

# Arab National Bank

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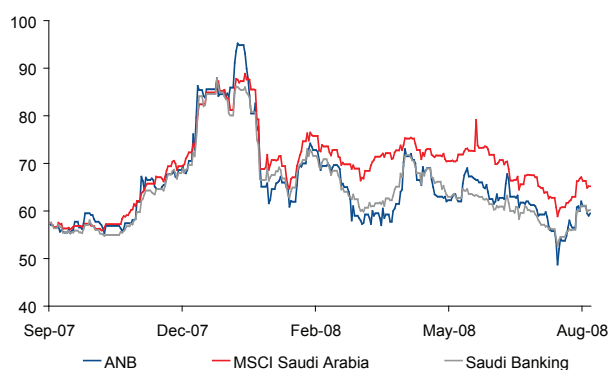
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### Key Data

| Closing Price*      | Avg. Value Traded per Day |
|---------------------|---------------------------|
| SAR 59.50           | SAR 14 million            |
| 52-Week High        | Market Cap                |
| SAR 95.20           | SAR 38.7 billion          |
| 52-Week Low         | Shares Outstanding        |
| SAR 48.75           | 650 million               |
| Reuters             | Bloomberg                 |
| 1080.SE             | ARNB AB                   |
| Ownership Structure |                           |
| Closely Held: 67%   | Public: 33%               |

\* As of September 01, 2008. Sources: Reuters, Tadawul, and NBK Capital

### Rebased Performance



Sources: Reuters and NBK Capital

### Key Ratios

|                     | 2007 a | 2008 f | 2009 f | 2010 f | 2011 f |
|---------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| P/B (latest)        | 3.3    | 3.0    | 2.5    | 2.1    | 1.8    |
| P/E (latest)        | 15.4   | 14.0   | 12.2   | 9.6    | 8.3    |
| Net Profit Growth   | -1.7%  | 12.6%  | 14.0%  | 27.7%  | 15.2%  |
| RoAE                | 26.6%  | 23.5%  | 22.1%  | 23.7%  | 22.9%  |
| RoAA                | 2.9%   | 2.6%   | 2.3%   | 2.5%   | 2.5%   |
| Net Interest Margin | 3.7%   | 3.7%   | 3.5%   | 3.4%   | 3.3%   |
| Dividend Payout     | 0.0%   | 28.2%  | 29.4%  | 29.3%  | 29.8%  |

| 2Q2008 Net Profit a | 2Q2008 Net Profit f |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| SAR 752 million     | SAR 735 million     |
| 3Q2008 Net Profit f | 4Q2008 Net Profit f |
| SAR 656 million     | SAR 689 million     |

a = actual, f = forecast. Sources: Reuters and NBK Capital

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### Highlights

**12-Month Fair Value: SAR 76.50**

**Recommendation: Buy – Risk Level\*\*: 2**

**Reason for Report: Second Quarter 2008 Update**

- Our estimate of ANB's 12-month fair value per share stands at SAR 76.50, 29% above the share's closing price as of September 01; hence, our "Buy" recommendation. This value is 17% below our previous fair value of SAR 92.30 per share. A lower expected dividend stream is one main reason for the drop in our fair value per share. We have lowered our forecast for ANB's dividend payout ratio due to declining capital adequacy, and particularly given the bank's need to support more rapid growth in lending than we previously predicted.
- ANB achieved a net profit of SAR 1,424 million in 1H2008, in line with our SAR 1,407 million forecast (a difference of 1.2%). Loans and deposits grew by 14% and 15%, respectively, in 1H2008, faster than we predicted. The rapid expansion in the balance sheet led growth in net interest income (+22% in 1H2008) to exceed our 18% forecast.
- ANB achieved a year-on-year net profit growth of 5% and 4% in 1Q2008 and 2Q2008, respectively. Net interest income was the main driver of earnings, growing year-on-year by 27% and 18% in 1Q2008 and 2Q2008, respectively. Income from fees and commissions was weak, dropping by 6% in 1H2008 compared with 1H2007. Investment returns were a drag on profitability in 1H2008, with an overall net investment loss of SAR 114 million. Costs were under control, growing by 11% in 1H2008 compared with 1H2007. This was in line with our 15% forecast for the full year.
- The major change in our forecast relates to faster growth in ANB's loan book than initially predicted, which is in turn driven by more rapid growth in the sector as a whole. We now forecast ANB's loans to grow by a CAGR of 20% in the five years ending in 2012. This leads to an increase in our forecasted net interest income CAGR from 13.6% to 17.6% over the same period. We now forecast net profit to grow by a CAGR of 17% between 2007 and 2012, as opposed to our earlier forecast of 15%.

\*\* Please refer to the last page for recommendations and risk ratings.

## VALUATION

Our estimate of ANB's 12-month fair value per share stands at SAR 76.50, 29% above the share's closing price as of September 01, 2008; hence, our "Buy" recommendation. This value is 17% lower than our previous fair value of SAR 92.30 per share. We have lowered our forecast for ANB's dividend payout ratio due to declining capital adequacy, and especially with the bank's need to support the more rapid growth in lending than we previously predicted. Another major reason for the decline in fair value is the use of a lower perpetual growth rate than before. We have lowered our perpetual growth rate from 6% to 5.5% on the back of continued agitation in the global economy, as the credit crunch refuses to subside and there are increasing signs of a slowdown in the economies of the world's major economic blocks, specifically, the United States, the European Union, and Japan.

**Figure 1 Weighted Average Fair Value per Share**

| Valuation Method                   | Value (SAR)  | Weight (%)  |
|------------------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| Discounted Equity Cash Flow (DECF) | 83.90        | 60%         |
| Dividend Discount Model (DDM)      | 63.10        | 30%         |
| Peer-Based Valuation               | 72.20        | 10%         |
| <b>Weighted Average Fair Value</b> | <b>76.50</b> | <b>100%</b> |

Source: NBK Capital

*Our 12-month fair value  
for ANB is SAR 76.50*

## PERFORMANCE IN 1Q2008 AND 2Q2008

ANB achieved a net profit of SAR 1,424 million in 1H2008, 4% over 1H2007 and in line with our SAR 1,407 million forecast (a difference of 1.2%). Net interest income was the main driver of earnings, growing by 27% and 18% in 1Q2008 and 2Q2008, respectively. This was driven by a quicker drop in funding costs than in asset yields, following the decline in interest rates, and a 14% growth in net loans in 1H2008. Income from fees and commissions was weak, dropping by 5% and 8% in 1Q2008 and 2Q2008, respectively. The growth in fees derived from core-banking operations was outweighed by a drop in fees derived from non-core banking operations. The decline in brokerage commissions on the back of a 14% drop in the value traded on the Saudi Stock Exchange (Tadawul) in 1H2008 compared with 1H2007 is one reason for the drop in fees in 1H2008.

Investment returns were a drag on profitability in 1H2008. ANB incurred a combined net investment loss of SAR 156 million in 1Q2008. This loss is partly related to exposure to structured investment vehicles (SIVs) and collateralized debt obligations (CDOs). Further provisions for such instruments are possible in 2H2008 and 2009; nevertheless, we believe any additional provisions will not have a major effect on profitability owing to robust growth in the bank's core banking operations. Net loan loss provisions were low, standing at SAR 15 million and SAR 23 million in 1Q2008 and 2Q2008, respectively. With a NPLs-to-gross loans ratio of 0.5% and an NPL coverage ratio of 354% at the end of 2007, ANB has significant leeway in not taking much provisions going forward. Costs have been kept under control, expanding by 8% and 15% in 1Q2008 and 2Q2008, respectively, leading to a drop in the cost-to-income ratio to 34% in 1H2008, down from 36% in 2007.

**Figure 2 1Q2008 and 2Q2008 Performance - Income Statement**

*Net profit grew by 5% and 4% in 1Q2008 and 2Q2008, respectively, driven by a 27% and 18% increase in net interest income*

| Income Statement ('000 SAR)   | 1Q2008         | 2Q2008         | 1Q2008 Y-on-Y Change % | 2Q2008 Y-on-Y Change % |
|-------------------------------|----------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Net Interest Income           | 875,162        | 855,046        | 27.0%                  | 17.6%                  |
| Net Fee and Commission Income | 203,961        | 196,491        | -5.2%                  | -7.5%                  |
| Total Investment Income       | (156,243)      | 42,165         | n/m                    | -61.1%                 |
| Total Operating Income        | 1,045,609      | 1,179,136      | 5.1%                   | 6.4%                   |
| Provisions for Credit Losses  | (14,997)       | (23,125)       | -19.1%                 | -25.8%                 |
| Total Costs                   | (358,427)      | (403,849)      | 7.6%                   | 14.7%                  |
| <b>Net Profit</b>             | <b>672,185</b> | <b>752,162</b> | <b>4.6%</b>            | <b>3.8%</b>            |

Sources: ANB's financial statements and NBK Capital

In terms of balance sheet growth, ANB outperformed our forecasts with both net loans and deposits growing quicker than expected. Net loans expanded by 7% in each of 1Q2008 and 2Q2008, driving up the growth in 1H2008 to 14%, indicating that our prior forecast of 19% for the full year will likely be exceeded. Deposits expanded by a very similar rate, growing 7% and 8% in 1Q2008 and 2Q2008, respectively, maintaining the loans-to-deposits ratio at 82% as of June 2008.

**Figure 3 Growth in the Balance Sheet - Quarter on Quarter**

*Growth in the balance sheet was rapid, with loans and deposits growing hand-in-hand at around 7% in 1Q2008 and 2Q2008*

| Balance Sheet ('000 SAR)      | 1Q2008 Change % | Mar-08             | 2Q2008 Change % | Jun-08             |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| Cash and balances with SAMA   | 25.6%           | 10,334,229         | 14.8%           | 11,863,054         |
| Due from Banks                | 123.8%          | 2,896,135          | 14.6%           | 3,319,454          |
| Net Investments               | 5.0%            | 22,070,555         | 1.0%            | 22,291,861         |
| <b>Net Loans and Advances</b> | <b>6.9%</b>     | <b>65,322,234</b>  | <b>7.0%</b>     | <b>69,882,715</b>  |
| <b>Total Assets</b>           | <b>10.1%</b>    | <b>103,964,154</b> | <b>6.1%</b>     | <b>110,329,896</b> |
| Due to Banks                  | 104.0%          | 9,071,302          | -2.0%           | 8,893,088          |
| <b>Deposits</b>               | <b>7.0%</b>     | <b>78,844,431</b>  | <b>7.7%</b>     | <b>84,914,695</b>  |
| Shareholders' Equity          | 5.3%            | 11,086,055         | 6.0%            | 11,748,458         |

Sources: ANB's financial statements and NBK Capital

Cash and balances with SAMA increased by 44% in 1H2008, partly driven by the repeated increase in the reserve requirements during that period. Total assets stood at SAR 110 billion at the end of June, having increased by 10% and 6% in 1Q2008 and 2Q2008, respectively.

## OUTLOOK AND FORECASTS

One major change we made to our forecasts relates to more rapid growth in ANB's loan book, primarily driven by faster growth in the sector as a whole. We now forecast ANB's loan book to grow by a CAGR of 20.5% between 2007 and 2012, as compared with our prior forecast of 16.5%. The operating environment continues to be very strong, with oil prices over USD 100 per barrel. Corporate lending will continue to drive the overall growth

in lending on the back of massive infrastructure and project financing requirements. We also increase our forecast for ANB's deposit growth to help fund its growing loan book and maintain the loans-to-deposits ratio below 85%.

Saudi interbank rates have been rising rapidly in the past few months. After bottoming at around 2.1% in early May, interbank rates soared to around 4% by August. All else constant, banks suffer in the short term from an increase in benchmark rates as deposits re-price faster than loans. Nevertheless, this is countered by the fact that Saudi banks hold significant non-interest bearing deposits, and hence, benefit when interest rates increase. The increase in interbank rates and the more rapid growth in lending and deposits will lead to faster growth in net interest income, which we now forecast to grow by a CAGR of 17.6% between 2007 and 2012.

The Saudi Shoura Council passed the long-awaited mortgage law in early July. The law still has to be approved by the Saudi government before coming into effect. The lack of such a law is one reason for the almost non-existent mortgage market in Saudi Arabia. Mortgage lending is severely under-penetrated in Saudi Arabia and hence is one of the major growth drivers for bank lending going forward. Mortgage lending provided by Saudi banks was a slim SAR 15.6 billion at the end of 2007, representing only 1% of GDP and 2.5% of total credit. Another reason to be bullish on the growth of mortgage lending is the large Saudi population (estimated at 24 million in 2007). In addition, this population is "young" with nearly 70% below the age of 35, as per 2006 data. Another important growth driver is the fact that the percentage of Saudis who own a house is low, roughly estimated at between 20% and 35%. Finally, it is worth mentioning that real estate mortgage loans, although considered consumer loans, are excluded from SAMA's consumer-lending regulations, which cap total debt payments to a third of a borrower's salary. ANB is well-poised to take advantage of the potential for growth in mortgage lending through its 40% stake in Saudi Home Loans Company (SHL). The bank's management expects SHL to achieve a return on equity of around 17% to 20% in five years' time.

**Figure 4 Forecasts - Old and New**

|                           | 2008 Forecasts ('000 SAR) |             |          | 2007 - 2012 CAGR % |       |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------|----------|--------------------|-------|
|                           | Old                       | New         | Change % | Old                | New   |
| Net Loans and Advances    | 72,785,974                | 78,044,400  | 7.2%     | 16.5%              | 20.5% |
| Deposits                  | 87,458,691                | 93,994,400  | 7.5%     | 14.3%              | 20.1% |
| Net Interest Income       | 3,416,489                 | 3,612,192   | 5.7%     | 13.6%              | 17.6% |
| Fee and Commission Income | 953,313                   | 815,676     | -14.4%   | 17.4%              | 15.1% |
| Total Operating Income    | 4,551,499                 | 4,552,104   | 0.0%     | 15.4%              | 17.6% |
| Total Costs               | (1,645,507)               | (1,662,684) | 1.0%     | 14.1%              | 16.1% |
| Net Profit                | 2,740,856                 | 2,770,128   | 1.1%     | 15.2%              | 17.3% |

Source: NBK Capital

*We increase our forecast for growth in loans, deposits, operating income, and net profit*

We slightly reduced our forecast for income from fees and commissions, and we increased our forecast for cost expansion in the coming five years. All of the above results in an increase in our forecast for net profit growth to a CAGR of 17.3% in the five years ending in 2012, compared with our previous 15.2% forecast.

The implementation of Basel II in Saudi Arabia in January 2008 has led to a drop in capital adequacy ratios (CARs) for most Saudi banks. The main reasons behind the drop in CARs are the additional risk-weighted assets due to operational risk and Pillar II risks. ANB's CAR dropped from 17.8% in December 2007 (under Basel I), to 13.7% in June 2008 (under Basel II). We have lowered our forecast for the average dividend payout due to the decline in capital adequacy and the bank's need to support the expected rapid growth in lending. Now we forecast an average payout of 30% in the coming five years, as opposed to our previous forecast of 41%.

## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

| Balance Sheet (SAR Thousands)           |                    |                    | Forecast           |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
|-----------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Fiscal Year Ends December               | 2006               | 2007               | 2008               | 2009               | 2010               | 2011               | 2012               | 2013               |
| <b>ASSETS</b>                           |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Cash and balances with SAMA             | 3,216,007          | 8,228,376          | 12,301,632         | 14,980,869         | 17,423,253         | 19,727,788         | 21,008,943         | 22,995,974         |
| Due from Banks                          | 4,633,337          | 1,293,967          | 4,422,603          | 5,735,259          | 6,938,694          | 8,302,435          | 9,845,588          | 11,589,399         |
| Net Investments                         | 18,446,685         | 21,380,660         | 24,374,968         | 27,837,284         | 31,762,846         | 36,334,818         | 41,672,970         | 47,923,816         |
| Net Loans and Advances                  | 49,747,224         | 61,121,911         | 78,044,400         | 96,745,789         | 113,872,477        | 133,298,568        | 155,299,228        | 180,180,526        |
| Net Fixed Assets                        | 586,251            | 773,664            | 963,664            | 1,012,727          | 1,066,932          | 1,126,912          | 1,193,385          | 1,267,164          |
| Other Assets                            | 1,405,879          | 1,668,983          | 1,875,550          | 2,063,415          | 2,251,271          | 2,474,346          | 2,741,365          | 3,038,919          |
| <b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>                     | <b>78,035,383</b>  | <b>94,467,561</b>  | <b>121,982,817</b> | <b>148,375,342</b> | <b>173,315,474</b> | <b>201,264,867</b> | <b>231,761,479</b> | <b>266,995,799</b> |
| <b>LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</b>         |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Due to Banks                            | 3,098,603          | 4,447,174          | 9,950,857          | 11,757,280         | 13,183,520         | 14,529,262         | 14,768,381         | 15,645,689         |
| Customer Deposits                       | 61,773,494         | 73,692,139         | 93,994,400         | 115,871,987        | 135,929,253        | 158,658,264        | 184,377,470        | 213,441,002        |
| Other Purchased Funds                   | 3,187,500          | 3,187,500          | 1,875,000          | 1,875,000          | 1,875,000          | 1,875,000          | 1,875,000          | 1,875,000          |
| Other Liabilities                       | 1,995,648          | 2,616,151          | 3,068,320          | 3,399,373          | 3,752,720          | 4,162,827          | 4,611,314          | 5,105,321          |
| <b>Total Liabilities</b>                | <b>70,055,245</b>  | <b>83,942,964</b>  | <b>108,888,578</b> | <b>132,903,640</b> | <b>154,740,493</b> | <b>179,225,353</b> | <b>205,632,166</b> | <b>236,067,012</b> |
| <b>Total Shareholders' Equity</b>       | <b>7,980,138</b>   | <b>10,524,597</b>  | <b>13,094,239</b>  | <b>15,471,702</b>  | <b>18,574,982</b>  | <b>22,039,514</b>  | <b>26,129,313</b>  | <b>30,928,788</b>  |
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY</b>     | <b>78,035,383</b>  | <b>94,467,561</b>  | <b>121,982,817</b> | <b>148,375,342</b> | <b>173,315,474</b> | <b>201,264,867</b> | <b>231,761,479</b> | <b>266,995,799</b> |
| Income Statement (SAR Thousands)        |                    |                    | Forecast           |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Fiscal Year Ends December               | 2006               | 2007               | 2008               | 2009               | 2010               | 2011               | 2012               | 2013               |
| Net Special Commission Income *         | 2,524,957          | 2,903,919          | 3,612,192          | 4,241,266          | 4,875,392          | 5,590,787          | 6,541,671          | 7,622,935          |
| Income from Fees and Commissions        | 986,501            | 776,361            | 815,676            | 1,005,493          | 1,131,681          | 1,334,618          | 1,569,287          | 1,840,147          |
| Other Operating Income                  | 290,823            | 245,498            | 124,237            | 135,360            | 534,902            | 625,521            | 729,919            | 853,954            |
| <b>Total Operating Income</b>           | <b>3,802,281</b>   | <b>3,925,778</b>   | <b>4,552,104</b>   | <b>5,382,119</b>   | <b>6,541,975</b>   | <b>7,550,926</b>   | <b>8,840,876</b>   | <b>10,317,036</b>  |
| Provisions for Credit Losses            | (60,354)           | (37,072)           | (119,292)          | (302,929)          | (277,422)          | (314,668)          | (356,371)          | (403,032)          |
| Salaries and Employee Related Expenses  | (770,468)          | (843,076)          | (969,537)          | (1,114,968)        | (1,293,363)        | (1,500,301)        | (1,740,349)        | (2,018,805)        |
| General and Administrative Expenses     | (413,086)          | (465,034)          | (538,487)          | (623,543)          | (729,545)          | (853,568)          | (998,674)          | (1,168,449)        |
| Depreciation                            | (84,107)           | (119,813)          | (154,659)          | (183,216)          | (208,866)          | (238,107)          | (271,442)          | (309,444)          |
| Other Operating Expenses                | -                  | -                  | -                  | -                  | -                  | -                  | -                  | -                  |
| <b>Total Operating Expenses</b>         | <b>(1,328,015)</b> | <b>(1,464,995)</b> | <b>(1,781,976)</b> | <b>(2,224,656)</b> | <b>(2,509,196)</b> | <b>(2,906,644)</b> | <b>(3,366,837)</b> | <b>(3,899,731)</b> |
| <b>Net Operating Profit</b>             | <b>2,474,266</b>   | <b>2,460,783</b>   | <b>2,770,128</b>   | <b>3,157,463</b>   | <b>4,032,780</b>   | <b>4,644,282</b>   | <b>5,474,039</b>   | <b>6,417,305</b>   |
| Other Income / (Expenses)               | 30,459             | 419                | -                  | -                  | -                  | -                  | -                  | -                  |
| Income Taxes                            | -                  | -                  | -                  | -                  | -                  | -                  | -                  | -                  |
| <b>Net Profit</b>                       | <b>2,504,725</b>   | <b>2,461,202</b>   | <b>2,770,128</b>   | <b>3,157,463</b>   | <b>4,032,780</b>   | <b>4,644,282</b>   | <b>5,474,039</b>   | <b>6,417,305</b>   |
| Key Ratios                              |                    |                    | Forecast           |                    |                    |                    |                    |                    |
| Fiscal Year Ends December               | 2006               | 2007               | 2008               | 2009               | 2010               | 2011               | 2012               | 2013               |
| Growth in Loans                         | 28.3%              | 22.9%              | 27.7%              | 24.0%              | 17.7%              | 17.1%              | 16.5%              | 16.0%              |
| Growth in Deposits                      | 26.5%              | 19.3%              | 27.6%              | 23.3%              | 17.3%              | 16.7%              | 16.2%              | 15.8%              |
| Growth in Net Profit                    | 37.0%              | -1.7%              | 12.6%              | 14.0%              | 27.7%              | 15.2%              | 17.9%              | 17.2%              |
| Growth in Operating Income              | 22.2%              | 3.2%               | 16.0%              | 18.2%              | 21.6%              | 15.4%              | 17.1%              | 16.7%              |
| Loans-to-Assets                         | 63.7%              | 64.7%              | 64.0%              | 65.2%              | 65.7%              | 66.2%              | 67.0%              | 67.5%              |
| Loans-to-Deposits                       | 80.5%              | 82.9%              | 83.0%              | 83.5%              | 83.8%              | 84.0%              | 84.2%              | 84.4%              |
| NPLs-to-Gross Loans                     | 0.7%               | 0.5%               | 0.7%               | 0.8%               | 0.8%               | 0.9%               | 0.9%               | 1.0%               |
| NPL Coverage                            | 320.5%             | 354.0%             | 220.5%             | 206.9%             | 194.6%             | 183.7%             | 173.9%             | 165.1%             |
| Capital Adequacy                        | 17.1%              | 17.8%              | 14.1%              | 13.2%              | 13.4%              | 13.4%              | 13.5%              | 13.6%              |
| Growth in Costs                         | 21.1%              | 12.6%              | 16.4%              | 15.6%              | 16.1%              | 16.1%              | 16.1%              | 16.2%              |
| Non Interest Expense-to-Average Assets  | 1.8%               | 1.7%               | 1.6%               | 1.6%               | 1.6%               | 1.6%               | 1.6%               | 1.6%               |
| Cost-to-Income                          | 33.3%              | 36.4%              | 36.5%              | 35.7%              | 34.1%              | 34.3%              | 34.1%              | 33.9%              |
| Non-Interest Income-to-Operating Income | 33.6%              | 26.0%              | 20.6%              | 21.2%              | 25.5%              | 26.0%              | 26.0%              | 26.1%              |
| Dividend Payout                         | 15.5%              | 0.0%               | 28.2%              | 29.4%              | 29.3%              | 29.8%              | 29.6%              | 31.0%              |
| Net Interest Margin                     | 3.8%               | 3.7%               | 3.7%               | 3.5%               | 3.4%               | 3.3%               | 3.4%               | 3.4%               |
| RoAE                                    | 35.0%              | 26.6%              | 23.5%              | 22.1%              | 23.7%              | 22.9%              | 22.7%              | 22.5%              |
| RoAA                                    | 3.4%               | 2.9%               | 2.6%               | 2.3%               | 2.5%               | 2.5%               | 2.5%               | 2.6%               |

\* Equivalent to net interest income. Sources: ANB's financial statements and NBK Capital

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## Risk and Recommendation Guide

| Recommendation |   |   | Upside (Downside) Potential |   |
|----------------|---|---|-----------------------------|---|
| Buy            |   |   | more than 20%               |   |
| Accumulate     |   |   | between 10% and 20%         |   |
| Hold           |   |   | between -5% and 10%         |   |
| Reduce         |   |   | between -10% and -5%        |   |
| Sell           |   |   | less than -10%              |   |
| Risk Level     |   |   |                             |   |
| 1              | 2 | 3 | 4                           | 5 |
| Low Risk       |   |   | High Risk                   |   |