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A Credit Opportunity Like No Other

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BFF Banking Group: A Bank Like No Other®



We Are

- The leading provider of credit management and receivables factoring for the Healthcare (“HC”) and Public Administration (“PA”) suppliers in the European Union (“EU”)

We Offer

- Financial services to tackle the payment delays to the Public Sector suppliers in Europe

We Have

- A unique credit profile: exposure to ST public sector receivables, diversified funding with ample liquidity, a strong capital position (TC > 15%) with a protective dividend policy
- Positively geared to worsening public sector macro

We Deliver

- Return on average Tangible Equity > 30%
- Loans growth > 10%
- Cost of Risk < 20bps

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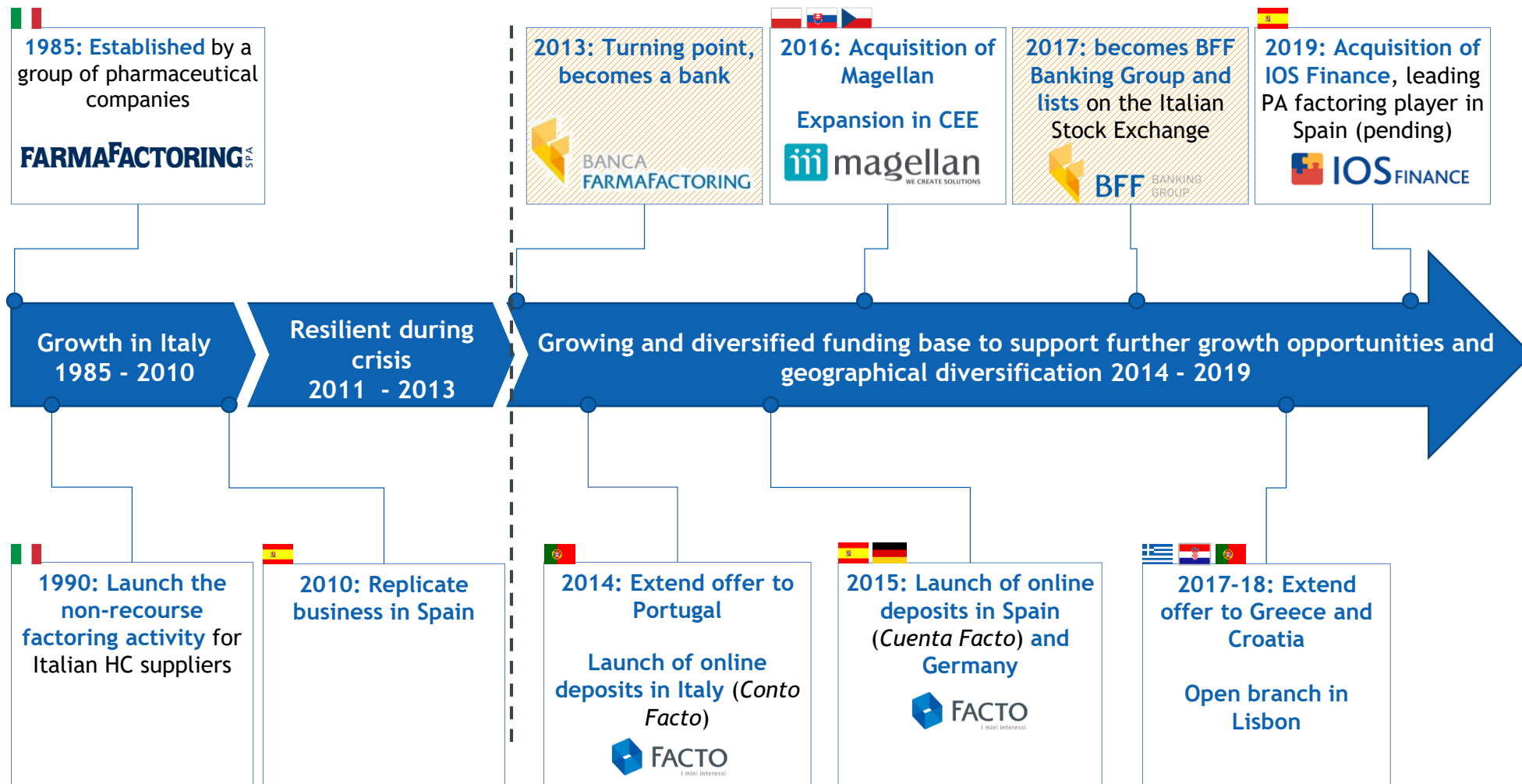
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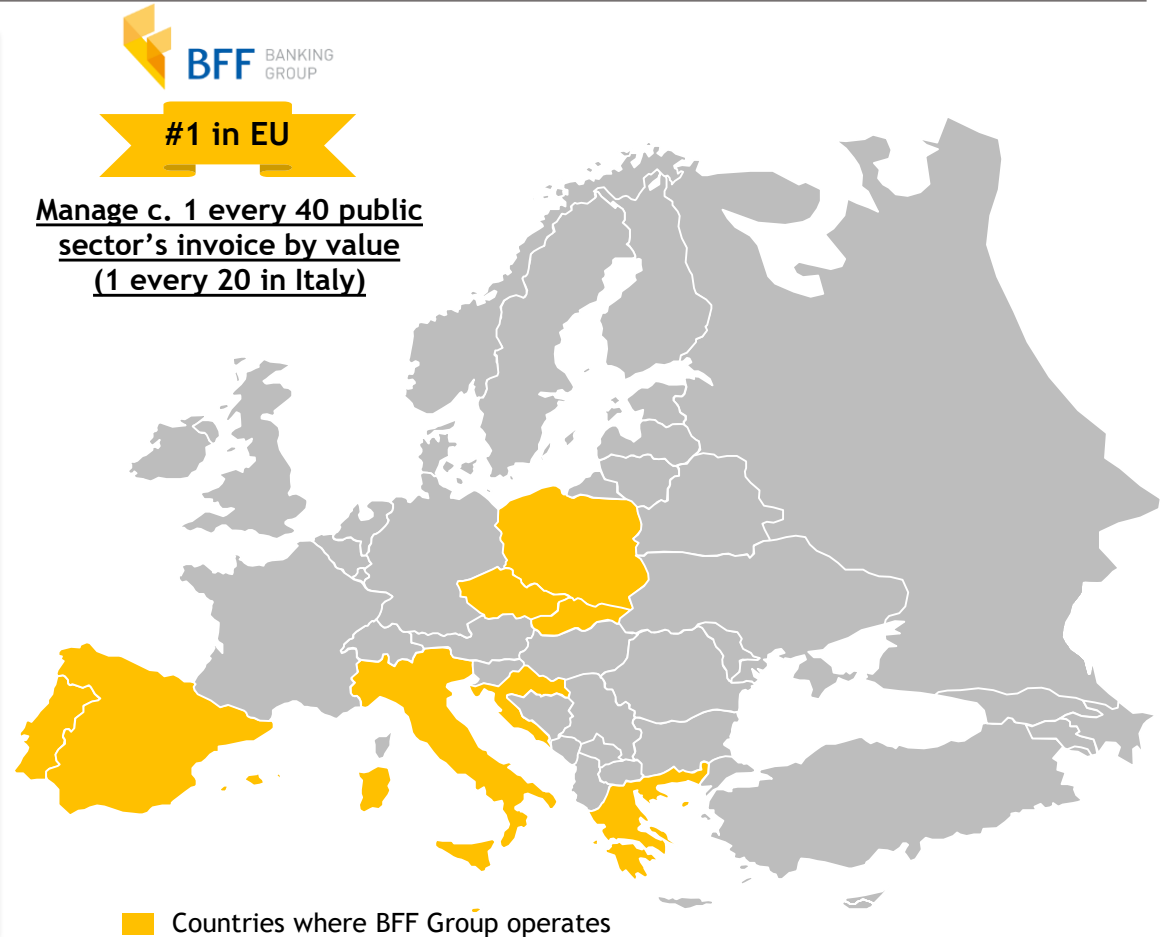
30+ years of Serving HC and PA Suppliers



The Largest Purchaser of Government Receivables in the EU...

Leadership position with presence in 8 countries

- Focus in servicing multinational clients across markets
- #1 in Italy for factoring toward PA & HC
 - Market share of 28.0%⁽¹⁾
 - Undisputed leadership across all segments
- Leader in CEE
- Among top 5 factoring companies in Spain⁽²⁾ and only PA specialised player
- Sole specialised player in Portugal, Croatia and Greece



...Supporting Suppliers to Tackle Endemic Payment Delays in the Public Sector...

Source of PA payments delays

1 Mismatch between centralised tax collection and decentralised public spending

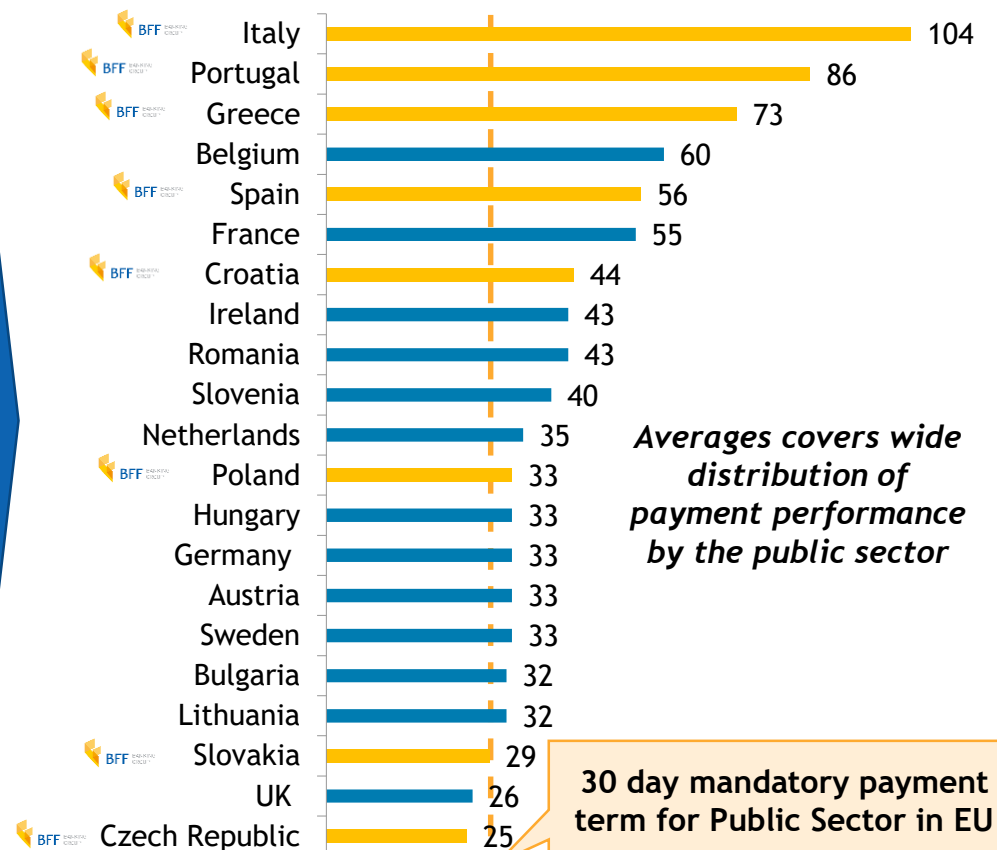
- In Italy, only 17.5% of total public expenditure for goods and services is controlled by the Central Government

2 Administrative complexity and inefficiency:

- PA consists of many entities (i.e. 22,807 in Italy, 17,042 in Spain and 4,636 in Portugal)

3 Commercial debt not classified as public debt

Average payment time of the Public Sector in the EU⁽¹⁾



...With Strong Barriers to Entry in Our Market

A Trusted Partner for Our Customers. A Sound Track Record in Dealing with Public Debtors for > 30 Years

Large and Stable Customer Base

- Strong customer loyalty from large and multinational companies
- Opportunity to leverage customer relationships across geographies
- Constantly present and able to serve clients also in times of stress (i.e 2011-12)
- Credit collection process protects our clients' relationships with their own customers (BFF's debtors)

Top 10 clients with BFF on average for >17 years

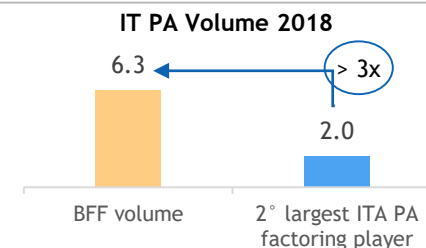
Deep Knowledge of Debtors

- >30 years in dealing with PA entities → Better pricing
- Deep understanding of PA structure → Accurate classification of debtor risk
- Largest commercial creditor of the PA → Better collection
- Long-term track-record in LPIs collection → Robust accounting model

c. 5% total PA's receivables are factored or managed by BFF in Italy

Highly Efficient Operating Platform

- Excellent operational effectiveness in a complex business
- Significantly bigger scale vs. competitors
- Scalable IT platform by volume and geographies with minimal incremental investment
- Access to a lower cost base in Poland for back-office activities since 2018



Self Funded Business

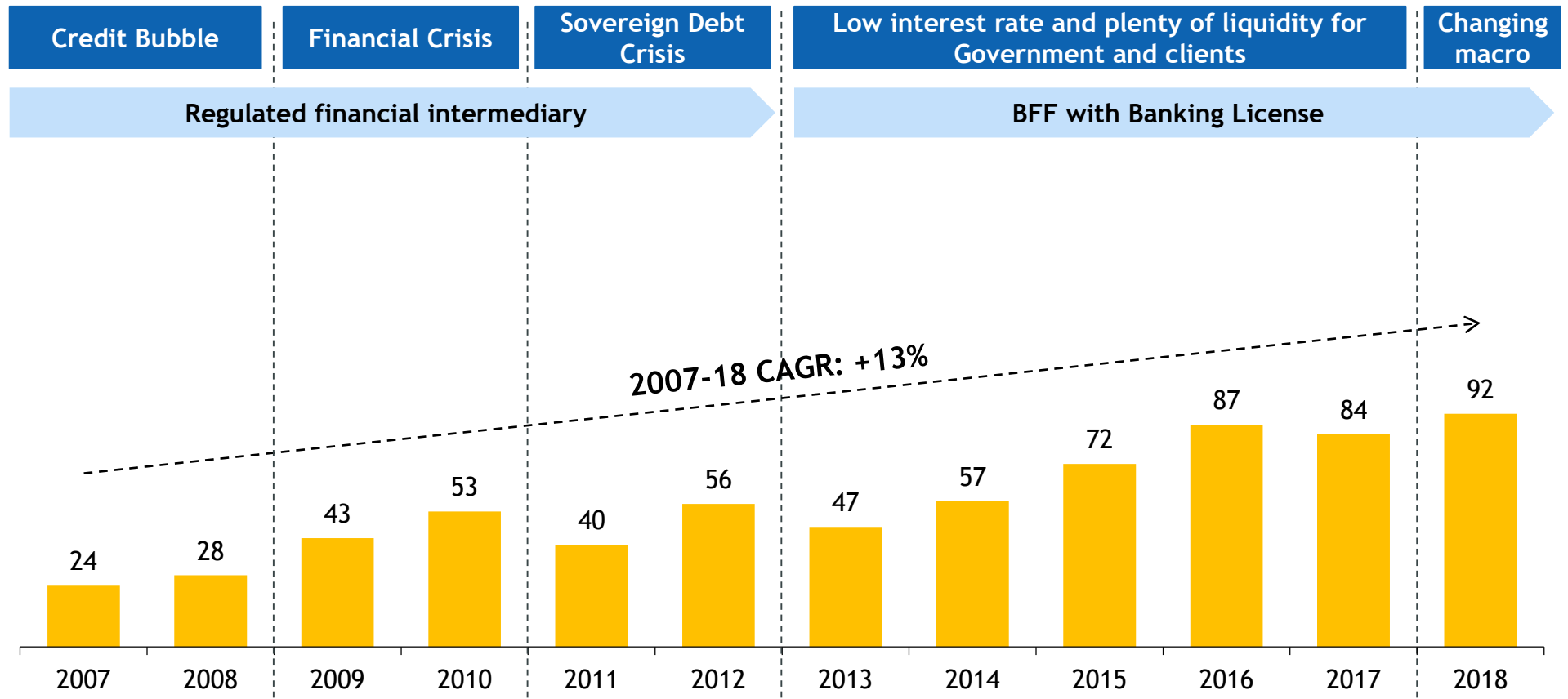
- Almost unlimited ability to self fund loan growth → >30% loan growth potential in one single year fully funded organically

>30% RoTE
>10% net income growth p.a. since 2013
> €600m dividend-out

Profitable and Growing in Every Season

Adjusted Net Income 2007-2018 (€m)⁽¹⁾

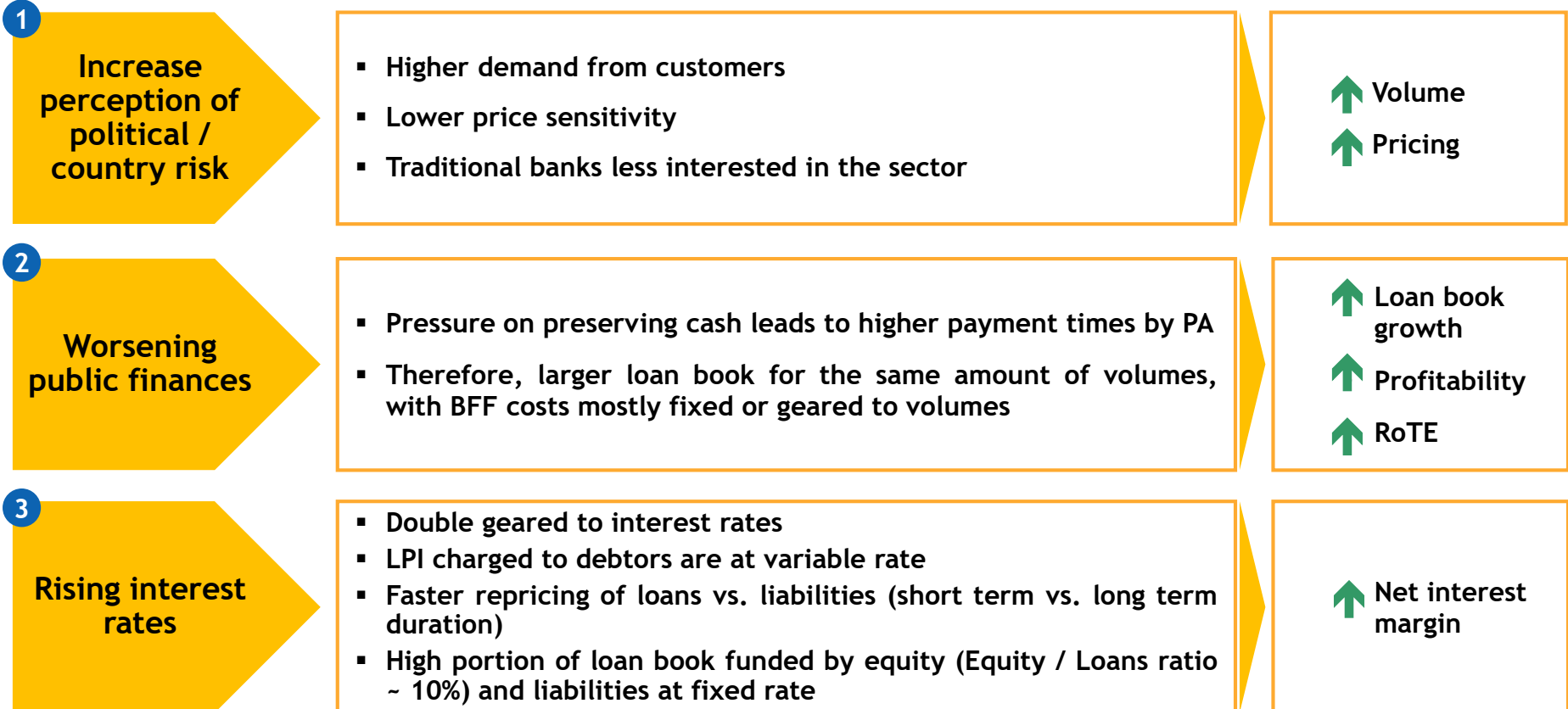
Unparalleled Capital Returns: IT Lira 500m (€260k) invested in 1985 vs. > €620m cumulated dividends



Positively Geared to a Worsening of the European Macro / Public Finances Outlook

Outlook

Impact for BFF



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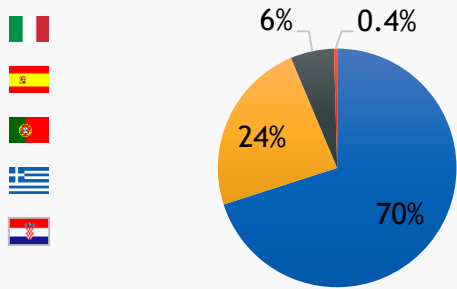
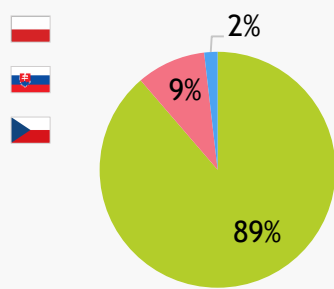
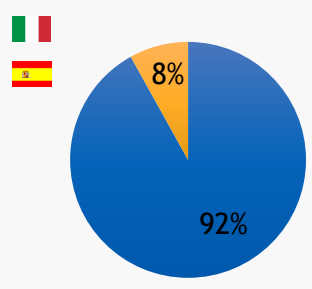
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We Offer Our Clients Three Services...

	1	2	3
	Non-recourse Factoring in Southern Europe	Financing and Non-Recourse Factoring in CEE	Credit Collection Management (i.e. Servicing)
% on total revenues⁽¹⁾	76%	21%	3%
Volumes by geography	 <p>■ Italy ■ Spain (incl. IOS Finance) ■ Portugal ■ Greece + Croatia</p>	 <p>■ Poland ■ Slovakia ■ Czech Republic</p>	 <p>■ Italy ■ Spain (IOS Finance)</p>
Volumes Loans	€4,514m, 53% of total €2,920m, 79% of total Pro-forma for IOS Finance acquisition	€548m, 6% of total €760m, 21% of total	€3,381m, 40% of total - Pro-forma for IOS Finance acquisition
Activity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Non-recourse purchase of receivables towards PA Invoices purchased mainly already overdue Full derecognition US GAAP / IAS 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Short and long term financing Factoring and sub-participation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Managing of the whole credit management and collection process for the entire HC/PA supply chain
Income sources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clients pay discount to face value Debtors pay Late Payments Interests (“LPI”) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Interest on loans / financing Discount to face value LPI paid by the debtors 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clients pay management fees

...With Revenues Coming from both Suppliers and Debtors

Public Sector Suppliers (BFF's Clients)

Source of revenues

Discount to face value on receivables purchased
(Yield)

- Leading multinational and national suppliers of the public sector

For illustrative purpose only



Public Sector Entities (BFF's Debtors)

Source of revenues

Late payments interests ("LPI") on receivables outstanding
(Yield)

- Debtors are PA in the EU
 - Central government entities (i.e. ministries)
 - Regions
 - Provinces and Municipalities
 - Other local government entities
 - Public and public owned hospitals
 - Other HC entities and other public entities



 Source of revenues for non-recourse factoring

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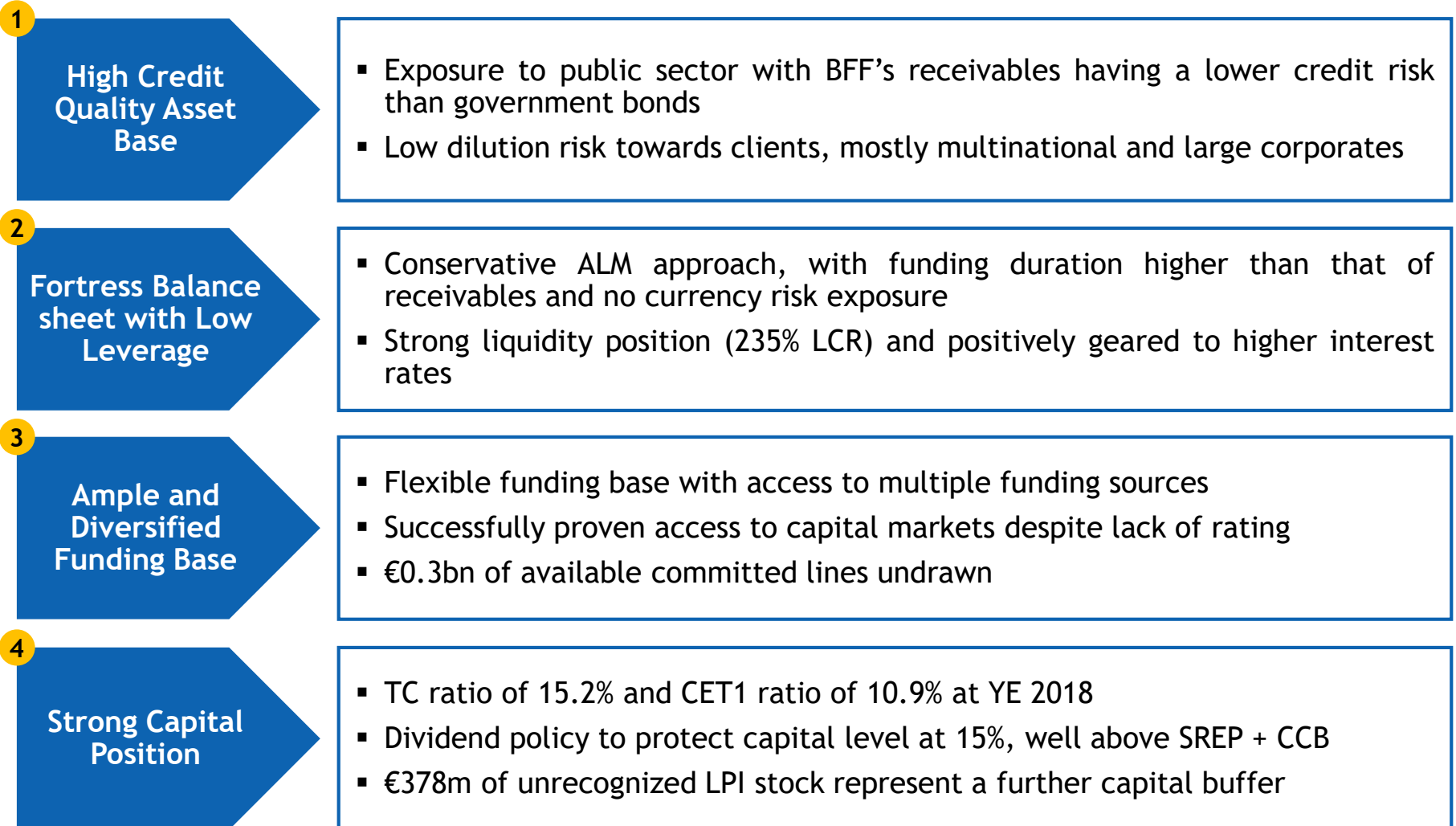
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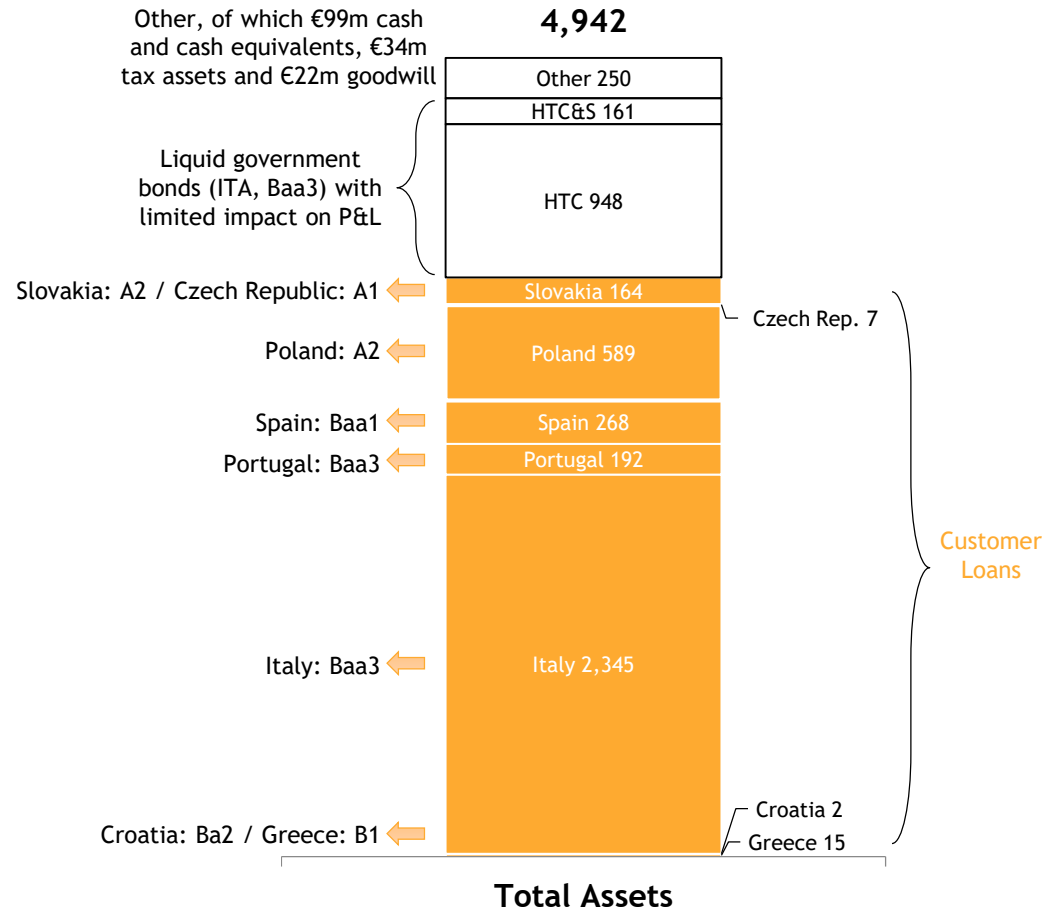
A Unique Credit Profile



1 High Credit Quality Asset Base..

- **92%⁽¹⁾ of total assets consist of exposure to the public sector** with assets composed of commercial receivables and loans towards public administrations and government bonds
- **High creditworthiness of the counterparties:**
 - Negligible credit risk (entities of the public administration in Europe)
 - Low dilution risk towards clients (mostly multinational and large corporates)
- **High gross yield on customer loans (7.3% in 2018)**
- **Short duration of the receivables (below 9 months on average for the factoring business)**

Total Assets breakdown as of December 31st, 2018 (€m)



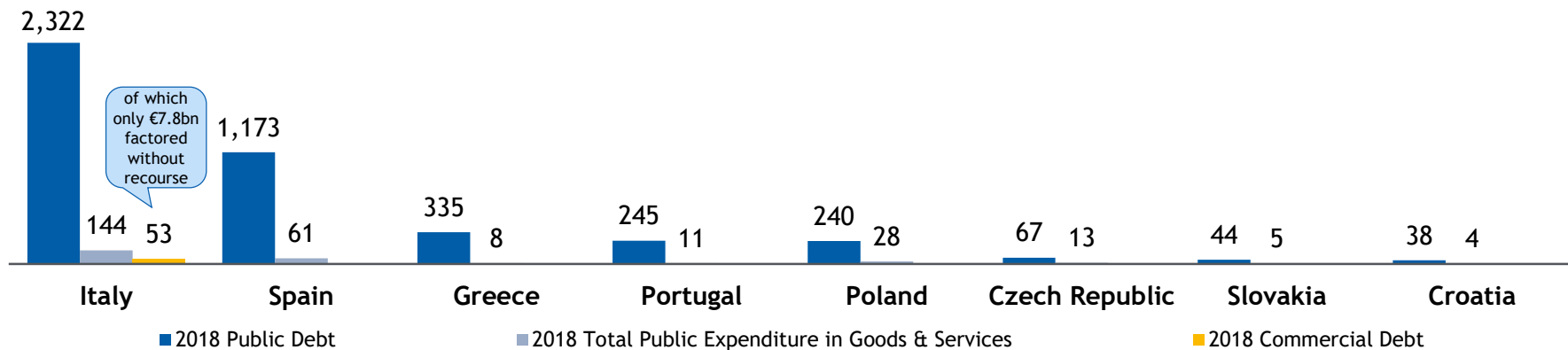
1 ...With BFF's Receivables Having a Lower Credit Risk Than Government Bonds...



Key Considerations

- **Commercial debt of the Public Sector is not subject to sovereign privilege, unlike sovereign debt:**
 - Public sector's commercial debt is governed by the local commercial law
 - **No history of haircut on commercial receivables in the EU even in case of the Greek sovereign default and restructuring**
- **Size of the Public sector's commercial debt is immaterial vs. the dimension of sovereign debt** in the countries where BFF operates, limiting the impact of an intervention
- **Factoring represents only a small part of the commercial receivables** therefore a potential restructuring would mainly damage real economy and the supply of public services rather than banks active in factoring

Public Debt vs. Total Public Expenditure in Goods & Services and Commercial Debt (€bn)

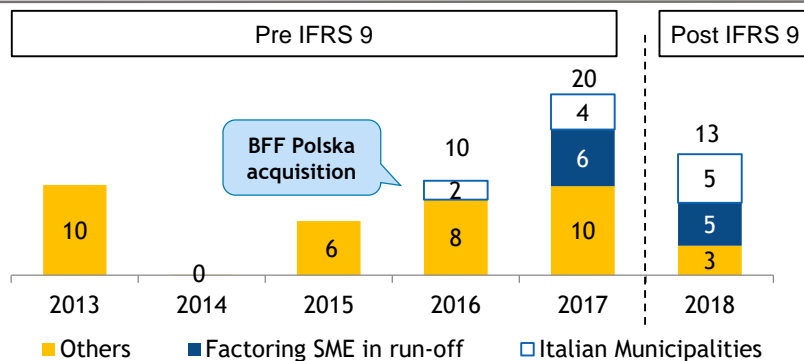


1 ...Translating in Negligible Credit Risk

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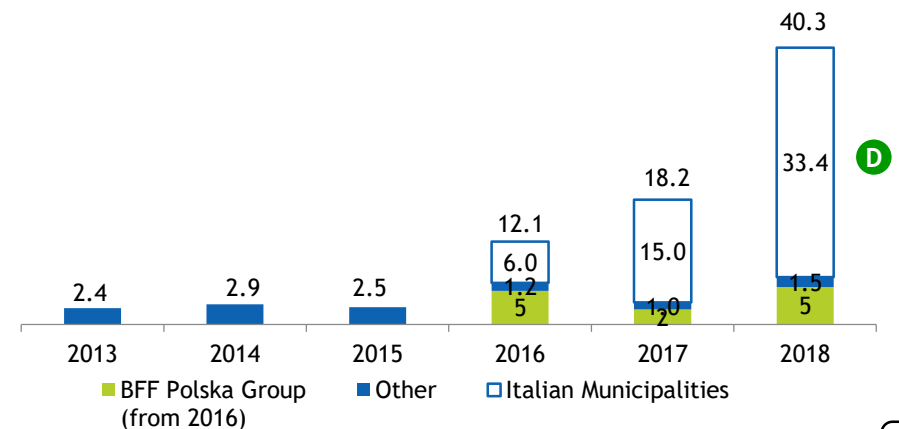
- A** Negligible Cost of Risk, in the low single bps p.a.
- B** Impaired loans are essentially towards public sector
- C** Net NPLs excluding Italian municipalities have been flat
- D** Increase in NPLs is driven almost entirely by the growing activities towards municipalities in conservatorship
 - Exposures are currently classified NPLs by regulation despite BFF being legally entitled to receive 100% of the capital and LPIs at the end of the process

A Cost of Risk (bps)



Net NPLs evolution (€m)

NPL Ratio	0.2%	0.2%	0.1%	0.5%	0.6%	1.1%
Coverage Ratio	49%	85%	86%	60%	54%	38%
NPL Ratio excl. Italian Municip.	0.2%	0.2%	0.1%	0.2%	0.1%	0.2%
Coverage Ratio excl. Italian Municipalities	49%	85%	86%	74%	86%	75%

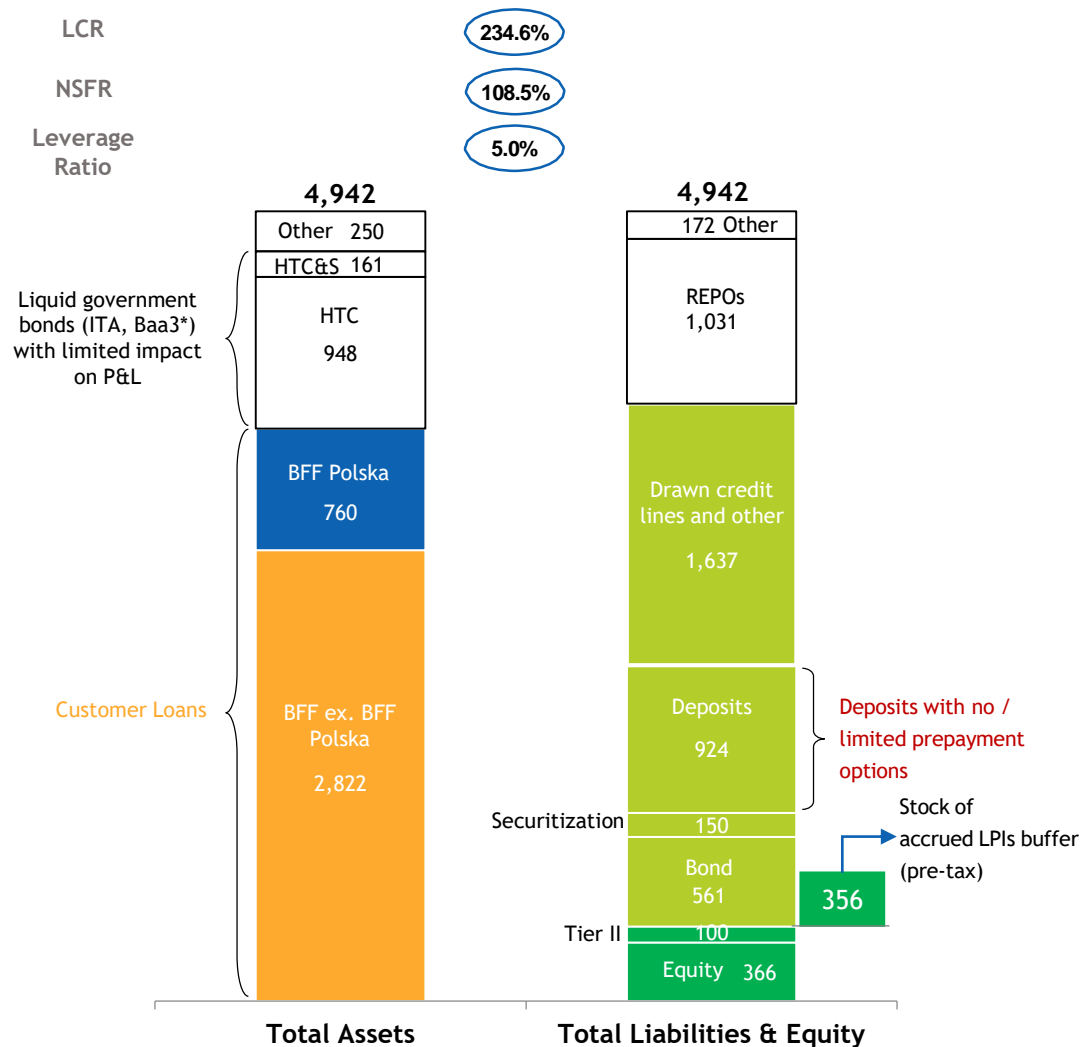


(€m)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	Public sector
Net NPLs	2,368	2,936	2,507	12,065	18,175	40,344	83%
Net UTP	196	62	0	3,614	6,760	6,774	
Net Past due	5,803	9,779	43,234	46,167	69,794	72,573	64%
Net impaired loans	8,367	12,777	45,741	61,847	94,730	119,690	67%

2 Fortress Balance Sheet with Low Leverage

- **Conservative asset / liability management approach:** funding duration higher than that of receivables
- **Strong liquidity position** with a LCR of 235% as of December 2018
- **Natural currency hedge:** forex assets and BFF Polska tangible equity funded with forex liabilities
- **Positively geared to higher interest rates** thanks to:
 - most of Polska asset at variable rate;
 - non-recourse factoring portfolio with LPI at variable rate;
 - liabilities mostly at fixed rate and
 - longer duration of liabilities vs. assets

Breakdown of Balance Sheet FY 2018 (€m)



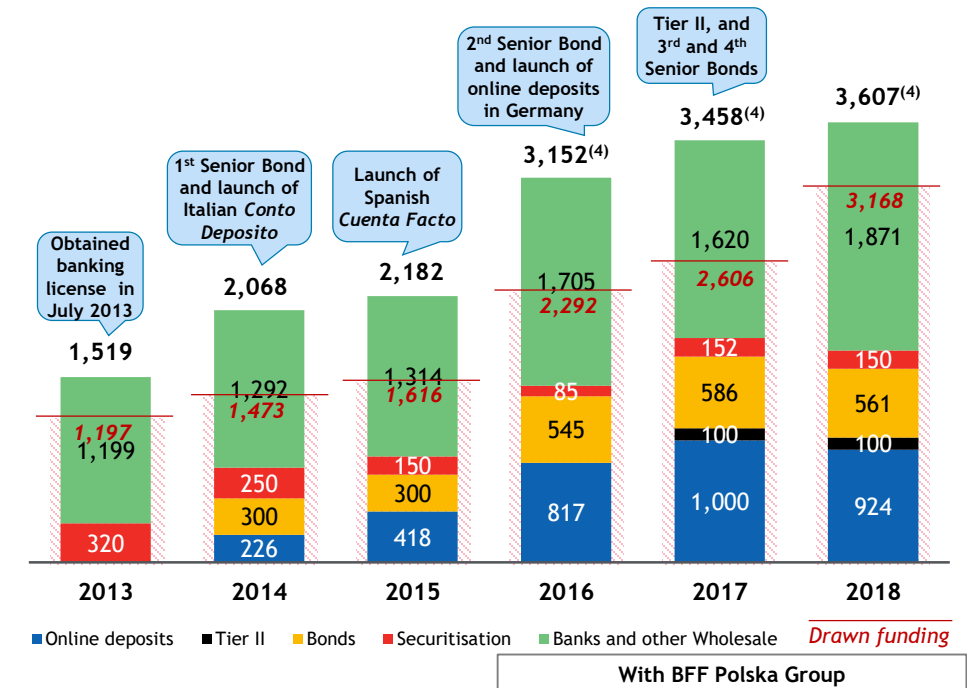
3 Ample and Diversified Funding Base with Improved Funding Cost Since Becoming a Bank



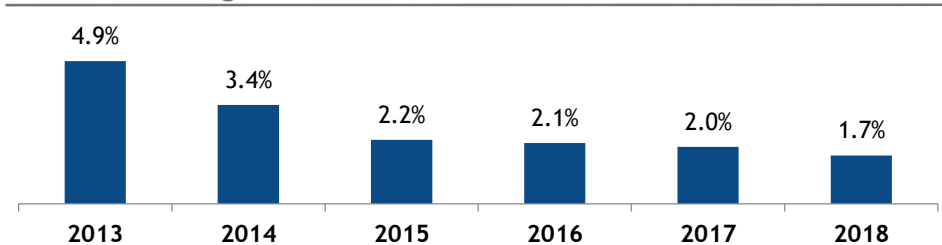
Key Considerations

- **No recourse to the ECB's TLTRO or other emergency liquidity measures**
- **Proven access to capital markets with €0.95bn of total bonds issued since 2014, innovating the market:**
 - First ever unrated Tier 2 institutional issuance by an unlisted Italian bank
 - First ever unrated floater Euro bond issuance by a bank
- **Successful ramp-up of online deposits base. True term deposits, 70% collected outside Italy**
- **Grew funding from banks at lower cost, thanks to the strong relationships**
 - Committed bilateral lines, no overnight interbank funding
 - Provided by >20 top Italian banks and European banking group, mostly investment grade rated
- **Cost of funding more than halved since 2013 despite 2017 Tier II issuance, higher base rate of Zloty funding and 2016 Zloty acquisition financing**

Available Funding^(2;3) (€m)



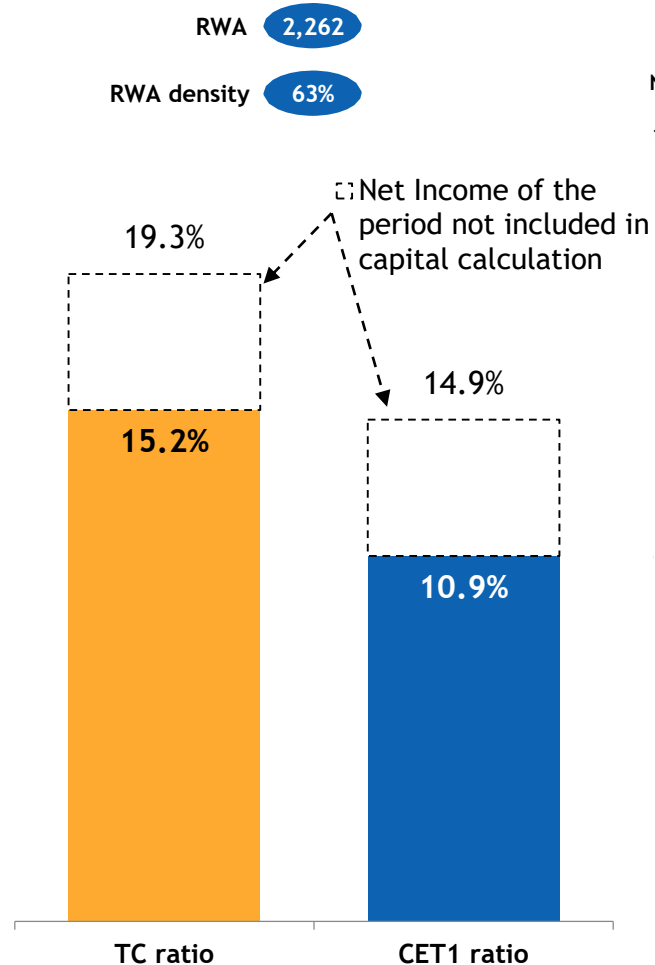
Cost of Funding⁽¹⁾



4 Strong Capital Position Despite High RWA Density due to Standard Model...

Capital ratios as of December 31st, 2018 - Banking Group ex TUB⁽¹⁾

- TC ratio of 15.2% and CET1 ratio of 10.9%:
 - €91.8m of adj. net income not included (equal to 406 bps of additional CET1 and TC)
 - Both ratios are net of the negative exchange rate and HTC&S mark to market impact (respectively 13bps and 19bps)
- RWA based on standard model resulting in high RWA density at 63%, despite exposure is essentially towards public sector
- No downside risk related to the Italian rating downgrade by DBRS (BFF's EACAI):
 - Need to be downgraded by 9 notches (i.e. 3 notches below Greece) in order to have a negative impact on BFF's RWA
 - One notch upgrade would move the risk weighting to 50% with an impact of +3.1% on TC and +2.2% on CET1



Under the Standard Model, the risk weighting factors for exposures to NHS and other PA different from local and central government depend on the Sovereign Rating of each country

	DBRS Rating	Country	RWA
Investment Grade	AAA		
	AA (High)		20%
	AA (Low)		
	A (High)		50%
	A		
	A (Low)		
Non-Investment Grade	BBB (High)		100%
	BBB		
	BBB (Low)		
	BB (High)		
	BB		150%
	BB (Low)		
	B (High)		
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Not rated by DBRS

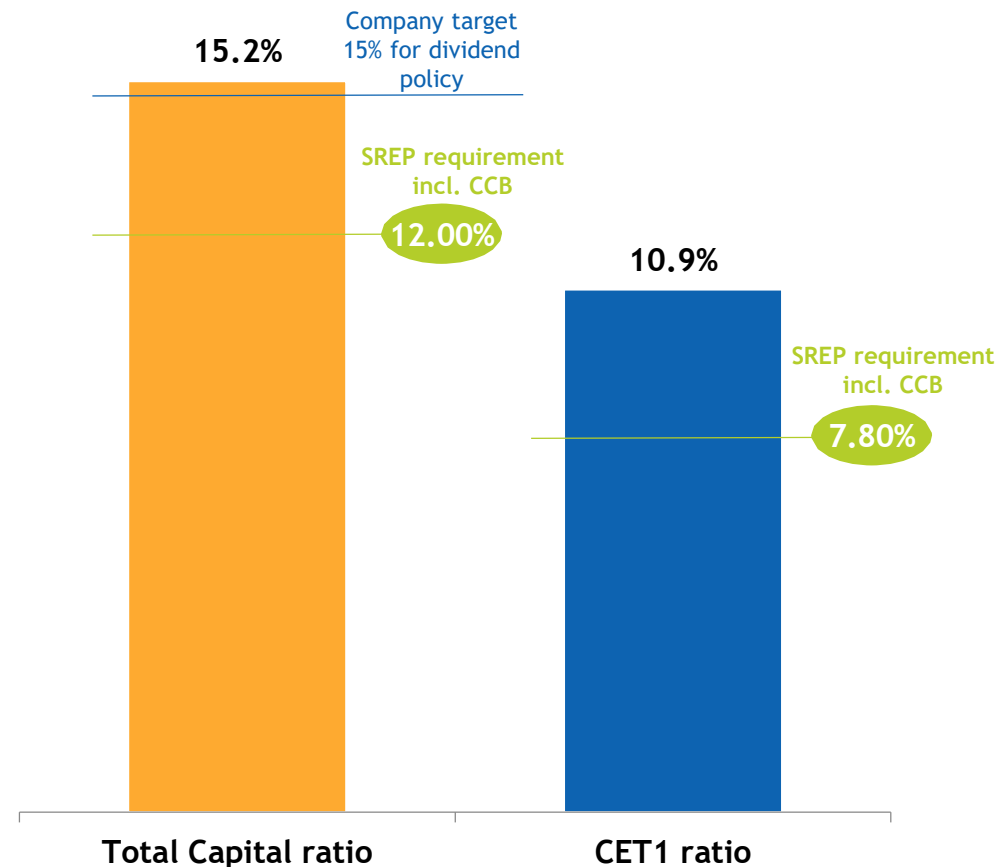
(1) FY2018 CRR Total Capital Ratio and CET1 Ratio: 15.0% and 10.8%. These ratios are subject to approval by BFF Luxembourg S.à.r.l. (2) Following the DBRS downgrade, starting from March 2017, capital ratios are calculated based on a higher risk weighting factor (from 50% to 100%) for the Italian exposure to NHS and other PA different from local and central government.

4 ...With a Dividend Policy Protecting Capital Position and Bondholders...

Key Considerations

- Dividend policy aimed at protecting the capital position and bondholders and, at the same time, self funding growth
- Target Total Capital level of 15%, well above the SREP requirements
- Earnings of the period are retained to maintain the 15% TC target, and pay-out the portion of the earnings in excess of the 15% TC threshold
- No obligation to pay a min. DPS or pay-out ratio every year
- Given the dividend policy and the high ROE of the business:
 - The growth will be funded organically through retained earnings (in 2018 the growth absorbed c. €37m of capital, equivalent to only 40% of the net income of the period)
 - The CET1 ratio would increase because of the loan growth, assuming constant Tier 2 outstanding

Capital ratios vs. SREP as of December 31st, 2018 (%)

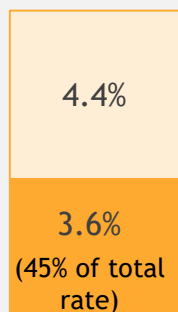


4 ...And an Additional Buffer from Unrecognized LPI Stock

Prudent accounting of Late Payment Interest (“LPI”) resulting in a Stock of unrecognised LPI

- Receivables against PA accrues LPIs (regulated by EU law) when not paid on time @ Central Bank base rate + 8%
- BFF prudently recognizes in P&L on an accrual basis only 45% of LPI legally due, and discounted over 5 years horizon
- No settlement below 45%, so always over-collection vs. 45% minimum recognized on a cash basis at collection (5 years on average from purchase of receivables)

Central Bank base rate + 8.0%



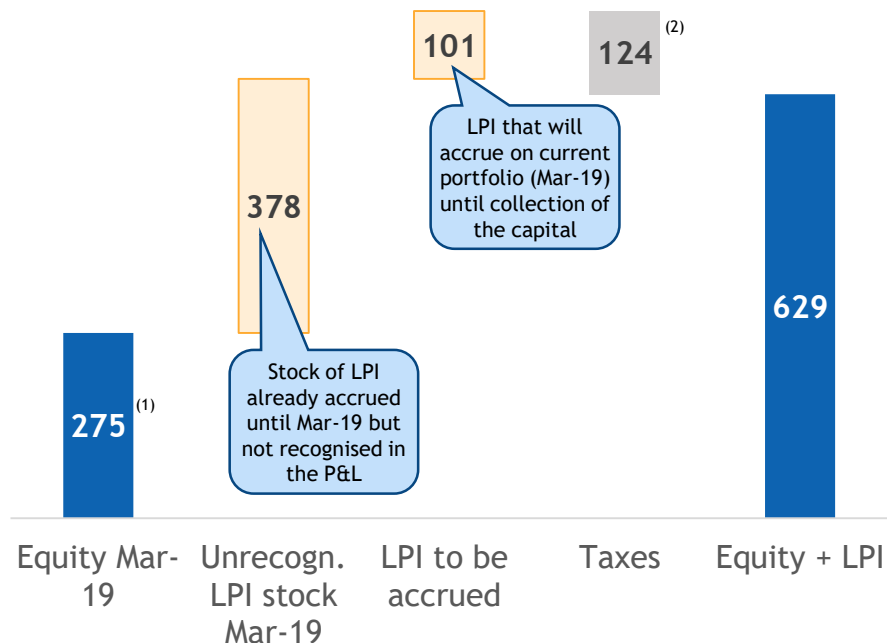
Over-collection accounted on a cash basis at collection (c. 5y on average from purchase of receivables)

Accounted on accrual basis over 5 years from purchase of receivables

Buffer of LPI Stock

Eurozone LPI rate

Therefore, unrecognized LPI stock (back book income reserve) represents a further buffer to an already strong capital position as BFF is entitled to receive 100% of the amounts due



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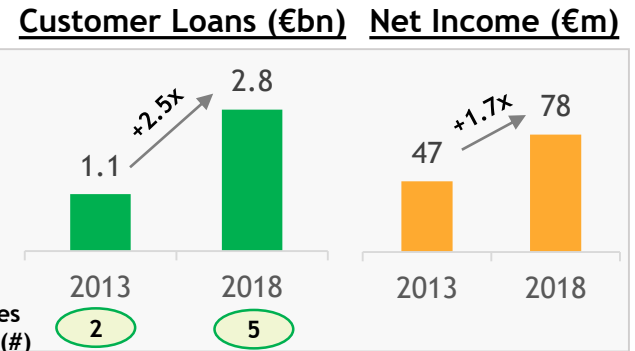
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Proven Ability to Execute Organic Growth and M&A...

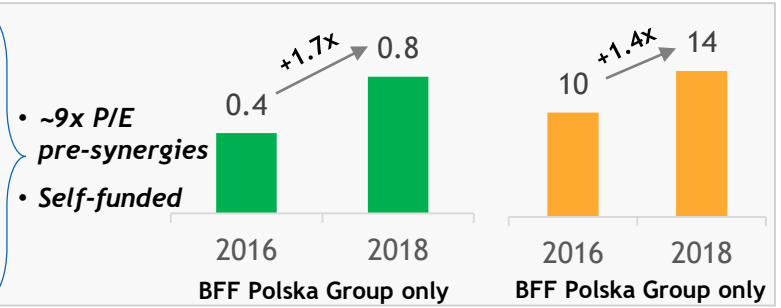
Strong organic growth

- Grown factoring activity from HC only to entire PA in Italy
- Expanded greenfield from 2 to 5 countries across HC and PA



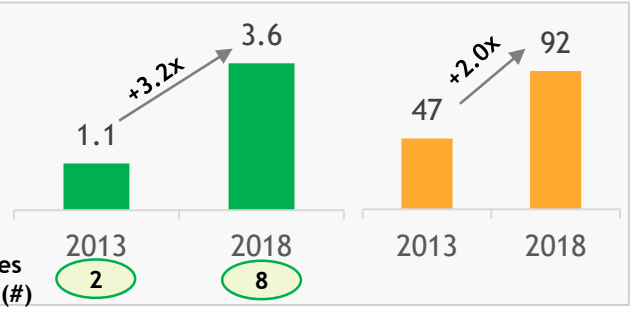
Disciplined bolt-on acquisitions

- **2016:** Magellan (now BFF Polska Group):
 - 3 new markets in CEE (Poland, Slovakia and Czech)
 - Broadened product offering (direct financing) to HC & PA in Central Eastern Europe
- **2019:** Tuck-in acquisition of IOS Finance (main competitor in Spain, pending)



Total growth

- +26% loans growth 2013-18 CAGR
- +14% net income growth 2013-18 CAGR
- 35% of total loans outside Italy in 2018 (4% in 2013)



...Resulting in Superior Financial Performance

Generated High and Stable Yield on RWA

Improved Funding Cost by Accessing Multiple Funding Sources

Invested in the Business while Improving Operating Leverage

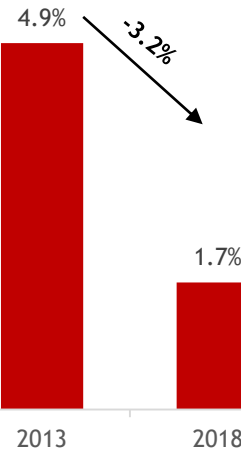
Maintained a High Quality Portfolio, with Negligible Credit Risk

Generated High Returns and Free Capital

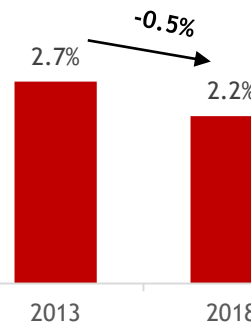
Gross Yield on avg. RWA



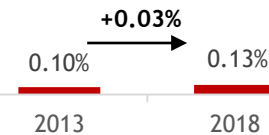
Cost of Funding



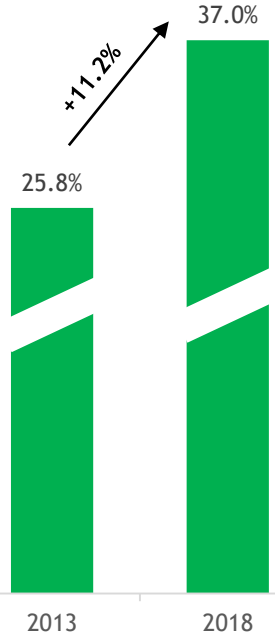
Adj. Costs / avg. loans



Cost of Risk



RoTE



Key Drivers of the 2021 Business Plan

Key drivers	2018	2021 Target	Key considerations
Volumes growth (YoY)	17%	>10% p.a.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Delay in payments in the Public Sector (“DSO”⁽¹⁾) stable ▪ Pricing on RoRWA, without LPI over-recovery
Loans growth (YoY)	19%	>10% p.a.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Volumes and product mix (factoring vs. financing) stable ▪ DSO and duration
Capital	15.2% TC 10.9% CET1	15% TC ↑ CET 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Dividend policy to keep Total Capital ratio at 15% ▪ CET1 % would increase because of the loan growth (@ constant TIER 2) ▪ Possible issuance of other capital instruments (TIER 2)
Loans yield	7%	↓ (Yield on RWA =/↑)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Pricing ▪ LPI collections
Cost of Funding / Loans	2%	↓	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Funding mix ▪ Duration ▪ Possible rating
Operating costs / Loans	2%	↓	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ HR and IT investments ▪ New business initiatives
Cost of risk / Loans	13bps	↓	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Quality and mix of the products ▪ Duration of the assets
Net return on asset	2% 37% RoTE	RoTE >30%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Product and geographic mix (i.e. RWA density) ▪ Growing CET 1 ratio and as a % of the TC ratio (i.e. lower leverage)

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