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9M'21 **Earnings Presentation** 



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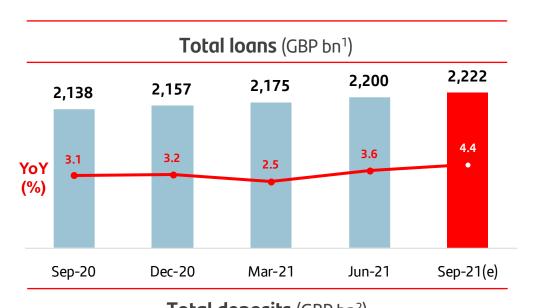


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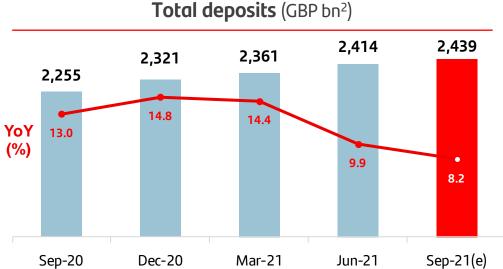


## Temporary government policy changes have boosted the mortgage market





- Mortgage lending growth to remain elevated by recent historic standards due to low mortgage rates and loose credit conditions
- The consumer credit market is expected to see positive growth now that all restrictions on social distancing have been removed
- Corporate borrowing growth is set to slow this year as demand for bank loans reduces and companies focus on repaying debt



- After being elevated while restrictions remained in place, retail deposit flows are now expected to start falling back towards more typical levels
- Corporate deposit growth is set to ease on account of firms having built up adequate buffers from the substantial government support provided



Total loans includes household (mortgages and consumer credit) plus corporate loans.

Total deposits include household deposits (with banks and NS&I) and corporate deposits, excluding cash holdings.

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## Customer focused strategy with a resilient balance sheet

	KEY DATA	9M′21	YoY Var.
	Customer loans <sup>1</sup>	GBP 209.2 bn	+1.5%
	Customer funds <sup>2</sup>	GBP 200.8 bn	+2.7%
	Underlying att. profit	GBP 989 mn	+407.3%
<u>~~</u>	Underlying RoTE	11.5%	+9 pp
( <u>(</u> )	Efficiency ratio	53.4%	-1,266 bps
	Loans market share <sup>3</sup>	9.3%	-24 bps
	Deposits market share <sup>3</sup>	7.8%	-41 bps
0	Loyal customers	4.4 mn	-1.8%
	Digital customers	6.5 mn	+5.2%
	Branches	450	-20.2%
00	Employees	20,008	-12.0%



## **STRATEGIC PRIORITIES**

- Deliver growth through customer loyalty and outstanding customer experience
- Simplify and digitalize the business for improved efficiency and returns
- Engage, motivate and develop a talented and diverse team
- Be a responsible and sustainable business



<sup>(2)</sup> Excluding repos.

<sup>(3)</sup> As at Jun-21. Includes London Branch.

## Committed to improving customer loyalty, supported by our enhanced digital offering



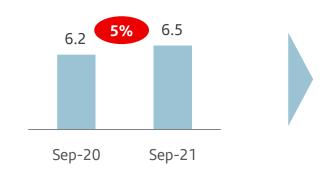
## Loyal customers (mn)



Loyal / Active: 31% (flat YoY)

- We remain focused on customer loyalty, simplification, improved efficiency and sustainable growth. As anticipated, loyal customer growth was impacted by the 1I2I3 Current Account repricing
- We provided over 368 k payment holidays and GBP 4.7 billion of government backed business loans to support customers through the covid-19 pandemic
- We achieved lending growth in 9M'21, particularly in mortgages (up GBP 5.2 billion) and customer deposits (up GBP 1.5 billion)

#### **Digital customers** (mn)



Digital sales / total<sup>1</sup>: 85% (+4 pp YoY)

- Mobile customers: +11% YoY
- Enhanced digital capability attracted a further 322,500 digital customers, growth of 5% YoY
- 71% of our refinanced mortgages were retained online, 90% of current account openings (+8 pp YoY) and 97% of credit card openings were made through digital channels (+7 pp YoY)



## Business transformation is supported by deeper customer relationships



#### Push Off Politely – Scam awareness campaign<sup>1</sup>

### Digitising for improved customer experience

#### Well established UK market position



Partnered with the Chelsea Pensioners – to grant the nation permission to say Push Off to fraudsters. Delivered online, print and broadcast coverage achieving c. 2.2 mn views. The videos were also used on screens in branches across the UK network, helping to further spread a key piece of advice to customers on avoiding scams.



1.5 k

New mobile users per day in 9M'21



c.307 mn

Total digital transactions<sup>2</sup> in 9M'21

18% YoY











(1) Campaign launched on 14 July 2021

(2) Total retail customer with financial transactions made online or on mobile. These transactions include internal transfers, third party payments and Paym.

## Further embedding ESG to build a more responsible bank





## **Environmental:** supporting the green transition

## Helping customers go green<sup>1</sup>

1st GBP 3.3 bn

Top UK lender for Green Finance renewables, 2020 since 2019

'Net Zero with Nature' Founding Partner for UK National Parks nature restoration initiative

## Going green ourselves

98%

single-use plastic removed from sites Carbon Neutral in

our own operations

## Aligning to Paris targets

95%<sup>2</sup> mortgage >230 large clients lending at negligible engaged as part of or very low flood risk CBES preparation



## Social: building a more inclusive society

#### Talented & diverse team

Top Employer in the UK and Europe, Top Employers Institute<sup>3</sup>

**24.3%** women in leadership positions

## Financially empowering people

>119,0004 >607 k

Unique downloads of people since number games initiative to 2019 help improve maths skills

### **Supporting society**

>15 k people 3,480

helped in H1'21 scholarships

granted in H1'21



### A strong culture

Simple, Personal, Fair

#### Remuneration policy

takes account of people and sustainability performance

## **Enhanced ESG governance**

**24 Sustainability Business Partners** embedding ESG across the bank

Established climate governance with Board oversight and executive leads



Note: H1'21 data not audited

Banco Santander United Kingdom metrics. Renewables rank - Information League Tables

2020 assessment of our UK mortgage portfolio, see page 26, 2020 Santander UK Strategic Report

Top 10 company to work for

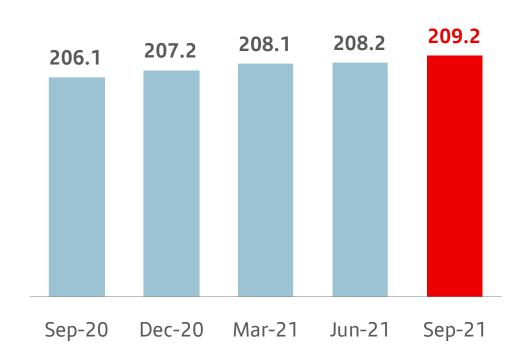
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## Strong demand for mortgages and government-backed business loans drove volumes up 1%



Total customer loans (GBP bn)<sup>1</sup>



_	Sep-21	Sep-20	YoY (%)	QoQ (%)
Individuals <sup>2</sup>	180.2	173.0	4.2	1.0
o/w Mortgages <sup>3</sup>	173.7	166.3	4.4	1.0
SMEs	3.7	3.5	5.2	-4.7
Corporates	16.7	18.2	-8.5	-2.5
CIB	3.0	5.4	-44.7	-27.2
Other	5.7	6.1	-7.1	18.6
Total customer loans	209.2	206.1	1.5	0.4



Group criteria.

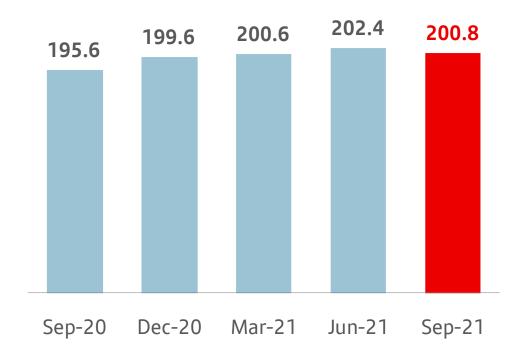
(1) Excludes reverse repos.

(2) Includes Private Banking.



# As a result of pandemic restrictions, spending contracted increasing customer funds, mainly in retail banking and corporate demand deposits

## **Total customer funds** (GBP bn)



_	Sep-21	Sep-20	YoY (%)	QoQ (%)
Demand	181.9	169.4	7.4	-0.1
Time <sup>1</sup>	11.6	19.5	-40.5	-10.5
Total deposits	193.4	188.9	2.4	-0.8
Mutual Funds <sup>2</sup>	7.4	6.7	9.9	0.4
Total customer funds	200.8	195.6	2.7	-0.8



Group criteria.

<sup>1)</sup> Time deposits include ISAs.

<sup>(2)</sup> Third-party off-balance sheet assets originated by Santander Asset Management in the United Kingdom.

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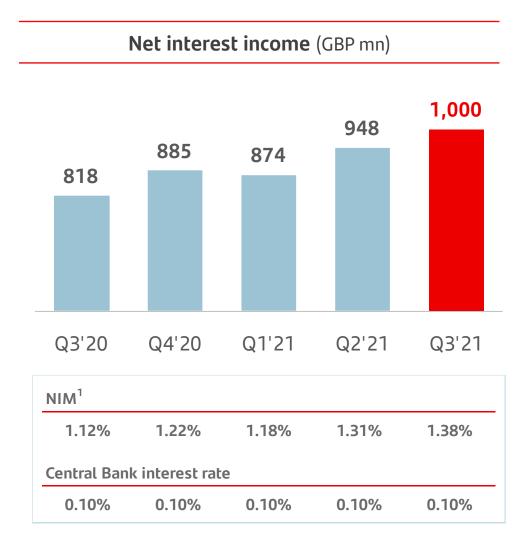


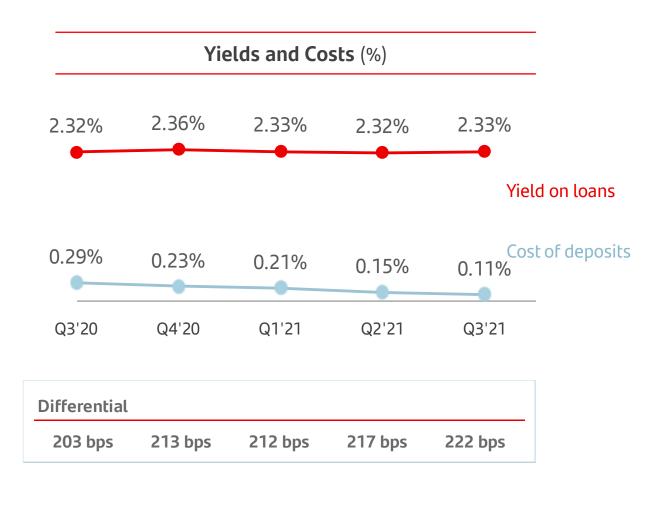
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## NII continued its positive trend supported by deposit repricing actions and higher customer volumes





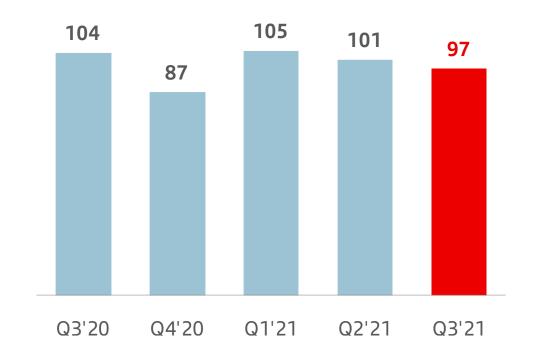




## Reduced fee income from regulatory changes to overdrafts that took effect in April 2020



## **Net fee income** (GBP mn)



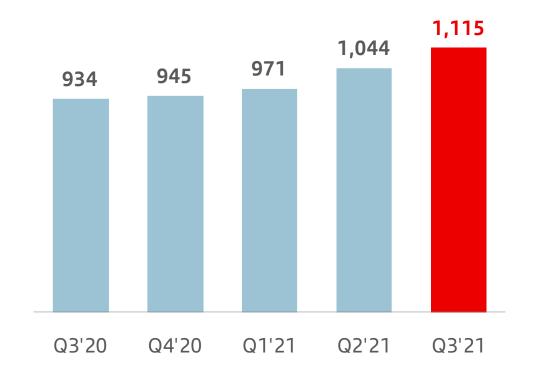
	9M'21	9M'20	YoY (%)	QoQ (%)
Transactional fees	224	281	-20.2	-23.0
of which overdraft fees	3	57	-95.0	2.0
Investment and pension funds	51	51	-0.3	8.5
Insurance	36	38	-5.2	8.4
Other	(9)	(18)	-51.5	-
Total net fee income	304	352	-13.8	-3.7



## Total income grew 21% YoY driven by margin management and higher mortgage activity



## **Total income** (GBP mn)



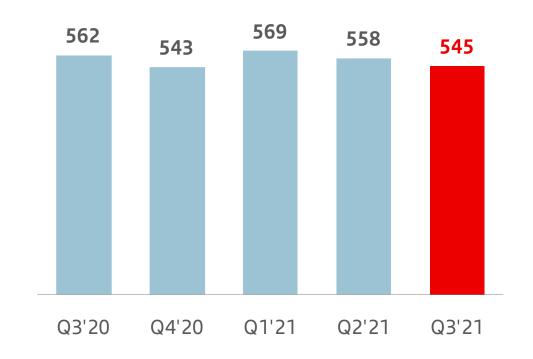
_	9M'21	9M'20	YoY (%)	QoQ (%)
Net interest income	2,822	2,230	26.6	5.4
Net fee income	304	352	-13.8	-3.7
Customer revenue	3,126	2,582	21.1	4.5
Other <sup>1</sup>	4	11	-59.7	-
Total income	3,130	2,593	20.7	6.8



# Our transformation strategy is paying-off, delivering a sustainable decrease in cost base, partially offset by IT investments



## **Operating expenses** (GBP mn)

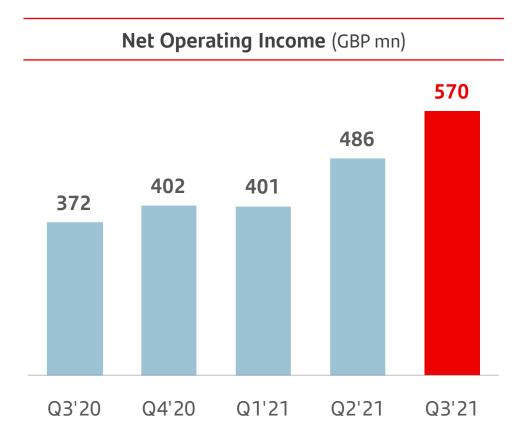


	9M'21	9M'20	YoY (%)	QoQ (%)
Operating Expenses	1,673	1,714	-2.4	-2.3
Branches (#)	450	564	-20.2	-18.6
Employees (#)	20,008	22,741	-12.0	-4.1









-	9M'21	9M'20	YoY (%)	QoQ (%)
Total income	3,130	2,593	20.7	6.8
Operating Expenses	(1,673)	(1,714)	-2.4	-2.3
Net operating income	1,457	879	65.8	17.3
Efficiency ratio	53.4%	66.1%	-1,266 bps	



## Our extremely cautious policy during 2020 led us to release LLPs in 2021 driving results



Net LLPs (GBP mn)							
163							
	89						
		16		1			
-75							
Q3'20	Q4'20	Q1'21	Q2'21	Q3'21			

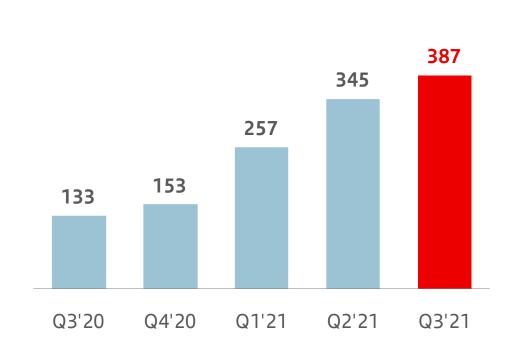
_	9M'21	9M'20	YoY (%)	QoQ (%)
Net operating income	1,457	879	65.8	17.3
Loan-loss provisions	58	(513)	-	-
Net operating income after provisions	1,515	366	313.6	1.3
NPL ratio	1.27%	1.33%	-6 bps	-3 bps
Cost of credit <sup>1</sup>	0.01%	0.26%	-25 bps	-7 bps
Coverage ratio	37%	42%	-5.1 pp	-0.8 pp



# Strong operating performance and LLP releases drove our underlying profit to increase five-fold



## **Underlying Attributable Profit** (GBP mn)



	9M'21	9M'20	YoY (%)	QoQ (%)
PBT	1,401	273	413.9	5.6
Tax on profit	(412)	(78)	430.6	-8.3
Consolidated profit	989	195	407.3	12.2
Minority interests	0	(O)	-	-
Underlying attributable profit	989	195	407.3	12.2
Effective tax rate	29.4%	28.5%	0.9 рр	



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# Delivered another strong financial performance in Q3 while continuing to support our customers, colleagues and communities



### **Financial System**

- The UK economic environment has faced a range of challenges over the last 18 months from Brexit, the weakening global environment and most significantly the covid-19 crisis which resulted in a sharp fall in growth in Q2'20
- The outlook for 2021 has been more positive following the success of the vaccination programme in alleviating the health crisis and allowing social restrictions to be lifted and economic activity to resume

# Strategy & Business

- Supported by strong mortgage lending dynamics, NII continued its good growth trend
- In volumes terms, continued growth in lending +1% driven by mortgages (+4% YoY) and SMEs (+5%). Deposit volumes up 2%, mainly driven by Retail Banking growth
- Focus on digital has increased during the covid-19 crisis, with digital customers increasing 5%, and mobile customers up 11%. 71% of our refinanced mortgages were retained online, 90% of current account openings (+8 pp YoY) and 97% of credit card openings were made through digital channels (+7 pp YoY)

#### Results

- Strong revenue improvement driven by margin management and mortgage volume growth
- Costs continued their downward trend reflecting progress in our transformation programme, resulting in strong efficiency improvement (-12.7 pp)
- ▶ Slight LLP charge in the quarter, which added to releases in Q2 drove cost of credit below 10 bps
- For the first 9 months, net profit soared, increasing five-fold compared to the same period of 2020



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## Balance sheet



GBP million			Variat	ion
	Sep-21	Sep-20	Amount	%
Loans and advances to customers	224,702	225,555	(853)	(0.4)
Cash, central banks and credit institutions	51,762	42,305	9,457	22.4
Debt instruments	6,893	12,624	(5,731)	(45.4)
Other financial assets	464	1,609	(1,145)	(71.1)
Other asset accounts	5,289	8,295	(3,006)	(36.2)
Total assets	289,110	290,388	(1,278)	(0.4)
Customer deposits	208,257	203,726	4,531	2.2
Central banks and credit institutions	26,345	15,576	10,769	69.1
Marketable debt securities	35,897	51,493	(15,596)	(30.3)
Other financial liabilities	2,484	2,680	(196)	(7.3)
Other liabilities accounts	2,757	3,967	(1,210)	(30.5)
Total liabilities	275,740	277,442	(1,703)	(0.6)
Total equity	13,371	12,946	425	3.3
Other managed customer funds	7,406	6,807	599	8.8
Mutual funds	7,406	6,736	670	9.9
Pension funds	_	_	_	-
Managed portfolios	_	71	(71)	(100.0)



## Income statement



GBP million			Variati	ion
	9M'21	9M'20	Amount	%
Net interest income	2,822	2,230	592	26.6
Net fee income	304	352	(49)	(13.8)
Gains (losses) on financial transactions	2	11	(9)	(85.4)
Other operating income	3	(0)	3	-
Total income	3,130	2,593	537	20.7
Operating expenses	(1,673)	(1,714)	41	(2.4)
Net operating income	1,457	879	578	65.8
Net loan-loss provisions	58	(513)	571	_
Other gains (losses) and provisions	(114)	(94)	(20)	21.9
Underlying profit before tax	1,401	273	1,128	413.9
Tax on profit	(412)	(78)	(335)	430.6
Underlying profit from continuing operations	989	195	794	407.3
Net profit from discontinued operations	_	_	_	_
Underlying consolidated profit	989	195	794	407.3
Non-controlling interests	_	(0)	0	(100.0)
Underlying attributable profit to the parent	989	195	794	407.3



## Quarterly income statements

## **GBP** million

	Q1'20	Q2'20	Q3'20	Q4'20	Q1'21	Q2'21	Q3'21
Net interest income	706	706	818	885	874	948	1,000
Net fee income	163	85	104	87	105	101	97
Gains (losses) on financial transactions	(3)	2	13	(29)	(11)	(3)	16
Other operating income	1	(1)	(0)	1	2	(2)	2
Total income	867	791	934	945	971	1,044	1,115
Operating expenses	(591)	(560)	(562)	(543)	(569)	(558)	(545)
Net operating income	276	231	372	402	401	486	570
Net loan-loss provisions	(153)	(197)	(163)	(89)	(16)	75	(1)
Other gains (losses) and provisions	(61)	(5)	(27)	(134)	(27)	(54)	(33)
Underlying profit before tax	62	28	182	179	358	507	536
Tax on profit	(17)	(11)	(49)	(26)	(102)	(162)	(149)
Underlying profit from continuing operations	45	17	133	153	257	345	387
Net profit from discontinued operations	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Underlying consolidated profit	45	17	133	153	257	345	387
Non-controlling interests	(0)	(0)	(0)	0	_	_	_
Underlying attributable profit to the parent	45	17	133	153	257	345	387



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Our purpose is to help people and businesses prosper.

Our culture is based on believing that everything we do should be:

## Simple Personal Fair





