Disclosure systemically important banks as of march 31 2017

Special disclosure for systemically important banks ('Too big to fail', 'TBTF')

Arts. 124 - 133 of the Capital Adequacy and Risk Diversification Ordinance (Eigenmittelund Risikoverteilungsvorschriften - ERV) require systemically important banks in Switzerland to submit a calculation and disclosure of capital adequacy requirements on a quarterly basis.

The Swiss National Bank declared the Raiffeisen Group to be systemically important by a decision of 16 June 2014. Based on this decision, the Swiss Financial Market Supervisory Authority (FINMA) issued a decision on capital adequacy requirements under the regime of systemic importance. According to the international rules of the Basel Committee, transitional provisions apply to compliance with the requirements for systemically important banks up to 2019. Since the Raiffeisen Group already meets the capital adequacy requirements for systemically important banks in full, FINMA has established the requirements applicable to the Raiffeisen Group without transitional provisions. On 11 May 2016, the Federal Council adopted new too-big-to-fail provisions. The new provisions will enter into force on 1 July 2016. For nationally system-relevant banks – such as the Raiffeisen Group – this decision defines the requirements for the bank's going concern. The issue with regard to the requirements for additional loss-absorbing funds (gone concern) is expected to be clarified for nationally system-relevant banks in 2017. Until the determination of gone-concern capital requirements for nationally system-relevant banks, die TBTF capital requirements according to the individual FINMA decision will continue to apply to Raiffeisen, which must be fulfilled in parallel to these new TBTF requirements in accordance with this disclosure report.

Besides risk-weighted capital adequacy requirements, the requirements under the rules governing systemic importance also include requirements for unweighted capital adequacy requirements (leverage ratio), which are as follows:

Risk-weighted and unweighted capital adequacy requirements of the Raiffeisen Group under the rules governing system-relevant banks

Requirement on risk-weighted capital ratios (in %)	
Basic requirement	12.86
Market share component ¹	0.36
Overall exposure component ¹	-
Quarall requirement (evaluding anti-cuclical capital buffer)	40.00
Overall requirement (excluding anti-cyclical capital buffer)	13.22
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Anti-cyclical capital buffer ²	
Anti-cyclical capital buffer ² Overall requirement (including anti-cyclical capital buffer) of which core capital (CET1)	1.17

Until the TLAC rules for nationally system-relevant banks have been definitely decided, FINMA also requires compliance with a total capital ratio (incl. an anticyclical capital buffer) of 15.6% in accordance with the old TBTF rules. This requirement was met on 31 March 2017 with a total capital ratio of 16.6%, without considering net profit for the period. Taking account of net profit for the period, the total capital ratio is 16.8%.

Requirement on unweighted capital ratios - leverage ratio (in %)

Basic requirement	4.500
Market share component 1	0.125
Overall exposure component 1	-
Overall requirement («going-concern»)	4.625
of which core capital (CET1)	3.125
of which convertible capital with a high trigger level ³	1.500

- 1 The market share and overall exposure components are calculated annually on the basis of the provisions set out in CAO Annex 9.
- 2 The latest anti-cyclical capital buffer is shown in each case.
- 3 This requirement can also be met with core capital (CET1).

Table 1: Risk-based capital adequacy requirements on the basis of capital ratios

	Tran	Transition rules		Final rules (without transitional provisions)	
	Capital in CHF million	Ratio (%)	Capital in CHF million	Ratio (%)	
Risk-weighted positions (RWA)	93,154		93,154		
Risk-based capital requirements («going-concern») on the basis of capital ratios					
Total	12,268	13.17%	13,405	14.39%	
of which CET1: Minimum	4,192	4.50%	4,192	4.50%	
of which CET1:Capital buffer	4,192	4.50%	4,117	4.42%	
of which CET1: Anti-cyclical capital buffer	1,090	1.17%	1,090	1.17%	
of which AT1: Minimum	2,795	3.00%	3,260	3.50%	
of which AT1: Capital buffer	-	0.00%	745	0.80%	
Eligible capital («going-concern»)					
Core capital (Tier1)	15,130	16.24%	15,130	16.24%	
of which CET1	13,987	15.01%	13,987	15.01%	
of which AT1 High-trigger	597	0.64%	597	0.64%	

Surplus	2,862	3.07%	1,725	1.85%
of which Tier2 Low-trigger	=	0.00%	-	0.00%
of which Tier2 High-trigger	-	0.00%	-	0.00%
of which AT1 Low-trigger	547	0.59%	547	0.59%

The Raiffeisen Group exceeds the «going-concern» requirements for risk-weighted capital requirements without applying transitional provisions as of 31 March 2017 with the value of 16.24% (requirement: 14.40%) by a total of 1.85 percentage points and a capital amount of CHF 1,725 million.

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	Capital in CHF million	Ratio (%)	Capital in CHF million	Ratio (%
Overall exposure	226,376		226,376	
Unweighted adequacy capital requirements («going-concern») on the basis of the leverage ratio				
Total	7,923	3.500%	10,470	4.625%
of which CET1: Minimum	5,886	2.600%	6,791	3.000%
of which CET1:Capital buffer	-	0.000%	283	0.125%
of which AT1: Minimum	2,037	0.900%	3,396	1.500%
Eligible capital («going-concern»)				
Core capital (Tier1)	15,130	6.68%	15,130	6.68%
of which CET1	13,987	6.18%	13,987	6.18%
of which AT1 High-trigger	597	0.26%	597	0.26%
of which AT1 Low-trigger	547	0.24%	547	0.24%
of which Tier2 High-trigger	-	0.00%	-	0.00%
of which Tier2 Low-trigger	-	0.00%	-	0.00%
Surplus	7,207	3.18%	4.660	2.06%

The Raiffeisen Group exceeds the «going-concern» requirements for the leverage ratio without applying transitional provisions as of 31 March 2017 with the value of 6.68% (requirement: 4.625%) by a total of 2.06 percentage points.