

COMMERCE BANCSHARES, INC.

EARNINGS HIGHLIGHTS 3rd Quarter 2022



Commerce Bancshares, Inc.

CAUTIONARY STATEMENT

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3Q2022 EARNINGS HIGHLIGHTS

Highlights

PPNR¹
\$172.0 million

Net Income
\$122.8 million

EPS
\$1.02

ROAA
1.48%

ROACE
17.84%

Efficiency Ratio
55.19%

Well-positioned for current environment

- PPNR¹ increased 8.7% over Q2.
- Net interest income increased 6.0% over Q2.
- Net interest margin increased 22 bps over Q2 to 3.01%.
- Non-interest income decreased .7% from Q2 (36.0% of total revenue).
- Wealth management client assets of \$57.1 billion at September 30, 2022.
- Non-interest expense decreased .3% from Q2.
- QTD average loans up 1.0% over Q2. Period-end loans up 1.4% over Q2.
- QTD average deposits decreased \$973.9 million from Q2. Period-end deposits decreased \$700.0 million from Q2.
- Net charge-offs to total average loans of .12% and non-accrual loans to total loans of .05%.
- Tangible common equity to tangible assets of 6.80%. Leverage ratio of 9.87%.

¹ See the non-GAAP reconciliation on page 18

BALANCE SHEET HIGHLIGHTS

Quarterly Average Balances \$ in millions	Change vs.				Highlights
	3Q22	2Q22	3Q21		
Commercial ¹	\$9,864.5	↑ \$90.6	↑ \$275.6		Linked quarter (LQ) reflects growth in business real estate and construction, partly offset by a decline in business loans
Consumer	5,781.4	↑ 69.8	↑ 111.3		
Total Loans	\$15,646.0	↑ \$160.4	↑ \$386.9		
Investment Securities	\$14,781.2	↓ \$(608.2)	↑ \$986.3		LQ decrease mainly due to maturities and pay downs of AFS securities
Interest Earning Deposits with Banks	\$980.3	↓ \$(268.7)	↓ \$(1,622.6)		LQ decrease resulting from lower deposit balances and loan growth, offset by lower investment securities balances
Deposits	\$27,753.2	↓ \$(973.9)	↓ \$(304.1)		3.4% LQ decline, 1.1% decline from prior year (PY)
Book Value per Share ²	\$19.86	↓ \$(2.43)	↓ \$(8.72)		AOCI impact from higher interest rates

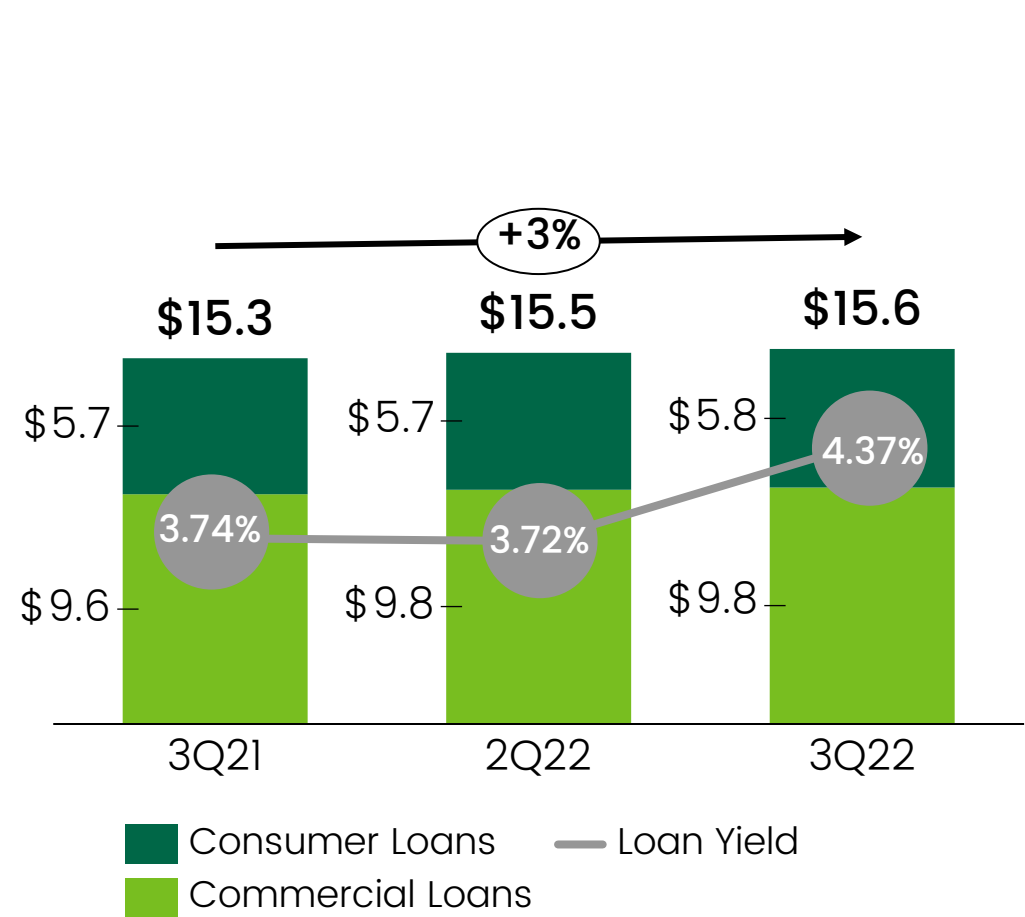
¹ PPP QTD average balances were \$27.0 million and \$41.8 million as of September 30, 2022 and June 30, 2022, respectively

² For the quarters ended September 30, 2022, June 30, 2022, and September 30, 2021

BALANCE SHEET

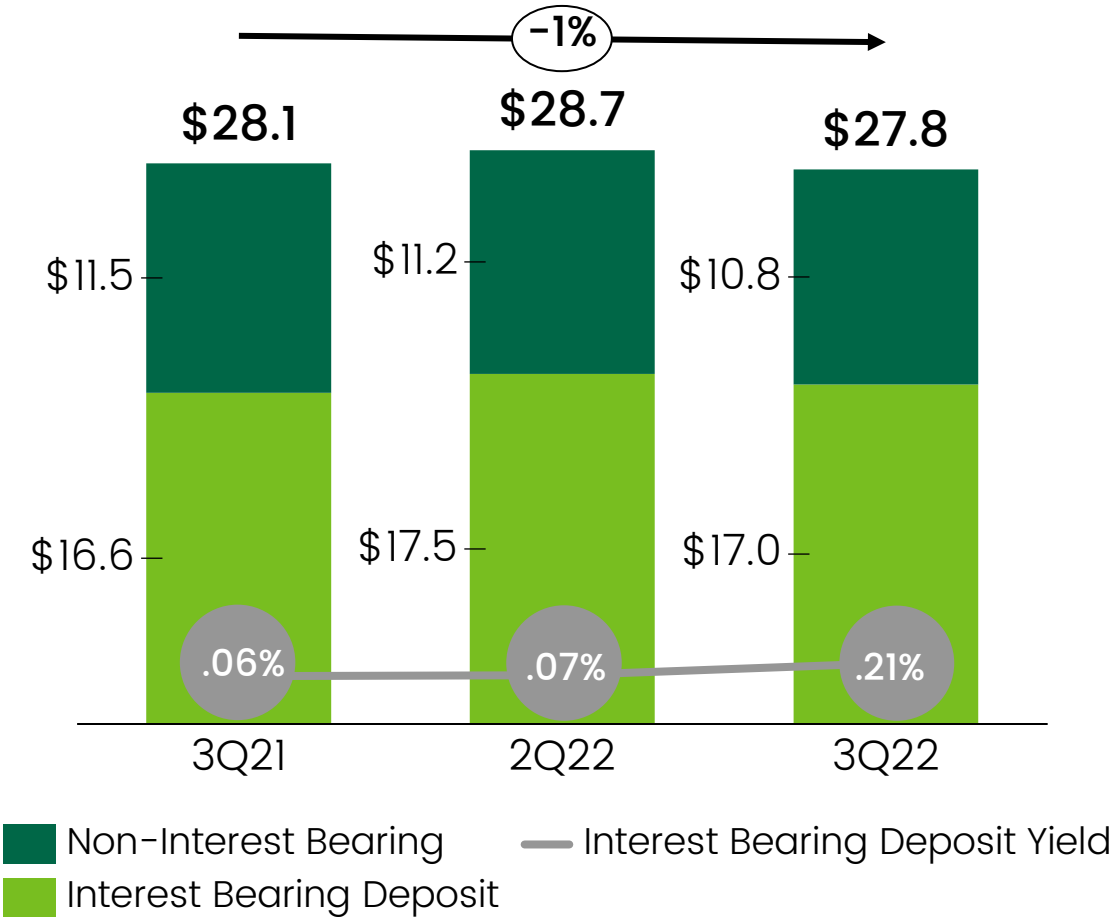
Loans

QTD Average Balances
\$ billions



Deposits

QTD Average Balances
\$ billions



LOAN PORTFOLIO

Period-End Balances

QTD Average Balances

\$ in 000s	9/30/2022	6/30/2022	9/30/2021	QoQ	YoY	\$ in 000s	9/30/2022	6/30/2022	9/30/2021	QoQ	YoY
Business	\$5,528,895	\$5,441,592	\$5,277,850	1.6%	4.8%	Business	\$5,317,696	\$5,385,181	\$5,437,498	-1.3%	-2.2%
<i>Business excl. PPP</i>	<i>5,507,081</i>	<i>5,406,321</i>	<i>4,969,914</i>	<i>1.9%</i>	<i>10.8%</i>	<i>Business excl. PPP</i>	<i>5,290,731</i>	<i>5,343,373</i>	<i>4,862,523</i>	<i>-1.0%</i>	<i>8.8%</i>
Construction	1,206,955	1,266,260	1,257,836	-4.7%	-4.0%	Construction	1,288,721	1,225,267	1,168,566	5.2%	10.3%
Business Real Estate	3,331,627	3,215,578	2,937,852	3.6%	13.4%	Business Real Estate	3,258,128	3,163,508	2,982,847	3.0%	9.2%
Personal Real Estate	2,862,519	2,836,835	2,769,292	.9%	3.4%	Personal Real Estate	2,844,376	2,825,578	2,775,638	.7%	2.5%
Consumer	2,116,371	2,089,592	2,049,559	1.3%	3.3%	Consumer	2,101,622	2,070,560	2,041,263	1.5%	3.0%
Revolving Home Equity	286,026	271,854	281,442	5.2%	1.6%	Revolving Home Equity	280,923	272,280	281,689	3.2%	-.3%
Consumer Credit Card	563,349	558,102	569,976	.9%	-1.2%	Consumer Credit Card	550,058	537,681	566,406	2.3%	-2.9%
Overdrafts	3,216	6,814	4,583	-52.8%	-29.8%	Overdrafts	4,438	5,524	5,110	-19.7%	-13.2%
Total Loans	\$15,898,958	\$15,686,627	\$15,148,390	1.4%	5.0%	Total Loans	\$15,645,962	\$15,485,579	\$15,259,017	1.0%	2.5%
PPP ¹	21,814	35,271	307,936	-38.2%	-92.9%	PPP ¹	26,965	41,808	574,975	-35.5%	-95.3%
Total Loans excl. PPP	\$15,877,144	\$15,651,356	\$14,840,454	1.4%	7.0%	Total Loans excl. PPP	\$15,618,997	\$15,443,771	\$14,684,042	1.1%	6.4%

¹Paycheck protection program (PPP) loans are included in the business loan category

INCOME STATEMENT HIGHLIGHTS

\$ in millions	3Q22	Change vs.				Highlights
		2Q22		3Q21		
Net Interest Income	\$246.4	↑	\$14.0	↑	\$32.3	• Linked quarter (LQ) increase due to higher interest earned on loans, partly offset by lower interest earned on investment securities and higher interest expense
Non-Interest Income	\$138.5	↓	\$ (0.9)	↑	\$1.0	• See page 8
Non-Interest Expense	\$212.9	↓	\$ (0.6)	↑	\$1.3	• See page 9
Pre-Tax, Pre-Provision Net Revenue ¹	\$172.0	↑	\$13.7	↑	\$32.1	
Investment Securities Gains, Net	\$3.4	↑	\$2.4	↓	\$ (9.7)	• Q3 net gains of \$14.1 million on the private equity investment portfolio, partly offset by a loss of \$10.7 million on the sale of an AFS security
Provision for Credit Losses	\$15.3	↑	\$8.1	↑	\$22.7	• Q3 provision reflects builds in the ACL on loans and the liability for unfunded lending commitments of \$5.3 million and \$5.1 million, respectively.
Net-Income Attributable to Commerce Bancshares, Inc.	\$122.8	↑	\$7.0	↑	\$0.3	
For the three months ended	3Q22		2Q22		3Q21	
Net Income per Common Share – Diluted	\$1.02	↑	\$.96	↑	\$.99	
Net Yield on Interest Earning Assets	3.01%	↑	2.79%	↑	2.58%	• Higher rates on earning assets supported quarterly margin expansion

¹ See the non-GAAP reconciliation on page 18

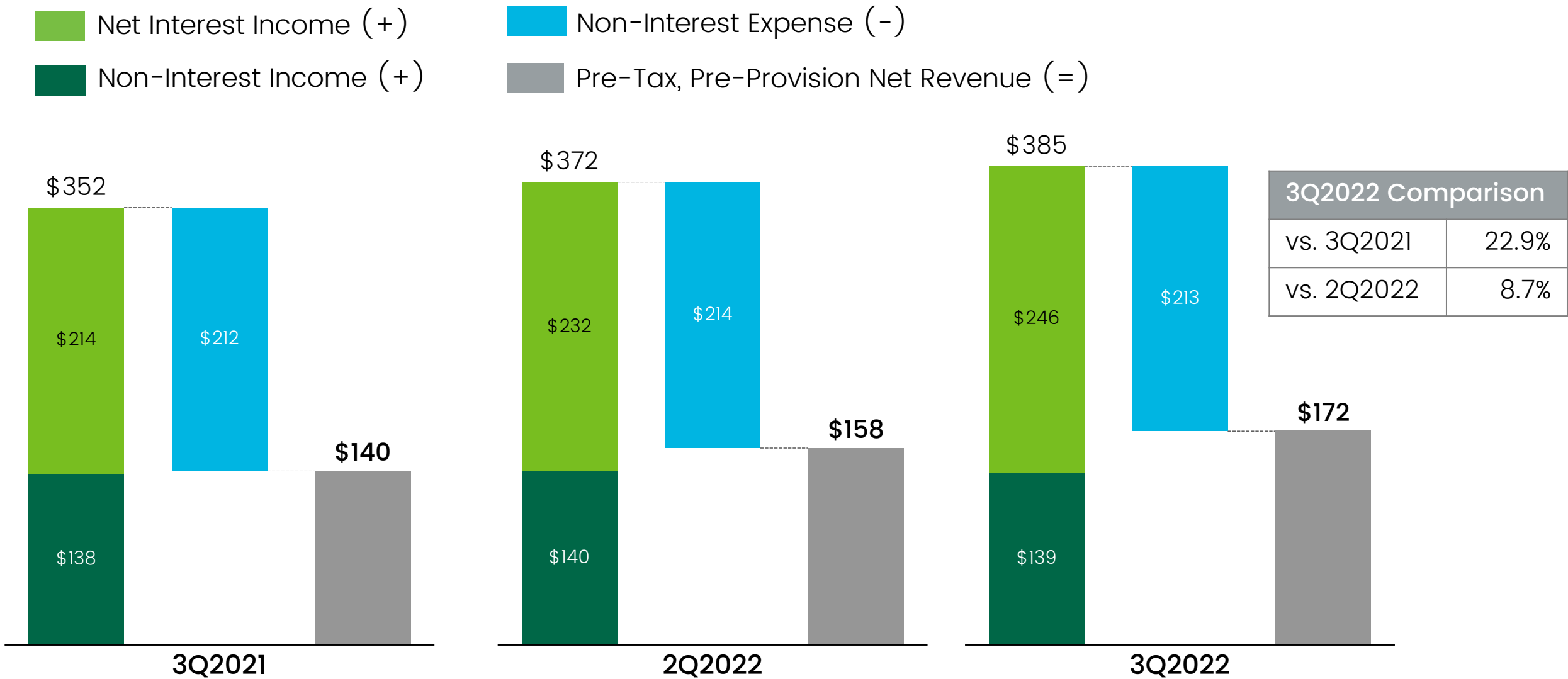
NON-INTEREST INCOME HIGHLIGHTS

\$ in millions	3Q22	Change vs.		3Q21	Highlights	
		2Q22				
Bank Card Transaction Fees	\$45.6	↑	\$1.8	↑	\$2.8	• Increase of 6.6% over prior year (PY) driven by growth in net corporate card fees
Trust Fees	\$45.4	↓	\$ (1.4)	↓	\$ (3.5)	• 3Q2022 reflects lower market values on assets under management
Deposit Account Charges and Other Fees	\$24.5	↓	\$ (1.0)	↓	\$ (.6)	• Decrease of 2.5% from PY mainly due to lower overdraft and return item fees
Capital Market Fees	\$3.4	↑	\$.1	↓	\$ (.4)	
Consumer Brokerage Services	\$5.1		—	↑	\$.2	
Loan Fees and Sales	\$3.1	↓	\$ (.2)	↓	\$ (3.7)	• Decline reflects lower mortgage banking revenue
Other	\$11.4	↓	\$ (.2)	↑	\$ 6.3	• Increase over PY mainly due to higher cash sweep commissions of \$3.4 million and a \$2.0 million loss on an equity method investment recorded in the 3rd quarter of 2021
Total Non-Interest Income	\$138.5	↓	\$ (0.9)	↑	\$1.0	

NON-INTEREST EXPENSE HIGHLIGHTS

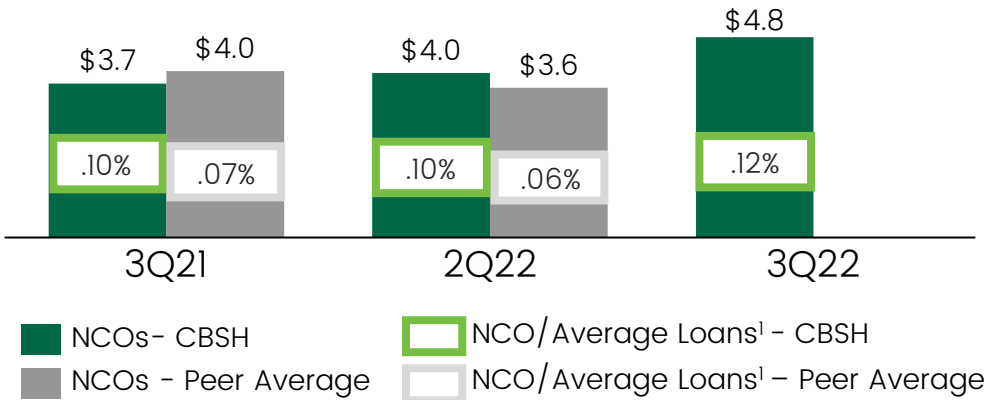
\$ in millions	3Q22	Change vs.		3Q21	Highlights
		2Q22			
Salaries and Employee Benefits	\$137.4	↓ \$ (4.8)	↑ \$4.6		- Increase of 3.4% over prior year (PY) due to higher full-time salaries expense partly offset by lower incentive compensation expense - Decrease from linked quarter (LQ) mainly due to an accrual of \$5.4 million in 2Q2022 for special bonuses to be paid to non-incentivized part-time and full-time employees
Net Occupancy	\$12.5	—	↑ \$0.2		
Equipment	\$5.0	↑ \$0.3	↑ \$0.6		
Supplies	\$4.6	↑ \$0.2	↑ \$0.1		
Data Processing and Software	\$28.1	↑ \$0.4	↑ \$2.5		Increase of 9.6% over PY due to higher software amortization, bank card processing fees and an increase in costs for service providers
Marketing	\$6.2	↓ \$ (0.4)	↑ \$0.6		
Other	\$19.1	↑ \$2.9	↓ \$ (7.2)		Decrease from PY due litigation settlement costs recorded last year, lower legal and professional fees and higher deferred loan origination costs, partly offset by increases in travel and entertainment expense and insurance expense
Total Non-Interest Expense	\$212.9	↓ \$ (0.6)	↑ \$1.3		

PRE-TAX, PRE-PROVISION NET REVENUE (PPNR)

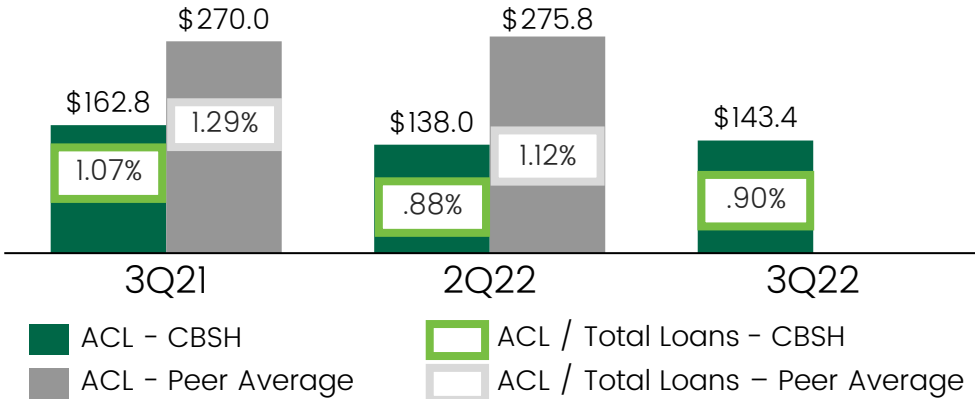


MAINTAINING STRONG CREDIT QUALITY

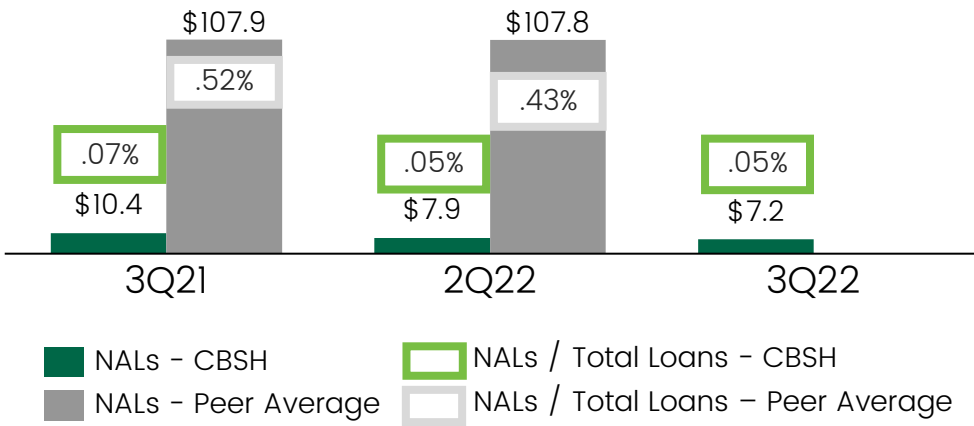
Net Loan Charge-Offs (NCOs)
\$ in millions



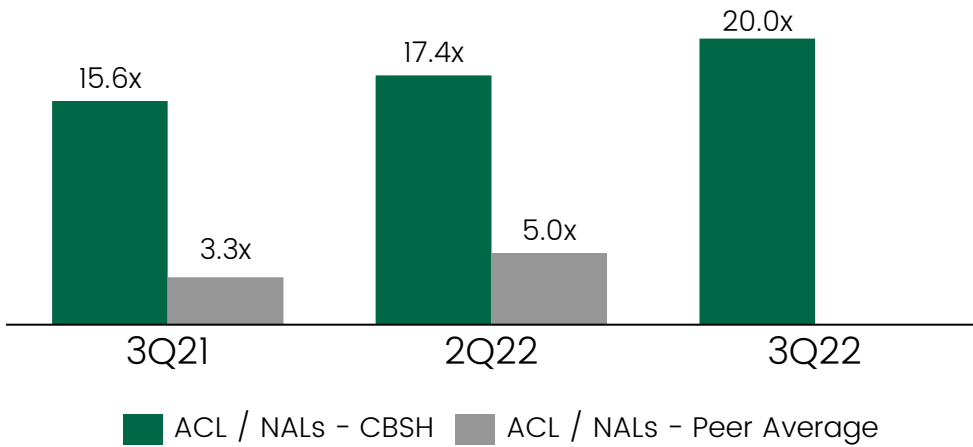
Allowance for Credit Losses on Loans (ACL)
\$ in millions



Non-Accrual Loans (NALs)
\$ in millions



Allowance for Credit Losses on Loans (ACL) to NALs



Percentages are illustrative and not to scale; Peer Banks include: ABCB, ASB, BOKF, CFR, FNB, FULT, HWC, ONB, OZK, PB, PNFP, SFNC, SNV, SSB, UMBF, UMPQ, UBSI, VLY, WTFC
¹As a percentage of average loans (excluding loans held for sale)

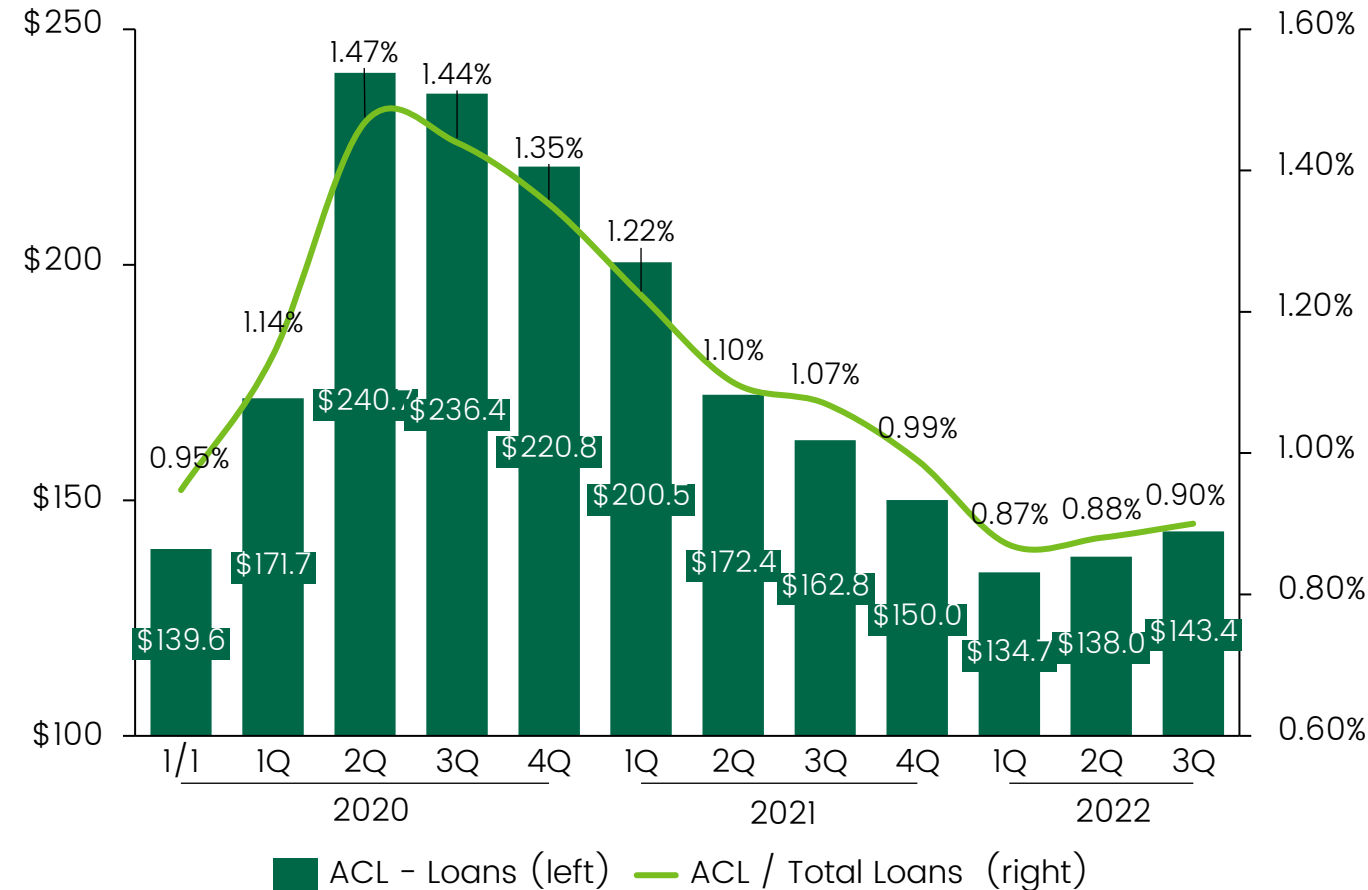
ALLOCATION OF ALLOWANCE

CECL allowances reflect the economic and market outlook

	June 30, 2022		September 30, 2022	
\$ in millions	Allowance for Credit Losses (ACL)	% of Outstanding Loans	Allowance for Credit Losses (ACL)	% of Outstanding Loans
Business	\$ 41.5	.76%	\$ 45.0	.81%
Bus R/E	29.9	.93%	28.7	.86%
Construction	28.1	2.22%	29.4	2.44%
Commercial total	\$ 99.5	1.00%	\$ 103.1	1.02%
Consumer	9.3	.45%	9.8	.46%
Consumer CC	21.3	3.81%	22.5	4.00%
Personal R/E	6.5	.23%	6.6	.23%
Revolving H/E	1.3	.47%	1.3	.47%
Overdrafts	.1	1.22%	.1	2.71%
Consumer total	\$ 38.5	.67%	\$ 40.3	.69%
Allowance for credit losses on loans	\$ 138.0	.88%	\$ 143.4	.90%

Allowance for Credit Losses (ACL) on Loans

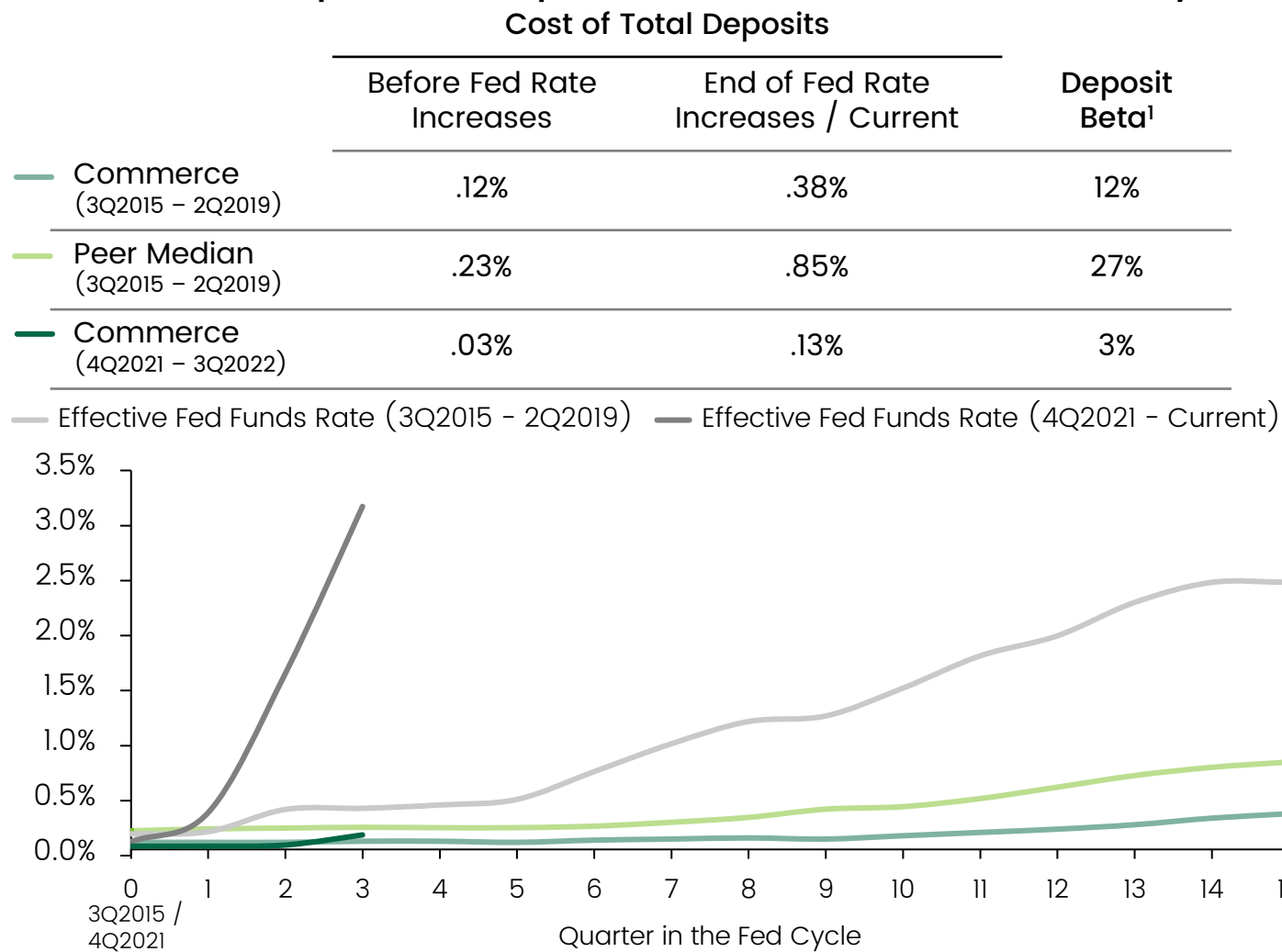
\$ in millions



WELL-POSITIONED FOR CURRENT ENVIRONMENT

WELL-POSITIONED FOR MULTIPLE RATE ENVIRONMENTS

Cost of Total Deposits & Deposit Beta: Prior & Current Fed Cycle



Source: S&P Global Market Intelligence, 2021 10-K, 2Q2022 10-Q
¹ Fed Rate increase cycle from 3Q2015 through 2Q2019, +225 bps; Fed Rate increase cycle from 4Q2021 through 3Q2022, +300 bps; ² As of June 30, 2022

Opportunities to enhance and protect NII in a rising rate environment.

- Investment securities portfolio duration of 3.9 years.
- Cash flows from maturities and paydowns of securities of \$2.4 billion expected over the next twelve months.
- Large core deposit base and historically low betas.
- Securities purchased under agreements to resell of \$1.3 billion maturing through 2025.
- 100 bps of gradual rate hikes impact NII over twelve months by reducing NII by \$2.7MM to increasing NII by \$23.5MM².
- As of December 31, 2021, 53% of loans were variable rate, (62% commercial, 38% consumer).

3Q2022 Hedging actions:

Entered into one 2.5% floor contract (indexed to 1 Month SOFR) with a notional value of \$500 million, to hedge the risk of declining interest rates on floating rate commercial loans. The contract begins 1/2024 and has a term of 6 years.

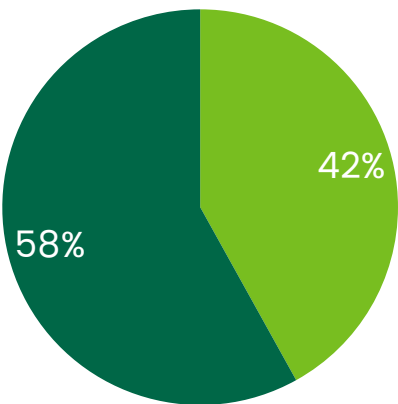
SUMMARY OF FIXED & FLOATING LOANS

Over 50% of total loans are variable; 62% of commercial loans have floating rates

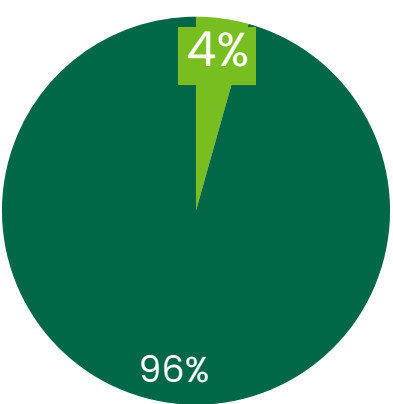


Commercial

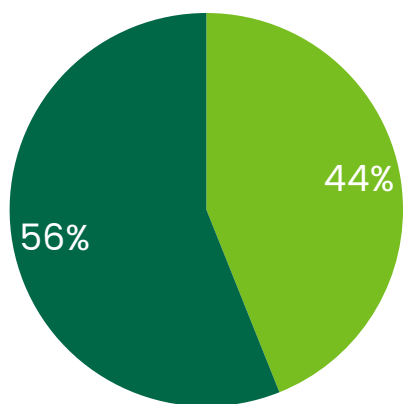
Business
Total Loans: \$5.3B



Construction
Total Loans: \$1.1B

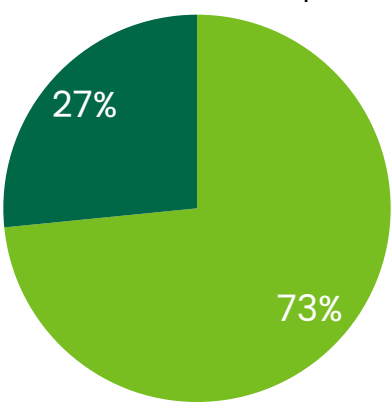


Business RE
Total Loans: \$3.1B

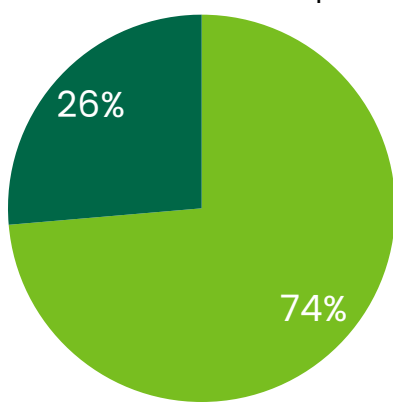


Consumer

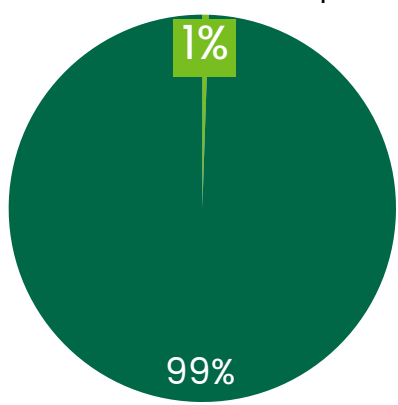
Personal RE
Total Loans: \$2.8B



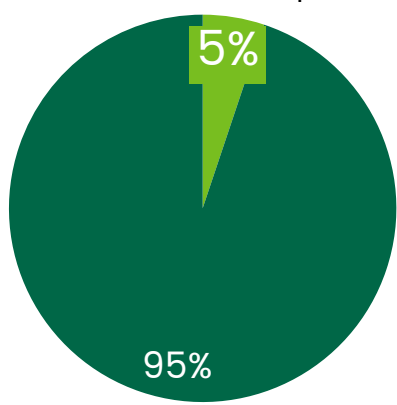
Consumer
Total Loans: \$2.0B



HELOC
Total Loans: \$0.3B



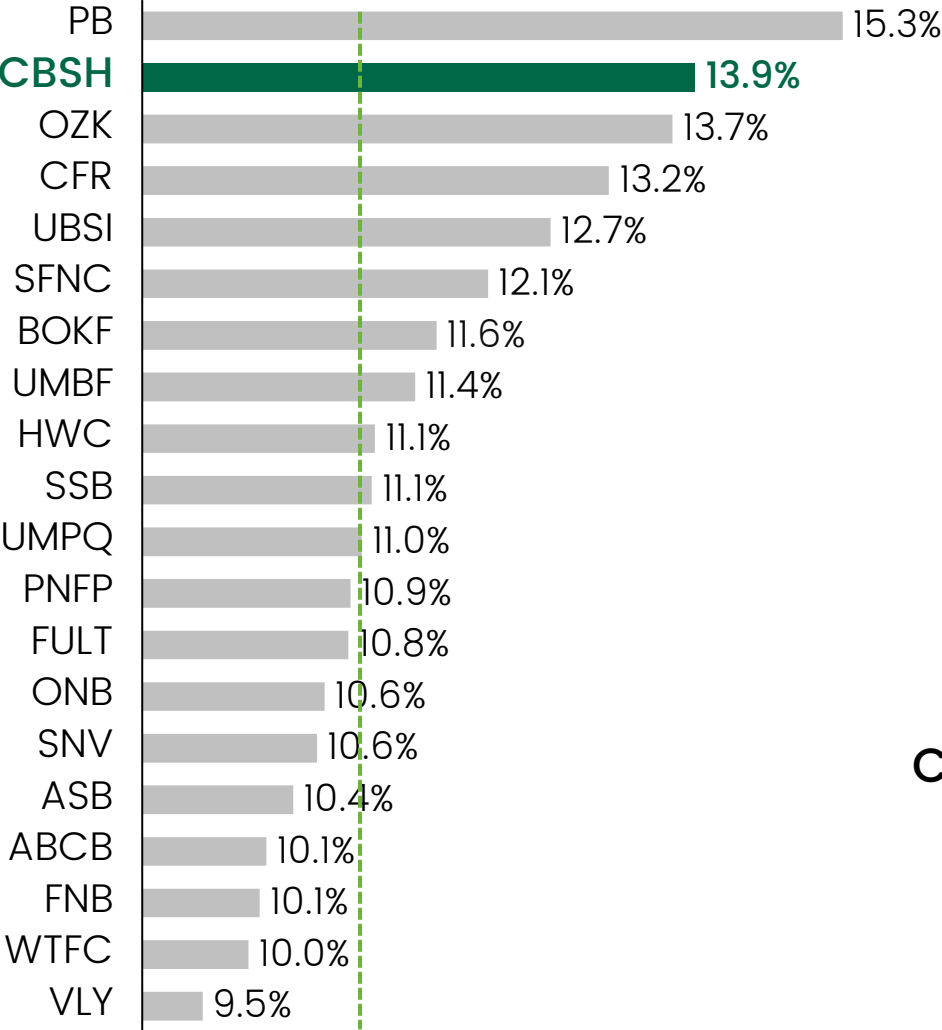
Consumer Card
Total Loans: \$0.6B



SOUND CAPITAL AND LIQUIDITY POSITION

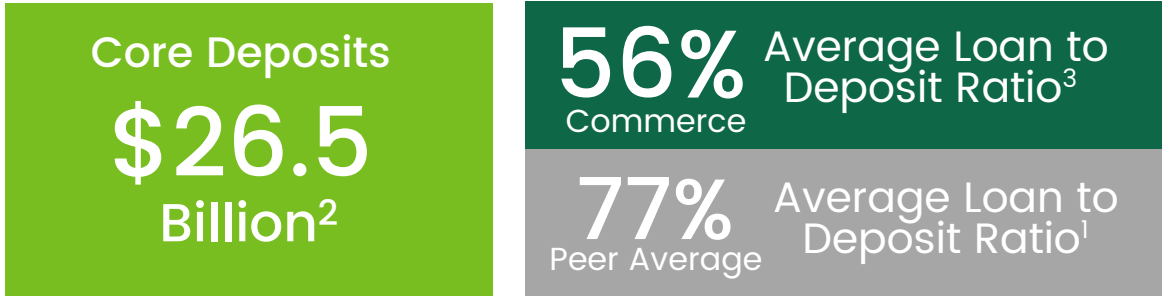
Tier 1 Risk-Based Capital Ratio¹

Peer Median: 11.0%

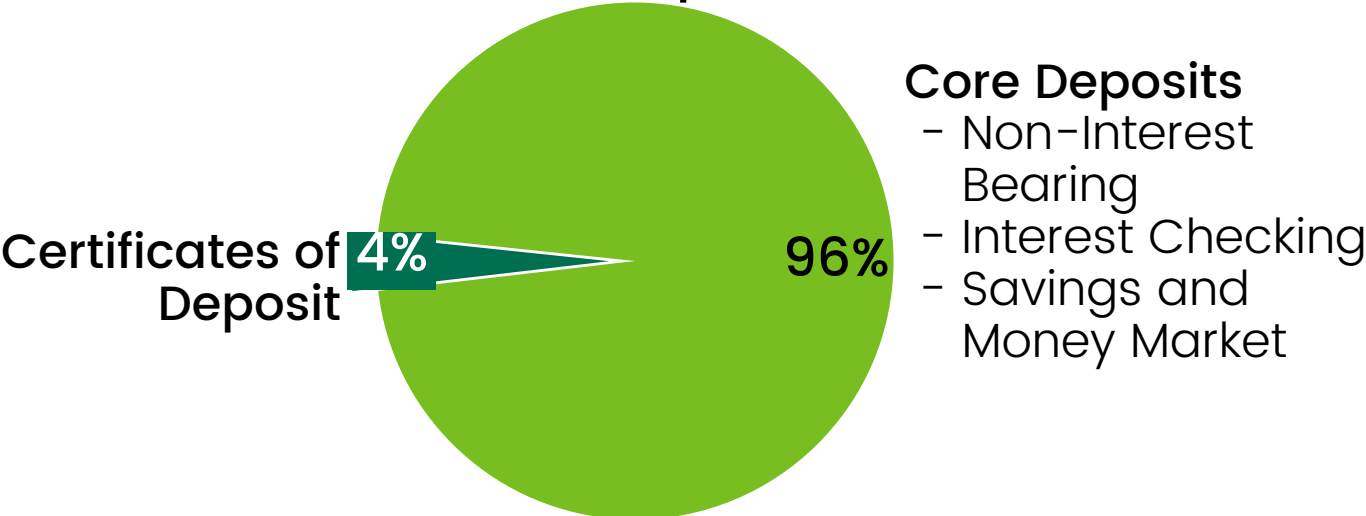


Loan to Deposit Ratio

Large, stable deposit base



Total Deposits



¹S&P Global Market Intelligence, Information as of June 30, 2022
²Period-end balances, as of September 30, 2022
³Includes loans held for sale, for the quarter ended September 30, 2022

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Quick Facts:

Small Business Investment
Company (SBIC) founded in 1959

Nationwide footprint with Greater
Midwest Focus

35 Portfolio Companies
Representing
\$909 million in Revenue
Over 3,500 Employees

Fair Value as of September 30, 2022:
\$176.3 million

Investment Criteria

- Manufacturing, distribution and certain service companies
- Cash flow positive
- Good management
- Consistent financial performers
- Operate in niche markets
- Significant and defensible market positions
- Differentiated products and services
- Scalable business platforms

Target Parameters

- Revenues – \$10 million to \$100 million
- EBITDA – \$2 million to \$7 million

Transaction Types

Management buyouts
Leveraged buyouts
Succession plans
Recapitalizations
Corporate divestitures

Investment Structures

Subordinated debt
Preferred stock
Common stock
Warrants

Other Information

Co-investors
Majority control
Target 5–7 year hold period
Management participation



NON-GAAP RECONCILIATIONS

Pre-tax, Pre-provision Net Revenue

		For The Three Months Ended		
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)		Sep. 30, 2022	Jun. 30, 2022	Sep. 30, 2021
A	Net Interest Income	\$ 246,373	\$ 232,385	\$ 214,037
B	Non-Interest Income	\$ 138,514	\$ 139,427	\$ 137,506
C	Non-Interest Expense	\$ 212,884	\$ 213,505	\$ 211,620
Pre-Provision Net Revenue (A+B-C)		\$ 172,003	\$ 158,307	\$ 139,923

