio (SP)

These portfolios are sub-divided into currency specific sub-portfolios.

The TOP is a liquidity portfolio earmarked to meet the Bank's short-term cash flow needs (i.e. normal operational expenses). It is funded by floating-rate market mobilized funds and short-term liabilities. The period that liquid assets in the TOP can sustain operations without access to the markets should be at least one month.

The main objective of the COP is to build flexibility in the Bank's resource mobilization program and serve as a cushion for marketfunded liquid assets during times when market conditions are favorable, and to draw upon these assets when markets are not so favorable. The Portfolio provides a readily available source of liquidity to cover unexpected cash outflows.

The main objective of the SP is to maintain the prudential minimum liquidity ("PML") and is not available to meet ordinary operational needs at normal times. The portfolio is funded primarily by the Bank's equity and to a certain extent by long- term market-based mobilized resources. Generally, investments in the Stable portfolio are represented by sukuk investments, which are held to maturity.

The tables below summarize the maturity profile of the Bank's assets and liabilities. These contractual maturities of assets and liabilities have been determined on the basis of the remaining period at the reporting date to the contractual maturity date. The maturity profile of assets and liabilities as at 31 December was as follows:

31 Dec 2024	Up to 3 months	3-6 months	6 months to 1 year	1-5 years	Over 5 years	No fixed maturity	Total
Cash & cash equivalents	927,002	-	-	-	-	-	927,002
Commodity murabaha placements	2,617,191	842,593	800,642	-	-	-	4,260,426
Wakala placements	653,357	48,968	-	-	-	-	702,325
Sukukinvestments	136,555	205,052	209,885	2,851,176	899,882	-	4,302,550
Murabaha receivables	95,407	109,233	162,435	18,337	-	-	385,412
Restricted mudaraba	27,313	28,061	49,427	229,784	56,743	-	391,328
Istisna'a assets	258,539	278,287	458,465	3,133,797	4,118,630	-	8,247,718
Instalment sale	97,949	73,692	143,568	1,339,538	2,780,332	-	4,435,079
ljarah assets	95,146	159,479	185,547	992,083	1,253,221	-	2,685,476
Loans (Qard)	73,570	79,149	77,185	561,861	833,838	-	1,625,603
Equity investments	-	-	-	-	-	624,562	624,562
Investment in associates	-	-	-	-	-	910,961	910,961
Other investments	-	-	-	-	-	89,848	89,848
Property, equipment and intangibles	-	-	-	-	-	61,351	61,351
Other assets	13,334	9,424	3,420	11,986	33,246	-	71,410
Total Assets	4,995,363	1,833,938	2,090,574	9,138,562	9,975,892	1,686,722	29,721,051

Commodity murabaha liabilities	75,006	341,272	208,193	247,547	-	-	872,018
Sukuk issued	1,976,097	1,150,293	76,983	13,334,298	81,194	-	16,618,865
Otherliabilities	13,622	30,088	26,538	65,019	105,528		240,795
Total Liabilities	2,064,725	1,521,653	311,714	13,646,864	186,722	-	17,731,678

#### 30. RISK MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

#### Liquidity Risk (continued)

31 Dec 2023	Up to 3 months	3-6 months	6 months to 1 year	1-5 years	Over 5 years	No fixed maturity	Total
Cash & cash equivalents	1,159,129	-	-	-	-	-	1,159,129
Commodity murabaha placements	1,628,773	2,621,703	1,226,094	-	-	-	5,476,570
Sukukinvestments	173,352	224,300	323,530	2,144,425	451,101	-	3,316,708
Murabaha receivables	109,704	172,117	79,270	-	-	-	361,091
Restricted mudaraba	31,853	38,865	55,643	292,387	58,289	-	477,037
Istisna'a assets	230,077	242,388	409,492	3,239,408	4,491,770	-	8,613,135
Instalment sale	59,285	45,319	108,223	1,172,913	2,399,824	-	3,785,564
ljarah assets	72,764	114,611	164,393	1,058,469	1,345,053	-	2,755,290
Loans (Qard)	67,360	79,175	78,826	611,935	875,755	-	1,713,051
Equity investments	-	-	-	-	-	566,945	566,945
Investment in associates	-	-	-	-	-	834,366	834,366
Other investments	-	-	-	-	-	92,963	92,963
Property, equipment and intangibles	-	-	-	-	-	63,401	63,401
Other assets	18,031	17,427	2,818	7,570	11,018	-	56,864
Total Assets	3,550,328	3,555,905	2,448,289	8,527,107	9,632,810	1,557,675	29,272,114
Sukukissued	411,801	1,480,681	2,336,027	12.805.335	85.445		17,119,289
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Commodity murabaha liabilities	700,992	98,763	-	254,998	-	-	1,054,753
Otherliabilities	22,743	20,834	29,918	63,856	113,890	-	251,241
Total Liabilities	1,135,536	1,600,278	2,365,945	13,124,189	199,335	-	18,425,283

#### **Market Risks**

The Bank takes on exposure to market risks, which is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risks arise from open positions in profit rate, currency and equities and funds, all of which are exposed to general and specific market movements and changes in the level of volatility of market rates or prices such as profit rates, credit spreads, foreign exchange rates and equity prices.

The overall authority for market risk is vested in ALCO. RMD is responsible for the development of detailed market risk management policies (subject to review and approval by ALCO) and for the day-to-day management of all market risks. The main objective of the market risk management is identification, classification and management of market risk in a prudent way to ensure safeguarding interests of shareholders and sukuk holders.

#### (i) Currency risk

Currency risk arises from the possibility that changes in foreign exchange rates will affect the value of the Bank's financial assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies. The Bank does not speculatively trade in currencies and is therefore not exposed to currency trading risk. The Bank's policy is to regularly monitors and adjust the currency composition of the net assets by currency and regularly aligns it with the composition of the Islamic Dinar basket; namely US Dollar, Sterling Pound, Euro, Japanese Yen and Renminbi (Chinese Yuan).

In keeping with the Bank's currency risk management policy, spot currency transactions are carried out to realign the net assets to the SDR basket each time there is a misalignment or when there is a revision to the SDR currency composition. Further, currency risk is managed by the use of Shari'ah-approved murabaha based cross-currency swap instruments (Refer to note 17). These hedging instruments are used to modify the currency characteristics of the sukuk issued and assets of the Bank.

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#### 30. RISK MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

#### Market Risk (continued)

Net assets in foreign currencies as at the yearend were as follows:

	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
USD (11D = 1.30413 USD)	3,904,714	3,273,470
EUR (1ID = 1.25482 EUR)	2,611,649	2,338,446
Pound Sterling (1ID = 1.03952 GBP)	746,028	513,192
Japanese Yen (11D = 204.293 JPY)	512,095	446,741
Chinese Yuan (11D = 9.51910 CNY)	1,019,611	844,565
Others	6,781	8,451
	8,800,878	7 424 865

#### (ii) Mark-up risk

Mark-up risk arises from the possibility that changes in mark-up will affect the value of financial assets. The Bank is exposed to mark-up risk on its commodity murabaha placements, sukuk investments, murabaha receivables, istisna'a assets, instalment sales, ijarah assets and sukuk issued. In respect of the financial assets, the Bank's returns are based on a benchmark and vary according to market conditions. In terms of sukuk issued, the outflows are based on the returns of the underlying assets, which are measured in terms of a fixed percentage over and above a benchmark.

The effective mark-up rates for the various financial assets and financial liabilities are as follows:

	31 Dec 2024	31 Dec 2023
Commodity murabaha placements	5.0%	4.7%
Sukuk investments	3.8%	3.1%
Murabaha receivables	6.4%	6.2%
Istisna'a assets	4.0%	3.3%
Instalment sale	4.2%	3.7%
ljarah assets	5.4%	4.3%
Sukuk issued	2.8%	2.3%
Commodity murabaha liabilities	3.7%	3.5%

The Bank uses Shari'ah-approved murabaha based profit rate swaps instruments in order to maintain an appropriate mix and alignment between fixed and floating rate assets and sukuk issued.

(iii) Equity price risk

Equity price risk is the risk that the fair values of equities decrease because of changes in the levels of equity indices and the value of individual stocks.

The Bank's investments in equities are held for strategic rather than trading purposes and are not actively traded. While the Bank has certain exposure to equity price risk, net income would remain unaffected if equity prices changed during the year as gains and losses from changes in the fair values of investments in equities are taken directly to the statement of Other Comprehensive Income.

#### **Operational Risk**

IsDB defines operational risk as the risk of loss resulting from inadequate or failed processes, people and systems; or from external events. This also includes possible losses resulting from Sharia non-compliance, failure in fiduciary responsibilities and legal risk.

Operational risk management forms part of the day-to-day responsibilities of management at all levels. IsDB manages operational risk based on a consistent framework that enables the Bank to determine its operational risk profile and systematically identify and assess risks and controls to define risk mitigating measures and priorities.

#### Shari'ah non-compliance risk (SNCR)

The Bank attaches value in safeguarding its operations from Shari'ah non-compliance risk (SNCR) as part of its operational risk management. Shari'ah compliance forms an integral part of the Bank's purpose of establishment. Consequently, the Bank effectively manages SNCRs through leveraging on its wide robust framework of procedures and policies. The business or risk-taking unit, as the 1st line of defence, embeds a culture of Shari'ah compliance, while the Shari'ah Compliance function of IsDB Group serves as the 2nd line of defence to strategically manage and monitor SNCRs pre-execution of transactions/operations. The IsDB Group Internal Shari'ah Audit function provides independent reasonable assurance as the 3rd line of defence post-execution of transactions/operations adopting a risk based internal Shari'ah audit methodology.

#### 31. FAIR VALUES OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The fair value measurement is based on the presumption that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability takes place either:

- i. In the principal market for the asset or liability, or
- ii. In the absence of a principal market, in the most advantageous market for the asset or liability

The Bank uses the following hierarchy for determining and disclosing the fair value of financial instruments by valuation technique:

- a. Level 1: quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities;
- Level 2: inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (as prices) or indirectly (that is, derived from prices);
- c. Level 3: inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (that is, unobservableinputs).

Inputs, which are not based on observable market data, were applied in the valuation of unlisted equity investments for the year ended 31 December 2024 and the impact of the sensitivity is not material.

The following table shows an analysis of financial instruments recorded at fair value by level of the fair value hierarchy:

31 Dec 2024	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Financial assets carried at fair value through Statement of Income:				
Sukuk investments	35,044	-	-	35,044
Equity type Investments at fair value through OCI:				
Equity investments	424,666	192,257	7,639	624,562
Other investments	1,725	-	42,238	43,963
Murabaha-based profit rate and cross currency profit rate swaps (reported within other liabilities)	-	(523)	-	(523)
Total financial assets at fair value	461,435	191,734	49,877	703,046
31 Dec 2023	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Financial assets carried at fair value through Statement of Income:				
Sukuk investments	34,705	-	-	34,705
Equity type Investments at fair value through OCI:				
Equity investments	392,083	165,111	9,751	566,945
Other investments	1,720	-	30,443	32,163
Murabaha-based profit rate and cross currency profit rate swaps (reported within other assets)	-	9,072	-	9,072
Total financial assets at fair value	428,508	174,183	40,194	642,885

During the years ended 31 December 2024 and 31 December 2023, there were no transfers between level 1 and level 2 and no transfers into or out of level 3.

As at 31 December 2024, sukuk investment carried at amortised cost with carrying value amounting to ID 4.26 billion (2023: ID 3.28 billion) has fair value of ID 4.17 billion (2023: ID 3.2 billion).

#### 32. SEGMENT INFORMATION

Management has determined the chief operating decision maker to be the Board of Executive Directors as this body is responsible for overall decisions about resource allocation to development initiatives within its Member Countries. In order to ensure sufficient resources to enable it to meet its developmental objectives, the Bank actively engages in treasury and liquidity management. Development initiatives are undertaken through a number of Islamic finance products as disclosed on the face of the Statement of Financial Position, which are financed, by the Bank's equity and external funding. Management has not identified separate operating segments within the definition of Financial Accounting Standards (FAS) 22 "Segment Reporting" since the Board of Executive Directors monitors the performance and financial position of the Bank as a whole, without distinguishing between the developmental activities and the ancillary supporting liquidity management activities or geographical distribution of its development programs. Further, the internal reports furnished to the Board of Executive Directors do not present discrete financial information with respect to the Bank's performance to the extent envisaged in FAS 22 - the sectorial and geographical distribution of the Bank's assets is set out in note 30.

# **ISLAMIC DEVELOPMENT BANK**

# SPECIAL ACCOUNT RESOURCES WAQF FUND (WAQF FUND)

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024





This is the second of two volumes of the Annual Report of the Islamic Development Bank. The first volume reviews the development impact of the Bank's investments, projects and policies, highlights innovation in key sectors and initiatives during the year. This is published separately as the Annual Report. Both volumes are available online at **www.isdb.org**.

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#### SPECIAL ACCOUNT RESOURCES WAQF FUND (WAQF FUND) FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Your Excellencies the Chairman and Members of the Board of Governors Islamic Development Bank – Special Account Resources Waqf Fund Jeddah, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

# **Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements**

# Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Islamic Development Bank – Special Account Resources Waqf Fund (the "Fund") which comprise the statement of financial position as of December 31, 2024, and the related statement of financial activities, statement of changes in waqf equity, statement of cash flows and statement of ghallah for the year then ended, and the notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Fund as of December 31, 2024, and the results of its activities and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with the Financial Accounting Standards issued by the Accounting and Auditing Organization for Islamic Financial Institutions ("AAOIFI").

In our opinion, the Fund has also complied with the Shari'ah Rules and Principles as determined by the Group Shari'ah Board of the Islamic Development Bank Group during the year under audit.

# **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with Auditing Standards for Islamic Financial Institutions ("ASIFIs") issued by AAOIFI. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the 'Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements' section of our report. We are independent of the Fund in accordance with the AAOIFI's Code of Ethics for Accountants and Auditors of Islamic Financial Institutions ("AAOIFI Code"), and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the AAOIFI Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

# Other information included in the Fund's 2024 Financial Statements

Other information consists of the statement of service performance appended to the Fund's financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2024, other than the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Management is responsible for the other information.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information identified above and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements, or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

# **Deloitte.**

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# **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT - CONTINUED**

Your Excellencies the Chairman and Members of the Board of Governors Islamic Development Bank – Special Account Resources Waqf Fund Jeddah, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

# Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

These financial statements and the Fund's undertaking to operate in accordance with Shari'ah Rules and Principles are the responsibility of the Fund's management and those charged with governance.

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with the Financial Accounting Standards issued by AAOIFI and for such internal control as the management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the management is responsible for assessing the Fund's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the management either intends to liquidate the Fund or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Fund's financial reporting process.

# Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ASIFIs issued by AAOIFI will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with ASIFIs issued by AAOIFI, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud
  or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence
  that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material
  misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve
  collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Fund's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT - CONTINUED

Your Excellencies the Chairman and Members of the Board of Governors Islamic Development Bank – Special Account Resources Waqf Fund Jeddah, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

# Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements - continued

- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Fund's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Fund to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

# **Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements**

Article 4 of the Regulation of the Special Account Resources Waqf Fund requires maintaining the Principal Amount i.e., waqf corpus in perpetuity. As of December 31, 2024, and 2023, the Fund has accumulated deficit in respect of which required measures are being taken as disclosed in note 32 of the Fund's financial statements.

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17 Ramadan, 1446 March 17, 2025



# 2024 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ISLAMIC DEVELOPMENT BANK

# ISLAMIC DEVELOPMENT BANK - SPECIAL ACCOUNT RESOURCES WAQF FUND (WAQF FUND) STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2024 (All amounts in thousands of United States Dollars unless otherwise stated)

	Notes	2024	2023
ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents	5	15,020	93,600
Commodity murabaha placements	6	201,152	169,124
Wakala placements	7	28,414	-
Sukuk investments	8	125,580	59,591
Treasury assets		370,166	322,315
Installment sale investment	9	-	3,430
Istisna'a investment	10	5,231	4,930
Equity investments	11	27,612	9,365
Investments in funds	12	36,482	50,476
Investments in associates	13	201,452	189,631
Wakala investments	14	235,125	207,518
Investment assets		505,902	465,350
Loans (Qard)	15	112,449	136,091
Other assets	16	4,471	9,136
Fixed assets		18,434	19,767
TOTAL ASSETS		1,011,422	952,659
LIABILITIES			
Accruals and other liabilities	17	6,891	25,173
Restricted funds	18	22,438	23,553
TOTAL LIABILITIES	-	29,329	48,726
WAQF EQUITY			
Waqf corpus		1,069,852	1,069,852
Accumulated deficit		(91,799)	(153,867)
Reserves		4,040	(12,052)
TOTAL WAQF EQUITY		982,093	903,933
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND WAQF EQUITY		1 011 422	050 (50
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# ISLAMIC DEVELOPMENT BANK - SPECIAL ACCOUNT RESOURCES WAQF FUND (WAQF FUND) STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024 (All amounts in thousands of United States Dollars unless otherwise stated)

	Notes	2024	2023
Income from:			
Treasury assets			
Commodity murabaha placements		12,960	8,458
Wakala placements		1,008	-
Sukuk investments	8	3,622	2,679
Investment assets			
Istisna'a investment	10	304	1,201
Equity investments		-	1
Investments in funds		662	1,698
Investments in associates – net	13	15,769	14,274
Wakala investments		27,481	25,169
Other		2,384	2,152
Total income		64,190	55,632
Foreign exchange gains		4,745	357
Total income before program expenses		68,935	55,989
Program expenses	23b	(19,810)	(20,066)
Income before impairment charge		49,125	35,923
Expected credit losses and impairment charge	20	(14,164)	(20,920)
Attributable net income		34,961	15,003
Contributions from IDB-OCR for Technical Assistance Grants and			
Scholarship Program	21	38,173	28,000
Non-Shari'ah income transferred from IsDB OCR & other Funds		1,502	207
Net surplus for the year		74,636	43,210

# ISLAMIC DEVELOPMENT BANK - SPECIAL ACCOUNT RESOURCES WAQF FUND (WAQF FUND) STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN WAQF EQUITY YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024 (All amounts in thousands of United States Dollars unless otherwise stated)

		Reserves						
	Notes	Waqf corpus	Accumulated deficit	Fair value reserve	Pension fund reserves	Other reserves	Total reserves	Total
Balance at 1 January 2023		1,069,852	(282,289)	(9,574)	(1,113)	(11,241)	(21,928)	765,635
Net surplus for the year		-	43,210	-	-	-	-	43,210
Change in fair value reserve – net	12.2	-	-	7,946	-	-	7,946	7,946
Retirement pension plan liability	19	-	-	-	(938)	-	(938)	(938)
Proceeds from STI Fund		-	105,925	-	-	-	-	105,925
Share in associates' reserve movement		-	-	-	-	1,637	1,637	1,637
Movement in other reserves		-	-	-	-	1,231	1,231	1,231
Ghallah distribution	22	-	(20,713)	-	-	-	-	(20,713)
Balance at 31 December 2023		1,069,852	(153,867)	(1,628)	(2,051)	(8,373)	(12,052)	903,933
Net surplus for the year		-	74,636	-	-	-	-	74,636
Change in fair value reserve – net	12.2	-	-	6,407	-	-	6,407	6,407
Retirement pension plan liability	19	-	-	-	14,758	-	14,758	14,758
Share in associates' reserve movement	13	-	-	-	-	<b>(</b> 1,1 <b>4</b> 1 <b>)</b>	(1,141)	<b>(</b> 1,1 <b>4</b> 1 <b>)</b>
Movement in other reserves		-	-	-	-	(3,932)	(3,932)	(3,932)
Ghallah distribution	22	-	(12,568)	-	-	-	-	(12,568)
Balance at 31 December 2024		1,069,852	(91,799)	4,779	12,707	(13,446)	4,040	982,093

# ISLAMIC DEVELOPMENT BANK - SPECIAL ACCOUNT RESOURCES WAQF FUND (WAQF FUND)

### STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

(All amounts in thousands of United States Dollars unless otherwise stated)

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	Notes	2024	2023
Cash flows from operations		74.463	10.010
Net surplus for the year		74,636	43,210
Adjustment for non-cash items:		1 000	1 507
Depreciation		1,383	1,507
Expected credit losses and impairment charge	0	14,164	20,920
Realized/ unrealized fair value gains on sukuk investments	8	-	(5)
Accrued coupon income on sukuk investments	8	(678)	168
Amortisation of sukuk at (discount)/ premium, net	8	(17)	39
Accrued income of istisna'a investment	10	(304)	(1,201)
Share of profit from investments in associates, net	13	(15,789)	(13,823)
Loss/ (gain) on deemed disposal of associates	13	20	(451)
Share of profit on wakala investments	14	(27,607)	(25,331)
Loss on disposal of wakala investments	14	-	18
Service cost on pension and medical obligation	19	2,756	2,631
Foreign exchange (gain)/ loss		(9,369)	1,231
Change in operating assets and liabilities		<i>(</i>	(705)
Restricted funds		(1,115)	(785)
Loans (Qard)		18,462	4,674
Other assets		4,665	486
Accruals and other liabilities		(4,343)	701
Cash generated from operations		56,864	33,989
Pension and medical obligation paid	19	(1,932)	(1,791)
Ghallah distribution	22	(12,568)	(20,713)
Net cash generated from operations		42,364	11,485
Cash flows from investing activities		<i></i>	
Net movement in commodity murabaha placements	6	(32,029)	(139,940)
Net movement in walala placements	7	(28,414)	-
Redemption of sukuk investments	8	27,300	22,500
Additions of sukuk investments	8	(92,552)	-
Additions to istisna'a investment	10	-	(788)
Additions to investments in funds	12	(423)	(384)
Disposal of investments in funds	12	2,417	1,562
Additions to investments in associates	13	-	(5)
Disposal of investments in associates	13	459	543
Dividends from investments in associates	13	2,348	1,444
Disposal of wakala investments	14	-	590
Addition to fixed assets		(50)	(8)
Net cash used in investing activities		(120,944)	(114,486)
Cash flows from financing activities			105.000
Proceeds from STI Fund		-	105,838
Net cash generated from financing activities		-	105,838
Net change in cash and cash equivalents		(78,580)	2,837
Cash and cash equivalents at 1 January		93,600	90,763
Cash and cash equivalents at 31 December	5	15,020	93,600
Non-cash transactions			
Wakala investments transferred in		-	608
Grant commitments transferred in		-	(521)

# 2024 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ISLAMIC DEVELOPMENT BANK

# ISLAMIC DEVELOPMENT BANK - SPECIAL ACCOUNT RESOURCES WAQF FUND (WAQF FUND) STATEMENT OF GHALLAH YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

(All amounts in thousands of United States Dollars unless otherwise stated)

	Notes	2024	2023
Opening balance of over-appropriated ghallah		(168,413)	(284,000)
Ghallah for the year			
Surplus for the year		74,636	43,210
Realised fair value gain on sukuk investments		-	(5)
Proceeds from termination of STI Fund		-	105,925
Share of profit from investments in associates	13	(15,769)	(14,274)
Dividends from investments in associates	13	2,348	1,444
Total ghallah for the year		61,215	136,300
Ghallah available for distribution		(107,198)	(147,700)
Ghallah distribution to beneficiaries	22	(12,568)	(20,713)
Closing balance of over-appropriated Ghallah		(119,766)	(168,413)

ISLAMIC DEVELOPMENT BANK - SPECIAL ACCOUNT RESOURCES WAQF FUND (WAQF FUND) NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024 (All amounts in thousands of United States Dollars unless otherwise stated)

# 1. INCORPORATION AND OPERATIONS

The Special Account Resources Waqf Fund (the "Fund" or the "Waqf Fund") of the Islamic Development Bank (the "Bank" or "IsDB" or "IsDB- OCR") was established on 1 Muharram 1418H (7 May 1997) based on the Board of Governors' Resolution. The Fund primarily caters to the development needs of the Muslim communities and organizations in non-Member Countries and Least Developed Member Countries ("LDMCs") with particular emphasis on social sector development.

In 1418, the Special Accounts of the IsDB-OCR consisted of the Special Reserve, Special Assistance and Special Account for Least Developed Member Countries. On 1 Muharram 1418H, the balances of these accounts in the books of IsDB-OCR as of 29 Dhul Hijjah 1417H together with the related assets and liabilities were transferred to the Special Account Resources Waqf Fund. The balance of Special Reserve Account has been taken as the uncommitted resources of the Special Account and formed the balance of the Waqf Fund corpus amount at 1 Muharram 1418H. The balances of the Special Assistance and Special Account for Least Developed Member Countries have been transferred to the Waqf Fund, but did not form part of the Waqf Fund corpus amount. All assets transferred to the Waqf Fund were commingled and hence not distinguished between the Waqf Fund corpus amount and the other committed resources of the Fund. Since assets contributed have been commingled and not specifically defined as the waqf corpus, cash equivalents of such contributed cash and in-kind assets at the contribution date formed the waqf corpus.

The Fund is managed by the Bank in accordance with IsDB's regulations that are also applicable to the Fund. The legal title of the Fund's assets is held with the Bank for the beneficial interest of the Fund.

The Fund is not subject to and is not supervised by any local or foreign external regulatory authority. Moreover, in each Member Country, the Fund has been granted an exemption from all taxes and tariffs on assets, property or income, and from any liability involving payment, withholding or collection of any taxes.

IsDB being the sole donor of the Waqf Fund is the Fund's Waqif. In accordance with the approved amendment to the Waqf Fund Regulation, Board of Trustees of the Waqf Fund is the Nazir of the Fund responsible for its governance and oversight. As of the reporting date, the Board of Trustees has been established and institutionalized to supervise and govern the Fund's activities, ensuring proper oversight and enhancing accountability.

The Fund derives its income from returns on treasury assets, investments and other assets. As per the regulations of the Fund, a certain percentage of its attributable net income is allocated to the waqf corpus of the Fund every year until it reaches ID 1 billion (USD 1.44 billion). In accordance with the resolution of the Board of Executive Directors dated 24 February 2019, new attributable income allocations were approved (as tabled below). Further, the Board decided that effective 2019 all principal repayment of Ioans shall be allocated to the Special Assistance Programs Fund until the Special Account for LDMCs is offset. Therefore, Special Account for LDMC is treated as part of the Fund's accumulated deficit given there are no further disbursements to be made from this Fund due to its discontinuance. Further, the Special Assistance resources, which represented the net results of the Fund's activities, was also closed into the accumulated deficit account upon adoption of FAS 37 by the Fund during 2022.

Allocation of attributable income to:	From 2019	2018 and prior periods	
Waqf Fund corpus amount	20%	15%	
Special Assistance Programs	80%	65%	
Special Account for LDMCs	0%	20%	

The Special Assistance Programs resources are to be used in the following programs:

- a) training and research for member countries to re-orient their economies, financial and banking activities in conformity with the Islamic Shari'ah;
- b) provision of relief for natural disasters and calamities;
- c) provision to Member Countries for the promotion and furtherance of Islamic causes; and
- d) provision towards the special account for technical assistance.

ISLAMIC DEVELOPMENT BANK - SPECIAL ACCOUNT RESOURCES WAQF FUND (WAQF FUND) NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024 (All amounts in thousands of United States Dollars unless otherwise stated)

The Fund is required to carry out its activities in accordance with the Rules and Principles of Islamic Shari'ah. In accordance with the Board of Governors' Resolutions, income on IsDB and its Funds' balances with other banks (conventional investments) and other investments balances, which are considered by IsDB Group Shari'ah Board to be forbidden by Shari'ah, are not included in the income statement of IsDB and its Funds but are transferred to the Fund and included in the statement of financial activities of the Fund (2024: USD 1,502 thousand and 2023: USD 207 thousand).

# 2. BASIS OF PREPARATION

# a) Statement of Compliance

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with the Financial Accounting Standards ("FAS") issued by AAOIFI and the Islamic Shari'ah Rules and Principles as determined by the Shari'ah Board of the IsDB Group, its entities and funds. In accordance with the requirements of AAOIFI, for matters for which no AAOIFI standard exists, the Fund seeks guidance from generally accepted accounting principles as per the conceptual framework of AAOIFI provided they do not contradict the Rules and Principles of Islamic Shari'ah.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of FAS 37 - Financial Reporting by Waqf Institution.

# b) Basis of measurement

The financial statements are prepared under the historical cost convention except for the following items:

- Investments in funds and equity investments are measured at fair value through changes in waqf equity;
- Wakala investments are accounted for using equity method of accounting;
- Certain sukuk investments are measured at fair value through statement of financial activities designated as such at the time of initial recognition;
- Investments in associates accounted for using equity method of accounting; and
- Post-employment benefits plan measured using actuarial present value calculation based on projected unit credit method.

# c) Functional and presentation currency

Since establishment and up to the end of 2019, the Fund's functional and presentation currency was Islamic Dinar "ID". During 2019, the Board of Executive Directors approved the change of the functional and presentation currency of the Fund from ID to United Stated Dollars ("USD"). Except as otherwise indicated, financial information presented in USD has been rounded to the nearest thousand.

# 3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

# a) Financial assets and liabilities

Financial assets and liabilities are recognized in the statement of financial position when the Fund becomes a party to the related contractual rights or obligations.

A financial asset is any asset that is cash, an equity instrument of another entity, a contractual right to receive cash or another financial asset from another entity or to exchange financial assets or financial liabilities with another entity under conditions that are potentially favorable to the Fund.

A financial liability is any liability that is a contractual obligation to deliver cash or another financial asset to another entity or to exchange financial assets or financial liabilities with another entity under conditions that are potentially unfavorable to the Fund.

Recognized financial assets and financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value, for concessional loans (Qard) fair value is best evidenced by the transaction amount. Transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of financial assets and financial liabilities (other than financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through statement of financial activities) are added to or deducted from the fair value of the financial assets or financial liabilities, as appropriate. Transaction costs directly attributable to the acquisition of financial assets or financial liabilities at fair value through statement of financial activities are recognized immediately in statement of financial activities.

## Financial assets

On initial recognition, financial assets are classified and measured at either of (i) amortised cost, (ii) fair value through waqf equity or (iii) fair value through statement of financial activities, on the basis of both:

- a. the institution's business model for managing the investments; and
- b. the expected cash flow characteristics of the investment in line with the nature of the underlying Islamic finance contracts.

Financial assets comprise investments in debt-type, equity-type financial instruments and other investment instruments.

#### (i) Classification

#### Debt-type instruments

#### **Categorization**

Debt-type instruments are instruments, whereby the transaction structure results in creation of a monetary or non-monetary assets;.

Investments in debt-type instruments are categorized into following a) non-monetary debt-type instruments or b) monetary debt-type instruments.

a) Non-monetary debt-type instruments – these are debt-type instruments whereby the transaction structure results in creation of a non-financial asset or usufruct or services to be delivered in future; and are classified into the following categories: 1) at amortized cost, 2) at fair value through changes in waqf equity or 3) fair value through statement of financial activities

A non-monetary debt-type instrument is classified and measured at amortised cost only if investment is held within a business model whose objective is to hold such investment in order to collect expected cash flows till maturity of the instrument and the investment have a reasonably determinable effective yield.

A non-monetary debt-type instrument classified and measured at fair value through changes in waqf equity only if the investment is held within a business model whose objective is achieved by both collecting expected cash flows and selling the investment and the investment have a reasonably determinable effective yield.

A non-monetary debt-type instrument classified and measured at fair value through statement of financial activities include investments held for trading or designated at fair value through statement of financial activities at inception. At inception, a non-monetary debt-type instrument can only be designated at fair value through statement of financial activities if it eliminates or significantly reduces a measurement or recognition inconsistency that would otherwise arise on measuring the assets or liabilities or quasi equity recognising the gains or losses on them on different bases.

b) Monetary debt-type instruments – these are debt-type instruments whereby the transaction structure results in creation of a financial liability / debt; and are classified and measured at cost, till the time the transaction at the back-end is executed: and at amortised cost thereafter.

## Equity-type instruments

Equity-type instruments are instruments that evidence a residual interest in the assets of an entity after deducting all its liabilities and quasi-equity balances, including ordinary equity instruments and such other structured investment instruments that classify as equity instrument.

Investments in equity-type instruments are classified into the following categories: 1) at fair value through statement of financial activities or 2) at fair value through changes in waqf equity.

Equity-type investments classified and measured at fair value through statement of financial activities include investments held for trading or designated at fair value through statement of financial activities.

An investment is classified as held for trading if acquired or originated principally for the purpose of generating a profit from short-term fluctuations in price or dealer's margin. Any investments that form part of a portfolio where there is an actual pattern of short-term profit taking are also classified as 'held for trading'.

Investments designated at fair value through statement of financial activities are those which are managed and evaluated internally for performance on a fair value basis.

On initial recognition, the Fund makes an irrevocable election to designate certain equity instruments that are not designated at fair value through statement of financial activities to be classified as investments at fair value through changes in waqf equity.

## Other investment instruments

Other investment instruments are investment instruments which do not meet the definition of either debt-type or equity-type instruments.

Other investment instruments are classified into the following categories: 1) at amortized cost, 2) at fair value through changes in equity or 3) fair value through statement of financial activities.

Other investment instrument is classified and measured at amortised cost only if investment is held within a business model whose objective is to hold such investment in order to collect expected cash flows till maturity of the instrument and the investment have a reasonably determinable effective yield.

Other investment instrument classified and measured at fair value through changes in waqf equity only if the investment is held within a business model whose objective is achieved by both collecting expected cash flows and selling the investment and the investment have a reasonably determinable effective yield.

Other investment instrument classified and measured at fair value through statement of financial activities include investments held for trading or designated at fair value through statement of financial activities at inception. At inception, a non-monetary debt-type instrument can only be designated at fair value through statement of financial activities if it eliminates or significantly reduces a measurement or recognition inconsistency that would otherwise arise on measuring the assets or liabilities or quasi equity derecognising the gains or losses on them on different bases.

Other investments include the Funds investments with its related parties in various projects through istisna'a and installment sales.

## (ii) Recognition and derecognition

Investment securities are recognised at the trade date i.e., the date that the Fund contracts to purchase or sell the asset, at which date the Fund becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. Investment securities are derecognised when the rights to receive cash flows from the financial assets have expired or where the Fund has transferred substantially all risk and rewards of ownership.

## (iii) Measurement

## Initial recognition

Investment securities are initially recognised at fair value plus transaction costs, except for transaction costs incurred to acquire investments at fair value through statement of financial activities which are charged to statement of financial activities.

#### Subsequent measurement

Investments at fair value through statement of financial activities are re-measured at fair value at the end of each reporting period and the resultant re-measurement gains or losses are recognised in the statement of financial activities in the period in which they arise. Subsequent to initial recognition, investments classified at amortised cost are measured at amortised cost using the effective profit method less any impairment allowance. All gains or losses arising from the amortisation process and those arising on de-recognition or impairment of the investments, are recognised in the statement of financial activities.

Investments at fair value through changes in waqf equity are re-measured at their fair values at the end of each reporting period and the resultant gain or loss, arising from a change in the fair value of investments are recognised in the statement of changes in waqf equity and presented in a separate fair value reserve within waqf equity. When the investments classified as fair value through waqf equity are sold, impaired, collected or otherwise disposed of, the cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in the statement of changes in waqf equity is transferred to the statement of financial activities.

Investments which do not have a quoted market price or other appropriate methods from which to derive a reliable measure of fair value when on a continuous basis cannot be determined, are stated at cost less impairment allowance, if any.

#### (iv) Measurement principles

#### Amortised cost measurement

The amortised cost of a financial asset or liability is the amount at which the financial asset or liability is measured at initial recognition, minus capital repayments, plus or minus the cumulative amortisation using the effective profit method of any difference between the initial amount recognised and the maturity amount, minus any reduction for impairment. The calculation of the effective profit rate includes all fee and points paid or received that are an integral part of the effective profit rate.

#### Fair value measurement

Fair value is the amount for which an asset could be exchanged, or an obligation settled between well informed and willing parties (seller and buyer) in an arm's length transaction. The Fund measures the fair value of quoted investments using the market bid price for that instrument at the close of business on the statement of financial position date. For investment where there is no quoted market price, a reasonable estimate of the fair value is determined by reference to the current market value of another instrument, which is substantially the same or is based on the assessment of future cash flows. The cash equivalent values are determined by the Fund by discounting future cash flows at current profit rates for contracts with similar term and risk characteristics.

The table below summarizes Fund's major financial assets and liabilities and their measurement and recognition principles. Detailed accounting policies are provided in the relevant sections below.

ltem	Recognition principles
Commodity murabaha placements	Gross carrying value less expected credit losses
Wakala placements	Equity method of accounting
Sukuk investments classified as either:	Fair value through statement of financial activities; or amortized cost less expected credit losses
Installment sale investment	Amortized cost less expected credit losses
Istisna'a investment	Amortized cost less expected credit losses
Loans (gard)	Disbursements plus accrued service fee less expected credit losses
Equity investments	Fair value through changes in waqf equity
Investments in funds	Fair value through changes in waqf equity
Investments in associates	Equity method of accounting
Wakala investments	Equity method of accounting
Restricted funds	Amortised cost

## Offsetting of financial assets and liabilities

Financial assets and liabilities are offset only when there is a legal enforceable right to set off the recognized amounts and the Fund intends to either settle on a net basis, or to realize the asset and settle the liability simultaneously. Income and expenses are presented on a net basis only when permitted under FAS issued by AAOIFI, or for gains and losses arising from a group of similar transactions.

## **Financial liabilities**

The Fund derecognizes financial liabilities when, and only when, its contractual obligations are discharged or cancelled, or have expired. The difference between the carrying amount of the financial liability derecognized and the consideration paid and payable is recognized in profit or loss.

The Fund also derecognizes a financial liability when its terms are modified and the cash flows under the modified terms are substantially different. In this case, a new financial liability based on the modified terms is recognized at fair value. It is assumed that the terms are substantially different if the discounted present value of the cash flows under the new terms, including any fees paid net of any fees received and discounted using the original effective rate is at least ten percent different from the discounted present value of the remaining cash flows of the original financial liability. The difference between the carrying amount of the financial liability extinguished and the new financial liability with modified terms is recognized in the statement of financial activities and statement of changes in waqf equity.

## b) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise, bank balances and commodity murabaha placements through banks having a maturity of three months or less from the date of placement that are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in their fair value. Cash and cash equivalents are carried at cost less expected credit losses in the statement of financial position.

## c) Commodity murabaha placements

Commodity murabaha placements entails the purchase and sale of commodities at fixed profit. The buying and selling of commodities are limited by the terms of agreement between the Fund and other Islamic and conventional financial institutions. Commodity murabaha placements are carried at gross carrying value less allowance for expected credit losses.

## d) Wakala Placements

These are placements where the Bank acts as a principal/investor and which are managed on a wakala investment agency basis. For accounting purposes, these are classified as wakala venture approach as investments are made in transferable instruments or in a single pool of assets, where such assets are subject to frequent changes throughout the term of the contract at the discretion of the agent and/or the role of the agent is not limited whereby the agent performs day-to-day asset management function and, where applicable, is also responsible for replacement of assets or recoveries against them.

Wakala placements are initially recognized at cost and are subsequently adjusted to include investor's share in the profit or loss of the Wakala venture net of any agent's remuneration payable as of the reporting date.

## e) Sukuk investments

Sukuk are certificates of equal value representing undivided share in ownership to tangible assets, usufructs, services or (in the ownership) of assets of a particular project, classified as either measured at amortised cost or at fair value through the statement of financial activities.

Sukuk that are initially designated at fair value through statement of financial activities, if it eliminates or significantly reduces a measurement or recognition inconsistency. On initial recognition, these investments are measured at fair value based on quoted market prices. At the end of each reporting year, such investments are re- measured at fair value with the resulting gain or loss recognized in the statement of financial activities and classified within income from sukuk investments.

Sukuk that are acquired with positive intent and ability to hold them to contractual maturity are measured at amortised cost less allowance for credit losses.

## f) Installment sale

Sale agreements whereby the Fund sells to a customer, an asset which it has purchased and acquired based on a promise from that customer to buy. The selling price includes the profit margin. Amounts receivable from the installment sale transactions are stated at selling price, less unearned income, less repayments and allowance for impairment.

## g) Istisna'a

Istisna'a is an agreement whereby the Fund sells to the customer an asset which is either constructed or manufactured with agreed-upon specifications, for an agreed-upon price.

Istisna'a assets in progress represent disbursements made as well as accrued income against assets being either constructed or manufactured.

After completion, the istisna'a asset is transferred to the istisna'a receivable account and is carried at the value of amounts disbursed, plus income accumulated over the construction / manufacturing period, less repayments received and allowance for credit losses.

The Fund has maintained investments in syndicated istisna'a fund whereby the Fund carries the same at amortised cost less allowance for impairment.

## h) Equity investments

Equity investments are intended for long-term holding and may be sold in response to liquidity needs, changes in fair values or within the overall context of the Fund's developmental activities. Accordingly, the Fund has opted to designate all of its equity investments at fair value through changes in waqf equity.

Listed investments are measured at market value.

Unlisted investments in equities and funds measured at fair value through changes in waqf equity.

Unlisted investments in equities and funds are carried at fair values determined by independent values. Initially and subsequently such investments are measured at fair value, and any unrealized gains or losses arising from the change in their fair value are recognized directly in waqf equity until the investment is derecognized or determined to be impaired, at which time the cumulative gain or loss previously recorded in waqf equity is recognized in the statement of financial activities. Any subsequent fair value gains post impairment is not reversed through the statement of financial activities and are recognized in fair value reserve in waqf equity.

## i) Investments in funds

Investments in funds comprise of equity and other fund investments and are intended to be held for a long-term period and may be sold in response to needs for liquidity or changes in prices. Initially and subsequently such investments are measured at fair value, and any unrealized gains or losses arising from the change in their fair value are recognized directly in waqf equity until the investment is derecognized or determined to be impaired, at which time the cumulative gain or loss previously recorded in waqf equity is recognized in the statement of financial activities. Any subsequent fair value gains post impairment is not reversed through the statement of financial activities and are recognized in fair value reserve in waqf equity.

Investments in funds whose fair value cannot be reliably measured are carried at cost less allowance for any impairment in the value of such investments.

## j) Investments in associates

In accordance with IsDB's Articles of Agreement, Articles 17.2 and 17.5 which is applicable to the Fund as well. "The Fund shall not acquire a majority or controlling interests in the share capital of the project in which it participates except when it is necessary to protect the Fund's interest or to ensure the success of such project or enterprise" and "The Fund shall not assume responsibility for managing any project or enterprise in which it has invested except when necessary to safeguard its investment".

Consequently, Fund does not exercise control over any of its investments to obtain benefits regardless of percentage of voting rights. For investments in which the Fund holds 20 per cent or more of the voting rights the Fund is presumed to have significant influence and hence such investments are accounted for and classified as investments in associates.

Investments in associates are accounted for using the equity method of accounting and are initially recognised at cost (including transaction costs directly related to acquisition of investment in associate). The Fund's investments in associates includes goodwill (net of any accumulated impairment loss) identified on acquisition. The Fund's share of its associates' post-acquisition profits or losses is recognised in the statement of financial activities; its share of post- acquisition movements in reserves is recognised in changes in waqf equity. The cumulative post-acquisition movements are adjusted against the carrying amount of the investment and reduced by dividends. When the Fund's share of losses in an associate equal or exceeds its interest in the associate, including any other unsecured receivables, the Fund does not recognize further losses, unless it has incurred obligations or made payments on behalf of the associate.

The Fund determines at each reporting date whether there is any objective evidence that the investment in associate is impaired. If this is the case the Fund calculates the amount of impairment as being the difference between the fair value of the associate and the carrying value and recognises the amount in the statement of financial activities. Dilution gains and losses in associates are recognised in the statement of financial activities. The Fund's share of the results of associates is based on financial statements available up to a date not older than three months of the date of the statement of financial position, adjusted to conform to the accounting policies of the Fund. The accounting policies of associates have been changed where necessary to ensure consistency with policies adopted by the Fund.

## k) Wakala investments

Wakala is an agreement whereby one party (the "Muwakkil" / "Principal") appoints an investment agent (the "Wakeel" / "Agent") to invest the Muwakkil's funds (the "Wakala Capital") on the basis of an agency contract (the "Wakala") in return for a specified fee. The funds are managed in a fiduciary capacity and the Wakeel has no entitlement to these assets. Muwakkil bear all of the risks and earn all of the rewards on these investments except where the actual profit exceeds the expected profit on the investment. The agency fee can be a lump sum or a fixed percentage of the Wakala Capital. The agent decides in respect to the investments to be made from the Wakala Capital, subject to the terms of the Wakala agreement. However, the Wakeel bears the loss in cases of misconduct, negligence or violation of any of the terms of the Wakala agreements accordingly they are recognized on the statement of financial position.

The Fund applies the wakala venture approach under which the Fund follows equity method of accounting, since the investments are made into transferrable assets and pools of assets (primarily stocks) where such assets are subject to frequent changes and replacements due to rebalancing and market conditions in accordance with the strategic and dynamic asset allocation at the discretion of the agent. Further, the role of the agent is not limited whereby the agent performs day-to-day asset management function and, where applicable, is also responsible for replacement of assets or recoveries against them. For details of equity method of accounting and impairment, please refer investment in associate policy.

## I) Loans (Qard)

Loan (Qard) is a long-term concessional (non-interest bearing) facility provided to finance development projects in Member Countries bearing a service fee at a rate sufficient to cover the Fund's actual administrative expenses.

Loan (Qard) amounts outstanding represent amounts disbursed in respect of projects, less repayments received and allowance for expected credit losses.

## m) Post-employment benefit plans

The Fund, through IsDB group participates in three defined post-employment benefit plans, the Staff Retirement Pension Plan (SPP), Retirees Medical Solidarity Fund (RMSF) and the Post-Employment Medical Scheme (SRMP), both of which require contributions to be made to separately administered funds. A defined benefit plan is a pension plan that defines an amount of pension benefit that an employee will receive on retirement, usually dependent on one or more factors such as age, years of service and percentage of final gross salary. Independent actuaries calculate the defined benefit obligation on an annual basis by using the projected unit credit method to determine the present value of the defined benefit plan and the related service costs. The underlying actuarial assumptions are used to determine the projected benefit obligations.

The present value of the defined benefit obligation due until the retirement date is determined by discounting the estimated future cash outflows (relating to service accrued to the reporting date) using the yields available on high-quality corporate bonds. The bonds should be denominated in currencies in which the benefits will be paid and that have terms to maturity closely matching the terms of the actual pension obligation. For intermediate years, the defined benefit obligation is estimated using approximate actuarial roll-forward techniques that allow for additional benefit accrual, actual cash flows and changes in the underlying actuarial assumptions.

The current service cost of the defined benefit plan recognised in the statement of financial activities reflects the increase in the defined benefit obligation resulting from employee service in the current year.

Actuarial gains or losses, if material, are recognized immediately in the reserves in the year they occur. The pension liability is recognized as part of other liabilities in the statement of financial position. The liability represents the present value of the Fund's defined benefit obligations, net of the fair value of plan assets.

The Retirement Plan Committee, with advice from the Fund's actuaries, determines the Fund's contributions to the defined benefit scheme and the contributions are transferred to the scheme's independent custodians.

## n) Waqf corpus

Waqf corpus is the amount contributed by the Waqif in the form of cash, in-kind assets or specified assets:

In case of cash contribution or contribution of in-kind assets (e.g., tangible or intangible assets or investments etc.), the Waqf corpus is their cash equivalents (cash waqf) and in case of specified assets, their value as of the date of the contribution comprises of the Waqf corpus (non-cash waqf).

Contributions by Waqif or others, not specifically defined as the Waqf corpus in terms of Waqf deed (or other form of declaration by Waqif), are not considered as the Waqf corpus and are recognised directly in statement of financial activities.

## o) Assets comprising waqf corpus

#### Initial recognition

Assets comprising of the Waqf corpus are initially recognized at fair value, with a corresponding amount recognized as waqf equity. For cash and in-kind assets contributed by the waqif their cash equivalent value is the fair value of the assets.

Assets comprising of the Waqf corpus not expected to generate economic benefits (e.g., Masjid, manuscripts etc.) are initially recognized at nominal value.

#### Subsequent measurement

Assets comprising of the Waqf corpus (excluding cash contribution or contribution of in-kind assets) are measured at fair value, with a corresponding effect of fair value gains and losses to be recognized directly in Waqf equity. No depreciation or amortization is charged on such assets. The fair value is reviewed generally at the end of each financial reporting period and is re-measured in case of indications of significant changes from the previous valuation. Any subsequent changes in fair values are recognized directly in waqf equity under fair value reserve.

Income arising from assets comprising of the Waqf corpus is recognized in the statement of financial activities.

Assets comprising of the Waqf corpus which are not expected to generate economic benefits, other than the benefit of usage, (e.g., Masjid, manuscripts etc.) are carried at originally assigned nominal value and disclosed appropriately.

All other assets and liabilities including assets procured through proceeds of cash or in-kind contributions to the Waqf equity are subsequently measured in line with the accounting policies of the Fund.

In case of cash waqf, assets comprising waqf corpus are not required to be disclosed separately from the other assets not comprising waqf corpus.

## p) Ghallah

Ghallah represents the net surplus from financial activities and other gains/losses attributable (adjusted for noncash items and items not available for distribution except for depreciation, amortization and impairment on assets) to the beneficiaries.

## q) Accounting for restricted funds

Funds received specifically to carry out certain activities or to be utilized for particular purposes like collection and distribution of Zakah or collection and distribution of specific contributions for a specific purpose are considered restricted funds.

Restricted funds received (distinguishing between Zakah and other significant restricted funds) are initially recorded as a liability. Their utilization, as well as other movements therein, are adequately disclosed in the notes to the financial statements. Corresponding amounts of respective assets pertaining to restricted funds are also required to be disclosed separately.

## r) Revenue recognition

## Commodity murabaha placements through banks

Income from placements with other Islamic banks and Islamic windows of conventional banks is recognized on effective yield basis over the period of the contract based on the principal amounts outstanding.

## Wakala placements

Income from Wakala placements is recognized on an equity accounting basis over the period from the actual disbursement of funds to the date of maturity.

## <u>Sukuk investments</u>

Income from sukuk investments is accrued on an effective yield basis and is recognized in the income statement. For the sukuk designated at fair value through statement of financial activities, gains and losses resulting from the re-measurement of the fair values at the reporting date are also recognized in the statement of financial activities.

## <u>Istisna'a investment</u>

Income from istisna'a investment is recognised using the effective yield over the period of transactions.

## Equity investments

Dividend income from investments in equity capital and other investments is recognized when the right to receive the dividend is established i.e., according to its declaration date.

## <u>Wakala investment</u>

Wakala investment's share of profit is recognized over the period of the contract, net of agency fees.

## Loan (Qard) service fees

Since the loan (Qard) portfolio is managed and administered by the Bank, the loan service fee is not recorded by the Fund but is transferred in full to the Bank's Ordinary Capital Resources (OCR).

## s) Foreign currency

## Foreign currency transactions and balances

Monetary and non-monetary transactions denominated or requiring settlement in a foreign currency are translated into functional currency at the exchange rates at the transaction dates.

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated into the functional currency at the exchange rate ruling on the reporting date. Foreign currency differences resulting from retranslation of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are recognised in the statement of financial activities as foreign exchange gains / losses.

Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies that are measured at fair value (investments in equity capital and other equity investments) are retranslated into the functional currency at the exchange rate at the date that the fair value was determined. Foreign currency differences resulting from translation of such investments are recognised in the statement of changes in waqf equity.

## Foreign operations – investments in associates

The results and the net investment in the Fund's associates are translated into USD as follows:

- Fund's share of net income / loss of an associate is translated at the average annual exchange rate. All resulting exchange differences are recognised within statement of changes in waqf equity.
- Exchange differences arising from the translation of the net investments in associates (opening waqf equity and movements in waqf equity during the reporting year) are taken to statement of changes in waqf equity.

## t) Impairment of financial assets

## Impairment of Assets held at amortized cost

The Fund applies the credit loss approach to treasury assets and projects assets measured at amortized cost. To assess the extent of credit risk, these assets are divided into three (3) categories:

- i. Stage 1 No significant increase in credit risk;
- ii. Stage 2 Significant increase in credit risk (SICR); and
- iii. Stage 3 Credit impaired financial assets.

Allocation to different stages is based on the degree of deterioration in the credit quality of the financial asset. At each reporting date, the Fund assesses whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk. The Fund monitors all financial assets, issued loan commitments and financial guarantee contracts that are subject to the impairment requirements to assess whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition. If there has been a significant increase in credit risk the Fund will measure the loss allowance based on lifetime rather than 12-month ECL. Currently, the Fund has assessed Nil loss allowance on issued loan commitments and financial guarantee contracts.

In assessing whether the credit risk on a financial instrument has increased significantly since initial recognition, the Fund compares the risk of a default occurring on the financial instrument at the reporting date based on the remaining maturity of the instrument with the risk of a default occurring that was anticipated for the remaining maturity at the current reporting date when the financial instrument was first recognised. In making this assessment, the Fund considers both quantitative and qualitative information that is reasonable and supportable, including historical experience and forward-looking information that is available without undue cost or effort, based on the Fund's historical experience and expert credit assessment including forward-looking information.

Multiple economic scenarios form the basis of determining the probability of default at initial recognition and at subsequent reporting dates. Different economic scenarios will lead to a different probability of default. It is the weighting of these different scenarios that forms the basis of a weighted average probability of default that is used to determine whether credit risk has significantly increased.

Forward-looking information includes the future prospects of the countries and industries in which the Fund's counterparties operate, obtained from economic expert reports, financial analysts, governmental bodies, relevant think-tanks and other similar organisations, as well as consideration of various internal and external sources of actual and forecast economic information. The Fund allocates its counterparties to a relevant internal credit risk grade depending on their credit quality. The quantitative information is a primary indicator of significant increase in credit risk and is based on the change in lifetime PD by comparing rating transactions and/or days past due, given that macro-economic scenario data and models for certain countries are not readily available, in such cases proxy scenarios and models have been used.

The PDs used are forward-looking and the Fund uses the same methodologies and data used to measure the loss allowance for ECL.

The qualitative factors that indicate significant increase in credit risk are reflected in PD models on a timely basis. However, the Fund still considers separately some qualitative factors to assess if credit risk has increased significantly.

Given that a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition is a relative measure, a given change, in absolute terms, in the PD will be more significant for a financial instrument with a lower initial PD than compared to a financial instrument with a higher PD.

All financial assets are allocated to stage 1 on initial recognition. However, if a significant increase in credit risk is identified at the reporting date compared with initial recognition, then the asset is transferred to stage 2 (Refer to note 29 Risk management). If there is objective evidence of impairment, then the asset is credit-impaired and allocated to stage 3 as described in note 30 Risk management.

With the exception of Purchased or originated credit-impaired (POCI) financial assets (which are considered separately below), ECLs are required to be measured through a loss allowance at an amount equal to:

- 12-month ECL, i.e. lifetime ECL that result from those default events on the financial instrument that are possible within 12 months after the reporting date, (referred to as Stage 1); or

- full lifetime ECL, i.e. lifetime ECL that result from all possible default events over the life of the financial instrument, (referred to as Stage 2).

- As for instruments classified in stage 3, loss allowance is quantified as the product of LGD and EAD of each instrument.

## Credit-impaired financial assets

A financial asset is 'credit-impaired' when one or more events that have a detrimental impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset have occurred. Credit-impaired financial assets are referred to as Stage 3 assets. Evidence of credit-impairment includes observable data about the following events

For Sovereign: Prolonged Civil War/ external arms conflict

For Non-Sovereign: Company files for bankruptcy Cancellation of Operating License Clear evidence that the company will not be able to make the future repayments.

It may not be possible to identify a single discrete event—instead, the combined effect of several events may have caused financial assets to become credit-impaired. The Fund assesses whether debt instruments that are financial assets measured at amortised cost or fair value through waqf equity (FVTWE) are credit-impaired at each reporting date.

## Purchased or originated credit-impaired (POCI) financial assets

POCI financial assets are treated differently because the asset is credit-impaired at initial recognition. For these assets, the Fund recognises all changes in lifetime ECL since initial recognition as a loss allowance with any changes recognised in profit or loss. A favourable change for such assets creates an impairment gain.

## Modification and derecognition of financial assets

A modification of a financial asset occurs when the contractual terms governing the cash flows of a financial asset are renegotiated or otherwise modified between initial recognition and maturity of the financial asset. A modification affects the amount and/or timing of the contractual cash flows either immediately or at a future date.

A loan forbearance is granted in cases where although the borrower made all reasonable efforts to pay under the original contractual terms, there is a high risk of default or default has already happened and the borrower is expected to be able to meet the revised terms. The revised terms in most of the cases include an extension of the maturity of the financial asset, changes to the timing of the cash flows of the financial asset (principal and profit repayment), reduction in the amount of cash flows due (principal and profit forgiveness).

When a financial asset is modified the Fund assesses whether this modification results in derecognition. In accordance with the Fund's policy a modification results in derecognition when it gives rise to substantially different terms. To determine if the modified terms are substantially different from the original contractual terms the Fund considers the following:

A quantitative assessment is performed to compare the present value of the remaining contractual cash flows under the original terms with the contractual cash flows under the revised terms, both amounts discounted at the original effective profit rate. If the difference in present value is greater than 10% the Fund deems the arrangement is substantially different leading to derecognition. When performing a quantitative assessment of a modification or renegotiation of a credit-impaired financial asset or a purchased or originated credit-impaired financial asset that was subject to a write-off, the Fund considers the expected (rather than the contractual) cash flows before modification or renegotiation and compares those with the contractual cash flows after modification or renegotiation.

In the case where the financial asset is derecognised the loss allowance for ECL is remeasured at the date of derecognition to determine the net carrying amount of the asset at that date. The difference between this revised carrying amount and the fair value of the new financial asset with the new terms will lead to a gain or loss on derecognition. The new financial asset will have a loss allowance measured based on 12-month ECL except in the rare occasions where the new loan is considered to be originated- credit impaired. This applies only in the case where the fair value of the new loan is recognised at a significant discount to its revised par amount because there remains a high risk of default which has not been reduced by the modification. The Fund monitors credit risk of modified financial assets by evaluating qualitative and quantitative information, such as if the borrower is in past due status under the new terms.

When the contractual terms of a financial asset are modified and the modification does not result in derecognition, the Fund determines if the financial asset's credit risk has increased significantly since initial recognition by comparing:

- the remaining lifetime PD estimated based on data at initial recognition and the original contractual terms; with - the remaining lifetime PD at the reporting date based on the modified terms.

For financial assets modified as part of the Fund's forbearance policy, where modification did not result in derecognition, the estimate of PD reflects the Fund's ability to collect the modified cash flows taking into account the Fund's previous experience of similar forbearance action, as well as various behavioural indicators, including the borrower's payment performance against the modified contractual terms. If the credit risk remains significantly higher than what was expected at initial recognition the loss allowance will continue to be measured at an amount equal to lifetime ECL. If a forborne loan is credit impaired due to the existence of evidence of credit impairment (see above), the Fund performs an ongoing assessment to ascertain if the problems of the exposure are cured, to determine if the loan is no longer credit-impaired. The loss allowance on forborne loans will generally only be measured based on 12-month ECL when there is evidence of the borrower's improved repayment behaviour following modification leading to a reversal of the previous significant Increase in credit risk.

Where a modification does not lead to derecognition the Fund calculates the modification loss by comparing the gross carrying amount before and after the modification (excluding the ECL allowance). Modification losses, if any, for financial assets are included in the statement of financial activities in 'Losses on modification of financial assets'. Then the Fund measures ECL for the modified asset, where the expected cash flows arising from the modified financial asset are included in calculating the expected cash shortfalls from the original asset.

The Fund derecognised a financial asset only when the contractual rights to the asset's cash flows expire (including expiry arising from a modification with substantially different terms), or when the financial asset and substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the asset are transferred to another entity. If the Fund neither transfers nor retains substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership and continues to control the transferred asset, the Fund recognises its retained interest in the asset and an associated liability for amounts it may have to pay. If the Fund retains substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of a transferred financial asset, the Fund continues to recognise the financial asset and also recognises a collateralized borrowing for the proceeds received.

## Definition of default

Critical to the determination of ECL is the definition of default. The definition of default is used in measuring the amount of ECL and in the determination of whether the loss allowance is based on 12-month or lifetime ECL, as default is a component of the probability of default (PD) which affects both the measurement of ECLs and the identification of a significant increase in credit risk.

The Fund considers the following as constituting an event of default:

- All contracts or obligors rated 21 in the Fund's internal scale (equivalent to C in Moody's scale and D in both S&P's and Fitch Ratings' scale); or

- Moreover, the Fund also uses a rebuttable presumption based on DPD. This rule is applied if the contractual payments are due for more than 180 days for sovereign contracts and 90 days for non-sovereign ones, unless there is reasonable and supportable information indicating that the contract is not credit-impaired.

This definition of default is used by the Fund for accounting purposes as well as for internal credit risk management purposes. The definition of default is appropriately tailored to reflect different characteristics of different types of assets.

The Fund uses a variety of sources of information to assess default which are either developed internally or obtained from external sources. As noted in the definition of credit impaired financial assets above, default is evidence that an asset is credit impaired. Therefore, credit impaired assets will include defaulted assets, but will also include other non-defaulted the definition of credit impaired is broader than the definition of default.

## <u>Write-off</u>

When the non-sovereign exposure is deemed uncollectible, it is written-off against the related impairment allowance and any excess loss is recognized in the statement of financial activities. Such assets are written-off only after all necessary procedures have been completed and the amount of loss has been determined. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written-off are credited to the Fund's statement of financial activities. Sovereign exposures are not written-off based on the Fund's past experience, since its inception. Fund has not written off any non-sovereign financial assets during the current and prior year.

## Impairment of investments held at fair value through waqf equity

The management exercises judgment to consider impairment on the financial assets held at fair value through changes in waqf's equity, at each reporting date. A financial asset held at fair value through changes in waqf equity is considered impaired if it has suffered a significant or prolonged decline in its value below cost. The determination of what is 'significant' or 'prolonged' requires judgment. In making this judgment, the Fund evaluates among other factors, the normal volatility in share prices. In addition, the Fund considers impairment to be appropriate when there is evidence of deterioration in the financial health of the investee, industry and sector performance, changes in technology, and operational and financing cash flows.

The Fund considers 30% or more, as a reasonable measure for significant decline below its cost, irrespective of the duration of the decline. Prolonged decline represents decline below cost that persists for 1 year or longer irrespective of the amount.

## Other amortised cost assets

An assessment is made at each reporting date to determine whether there is objective evidence that an amortised cost or a group of such assets may be impaired. The amount of the expected credit losses for other financial assets is calculated as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and its estimated recoverable amount.

Adjustments to the provision are recorded as a charge or credit in the Fund's statement of financial activities.

## u) Zakat and tax

The Fund's resources are part of Bait-ul- Mal (public money), the Fund is not subject to zakat or tax.

## v) Subsequent event

The financial statements are adjusted to reflect events that occurred between the reporting date and the date when the financial statements are authorized for issue, provided they give evidence of conditions that existed at the reporting date.

## 4. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS AND ESTIMATES

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with AAOIFI requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and income and expenses. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the Fund's accounting policies. Such estimates, assumptions and judgements are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including obtaining professional advices and expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

The most significant judgements and estimates are summarised below:

## SIGNIFICANT JUDGEMENTS

## a) <u>Significant influence</u>

Significant influence over investments with 20% and more holdings - In accordance with IsDB's Articles of Agreement, the Fund shall not acquire a majority or controlling interests in the share capital of the project in which it participates except when it is necessary to protect the Fund's interest or to ensure the success of such project or enterprise. On this basis, the Fund is not deemed to exercise control over any of its investments and, therefore, continues to apply equity accounting in cases where its ownership in investees exceed 50%.

## b) <u>Going concern</u>

The Fund's management has made an assessment of the Fund's ability to continue as a going concern and is satisfied that it has the resources to continue in business for the foreseeable future. Furthermore, management is not aware of any material uncertainties that may cast significant doubt upon the Fund's ability to continue as a going concern. Therefore, the financial statements continue to be prepared on the going concern basis.

## c) <u>Comingling of funds resources</u>

The total assets of the Fund are represented by the waqf corpus as well as the accumulated deficit. Since the Fund is a cash waqf, total assets have not been split between those representing waqf corpus and those representing other components of waqf equity. Management continues to monitor the Fund resources on a totality basis.

## d) Impairment of financial assets designated at fair value through waaf equity

The Fund's management has established thresholds to determine significant or prolonged decline in the value below cost of its financial assets designated at fair value through waqf equity as described in the policy notes above, it continues to exercise judgement in making impairment decisions consistently using the said threshold as well as taking into account all the relevant factors in determining that the established thresholds remain relevant as of period ends.

## e) Ghallah available for distribution

The definition of Ghallah as per FAS 37 excludes items that are not readily available for distribution. Whilst the standard provides certain examples, however, the management exercises judgement in including or excluding certain items from the calculation of Ghallah for the year based on either the contractual terms of the assets generating those returns or the expected period of their realization.

## SIGNIFICANT ESTIMATES

## Expected credit losses against financial assets

Expected credit losses against financial assets – The measurement of credit losses under FAS 30 across all categories of financial assets requires judgement, in particular, the estimation of the amount and timing of future cash flows and collateral values when determining impairment losses and the assessment of a significant increase in credit risk. These estimates are driven by a number of factors, changes in which can result in different levels of allowances. The methodology and assumptions used for estimating both the amount and timing of future cash flows are reviewed regularly to reduce any differences between loss estimates and actual loss experience.

The Fund's ECL calculations are outputs of complex models with a number of underlying assumptions regarding the choice of variable inputs and their interdependencies. Elements of the ECL models that are considered accounting judgements and estimates include:

- i. The Fund's internal credit grading model, which assigns PDs to the individual grades;
- ii. The Fund's criteria for assessing if there has been a significant increase in credit risk necessitating the loss allowance to be measured on a 12 month or lifetime ECL basis and the applicable qualitative assessment;
   iii. Development of ECL models, including the various formulas and the choice of inputs;
- Development of ECL models, including the various formulas and the choice of inputs;
   Determination of associations between macroeconomic scenarios and, economic inputs.
- iv. Determination of associations between macroeconomic scenarios and, economic inputs, such as unemployment levels and collateral values, and the effect on PDs, EADs and LGDs; and,
- v. Selection of forward-looking macroeconomic scenarios and their probability weightings, to derive the economic inputs into the ECL models.

## Fair value of financial instruments

The fair values of financial instruments that are not quoted in active markets is measured by using valuation techniques which require a certain degree of judgement and estimation.

Nonetheless, the actual amount that is realised in a future transaction may differ from the current estimate of fair value and may still be outside management estimates, given the inherent uncertainty surrounding valuation of unquoted investments.

## Employee benefits liabilities

The Fund uses the projected unit credit method to determine the net present value of its defined benefit plans and the related service costs. In this regard, the Fund uses certain assumptions of discount rates, expected return on plan assets and rate of salary increases, which may differ from actual experiences. These estimates are updated on annual basis.

## THE EFFECT OF NEW AND REVISED FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING STANDARDS

The following new financial accounting standards ("FAS") of The Accounting and Auditing Organization for Islamic Financial Institutions ("AAOIFI"), which became effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024, have been adopted in these financial statements if found to be applicable.

## (i) FAS 1 (Revised 2021) – "General Presentation and Disclosures in the Financial Statements"

AAOIFI has issued revised FAS 1 in 2021. The revised FAS 1 supersedes the earlier FAS 1 General Presentation and Disclosures in the Financial Statements of Islamic Banks and Financial Institutions and introduces the concepts of quasi-equity, off-balance-sheet assets under management and other comprehensive income to enhance the information provided to the users of the financial statements. The Fund has effectively adopted the standard from 1 January 2024.

The adoption of this standard did not result in any significant changes to the presentation of and disclosure in the financial statements of the Fund since in accordance with paragraph 23 of FAS 37, FAS 1 is only applicable insofar as it does not contravene the requirements of FAS 37.

## (ii) Financial Accounting Standard – 40 "Financial Reporting for Islamic Finance Windows"

The objective of this revised standard is to establish financial reporting requirements for Islamic finance windows and applicable to all conventional financial institutions providing Islamic financial services through an Islamic finance window. This standard improves upon and supersedes FAS 18 "Islamic Financial Services Offered by Conventional Financial Institutions". This standard is effective for the financial periods beginning on or after 1 January 2024. The Bank has assessed the requirements of this standard and concluded that it is not applicable to the Fund as it is not a conventional financial institution.

## STANDARDS ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE

The following new FASs have been issued. The fund intends to adopt these financial reporting standards when they become effective and is currently assessing the impact of these new FASs on its financial statements and systems.

## (i) Financial Accounting Standard - 42 "Presentation and Disclosures in the Financial Statements of Takaful Institutions"

This standard sets out the principles for the presentation and disclosure for the financial statements of Takaful institutions. It aims to ensure that the Takaful institutions faithfully present the information related to these arrangements to the relevant stakeholders as per the contractual relationship between the parties and the business model of the Takaful business in line with the Shari'ah principles and rules.

This standard improves the presentation and disclosure requirements, in line with the global best practices, and supersedes the existing FAS 12 "General Presentation and Disclosures in the Financial Statements of Islamic Insurance Companies".

This standard shall be effective on the annual financial statements of the Takaful institutions beginning on or after 1 January 2025. FAS 42 shall not impact on the financial statements as the Fund is not a Takaful institution.

## (ii) Financial Accounting Standard - 43 "Accounting for Takaful: Recognition and Measurement"

This standard sets out the principles for the recognition, measurement and reporting of Takaful arrangements and ancillary transactions for the Takaful institutions. It aims to ensure that the Takaful institutions faithfully present the information related to these arrangements to the relevant stakeholders as per the contractual relationship between the parties and the business model of the Takaful business in line with the Shari'ah principles and rules. The requirements of this standard are duly aligned with the international best practices of financial reporting for the insurance business.

This standard shall be effective on the financial statements of the Takaful institution for the annual financial reporting period beginning on or after 1 January 2025. FAS 43 shall not impact the financial statements as the Fund is not a Takaful institution.

## (iii) Financial Accounting Standard - 45 "Quasi-Equity (Including Investment Accounts)"

This standard prescribes the principles of financial reporting related to the participatory investment instruments (including investment accounts) in which an Islamic financial institution controls the underlying assets (mostly, as a working partner), on behalf of the stakeholders other than the owners' equity. Such instruments (including, in particular, the unrestricted investment accounts) normally qualify for on-balance sheet accounting and are reported as quasi-equity.

This standard provides the overall criteria for on-balance-sheet accounting for participatory investment instruments and quasi-equity, as well as, pooling, recognition, derecognition, measurement, presentation and disclosure of quasi-equity. It further addresses financial reporting related to other quasi-equity instruments and certain specific issues.

This standard shall be effective for the financial reporting period beginning on or after 1 January 2026 with early adoption permitted. The Fund does not have quasi equity and hence the Standard is not applicable.

## (iv) Financial Accounting Standard - 46 "Off-Balance-Sheet Assets Under Management"

This standard prescribes the criteria for characterization of off-balance sheet assets under management and the related principles of financial reporting in line with the "AAOIFI Conceptual Framework for Financial Reporting".

This standard encompasses the aspects of recognition, derecognition, measurement, selection and adoption of accounting policies etc relating to off balance sheet assets under management, as well as, certain specific aspects of financial reporting, e.g., impairment and onerous commitments by the institution. The standard also includes the presentation and disclosure requirements, particularly aligning the same with the requirements of FAS 1 "General Presentation and Disclosures in the Financial Statements" in respect of the Statement of changes in the off-balance sheet assets under management.

This standard shall be effective for the financial reporting period beginning on or after 1 January 2026 with early adoption permitted. This standard shall be adopted at the same time as adoption of FAS 45 "Quasi-Equity (including Investment Accounts)". The Fund does not manage third party funds. Hence standard is not applicable.

## (v) Financial Accounting Standard - 47 "Transfer of Assets Between Investment Pools"

This standard prescribes the financial reporting principles and disclosure requirements applicable to all transfers of assets between investment pools related to (and where material, between significant categories of) owners' equity, quasi-equity and off-balance sheet assets under management of an institution. It requires adoption and consistent application of accounting policies for such transfers in line with Sha'riah principles and rules and describes general disclosure requirements in this respect.

This standard shall be effective for the financial reporting period beginning on or after 1 January 2026 with early adoption permitted. The Standard is not applicable to the Fund as it does not have investment pools.

# (vi) Financial Accounting Standard - 50 "Financial reporting for Islamic Investment Institutions (Including Investment Funds)"

This standard prescribes the financial reporting principles applicable to the Islamic investment institutions. In particular it emphasizes on standardization with regard to the form and contents of the financials statements of investment institution. This standard prescribes the overall requirements for the presentation, minimum contents and recommended structure of their financial statements in a manner that facilitates truthful and fair presentation in line with Shari'ah principles and rules.

This standard shall be effective for the financial reporting period beginning on or after 1 January 2027 with early adoption permitted. The Standard is not applicable to the Fund as it is not an investment institution.

## 5. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

	2024	2023
Cash at banks	6,134	66,084
Short-term commodity murabaha placements (note 6)	8,886	27,516
	15,020	93,600

Commodity murabaha placements included within cash equivalents are those interbank placements, which have an original tenor equal to or less than three months. Placements with original maturities of above three months are disclosed in note 6.

## 6. COMMODITY MURABAHA PLACEMENTS

	2024	2023
Placements with banks	204,567	193,025
Accrued income	5,474	3,617
Short-term commodity murabaha placements (note 5)	(8,886)	(27,516)
Allowance for expected credit losses	(3)	(2)
	201.152	169,124

As of December 31, 2024, an amount of USD22.4 million is restricted. (2023: USD 23.6 million) (note 18).

## 7. WAKALA PLACEMENTS

	2024	2023
Placements with Islamic banks	27,795	-
Share of profit accrued	619	-
	28,414	-

## 8. SUKUK INVESTMENTS

The movement in sukuk investments is summarized as follows:

	2024	2023
Balance at beginning of the year	59,591	82,236
Additions	92,552	-
Redemptions	(27,300)	(22,500)
Accrued coupon income	678	(168)
Amortisation of discount/ (premium), net	17	(39)
Realized/ unrealized fair value gain	-	5
Reversal of allowance for expected credit losses	42	57
Balance at end of the year	125,580	59,591

Sukuk investments includes sukuks issued by a related party recognized at the carrying value of USD 13.7 million (2023: USD 6 million).

	Counterparty rating				
		AA+ to		BBB or	
31 December 2024	AAA	AA-	A+ to A-	Lower	Total
Sukuk classified at amortised cost					
- Financial institutions	13,783	-	-	-	13,783
- Governments	-	17,538	23,219	32,118	72,875
- Other entities	-	-	38,922	-	38,922
Total	13,783	17,538	62,141	32,118	125,580

		Cou	nterparty rating	g	
		AA+ to		BBB or	
31 December 2023	AAA	AA-	A+ to A-	Lower	Total
Sukuk classified at amortised cost					
- Financial institutions	6,031	-	-	-	6,031
- Governments	-	-	-	47,497	47,497
- Other entities	-	-	6,063	-	6,063
Total	6,031	-	6,063	47,497	59,591

Sukuk investments are net of expected credit losses of USD 2 thousand (2023: USD 44 thousand). The historical cost of sukuk investments measured at fair value through statement of financial activities is USD 21 million (2023: USD 21 million), the fair value of these sukuk investments as at 31 December 2024 is USD nil (2023: USD nil).

Income from sukuk investments is comprised of the following:

	2024	2023
Coupon income	3,605	2,718
Amortisation of discount/ (premium), net	17	(39)
	3,622	2,679

## 9. INSTALLMENT SALE INVESTMENT

	2024	2023
Installment sale investment	5,332	5,332
Less: allowance for expected credit losses	(5,332)	(1,902)
Balance at end of the year	-	3,430

The above represents installment sale agreement whereby the Fund has contributed USD 5.3 million (remaining equal share was contributed by ICD) for a credit sale of equipment. The project is not yet operational and has been fully impaired during the year.

## 10. ISTISNA'A INVESTMENT

	2024	2023
Balance at beginning of the year	4,930	2,932
Additions	-	788
Accrued income	304	1,201
(Charge) / reversal of allowance for expected credit losses	(3)	9
Balance at end of the year	5,231	4,930

It represents participation in syndicated istisna'a investment with IsDB – Awqaf Properties Investment Fund. Istisna'a investment is net of allowance for expected credit losses of USD 45 thousand (2023: 42 thousand).

## **11. EQUITY INVESTMENTS**

Equity investments comprised of the following:

	2024	2023
Equity investments	71,725	42,200
Less: allowance for impairment	(44,113)	(32,835)
	27,612	9,365
	2024	2023
Balance at beginning of the year	9,365	11,649
Transfer from investment in funds (note 11.1)	16,671	-
Foreign exchange gain	163	-
Unrealized fair value gains	2,026	519
Impairment charge for the year	(613)	(2,803)
Balance at end of the year	27,612	9,365

11.1 The historical cost of the investment transferred from investment in funds is USD 32,500 thousand, net of impairment allowance of USD 8,317 thousand and unrealized fair value loss of USD 7,512 thousand.

The historical cost of equity investments as at 31 December 2024 is USD 77,206 thousand (2023: USD 44,706 thousand).

## **12. INVESTMENTS IN FUNDS**

Investments in funds comprised of the following:

	2024	2023
Investments in funds	65,248	136,185
Less: allowance for impairment	(28,766)	(85,709)
	36,482	50,476

The movement in investments in funds is summarized as follows:

	2024	2023
Balance at beginning of the year	50,476	55,637
Additions	423	384
Disposals (note 12.1)	(2,417)	(1,562)
Transfer to equity investments (note 11.1)	(16,671)	-
Foreign exchange gain	5,269	-
Unrealized fair value gains	4,381	7,427
Impairment charge for the year	(4,979)	(11,410)
Balance at end of the year	36,482	50,476

12.1 It includes a fully impaired investment written off during the year with a historical cost and accumulated impairment of USD 54,541 thousand.

The historical cost of investment in funds as at 31 December 2024 is USD 54,989 thousand (2023: 144,025 thousand).

These funds comprise real estate, infrastructure and other funds managed by third party institutions in which the Fund has made specific investments as part of its management of liquidity and classified as investment at fair value through changes in waqf equity.

12.2 Following is the movement in fair value reserve due to equity investments and investments in funds:

	2024	2023
Unrealised fair value gains (notes 11 &12)	6,407	7,946

## **13. INVESTMENTS IN ASSOCIATES**

The movement in investments in associates is summarized as follows:

	2024	2023
Balance at beginning of the year	189,631	175,702
Additions	-	5
Disposals	(459)	(543)
Foreign currency translation and other movements		
through changes in waqf equity	(1,141)	1,637
(Loss)/ gain on deemed disposal	(20)	451
Share of profit for the year	15,789	13,823
Cash dividend received	(2,348)	(1,444)
Balance at end of the year	201,452	189,631

Name of the entity	Country of incorporation	Entity's activities	2024	2023
Caspian International Investment Company (CIIC) Insurance of Investment and	Azerbaijan	Asset Management	27.14%	27.14%
Export Credit (ICIEC)	Saudi Arabia	Insurance	50.80%	50.83%
Bio-Business Central Park Real Estate previously BBI Leasing and Real Estate	Egypt	Manufacturing	<b>29</b> %	29%
Company (CPRE)	Bosnia	Real Estate	86.48%	86.48%

Investment in Bio-Business has transferred from IsDB – STI Fund at nil carrying value, having cost and impairment of USD 1,035 thousand (note 22) during 2023.

The Fund does not have representation on the Board of Executive Directors of ICIEC and Board of Directors of CPRE and does not have the power to control the financial and operating policies of these entities. Accordingly, these entities are not consolidated in the financial statements of the Fund.

The total assets, total liabilities, revenue and results of associates based on their financial statements for the interim and final periods in 2024 and 2023 are as follows:

	Year	Total assets	Total liabilities	Revenues	Net results	Share of net assets
CIIC	2024	8,084	461	150	(2,743)	2,069
CIIC	2023	14,764	704	-	(1,285)	3,816
ICIEC	2024	727,609	407,630	142,440	27,563	162,549
ICIEC	2023	510,038	220,623	23,122	22,343	147,023
Bio Business	2024	1,527	437	453	19	-
	2023	1,978	413	1,357	20	-
CPRE	2024	47,762	5,169	6,425	2,887	36,834
CFRE	2023	46,043	1,186	6,412	2,737	38,792

## 14. WAKALA INVESTMENTS

Wakala investments represent investments in securities managed by external portfolio managers as of December 31. The movement in the net assets of the wakala investments is as follows:

	2024	2023
Balance at the beginning of the year	207,518	182,187
Transfer from STI Fund	-	608
Disposal	-	(590)
Loss on disposal	-	(18)
Share of profit (net of management and other fees)	27,607	25,331
Balance at end of the year	235,125	207,518

The details of the underlying assets are as follows:

	2024	2023
Cash	7,295	13,389
Investment in equity instruments	16,269	12,787
Investment in exchange traded fund	55,640	44,078
Investment in sukuk funds	79,483	77,590
Investments in funds	71,138	59,674
Investment in real estate funds	5,300	-
	235,125	207,518

The Fund has appointed an external fund manager (EFM) to manage part of its investments portfolio on a discretionary basis as multi asset classes and multi fund Manager strategy (Outsourced Chief Investment Officer) as a Segregated Managed Account. The EFM charges annual fund management fee calculated as greater of: a) percentage of the net asset value of the portfolio b) a flat fee of USD 475 thousand. The custodian fee is also charged to the Fund for the custodial services amounting to USD 125 thousand (2023: USD 145 thousand).

Certain EFMs use Shari'ah standards and guidelines issued by their Shari'ah advisors beyond the AAOIFI Shari'ah standards.

## 15. LOANS (QARD)

Loans at the end of the year comprised of the following:

	2024	2023
Loans (Qard)	133,248	151,710
Less: allowance for expected credit losses	(20,799)	(15,619)
	112.449	136.091

The movement in allowance for expected credit losses against loans (qard) is summarized as follows:

	2024	2023
Balance at the beginning of the year	15,619	8,848
Charge for the year	5,180	6,771
Balance at the end of the year	20,799	15,619

Loans (Qard) are given to member countries with repayment period ranging between 20 to 30 years for which the Fund charges a loan servicing fee, which is transferred to IsDB - Ordinary Capital Resources for its loan process management and administration.

## 16. OTHER ASSETS

Other assets at the end of the year comprised the following:

	2024	2023
Due from related parties (note 26)	420	4,332
Others	4,051	4,804
	4,471	9,136

## 17. ACCRUALS AND OTHER LIABILITIES

Accruals and other liabilities at the end of the year comprised the following:

	2024	2023
Pension liability (note 19)	2,292	16,231
Due to related parties (note 26)	1,338	3,215
Others	3,261	5,727
	6,891	25,173

## **18. RESTRICTED FUNDS**

Restricted funds represent funds that are restricted for certain purposes by the Waqif and/or respective donor as follows:

## Islamic Technical Financial Assistance Grant

Islamic Technical Financial Assistance Grant is formed through net income allocations made by IsDB – Ordinary Capital Resources in prior years specifically aimed at the development of the Islamic finance industry. USD 19 million represent restricted undisbursed funds (2023: USD 21.02 million) to be disbursed toward Islamic financial industry development programs. There are no assets specifically identified against this fund by the IsDB-OCR and hence assets of the technical assistance fund are commingled with other assets of the Fund, therefore, there is no income separately attributable to the technical assistance fund.

## IsDB Islamic Solidarity Tadamun Prize

The Tadamun Prize has been established by the 1st President of IsDB to promote and enhance the trade among the OIC member countries.

Available liquidity on the Tadamun Prize has been deployed in commodity murabaha placements. Respective income amounting to USD 112 thousand (2023: USD 83 thousand) has been added to the Tadamun Prize.

## IDB - ISFD Scholarship Scheme

According to the BOD Resolution ISFD/BOD/58/438, dated May 2017, the Board of Directors approved a total of USD 10 million from the IsDB – Islamic Solidarity Fund for Development (ISFD) for the "IDB - ISFD Scholarship Scheme". During the year, USD 1.3 million has been transferred from ISFD to Waqf Fund.

## Others

This represents USD 269 thousand (2023: USD 269 thousand) donation received from a donor for a residential ijarah project.

The movement in restricted funds is as follows:

	Islamic Technical Financial Assistance Grant	IsDB Islamic Solidarity Tadamun Prize	IDB - ISFD Scholarship Scheme	Others	Total
<b>Balance at 1 January 2023</b> Additions Income earned during the year Disbursements	22,161 - - (1,137)	2,177 - 83 -	-	- 269 -	24,338 269 83 (1,137)
Balance at 31 December 2023 Additions Income earned during the year Disbursements	21,024 - - (1,931)	2,260 - 112 -	- 1,266 - (562)	269 - - -	23,553 1,266 112 (2,493)
Balance at 31 December 2024	19,093	2,372	704	269	22,438

## **19. POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFIT PLANS**

IsDB Group staff retirement plan comprises of defined benefit and hybrid plans within Staff Pension Plan ("SPP") and Retirees Medical Solidarity Plan ("RMSF"), and defined benefit plan within Staff Retirement Medical Plan ("SRMP") (collectively referred to as staff retirement plans ("SRPs")). Every person employed by the Bank and its affiliates under a regular appointment or a fixed-term contract commencing from 01/07/1447H (01/01/2025G), as defined in the Bank and affiliates employment policies, is eligible to participate in the SRP from the date of joining the Bank.

IsDB Group is a multi-employer plan and includes Islamic Development Bank - Ordinary Capital Resources ("IsDB-OCR"), Special Account Resources Waqf Fund ("WAQF"), International Islamic Trade Finance Corporation ("ITFC"), Islamic Corporation for Development ("ICD"), Islamic Corporation for the Insurance of Investments and Export Credit ("ICIEC") and Islamic Solidarity Fund for Development ("ISPD").

## Staff Pension Plan (SPP)

SPP is a combination of both old defined benefit plan (Pillar I) and new hybrid pension plan (Pillar II) became effective on 1st Rajab 1399H (corresponding to 27 May 1979) and 17/05/1442H (01/01/2021G) respectively. Every person employed by the Bank and its affiliates on a full-time basis except for fixed term employees, as defined in the employment policies of the Bank and its affiliates, is eligible to participate in the SPP, from the date of joining the Bank and its affiliates. Participation in the hybrid pension plan is limited to those who have less than five years of service as at 31 December 2020 on optional basis however, those who joined the Bank and its affiliates from 1 January 2021 are enrolled automatically.

In both Pillars, the employee contributes at a rate of 11.1% (2020-11.1%) of the basic annual salary while the Bank and its affiliates contribute 25.9% (2020-25.9%).

The main features of the SPP are:

- (i) Normal retirement age is the 62nd anniversary of the participant's birth.
- (ii) On retirement, the eligible retired employee is entitled to 2.5% under the old staff retirement plan or 1% under the hybrid plan in the Define Benefit ("DB") component, of the Weighted Highest Average Remuneration ("WHAR") for the old pension plan and Highest Average Remuneration ("HAR") (as defined by the pension committee) for each year of pensionable service and limited to a maximum of 30 Hijri years.
- (iii) 10% of Bank and its affiliates contribution of 25.9%, and 5% of employee's contribution of 11.1%, are used to fund the Define Contribution ("DC") component of the hybrid plan. The accumulated fund and its investment returns will be paid as retirement lump sum benefits to the participants in the hybrid plan.
- (iv) Benefits payment upon early retirement, disability benefits, termination benefits, pre-retirement death or post-retirement death benefits are also paid as determined by the pension committee.

## Staff Retirement Medical Plan (SRMP)

Effective 1<sup>st</sup> Muharram 1421H (corresponding to 6 April 2000), the Bank established the medical benefit scheme for retired employee via the BED resolution dated 18 Shawwal 1418H (corresponding to 15 February 1998). This was extended to eligible staff members of the Bank's affiliates i.e. for SPP. The Bank and its affiliates at a rate of 1% and the staff at a rate of 0.5% of the basic salaries respectively fund the SRMP. The purpose of the SRMP is to pay a monthly amount to eligible retired employee towards their medical expenses.

The entitlements payable for each retired employee under the medical plan is computed according to the following formula:

WHAR (as defined by the pension committee) X contributory period (limited to a maximum of 30 Hijri years) X 0.18%

Benefits payment upon early retirement, disability benefits, termination benefits, pre-retirement death or postretirement death benefits are also paid as determined by the pension committee.

## Retirees Medical Solidarity Plan (RMSP)

In February 2019, the BED approved, establishment of the Retirees Medical Solidarity Plan (RMSP) which would provide new medical coverage benefits for IsDB Group staff future retirees. Under the proposal, active staff members who have at least 10 years of service period before their normal retirement age as of January 1, 2019, will automatically fall under RMSP. Those staff members who do not meet the minimum service period threshold will be offered the option to join the new Fund.

Under RMSP, retirees will have their actual medical costs covered as per the minimum guaranteed benefit schedule. This mainly covers hospitalization and emergency care, repatriation and ambulance transport. Overseas specialist hospitalization and outpatient care is also covered but only in specified countries.

Members of RMSP started to receive benefits as from April 1, 2022 (the start date of the Plan).

RMSP contributions are funded on 4/4/4 % basis. Employees contribute 4% of their pensionable salaries and the employer matches it with 4%. Retirees also contribute 4% of their pension (before commutation withdrawals). Both employer and employee contributions started to accrue on January 1, 2019.

Retirees didn't contribute up until April 1, 2022, and they did not receive benefits under the SRMP up until that point.

## Administration of SRPs

The Pension Committee appointed by the President of IsDB Group, administers SPP and SRMP whereas the Executive Committee (EC) administers RMSF as separate funds on behalf of its employees. These two committees are responsible for the oversight of investment and actuarial activities of the SRPs. The SPP's assets are invested in accordance with the policies set out by the Pension Committee. The Bank and its affiliates underwrite the investment and actuarial risk of the SRPs and share the administrative expenses of SPP and SRMP.

## Risks

## Investment risk

The present value of the SRPs' liability is calculated using a discount rate determined by reference to the US AArated corporate bond markets; if the return on SRPs' asset is below this rate, it will create a plan deficit. Currently the SRPs' have a relatively balanced investment in equity securities, debt instruments and real estate. Due to the long-term nature of the SRPs' liabilities, the administrator of SRPs' consider it appropriate that a reasonable portion of the SRPs' assets should be invested in equity securities and in real estate to leverage the return generated by the fund.

#### Discount rate

A decrease in the bond return rate will increase the SRPs' liability but this will be partially offset by an increase in the return on the SRPs' debt investments.

## Longevity risk

The present value of the SRPs' liability is calculated by reference to the best estimate of the mortality of SRPs' participants both during and after their employment. An increase in the life expectancy of the SRPs' participants will increase the SRPs' liability.

## <u>Salary risk</u>

The present value of the SRPs' liability is calculated by reference to the future salaries of SRPs' participants. As such, an increase in the salary of the SRPs' participants will increase the SRPS' liability. The following table summarizes the movements on the present value of the defined benefit obligation:

	2024				2023
	SPP	RMSF	SRMP	Total	Total
Benefit obligation - opening balance	62,951	746	2,943	66,640	62,596
Current service costs	1,886	89	13	1,988	1,913
Expense on defined benefit obligation (DBO) Plan	3,061	42	142	3,245	3,117
Plan participations contributions	710	257	2	969	892
Disbursements from plan assets	(1,299)	(20)	(123)	<b>(1,442)</b>	(1,643)
Net actuarial gains	(35,828)	(476)	(1,829)	<b>(38</b> ,133 <b>)</b>	(235)
Benefit obligation closing balance	31,481	638	1,148	33,267	66,640

The movement in the plan assets are as follows:

		2024			2023
	SPP	RMSF	SRMP	Total	Total
Fair value of plan assets - opening balance	46,033	2,769	1,607	50,409	48,142
Other adjustments to the opening balance	1,239	5	9	1,253	(963)
Income on plan assets	2,253	150	74	2,477	2,399
Return on plan assets less than the discount rate	(23,643)	(113)	(872)	(24,628)	(223)
Plan participation contributions	710	257	2	969	892
Employer contribution	1,659	242	30	1,931	1,791
Disbursements from plan assets	(1,299)	(20)	(123)	(1,442)	(1,642)
Foreign exchange gain	6	-	-	6	13
Fair value of plan assets closing balance	26,958	3,290	727	30,975	50,409
Funded status - net liability recognized in the					
statement of financial position representing excess					
of benefit obligation over fair value of plan assets					
(note 17)	4,523	(2,652)	421	2,292	16,231

The above net liability includes the cumulative actuarial losses / (gains) resulting from the difference between the actual experience and the assumptions used in estimating the liability, which is recognized by the Fund in statement of changes in waqf equity immediately in the year, it arises, if material.

Based on the actuarial valuations, the pension and medical benefit expenses for the year ended 31 December 2024 are as follows:

			2024		2023
	SPP	RMSF	SRMP	Total	Total
Gross current service costs	1,886	89	13	1,988	1,913
Expense on DBO	3,061	42	142	3,245	3,117
Income on assets	(2,253)	(150)	(74)	(2,477)	(2,399)
Amount recognized in the statement of financial					
activities	2,694	(19)	81	2,756	2,631
Actuarial gain due to assumptions	(35,828)	(476)	(1,829)	(38,133)	(235)
Return on plan assets less than the discount rate	23,643	113	872	24,628	223
Other adjustments	(1,239)	(5)	(9)	(1,253)	963
Forex adjustment	-	-	-	-	(13)
Amount recognized in changes in waqf equity	(13,424)	(368)	(965)	(14,758)	938

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Principal assumptions used in the actuarial valuations dated 28 Safar 1436H (20 December 2014) and extended as at end of the years are as follows:

	2024			202	3	
	SPP	RMSF	SRMP	SPP	RMSF	SRMP
Discount rate	5.66%	5.66%	5.66%	5%	5%	5%
Rate of expected salary increase	4.5%-	4.5%-	4.5%-	4.5%-	4.5%-	4.5%-
	6.5%	6.5%	6.5%	6.5%	6.5%	6.5%

The discount rate used in determining the benefit obligations is selected by reference to the long-term rates on AA corporate bonds.

Rate of expected salaries increase for 2024 and 2023 was based on age i.e., 20 - 35 years - 6.5%, 35 - 50 years -5.0% and above 50 years - 4.5%.

The following table presents the plan assets by major category:

	2024				2023	
	SPP	RMSF	SRMP	Total	Total	
Cash and cash equivalent and commodity						
murabaha placements	10,151	3,028	690	13,869	28,329	
Wakala and installment sales investments	7,874	-		7,874	11,709	
Sukuk investments	8,447	224	35	8,706	9,466	
Land	333	-	-	333	592	
Other (net)	153	38	2	193	313	
Plan net assets	26,958	3,290	727	30,975	50,409	

## 20. ALLOWANCE FOR EXPECTED CREDIT LOSSES AND IMPAIRMENT

Allowance for expected credit losses and impairment comprised of the following:

		31-Dec-24			
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total	
Commodity murabaha placements	3	-	-	3	
Sukuk investments	2	-	-	2	
Installment sale investment	-	-	5,332	5,332	
Istisna'a investment	45	-	-	45	
Loans (Qard)	1,832	-	18,967	20,799	
	1,882	-	24,299	26,181	
Equity investments				44,113	
Investments in funds				28,766	
Investments in associates				1,035	
				100,095	
		21 Do	c 23		

		31-Dec	:-23	
	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Commodity murabaha placements	2	-	-	2
Sukuk investments	44	-	-	44
Installment sale investment	-	-	1,902	1,902
Istisna'a investment	42	-	-	42
Loans (Qard)	1,404	1,907	12,308	15,619
	1,492	1,907	14,210	17,609
Equity investments				32,835
Investments in funds				85,709
Investments in associates				1,035
				137,188

The movement in allowance for expected credit losses and impairment is as follows:

	2024	2023
Balance as at 1 January	137,188	123,106
Impairment charge for the year	14,164	20,920
Murabaha financing write off	-	(9,300)
Equity investment – transfer from STI fund	-	1,427
Investments in associate – transfer from STI fund	-	1,035
Adjustments in equity investments	2,348	-
Adjustments in investment in funds	936	-
Investment in funds write off	(54,541)	-
Balance as at 31 December	100,095	137,188

## 21. CONTRIBUTION FROM ISDB-OCR FOR TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE GRANT AND SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS

According to the Board of Governors' resolution no BG/5-443 at the forty-seventh annual meeting of the Islamic Development Bank in 2022, technical assistance grant resource allocation be 8% and not less than USD 10 million. IsDB-OCR 2023 net income amounting to USD 30.1 million was allocated to finance Technical Assistance Operations in the form of grants during 2024 (2023: USD 20 million).

According to the Board of Governors' resolution no BG/6-443 at the forty-seventh annual meeting of the Islamic Development Bank in 2022, scholarship program annual grant allocation be 3% with a ceiling of USD 8 million. IsDB-OCR 2023 net income amounting to USD 8 million was allocated to finance the Bank's PHD/Post-doctoral Research Program (known as merit scholarship program) in the form of grant during 2024 (2023: USD 8 million). Scholarship program undisbursed commitment as at 31 December 2024 is USD 39.8 million (2023: USD 38 million).

The above two grant contributions by IsDB-OCR are considered as the general resources of the Fund (or unrestricted donations by IsDB-OCR) and therefore credited to statement of financial activities when due.

## 22. TERMINATION OF ISDB SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION FUND (ISDB-STI FUND)

In prior years, IsDB-STI Fund was established, amongst others, through contributions from the Fund of USD 100 million. During 2023, the Board of Executive Directors of IsDB through Resolution No. BED/04/02/023/(349)/6 approved the termination of the IsDB Science, Technology and Innovation Fund (IsDB-STI Fund), its operations and the liquidation of its assets. As of the date of liquidation of STI, i.e., September 30, 2023, the accumulated contributions in the ISDB-STI Fund were USD 105.9 million, the details of which has been shown below:

Particulars	Gross carrying amount	Accumulated impairment	Transfer at net asset value
Cash and cash equivalents (note 5)	105,838	-	105,838
Wakala investments (note 14)	608	-	608
Equity investments (note 11)	1,427	(1,427)	-
Investments in associates (note 13)	1,035	(1,035)	-
Grant commitments (note 17)	(521)	-	(521)
Net Assets transferred	108,387	(2,462)	105,925

As of September 30, 2023, ISDB-STI Fund distributed the above net assets to the Fund which was credited to accumulated deficit since it was originally financed through the resources of the Fund.

## 23. ASSISTANCE

a) The following amounts were distributed as grants from the Fund during the years ended 31 December 2024 and 31 December 2023 as part of the activities of the Fund pursuant to its objectives:

	2024	2023
Technical assistance grants	10,231	13,076
Scholarship program	1,415	7,021
Assistance for islamic causes	922	616
Total ghallah distributions	12,568	20,713
Others	251	97
Distributions related to restricted funds (note 18)	2,493	1,137
	15,312	21,947

b) The following amounts were incurred as program expenses from the Fund during the year ended 31 December 2024 and 31 December 2023 as part of the activities of the Fund pursuant to its objectives.

	2024	2023
Operational administrative	14,542	15,006
Science, Technology and Innovation (STI) Department	-	138
The Saudi Project for Utilization of Hajj Meat – Adahi	3,188	3,396
Scholarship program	2,080	1,526
	19,810	20,066

## 24. UNDISBURSED COMMITMENTS

Undisbursed commitments at the end of the year are as follows:

	2024	2023
Scholarship program	39,800	38,000
Technical assistance grants	32,885	31,208
Restricted funds - Islamic Technical Financial Assistance Grant	10,692	8,779
Investment in funds	3,703	8,900
	87,080	86,887

## 25. NET ASSETS AND LIABILITIES IN FOREIGN CURRENCIES

The net assets and liabilities of the Fund in respective currencies (in thousands of USD equivalents) at the end of 31 December are as follows:

	2024	2023
Islamic Dinar	130,027	148,866
Euro	2,468	1,489
Saudi Riyal	6,193	6,183
Pound Sterling	(321)	(98)
Other currencies	10	38

## 26. RELATED PARTY BALANCES AND TRANSACTIONS

The Fund is managed by the IsDB and its transactions are executed by IsDB. Moreover, in the ordinary course of its activities, the Fund has certain transactions with IsDB - OCR and other affiliates.

Principal arrangements related to sukuk investments, commodity placements and their related income are between IsDB and counter parties. The bank accounts and investments of the Fund are held in the name of IsDB, for the beneficial interest of the Fund.

Due from related parties:

	2024	2023
IsDB – OCR	-	3,983
The Islamic Corporation for Development of Private Sector	405	349
IsDB - Medical Fund	14	-
IsDB – Islamic Solidarity Fund for Development	1	-
	420	4,332

Due to related parties:

	2024	2023
The Saudi Project for Utilization of Hajj Meat – Adahi	160	262
IsDB – OCR	380	-
IsDB – Islamic Solidarity Fund for Development	-	2,687
IsDB – Awqaf Properties Investment Fund	753	-
Mobile Clinic Fund	-	160
IsDB – Pension Fund	45	100
Others	-	6
	1,338	3,215

## 27. SHARI'AH BOARD

The Fund's activities are subject to the supervision of the IsDB Group Shari'ah Board consisting of members appointed by the Chairman of the IsDB Group in consultation with the Board of Executive Directors of the IsDB. The Group Shari'ah Board was established pursuant to a Resolution of the Board of Executive Directors of IsDB. The members of the Board are appointed for 3 years and may be reappointed.

The Board has the following functions:

- to consider all transactions and products introduced by the Bank, its affiliates and trust funds for use for the first time and rule on its conformity with the Rules and Principles of the Islamic Shari'ah, and to lay down the basic principles for the drafting of related contracts and other documents;
- to give its opinion on the Shari'ah alternatives to conventional products which the Bank, its affiliates and trust funds intends to use, and to lay down the basic principles for the drafting of related contracts and other documents, and to contribute to its development with a view to enhancing the Bank, its affiliates and trust funds experience in this regard;
- to respond to the questions, enquiries and explications referred to it by the Board of Executive Directors or the management of the Bank, its affiliates and trust funds;
- to contribute to the Bank, its affiliates and trust funds programme for enhancing the awareness of its staff members of Islamic banking and to deepen their understanding of the fundamentals, principles, rules and values relative to Islamic financial transactions; and
- to submit to the Board of Executive Directors/Trustees of the Bank, its affiliates and trust funds a comprehensive report showing the measure of the Bank, its affiliates and trust funds commitment to Rules and Principles of Islamic Shari'ah in the light of the opinions and directions given and the transactions reviewed.

## 28. ASSETS AND LIABILITIES ACCORDING TO THEIR RESPECTIVE MATURITY PERIODS

				Greater		
	Less than 3	3 to 12	1 to 5	than	No stated	
31 December 2024	months	months	years	5 years	maturity	Total
Assets						
Treasury assets						
Cash and cash equivalents	15,020	-	-	-	-	15,020
Commodity murabaha placements	64,494	136,658	-	-	-	201,152
Wakala placements	-	28,414	-	-	-	28,414
Sukuk investments	-	32,119	51,436	42,025	-	125,580
Investment assets						
Istisna'a investment	-	-	-	-	5,231	5,231
Equity investments	-	-	-	-	27,612	27,612
Investments in funds	-	-	-	-	36,482	36,482
Investments in associates	-	-	-	-	201,452	201,452
Wakala investments	-	-	-	-	235,125	235,125
Loans (Qard)	5,634	12,743	42,795	51,277	_	112,449
Other assets	423	4,048		-	-	4,471
Fixed assets	-	-	-	-	18,434	18,434
Total assets	85,571	213,982	94,231	93,302	524,336	1,011,422
Liabilities						
Accruals and other liabilities	2,138	4,753	-	-	-	6,891
Restricted funds	-	-	-	-	22,438	22,438
Total liabilities	2,138	4,753	-	-	22,438	29,329

				Greater		
31 December 2023	Less than 3 months	3 to 12	1 to 5	than 5 vo are	No stated	Total
	months	months	years	5 years	maturity	Total
Assets						
Treasury assets						
Cash and cash equivalents	93,600	-	-	-	-	93,600
Commodity murabaha placements	77,936	91,188	-	-	-	169,124
Sukuk investments	-	27,495	32,096	-	-	59,591
Investment assets						
Installment sale investment	-	-	-	3,430	-	3,430
Istisna'a investment	-	-	-	-	4,930	4,930
Equity investments	-	-	-	-	9,365	9,365
Investments in funds	-	-	-	-	50,476	50,476
Investments in associates	-	-	-	-	189,631	189,631
Wakala investments	-	-	-	-	207,518	207,518
Loans (Qard)	6,019	12,189	47,206	70,677	-	136,091
Other assets	259	5,613	-	3,264	-	9,136
Fixed assets		-	-	-	19,767	19,767
Total assets	177,814	136,485	79,302	77,371	481,687	952,659
Liabilities						
Accruals and other liabilities	3,425	21,748	-	-	-	25,173
Restricted funds		-	-	-	23,553	23,553
Total liabilities	3,425	21,748	-	-	23,553	48,726

## 29. CONCENTRATION OF ASSETS

#### Economic sectors:

All operations of the Fund are receivable in respect of social sector financing. All investments are invested in accordance with criteria set out by management to ensure that the investee institutions have a credit rating acceptable to the management of the Fund or are in accordance with furthering the aims and objectives of the Fund. The geographical locations of assets of the Fund are as follows:

	IsDB's M	lember countrie	S	Non-member	
	Asia	Africa	Europe	countries	Total
31 December 2024	795,844	140,788	-	74,790	1,011,422
31 December 2023	728,641	155,449	1,110	67,459	952,659

The geographical locations of assets for 2024 and 2023 reflect the countries in which the beneficiaries of the assets are located.

## **30. RISK MANAGEMENT**

The Fund is monitored by the IsDB's Risk Management Department ("RMD"). The Bank has a Risk Management Department ("RMD") that is independent from all business departments as well as other entities and funds of the Bank. The RMD is responsible for dealing with all risk policies, guidelines and procedures with a view to achieving sound, safe and sustainable low risk profile through the identification, measurement and monitoring of all types of risks inherent in its activities. The Bank has also established a Risk Management Committee which is responsible for reviewing the risk management policies, procedures, guidelines and defining the Bank, its affiliates and its funds risk management framework and appetite, with a view to ensuring that there are appropriate controls on all major risks resulting from the Bank, its affiliates and its funds financial transactions.

## a) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that one party to a financial instrument will fail to discharge an obligation and cause the other party to incur a financial loss. The Fund's credit risk arises mainly from its operating assets and treasury investments.

For all classes of financial assets held by the Fund, the maximum credit risk exposure to the Fund is their carrying value as disclosed in the statement of financial position. The assets which subject the Fund to credit risk, principally consist of commodity placements, sukuk investments, loan and investment in Istisna'a investment.

The Fund's liquid fund investments portfolio is managed by the Bank's Treasury Department and comprise deals with reputable banks. Liquid fund investment in commodity placements, sukuk whose ratings are acceptable to the Bank per its policies. The Fund's loan and investments in Istisna'a investment are covered, in most cases, by sovereign guarantees from Member Countries, or commercial bank guarantees from banks acceptable to the Bank per its policies. The Bank, its affiliates and its funds benefit from preferred creditor status on sovereign financing, which gives it priority over other creditors in the event of default thus constituting a strong protection against credit losses. Historically, the Fund has had a very low level of overdue balances. The management is of the opinion that, with the exception of what has already been provided for; additional significant credit loss is unlikely to occur.

Credit risk includes potential losses arising from a counterparty's (i.e., countries, banks / financial institutions, corporate, etc.) inability or unwillingness to service its obligation to the Fund. In this respect, the Fund has developed and put in place comprehensive credit policies and guidelines as a part of overall credit risk management framework to provide clear guidance on various types of financing.

These policies are clearly communicated within the Fund with a view to maintain the overall credit risk appetite and profile within the parameters set by the management of the Fund. The credit policy formulation, credit limit setting, monitoring of credit exceptions / exposures and review / monitoring functions are performed independently by the RMD, which endeavors to ensure that business lines comply with risk parameters and prudential limits established by the BED and Management of the Bank and the Fund.

An important tool of credit risk management is the established exposure limits for single beneficiary or an obligor and group of connected obligors. In this respect, the Fund has a well-developed limit structure, which is based on the credit strength of the beneficiary, the obligor.

Moreover, credit commercial limits in member countries regarding financing operations as well as placement of liquid funds are also in place.

The assessment of any exposure is based on the use of comprehensive internal rating systems for various potential counterparties eligible to enter into business relationship with the Fund. While extending financing to its member countries, the Fund safeguards its interests by obtaining relevant guarantees for its financing operations and has to ensure that concerned beneficiaries as well as guarantors are able to meet their obligations. In addition to the above risk mitigation tools, the Fund has in place comprehensive counterparty assessment criteria and detailed structured exposure limits in line with the best banking practices.

## Expected Credit Risk for financial assets measured at amortized cost

The Fund applies a three-stage approach to measuring expected credit losses (ECLs) for financial assets measured at amortized cost.

## Determining the stage for expected credit losses

The Fund's staging model relies on a relative assessment of credit risk, because it reflects the significance increase in credit risk (SICR) since initial recognition of an asset. The staging assessment is made at the contract level rather than counterparty level for non-sovereign, since the quantum of change in credit risk may be different for different contracts belonging to the same obligor. Also, different contracts of the same counterparty may have different credit risk at initial recognition. For sovereign the staging assessment is made at the country level.

Stage 1 includes financial instruments that have not had a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition or that have low credit risk at the reporting date. The Fund considers a financial asset to have low credit risk when it has an internal or external credit rating of 'investment grade' as per globally understood definition and has not suffered a significant downgrade.

Stage 2 includes financial assets that experience a SICR. When determining whether the risk of default has increased significantly since initial recognition, the Fund considers both quantitative and qualitative information and analysis based on the Fund's historical experience and expert credit risk assessment, including forward looking information that is available without undue cost or effort. Irrespective of the outcome of the above assessment, the Fund presumes that the credit risk on its sovereign and non-sovereign exposures has increased significantly since initial recognition when contractual payments are more than 90 days past due for sovereign financings and more than 30 days past due for non-sovereign financings on a material repayment amount. When a stage 2 instrument shows a significant enhancement in credit quality at the assessment date, it can move back to stage 1.

Where there is objective evidence that an identified financial asset is impaired, specific allowance for expected credit losses are recognized in the statement of financial activities, and under FAS 30, the asset is classified in Stage 3. The Fund presumes that assets are credit-impaired when contractual payments are more than 180 days past due for sovereign financings and more than 90 days past due for non-sovereign financings on a material repayment amount. Besides, the Fund may consider an asset as impaired if the Fund assesses that the obligor is unlikely to pay its credit obligations in full, without recourse by the Fund to actions such as realizing security.

A financial asset is no longer considered impaired when all past due amounts have been recovered, and it is determined that the outstanding amounts with future expected income are fully collectable in accordance with the original contractual terms or revised terms of the financial instrument with all criteria for the impaired classification having been remedied. The financial asset will be transferred back to stage 2 after a cure period of 6 months.

The Fund regularly monitors the effectiveness of the criteria used to identify whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk and revises them as appropriate to ensure that the criteria are capable of identifying significant increase in credit risk before the amount becomes past due.

## Measurement of Expected Credit Losses (ECLs)

ECL represents the average credit losses weighted by the probabilities of default (PD), whereby credit losses are defined as the present value of all cash shortfalls. The ECL is calculated for stage 1, stage 2 and stage 3 instruments by multiplying three main components, being the probability of default (PD), loss given default (LGD) and the exposure at default (EAD) and discounting the resulting provision using the instrument's effective profit rate (EPR).

These ECL parameters are generally derived from internally developed models and other historical data. They are adjusted to reflect forward-looking information as described below.

PD represents the likelihood of a counterpart defaulting on its financial obligation over different time horizon (e.g., 1 year or lifetime). The estimates the PDs using internal rating tools tailored to the various categories of counterparties and exposures. These internal rating models are based on internally and externally compiled data comprising both quantitative and qualitative factors. They produce a relative credit risk grading, which is in turn are associated with a likelihood of default (PD) over a one-year horizon, that is calibrated to reflect the Fund's long run average default rate estimates (through-the-cycle (TTC) PD). The Fund uses a specific model based on country and industry parametrization to convert its TTC PDs into point-in time (PIT) PDs and derives a PIT PD term structure.

LGD is the magnitude of the potential loss in the event of a default. This is generally estimated as value lost plus costs net of recovery (if any) as percentage of outstanding amount. The Fund uses internal LGD estimation models that consider the structure, collateral, and seniority of the claim and the counterparty rating and jurisdiction. LGD estimates are calibrated to reflect the recovery experience of the Fund as well as the Multilateral Development Banks' consortium data.

EAD represents the expected exposure in the event of a default. The Fund derives the EAD from the current exposure to the counterparty and potential changes to the current amount allowed under the contract including amortization. The EAD of a financial instrument is its gross carrying amount. For contract under disbursement, the EAD includes the amount drawn, as well as potential future amounts that may be drawn under the contract.

FAS 30 requires ECLs to be forward-looking. The Fund uses a statistical model that links its counterparties' future performance to the current and future state of the macroeconomic environment. The model links macroeconomic scenarios to counterparty's default risk. Macroeconomic factors taken into consideration include, but are not limited to, gross domestic product, equity market prices, unemployment rates, and commodity prices and these require an evaluation of both the current and forecast direction of the macro-economic cycle. The Fund estimates its ECLs by calculating the weighted average ECL of its exposures across three (3) set of forward-looking macroeconomic scenarios.

## Exposure Amounts and ECL coverage

The Fund recognizes 12-month ECL for stage 1 instruments and lifetime ECL for stage 2 instruments. For stage 3 instruments, the Fund calculates the ECL as the product of LGD and EAD of each instrument.

Tables below present the breakdown of gross exposure amount (project and treasury assets and other investments debt-type that are subject to credit risk), allowance for expected credit losses, and the coverage ratio by exposure type for financial instruments measured at amortized cost as at 31 December 2024.

21 December 0004	Gr	Gross Exposure Amount Allowance for ECL						
31 December 2024 -	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Sovereign	160,855	-	41,325	202,180	1,758	-	15,641	17,399
Non-Sovereign	302,645	-	9,199	311,844	124	-	8,658	8,782
Total 31 December 2024	463,500	-	50,524	514,024	1,882	-	24,299	26,181

31 December 2023 -	Gi	ross Exposu	re Amount		Allowance for ECL			
ST December 2023	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total
Sovereign	123,849	39,007	31,517	194,373	1,448	1,907	8,098	11,453
Non-Sovereign	274,829	-	19,149	293,978	44	-	6,112	6,156
Total 31 December 2023	398,678	39,007	50,666	488,351	1,492	1,907	14,210	17,609

21 De e amh ar 2024	Coverage Ratio (Allowance for ECL / Exposure Amount)						
31 December 2024 —	Stage 1 Stage 2		Stage 3	Total			
Sovereign	1.09%	-	37.85%	8.61%			
Non-Sovereign	0.04%	-	<b>94</b> .12%	2.82%			
Total 31 December 2024	0.41%	-	48.09%	5.09%			
21 December 2002	Coverage Rat	io (Allowance for ECL ,	/ Exposure Amount)				
31 December 2023 —	Stage 1	Stage 2	Stage 3	Total			
Sovereign	1.17%	4.89%	25.69%	5.89%			
Non-Sovereign	0.02%	-	31.92%	2.09%			
Total 31 December 2023	0.37%	4.89%	28.05%	3.61%			

## b) Country risk

Country risk refers to the risks associated with the economic, social and political environments of the beneficiary's home country. Guidelines are in place for assessing and monitoring country risk profiles and exposure to safeguard the Fund, as well as the other entities of the Bank, against undue risk. The country risk profiles and exposure limits are periodically reviewed taking into consideration the macro-economic, financial and other developments in the member countries, as well as the status of their business relationship with IDB and its managed funds, perception of the rating agencies and institutions of repute, risk perception of market participants and experience of other multilateral development banks (MDB's). Countries are classified under 7 risk categories; i.e., "A" to "G", whereby "A" represents the highest creditworthy category (lowest risk) and "G" represents the lowest creditworthy category (highest risk).

## c) Market risk

The Fund is exposed to following market risks:

## <u>Currency risk</u>

Currency risk arises from the possibility that changes in foreign exchange rates will affect the value of the financial assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies, in case the Fund does not hedge its currency exposure by means of hedging instruments. Exposure to exchange risk is limited. Most of the Fund's operations are affected in USD. The Fund does not trade in currencies. Therefore, it is not exposed to currency trading risk. The investment portfolio is held primarily in USD and EUR. The Fund has a conservative policy whereby the currency composition of the portfolio is monitored and adjusted regularly.

## <u>Mark-up risk</u>

Mark-up risk arises from the possibility that changes in Mark-up risk will affect the value of the financial instruments. The Fund is exposed to Mark-up risk on its investments in cash and cash equivalents, commodity murabaha placements, wakala placements and sukuk investments. In respect of the financial assets, the Fund invests in fixed income instruments to ensure that the effect of exposure on financial assets is minimized.

## d) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Fund will be unable to meet its net cash requirements. To guard against this risk, the Fund adopts a conservative approach by maintaining high liquidity levels invested in cash and cash equivalents with short-term maturity of three to twelve months.

## e) Operational risk

The fund defines operational risk as the risk of loss resulting from inadequate or failed processes, people and systems or from external events. This also includes possible losses resulting from Sharia non-compliance risks, failure in fiduciary responsibilities and legal risk.

Operational risk management forms part of the day-to-day responsibilities of management at all levels. The Fund manages operational risk based on a consistent framework that enables the fund to determine its operational risk profile and systematically identify and assess risks and controls to define risk mitigating measures and priorities.

## Shari'ah non-compliance risk (SNCR)

The Fund attaches value in safeguarding its operations from Shari'ah non-compliance risk (SNCR) as part of its operational risk management. Shari'ah compliance forms an integral part of the Fund's purpose of establishment. Consequently, the Fund effectively manages SNCRs through leveraging on the IsDB Group wide robust framework of procedures and policies. The business or risk-taking unit, as the 1st line of defence, embeds a culture of Shari'ah compliance function of IsDB Group serves as the 2nd line of defence to strategically manage and monitor SNCRs pre-execution of transactions/operations. The IsDB Group Internal Shari'ah Audit function provides independent reasonable assurance as the 3rd line of defence post-execution of transactions/operations adopting a risk-based internal Shari'ah audit methodology.

## f) Fair values of financial assets and liabilities

The table below analyses financial instruments carried at fair value, by valuation method. The different levels have been defined as follows:

- Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1);
- Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (that is, as prices) or indirectly (that is, derived from prices) (Level 2);
- Inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (that is, unobservable inputs) (Level 3).

The following table presents the Fund's assets and liabilities that are measured at fair value at 31 December 2024 and 2023.

31 December 2024	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Investments carried at fair value through statement of changes in waqf equity:				
- Equity investments (note 11)	19,145	-	8,467	27,612
- Investments in funds (note 12)	7,179	-	29,303	36,482
	26,324	-	37,770	64,094
31 December 2023	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Investments carried at fair value through statement of changes in waqf equity:				
- Equity investments (note 11)	-	-	9,365	9,365
- Investments in funds (note 12)	7,535	-	42,941	50,476
	7,535	-	52,306	59,841

There were no transfers between levels during the years ended 31 December 2024 and 31 December 2023.

## **31. SEGMENT INFORMATION**

Management has determined the chief operating decision maker to be the Board of Trustees who is responsible for overall decisions about resource allocation to development initiatives within its member countries. In order to ensure sufficient resources to enable it to meet its developmental objectives, the Bank on behalf of the Fund actively engages in treasury and liquidity management. Development initiatives are undertaken through a number of Islamic finance products as disclosed on the face of the Statement of Financial Position which are financed through the Fund's capital. Management has not identified separate operating segments within the definition of FAS 22 "Segment Reporting" since the Board of Trustees monitors the performance and financial position of the Fund as a whole, without distinguishing between the developmental activities and the ancillary supporting liquidity management activities or geographical distribution of its development programs. Further, the internal reports furnished to the Board of Trustees do not present discrete financial information with respect to the Fund's performance to the extent envisaged in FAS 22.

## 32. WAQF EQUITY SUSTANABILITY

The Waqf Fund corpus is set up to serve as a sustainable equity base, ensuring the achievement of its stated objectives and long-term sustainability. However, historical financial challenges, including instances where income from the Fund's assets didn't cover the Ghallah distributions and expenses, which have resulted in the accumulation of deficits. To address this, the Bank developed a comprehensive turnaround strategy in 2019 which is under execution.

Following this effort, significant measures and reforms have been implemented by the Bank to close the deficit and ensure its sustainability.

#### Key Measures and Actions Taken

## 1. Governance Enhancements

## Enhanced Governance structure:

- The establishment of an Executive Management Committee and Board of Trustees to oversee and govern the Fund's activities, ensuring strategic alignment and robust accountability.
- The Special and Trust Fund Department, through the Waqf Fund Section, plays a pivotal fiduciary role, acting as the secretariat for the Waqf Fund Executive Management Committee (WFEMC) ensuring the effective implementation of the turnaround strategy. By actively collaborating with all stakeholders, it drives efforts to address the Fund's deficit while maintaining accountability and alignment with strategic objectives.

## 2. Strategic Financial Measures

## Investment Policy Revision and Strategic Asset Allocation (SAA):

- The revised Waqf Fund Investment Policy, including the new Strategic Asset Allocation, was developed.
- The Board of Trustees, in its first meeting held on 30 September 2024, approved the new investment policy and the mandate for Outsourced Chief Investment Officer (OCIO). An additional USD 200 million will be deployed within one year.

## 3. Policy Adjustments

## Spending Minimization:

• The Bank has adopted a minimum spending approach in line with the revised Waqf Fund Spending Policy. This ensures income generated from investments is conserved for reinvestment and deficit reduction. The Fund's reasonable spending policy has also contributed to curtailing the deficit. These concerted efforts have enabled the Fund to reduce its net asset gap by approximately 28% over the past three years, showcasing a sustainable and positive trajectory for the Fund's financial health.

## Outlook and Expected Outcomes

The measures undertaken are expected to yield the following outcomes:

- Deficit Reduction: A phased reduction of the accumulated deficits through optimized returns and controlled spending. The Fund has reduced its net asset gap by approximately 28% over the past three years,
- Portfolio Optimization: Transitioning to a robust investment portfolio aligned with strategic objectives.
- Sustainability of the Waqf Corpus: Reinstating the Fund's Waqf corpus to its intended sustainable equity levels, securing its financial health and long-term viability.

## 33. AUTHORIZATION FOR ISSUE

The financial statements were authorized for issue in accordance with the resolution of the Board of Executive Directors dated March 16, 2025 (corresponding to 16 Ramadan, 1446H).

## STATEMENT OF SERVICE PERFORMANCE

The purpose of the statement of service performance is mainly to provide non-financial information to better understand the operational performance of the Waqf Fund in correlation to its financial activities and state of affairs. Quantitative performance measures using performance ratio such as Governance & management expenses/total Ghallah and Distribution & net program expenses/total Ghallah.

## The Islamic Development Bank Institute (IsDBI)

The Islamic Development Bank Institute (IsDBI) serves as the intellectual powerhouse of the IsDB Group. Rooted in Islamic economics and finance principles, the Institute spearheads the development of cutting-edge, knowledgedriven solutions to foster sustainable economic growth within IsDB Member Countries and Muslim communities globally. By conducting groundbreaking research, providing advanced training programs, and facilitating knowledge sharing, IsDBI empowers nations to achieve their development goals. The Institute plays a pivotal role in cultivating robust Islamic finance ecosystems, promoting financial inclusion, and driving economic progress.

## Key Areas of Impact:

• **Pioneering Islamic Finance:** IsDBI champions the development and implementation of innovative Islamic financial solutions, including Fintech applications, to address contemporary economic challenges.

• **Capacity Building:** Through specialized training programs and knowledge initiatives, the Institute equips individuals and institutions with the expertise needed to navigate the complexities of Islamic finance and economics.

• **Ecosystem Development:** IsDBI actively collaborates with stakeholders to establish thriving Islamic finance ecosystems, facilitating growth and investment in Member Countries.

• **Knowledge Leadership:** The IsDBI generates and disseminates impactful research and publications, shaping the discourse on Islamic economics and development.

• **Strategic Support:** IsDBI offers expert advisory services, grants, and consultancy to member countries and institutions seeking to integrate Islamic finance principles into their economic frameworks.

## A Legacy of Innovation:

Originally founded in 1981 as the Islamic Research and Training Institute (IRTI), the Institute was strategically rebranded as IsDBI in 2021. This evolution reflects the IsDB Group's commitment to remaining at the forefront of knowledge creation and its dedication to delivering impactful solutions for sustainable development. This revised version aims to be more concise and impactful, highlighting the key roles and achievements of IsDBI. It also incorporates stronger language to emphasize the Institute's leadership and influence in the field of Islamic economics and finance.

## **Capacity Building**

The IsDBI has amplified its commitment to cultivating future knowledge leaders across its member countries through the strategic expansion of its capacity-building programs. This is exemplified by:

• **Expanding Digital Reach:** Recognizing the global demand for accessible learning, the Institute re-launched its highly successful Islamic Banking and Finance eLearning programs on the edX platform. This initiative has attracted an impressive 65,000 participants from 151 countries since its inception, demonstrating the Institute's global impact in disseminating specialized knowledge.

• **Technological Enhancement:** To optimize the learning experience, the Institute has made significant investments in cutting-edge e-learning technologies. This ensures that all beneficiaries and partners have access to secure, collaborative, flexible, and user-friendly learning solutions.

• **Direct Impact:** Underscoring its dedication to knowledge sharing, the Institute's professional staff have selflessly delivered capacity-building activities, both virtually and in-person, to over 25,000 participants from 64 countries. This remarkable achievement, conducted without external financial sponsorship, highlights the Institute's profound commitment to human capital development.

These strategic initiatives collectively position the Institute as a leading force in fostering knowledge leadership and driving sustainable development across its member countries.

#### Islamic Finance Sector Transformation:

Driving the evolution of the Islamic Financial Services Industry (IFSI), this program empowers transformative change through impactful grant projects. In 2023, the program strategically deployed resources across key IFSI sectors, including Islamic banking, capital markets, Takaful, and Islamic social finance. This resulted in 24 newly approved technical assistance projects in diverse markets such as Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Kazakhstan, Morocco, Pakistan, Mauritania, Uganda, and Nigeria, along with collaborations with leading international organizations. Furthermore, the program successfully delivered on 10 previously initiated projects, generating tangible results for the IFSI ecosystem.

#### Islamic Finance Strategic Mapping Framework (IF-MAP):

The Islamic Finance Strategic Mapping Framework (IF-MAP) is a comprehensive tool designed to assess the overall health and potential of a country's Islamic finance industry. It provides a detailed analysis of various aspects, including legal and regulatory frameworks, financial inclusion initiatives, and the integration of Islamic finance with national development goals. By identifying strengths and weaknesses, IF-MAP helps countries like Kazakhstan develop strategies to promote growth and diversification within their Islamic finance sectors. The IF-MAP's developmental approach aligns with the Islamic Development Bank Group's commitment to supporting member countries in achieving their economic objectives. Kazakhstan's 2024 report showcases the country's progress in integrating Islamic finance into its broader economic diversification strategy, aiming to reduce reliance on its oil and gas sector. The upcoming implementation of IF-MAP in Pakistan in 2025 demonstrates the tool's value in guiding countries towards establishing robust and impactful Islamic finance ecosystems.

#### Islamic Finance Grant Program

**Developing Islamic Finance Ecosystems:** The Islamic Development Bank Institute (IsDBI) plays a crucial role in fostering the growth of Islamic finance globally. Through its grant program, IsDBI provides vital financial support to a wide range of stakeholders, including central banks, regulatory bodies, financial institutions, and standard-setting organizations. These grants aim to create a conducive environment for Islamic finance to flourish by developing robust legal and regulatory frameworks, building institutional capacity, and promoting knowledge transfer. This strategic approach empowers countries to embrace Islamic finance principles and practices, ultimately contributing to the industry's expansion and impact. In 2024 alone, IsDBI approved 24 projects, demonstrating its commitment to advancing the Islamic finance ecosystem. The successful completion of 10 projects highlights the tangible outcomes achieved through these grants. By facilitating the establishment and enhancement of Islamic finance within both member and non-member countries. This, in turn, promotes financial inclusion, sustainable economic development, and the realization of the industry's full potential worldwide.

Islamic Finance Capacity Building and Awareness Creation Initiatives: Promoting the acceptance of Islamic finance is a fundamental challenge that the industry is addressing through awareness creation programs. These initiatives, including seminars, conferences, and training, highlight the key features and potential benefits of Islamic finance. The Islamic Finance Grant Program, through IsDBI, further supports this objective by providing number of jurisdictions requesting grants for Islamic finance regulations. In 2024, IsDBI continued its support by providing small-scale capacity building grants to key organizations like AAOIFI, CIBAFI, and the Eurasian Development Bank, further solidifying the growth and acceptance of Islamic finance.

#### **Flagship Projects**

Awqaf Free Zones: This groundbreaking initiative reimagines sustainable development by integrating the timehonored Islamic tradition of Awqaf with the dynamic benefits of Free Zones. This fusion, powered by cutting-edge technology, will unlock new avenues for resource mobilization, bolstering food and energy security. With the contract finalized and the consultant onboard, the project is officially underway.

**OIC Smart Countertrade System:** The IsDBI is leading a project with the goal of making trade between OIC member states much easier. They plan to do this by creating a digital system that allows countries to trade without needing to exchange currencies. This new system is expected to simplify international trade. Although a consultant has been chosen for the project, the contract is still awaiting final legal approval from the IsDB.

**Digital Postal Islamic Financial Services Project:** A new project is using post offices to bring Islamic financial services to people in remote and underserved areas. This innovative approach combines modern technology with traditional Islamic finance principles, making it easier for people to access these services. The IsDBI and a consultant have partnered on this initiative, and with the project's strong start, it has the potential to significantly improve access to Islamic finance.

**Smart Stabilization System:** A groundbreaking fintech innovation, poised to revolutionize asset market stabilization, is on the cusp of patent approval. This cutting-edge technology employs advanced algorithms to predict and address supply and demand fluctuations, offering a unique approach to price equilibrium that eliminates the reliance on conventional capital reserves. The World Intellectual Property Organization has acknowledged the patentability of this invention, developed collaboratively with SettleMint, a leading blockchain technology provider. The solution culminated in Q4 2024, with the IsDBI and project consultants endorsing its Business Requirements Document, paving the way for finalization.

**Islamic Finance Artificial Intelligence Assistant (IFAA):** During the fourth quarter of 2024, the IsDBI explored various applications of Artificial Intelligence (AI) to enhance Islamic Finance solutions. They focused on three key areas:

- Leveraging AI to access and analyze their knowledge repository: This involves using AI to efficiently search and extract insights from past consultant reports, including strategic and legal frameworks.
- Developing an AI-powered tool to understand member countries' development challenges: This tool would enable the IsDBI to quickly identify and analyze the specific needs of each member country.
- Improving the "Back to Office Report" platform with AI: This aims to enhance user experience and integrate the platform with other relevant applications.

These potential use-cases were then formalized into detailed business requirements. An AI consultant, engaged by the IsDBI, subsequently proposed a solution based on these requirements. The project contract has been finalized and the consultant has started to work.

## Islamic Finance Architecture Development

The burgeoning Islamic finance industry has underscored the critical need for standardization and harmonization across diverse countries and jurisdictions. The IsDB has played a pivotal role in addressing this challenge by establishing Islamic Infrastructure Institutions (IIIs). These institutions, actively supported by the IsDB through membership, grants, and representation on governing bodies and technical committees, provide a framework for the development and implementation of consistent standards and practices within Islamic finance. This fosters growth, stability, and cross-border compatibility within the industry.

#### **Strengthening Strategic Partnerships**

The IsDB /IsDBI collaborate with various stakeholders and partners, including the World Bank, IMF, UNDP, OPHI, and OECD, to jointly promote and develop the Islamic finance industry. These partnerships take the form of case-bycase project collaborations or long-term agreements through Memorandum of Understanding (MoUs) and Letters of Understanding (LoUs), outlining joint projects with defined scopes and implementation frameworks.

## Publishing in Islamic Economics and Finance

In 2024, IsDBI published 10 books and reports covering a diverse range of topics in Islamic economics and finance. IsDBI also concluded a 4-year strategic partnership agreement with DinarStandard as a "Thought Leadership Partner" for the State of the Global Islamic Economy and Global Islamic Fintech Reports. Similarly, IsDBI has embarked on a series of "Development Traps" reports, with the first report in the series expected in Q1 2025. Furthermore, IsDBI, jointly with International Center for Education in Islamic Finance University (INCEIF) Malaysia, launched the "International Journal of Islamic Finance and Sustainable Development" (IJIFSD), which replaces the IsDBI's "Islamic Economic Studies Journal" and "ISRA International Journal of Islamic Finance" (IJIF). Leveraging technology advancements, IsDBI continued to enhance its ebook reader application, including developing a cloud version that allows users to read e-books on wide screens (https://read.isdbinstitute.org/). The total number of ebook downloads in 2024 reached 1,688.

## IsDB Prize for Impactful Achievement in Islamic Economics

The IsDB Prize for Impactful Achievement in Islamic Economics is a prestigious international award established in 1988 to acknowledge and promote exceptional contributions in Islamic economics, banking, and finance. This esteemed prize has been awarded to 46 distinguished individuals and institutions over the years, recognizing their pioneering work in advancing the field. The IsDB Prize aims to encourage further research and innovation in Islamic economics, fostering its development and application globally.

In 2024, the prize was awarded to Professor Mehmet Asutay, a renowned scholar of Middle Eastern and Islamic Political Economy & Finance at Durham University. Professor Asutay's groundbreaking work on Islamic moral economy and his efforts to align Islamic finance with sustainable development and human welfare earned him this recognition. He received the award, which includes a USD 50,000 prize and a certificate, at a ceremony held in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia on April 28, 2024. Professor Asutay's contributions have significantly influenced the understanding and practice of Islamic economics, inspiring further exploration of its potential to address contemporary challenges.

## Partnerships for Delivery

The Institute leverages partnerships as a strategic tool to enhance efficient delivery and amplify impact. In 2024, collaborations with key stakeholders like the Oxford Poverty and Human Development Initiative (OPHI), Eurasian Development Bank Kazakhstan, Capital Markets Authority Kuwait, Islamic Business and Finance Uzbekistan (IsBF), and Economic Scientific Research Institute (The ESRI) Azerbaijan, focused on advancing data and statistics, Islamic finance research, and capacity building. These partnerships yielded improvements in evidence-based research, statistical frameworks, skills development in Islamic finance, and joint knowledge events.

## Enhancing Institutional Effectiveness

In 2024, the Institute undertook several initiatives to bolster governance and operational effectiveness. These included enhancing project durations, success ratios, and completions, embedding quality metrics for project management into Staff KPIs, and developing a living Grant Projects Operation Manual (GPOM) incorporating updated checklists for effective project management. Additionally, a term of reference for the peer review Technical Committee was established to ensure rigorous evaluation of project deliverables and completions.

## Cooperation and Capacity Development Department SPECIAL ASSISTANCE DIVISION

#### Scholarship and Communities Outreach Program

## Communities Outreach Program

#### I. Brief introduction

Since its establishment in 1981, the Communities Outreach Program has been at the forefront of supporting the socio-economic development of Muslim communities in non-member countries. With a steadfast commitment to making a positive impact on their livelihoods, the program has become a catalyst for change, empowering communities and fostering sustainable development. Through a diverse portfolio of projects, the program addresses a wide range of needs, working towards a more inclusive and prosperous future so that the Muslim communities can be productive citizens in their respective countries.

#### II. Program Overview

Since its inception in 1981, the Communities Outreach Program has approved 1,877 projects totaling USD 910.27 million, with 1,104 being developmental projects and 773 being relief projects. These Operations were delivered to 84 countries in 8 geographical sub-regions of non-member countries. This demonstrates the program's commitment to addressing both immediate needs and long-term development goals to contribute to the development of Muslim communities in non-member countries.

## III. Projects in 2024

## A. Technical assistance projects

In 2024, the Communities Outreach Program continued its efforts by receiving the approval of seven development projects with a total amount of USD 1.77 million financed from IsDB - OCR. These projects are aimed at supporting the development of Muslim communities and include initiatives such as expanding educational and health institutions, enhancing vocational training centers, and supporting capacity development. The projects approved in 2024 are as follows:

1. Expansion of the Yetim Children Care Center, Ethiopia, with a grant allocation amounting to USD 260,000 (ETH1007).

2. Expansion of Tarbia Watan Primary School in Melayu Bangkok village, Yala Province, Thailand, with a grant allocation amounting to USD 260,000 (THA1006).

3. Promoting Educational Quality Through the Provision of Clean and Renewable Energy at Pan Asia International School, Bangkok, Thailand, with a grant allocation amounting to USD 260,000 (THA1007).

4. Provision of Upgraded Science Labs for Brighter Horizons Academy, USA, with a grant allocation amounting to USD 252,520 (USA1026).

5. Supporting University Education to Foster Inclusive Social Development at Stellenbosch University, Stellenbosch, Western Cape, South Africa, with a grant allocation amounting to USD 215,000 (ZAF1011).

6. Enhancing Youth Opportunities Through the Baraka Vocational Training Center in Adama City, Oromia Region, Ethiopia, with a grant allocation amounting to USD 260,000 (ETH1008).

7. Strengthening the Health System to Provide Integrated Mental Health Services for Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs)/Refugees in Kenya, with a grant allocation amounting to USD 265,000 (KEN1012).

#### Scholarship Program

#### I. Introduction

The IsDB Scholarship Program was established in 1983 to promote human capital development in member countries and Muslim communities in non-member countries. The Program plays a crucial role in human resource development and workforce mobility. It also facilitates capacity building with the innovation, knowledge, and technology needed to compete in a rapidly changing global community.

There are 4 (four) scholarship Programs offered by the Bank: (i) Scholarship Program for Muslim communities in nonmember countries (SPMC), (ii) Merit Scholarship Program for High Technology (MSP) for 57 member countries, (iii) M.Sc. Scholarship Program in Science and Technology for 20 LDMCs (M.Sc.) and (iv) IsDB-ISFD Scholarship Program for 21 LDMCs.

#### II. Cumulative Achievements: 1983-2024

Over the past 41 years of operations, the Bank offered scholarships to 19,491 students from 122 countries (56 member countries and 66 Muslim communities in non-member countries) consisting of 15,725 for SPMC, 1,430 for M.Sc., 1,773 for MSP, and 563 for IsDB-ISFD. Gender representation in overall selection is 70% Male and 30% Female.

Of the total awardees, 14,044 students have completed their studies and research in development-related fields and are actively contributing to their countries' progress through their knowledge and expertise. In terms of regional distribution, 52% of the total graduates are from Asia, followed by 26% from Member Countries, and 17% from Africa. The remaining 5% are from Europe, Oceania, and North & South America.

#### III. Implementation of the Academic Year 2024-2025

As part of the allocated budget of USD 8 million from the IsDB Annual Net Income of the IsDB - OCR and an additional USD 1.3 million from the ISFD, the Programs were announced in March 2024. The announcement resulted in broader outreach, generating 57,096 applications from 88 countries. These applicants represented 56 member countries and 32 Muslim communities in non-member countries, with a gender distribution of 70% male and 30% female. The applications were distributed as follows:

- a) Scholarship Program for Muslim communities in non-member countries (SPMC): 13,550 applications from 32 countries.
- b) M.Sc. Scholarship Program for 20 LDMCs: 9,317 applications from 20 countries.
- c) Merit Scholarship Program (MSP) for Ph.D. and Post-Doctoral Research: 14,397 applications from 56 countries.
- d) IsDB-ISFD Scholarship Scheme for LDMCs: 19,832 applications from 21 LDMCs.

Following a rigorous selection process, 474 students and scholars from 57 countries were awarded the scholarships. Gender representation in overall selection stands at 63% male and 37% female.

## IV. Budget Utilization: 1983-2024

The cumulative approved budget for the Scholarship Program since inception is USD 282.46 million. As at 31 December 2024, the actual budget utilization is USD 246.05 million (87%). The remaining amount (13%) is reserved as a commitment to cover the expenditures of enrolled students up to their graduation.

## The "In Riyadh at Fifty" Declaration, introduced in May 2024 to commemorate the Bank's 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary, aims to strengthen governance, increase concessional financing to meet the growing financial demands of MCs, expand grant opportunities through partnerships, bolster the Group's role in the Islamic financial sector, and enhance South-South cooperation.

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