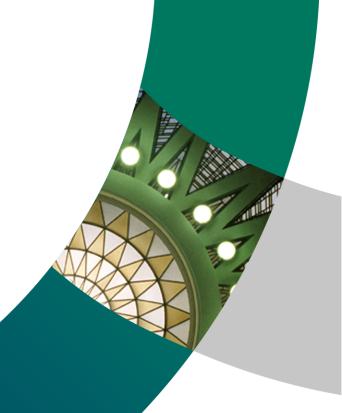


# **ESG Investor Presentation**

**Euronext Sustainability Week 2023** 





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# ESG at Banco BPM:

**Highlights** 

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# Our path towards a sound sustainability strategy: the recent history

2018-2020 2021 2022

- Internal Control and Risk Committee in charge of overseeing sustainability topics
- First **ESG materiality analysis** (involvement of top management) & definition of internal policies for **non-financial reporting** and of the **ESG KPIs** guide
- · Energy Manager & Mobility Manager appointed
- Creation of the Sustainability Unit and of the ESG managerial Committee chaired by CEO
- 100% of electricity consumption from certified renewable sources
- Extraordinary measures for local communities and social projects in response to Covid crisis
- First ESG lending product (Plafond for ESG investments)
- ISO 45001 Occupational Health and Safety, ISO 50001 **Energy** and ISO 14001 **Environmental** certifications obtained









- Activation of the "ESG Action Plan" to fully integrate ESG into our operating model
- ESG targets integrated within ST & LT incentive plans for CEO & Top Management
- New "Inclusion Diversity & Social" and "Key **People and Talents**" Units set up in the HR Department
- Green, Social and Sustainability Bonds Framework published, and first bond (social) issued under the framework
- Integration of lending policies and Risk Management with ESG factors started
- Enlarged ESG products offering and integration of ESG risk in Advisory and WM
- New 2021-2024 Strategic Plan, with strong focus on ESG
- Banco BPM ioined the UNGC and became a supporter of the TCFD





- · Sound progress in the ESG strategy and business integration:
- ✓ strong results in the main ESG KPIs
- ✓ well on track on all the workstreams of the **ESG** Action Plan
- Banco BPM ranks as #1 Green bond issuer amona Italian banks in 2022
- Improvement in Sustainalytics ESG risk rating (to 22.4 from 26.3) and in S&P ESG score (to **56** from 55)
- Fundraising and other support measures for people from Ukraine, in cooperation with Caritas



# Our path towards a sound sustainability strategy: latest achievements

### 2023

In March 2023 Banco BPM joined the NZBA



finance initiative

- 5 priority sectors already identified:
- · Communication of targets within 18 months

- oil & gas
- power generation
- cement
- automotive
- coal

ESG governance further strenghtened:

<u>Sustainability Committee established</u> at Board level in April 2023

- COMPOSITION: Three non-executive and independent board members (2 women, 1 man)
- MISSION: Oversee the Sustainability goals defined by the Bank in coordination with Internal Control & Risk Committee

### €1.5bn Green bond issued in H1 2023

Issued under the Green, Social and Sustainability
Bonds Framework

<u>Publication of the 2023 Green Social & Sustainability Bonds Report in July</u>

### **SIGNIFICANT ISSUANCE ACTIVITY OF SOCIAL & GREEN BONDS:**

 €4.05bn Social & Green bonds issued in the period 2021-June 2023 (o/w €3.75bn under the Green Social & Sustainability Bonds Framework), already above the target for 2021-2024



MSCI rating upgraded from BBB to A in March 2023



Standard Ethics confirms the rating at EE and improves the outlook to Positive



BBPM confirmed in the Bloomberg Gender Equality Index in Jan. 2023 with a score improved to 79.7



# ESG integration update: strong results in the main ESG KPIs

		2021	2022	H1 2023
	% of Green new lending to corporate and enterprise segments <sup>1</sup>	n.a.	55.6%	55.8%
200	Green residential mortgages (new lending)	€700m	€620m	€178m
DIICINIECC	Green & Social Bonds issued	€0.5bn	€2.05bn²	€1.5bn
BUSINESS	Share of ESG corporate bonds in the proprietary portfolio	14.3%	24.2%	27.0%
	ESG bond issues assisted by Banca Akros	€8.0bn	€8.1bn	€6.8bn
×.	Net Scope 1&2 emissions market based (% chg. y/y) <sup>3</sup>	-3.4%	-54.3%	-13.9%
ENVIRONMENT	Total consumptions (% chg. y/y)	-0.9%	-12.0%	-15.9%
***	Share of women in managerial positions	23%	26.1%	27.4%
DEODLE	Hours of ESG training courses (#)	105,300	174,200	90,975
PEOPLE	Share of new hirings between 20-30 years (cumulated, since Jan.21)	85.0%	89.5%	88.1%
.₽ <b>-0</b>	Donations and sponsorship for social & environmental projects	€3.7m	€4.6m	€4.0m
COMMUNITY	Hours of corporate community services, ESG awareness and financial education (#)	9,600	14,600	5,270
	New lending to third sector	€177m	€180m	€64m



Note: 1. New lending to corporate and enterprises belonging to green/low transition risk sectors and green lending products to corporate and enterprise segments (excluding small business & institutional segments); first disclosure in 2022. 2. Includes 3 bonds for a total of €1,750m under our Green, Social and Sustainability Bonds Framework and one Private Placement for €300m. 3. 2022 FY data include compensation of ~8,000 t. of CO2 eq. in 2022 and ~800 t. of CO2 eq. in FY 2021.

## ESG Governance and Accountability: important goals achieved

### **INTEGRATED ESG GOVERNANCE**



Responsibile for ESG strategy & disclosure

**Board sub-committee** which oversees the Sustainability goals defined by the Bank in coordination with IC&RC<sup>1</sup>

ESG Management Committee (chaired by the CEO)

Dedicated corporate ESG function

ESG TARGETS INCLUDED IN SHORT-TERM & LONG-TERM INCENTIVE PLANS FOR CEO & MANAGEMENT SINCE 2021

Targets coherent with Strategic Plan and with those monitored at RAF level by Risk Management

### ESG ACTION PLAN: FULLY INTEGRATE ESG INTO OUR OPERATING MODEL

### 7 WORKSTREAMS

15 unit involved

32 projects

- Governance & Controls
- People
- Risk & Credit
- Corporates & SMEs
- WM, Finance & Products
- Environment
- Stakeholder Engagement & Measurement

>50 people involved

- Integrate ESG-oriented roles and responsibilities within all activities & ESG topics into corporate policies
- Attention to I&D with focus on female empowerment
- Integrate climate-related and environmental topics within the risk and lending processes
- Establish a dedicated ESG commercial offering
- · Define ESG investment policy
- Strengthen consulting and offering of ESG investment products
- Further reduce direct environmental impacts
- Strengthen relationships with international organizations
- Develop ESG metrics and accountability

ESG AS KEY FOUNDATION STONE OF 2021-24 STRATEGIC PLAN



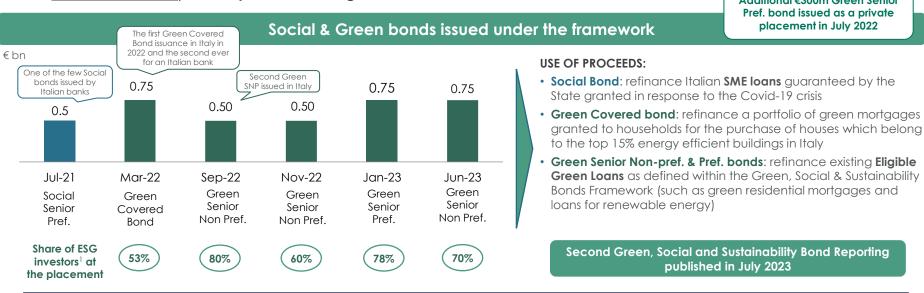
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Additional €300m Green Senior

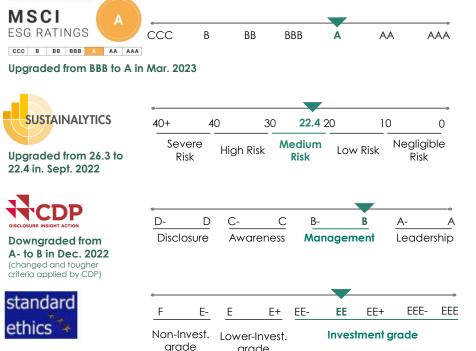


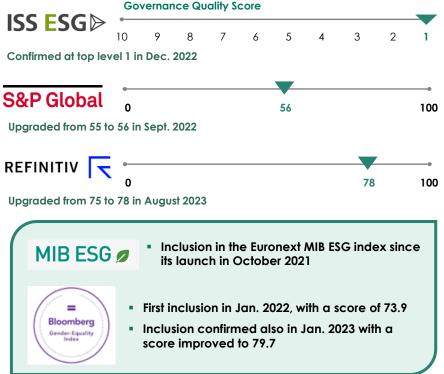


### See Appendix for details on our Green, Social and Sustainability Bonds Framework

Note: 1. ESG investors: asset managers / owners with alternatively: an ESG strategy (with dedicated Esg analysts and/or proprietary approach using ESG KPIs and with public ESG commitments) or at least mandate to integrate ESG considerations in their AM with high level ESG considerations (like exclusion policy).

# Recognition of our efforts: sound ESG Ratings and inclusion in the FTSE MIB ESG index & in the Bloomberg G-E Index







Positive Outlook assigned in July 2023 grade

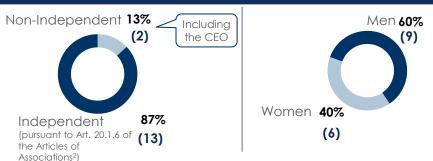
# Governance

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# New composition of the main corporate bodies following the Shareholders' Meeting of April 2023<sup>1</sup>

### Composition of the BoD: 15 members



DIRECTORS DIVIDED BY AREA OF EXPERTISE	#
ESG/social and environmental sustainability	10
Financial and/or banking markets	15
Banking and financial activities and products	13
Domestic and international economic & financial system, trends	15
and prospects of banking, financial and insurance sectors	
Internal control systems and other operational mechanisms	11
Risk management	13
Accounting and financial reporting	15
Guidance and strategic planning	14
Information technology	5
Regulation in the banking, financial and insurance sector	15
Organisational and corporate governance structures	15
Human resources and remuneration systems and policies	9

### Composition of the 5 Board Sub-Committees

Board Sub- Committees	Internal Control and Risk	Remuneration	Appointments	Related Parties	Sustainab	bility
No. of Directors	5	3	3	3	3	
o/w Non-executive	5	3	3	3	3	NEW, ESTABLISHED IN APRIL 202
o/w Independent <sup>2</sup>	5	2	3	3	3	Its activity was previously carried of
o/w Women	1	1	2	2	2	by the Internal Control, Risk and
o/w Men	4	2	1	1	1	Sustainability Committee now renamed the Internal Control an
						renamed the internal control an

out nd Risk Committee

### Composition of the Board of Statutory Auditors

8 members, o/w:

- 5 standina
- 3 alternate
- 100% independent<sup>2</sup>
  - 50% women



Note: 1. Updated post Shareholders' Meeting held on 20 April 2023 which appointed new board members for the 2023-2025 period. 2. Takes into account both the Art. 148, par. 3, of T.U.F. and the recommendation of the Borsa Italiana Corporate Governance

Code. For further details see the Banco BPM's Corporate Governance Report: https://gruppo.bancobpm.it/corporategovernance/relazioni-sul-governo-societario/

# ESG Governance bodies and ESG corporate function

A thorough and integrated governance for a flawless ESG strategy

### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Defines the policies regarding non-financial disclosure, the social and environmental policies and approves the Consolidated Non-Financial Statement and the associated materiality analysis.

It is responsible for approving the internal Regulations, including ESG, and the Code of Ethics<sup>1</sup>. It also draws up the remuneration and incentive policies (including ESG performance targets) to submit to the Shareholders' Meeting for approval, reviews them at least once a year, and handles their proper implementation.

### ESG activities of the BoD in 2022

 20 ESG topics covered during the meetings of the BoD (o/w: 9 on C&E risks) with a frequency of at least once a month

### SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE

Board sub-committee which oversees the Sustainability goals defined by the Bank in coordination with Internal Control & Risk Committee

**NEW COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED IN APRIL 2023** 



Chaired by the CEO, its permanent members include the two Joint General Managers as well as almost all the Bank's first-line managers. Its main tasks include evaluating the Group's positioning and coordinating all the activities required to achieve the strategic sustainability objectives.

Risk Comprise Control of the Control

The Credit Committee, the Risk Committee and the Finance Committee also address specific sustainability issues

### SUSTAINABILITY DEPARTMENT

It gives impetus to all the Group's activities aiming at orienting governance and corporate culture towards an ever-increasing focus on "E" and "S" issues



### **ESG AMBASSADORS**

They are the main contact persons on sustainability issues within their company areas and share the issues to be addressed with the Sustainability Department

### Other company departments involved in ESG:

### **CREDITS**

definition of ESG credit policies and inclusion of physical & transition risks

### RISKS

measurement and integration of ESG risks and, in particular, E&C risks into the overall corporate risk framework

### **COMMERCIAL & MARKETING**

development and offering of ESG products and services and those against climate change; customer engagement on ESG issues

### FINANCE

institutional funding operations within the ESG framework; finance of assets relating to sustainability; increase the share of proprietary portfolio invested in ESG securities

### **OPERATIONS**

Measurement and management of direct and indirect environmental impacts; implementation of energy reduction and efficiency initiatives to achieve carbon neutrality; management of the supply chain from an environmental perspective

### HUMAN RESOURCES

Promotion of specific training activities on environmental issues; definition of sustainable mobility policies for staff travel



Note: 1. The approval of internal Guidelines, including those on sustainability issues, is delegated to the CEO . 2. Its activity was previously carried out by the Internal Control, Risk and Sustainability Committee now renamed the Internal Control and Risk Committee.

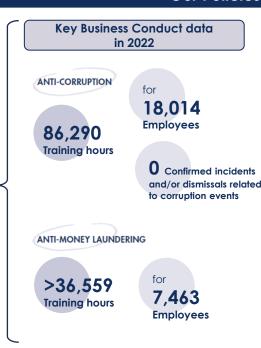
# Key policies and business conduct data

### **Our Policies**

### GOVERNANCE AND BUSINESS CONDUCT

(All documents published on Banco BPM's website)

- Articles of Association
- 2. Code of ethics
- Organisational, management and control model pursuant to Italian legislative decree 231/01
- Code of Corporate Governance and Reports on Corporate Governance and Ownership structure
- 5. Anti-corruption regulation
- 6. Anti-money laundering regulation
- Regulation and procedures governing related party transactions
- 8. Regulation on Internal Dealing
- Regulation on the management of Inside Information
- 10. Shareholder-Director Engagement Policy
- 11. Regulation on tax management
- 12. Whistleblowing Statement



**ENVIRONMENT, HEALTH & SAFETY and HUMAN RIGHTS** (All documents published on Banco BPM's website)

- Guidelines regarding the management of environmental and energy issues and the fight against climate change
- 2. Guidelines on workplace health and safety
- 3. Guidelines on respecting and safeguarding human rights

### BUSINESS

- Lending policies integrated with ESG factors for all sectors (incl. a negative screening on sectors with a Very High transition risk: coal mining, manufacture of products using coalfired blast furnaces, production of energy from coal)<sup>1</sup>
- 2. Guidelines on controversial sectors (weapons) and restricted countries / governments<sup>2</sup>
- Guidelines on the integration of sustainability risks in the provision of investment services (published on Banco BPM's website)
- 4. Green Social & Sustainability Bonds Framework (published on Banco BPM's website)

### PRIVACY, DATA GOVERNANCE, IT & BUSINESS CONTINUITY

- 1. Cybersecurity and Privacy Statement (published on Banco BPM's website)
- 2. Regulation on IT security, updated in line with PSD 2\*
- 3. Regulation on Cyber risk \*
- Business continuity plan and related regulation \*
- 5. Guidelines on computer incidents \*
- 6. Methodological manuals3 \*
- Process standards on: business impact analysis and cyber risk management; IT fraud
  prevention and management; security incident management and data breach;
  management of digital certificates \*



<sup>\*</sup> internal documents, reference is made on page 92 of the 2022 Non-Financial Statement

# ESG targets integrated in Short & Long-Term incentive plans for CEO & Top Management since 2021

### TARGETS COHERENT WITH THOSE DEFINED IN THE STRATEGIC PLAN AND WITH THOSE MONITORED AT RAF LEVEL BY RISK MANAGEMENT

# SHORT-TERM INCENTIVE PLAN

- Between 40% and 60% deferred
- ≥ 50% payable in ordinary shares

 Limit of 1:1 for the ratio between the variable and fixed component of the remuneration for selected positions (incl. CEO)

### ESG KPIs of the 2023 STI

- % new loans in green and low-risk transition sectors
- Corporate Bond in own portfolio (share of ESG bonds)
- Green or social bonds issues
- + Qualitative Sustainability KPI<sup>1</sup> (additional 10% weight of the score)
- ESG KPIs related to the area of responsibility or to the activities carried out in relation to the position
- KPI ESG-related (e.g. those related to the annual performance on the ESG targets of the Strategic Plan)

ALL ESG TARGETS OF THE 2022 STI HAVE BEEN OVERACHIEVED

# MORE PEOPLE INVOLVED: ESG KPIS INCLUDED ALSO IN VARIABLE REMUNERATION OF THE NETWORK FOR 2023

- The target of "green" new loans is also assigned to managers and staff of the commercial functions and network
- The STI of commercial network also include a mechanism linked to the ESG customer profiling (acquisition of the customer ESG preferences)<sup>4</sup>

## ~ 150 people involved

~ 60

people

involved

esG
weighting:
at least
10% of the
overall
scorecard

CEO

Managers with control duties

Managers without control duties

# LONG-TERM INCENTIVE PLANS

esG weighting: 15% of the overall

 40% upfront and 60% deferred

 100% payable in ordinary shares

> CEO & Managers

### ESG KPIs of the LTI 2021-2023

- a) Standard Ethics rating by 2023 (Floor EE / Cap EE+)
- b) Increase of women in managerial positions as at 2023 vs 2021 (Floor +15% / Cap +33%)
- c) CO<sub>2</sub> emissions<sup>2</sup> (Floor -50% vs. 2019 / Cap: Carbon neutrality)
- d) Social initiatives allocated hours<sup>3</sup> (Floor 6K / Cap 8K)

### ESG KPIs of the LTI 2022-2024

THE STI ALSO

CONSIDERS THE ECAP

REPUTATIONAL RISK

**INDICATOR** 

• Limit of 1:1 for the ratio between the variable and fixed component of the remuneration for selected positions (incl. CEO)

- a) Standard Ethics rating by 2024 (Floor EE+ / Cap EEE-)
- b) Women in managerial positions as at 2024 (Floor 28% / Cap 30%)
- c) Social initiatives allocated hours<sup>4</sup> (Floor 10K / Cap 12K)

NEW LTI ALIGNED TO THE NEW STRATEGIC PLAN HORIZON

 Approved by the AGM in 2022, to stay alongside the LTI plan 2021- 2023 approved one year before





Note: 1. Qualitative assessment formulated by the BoD, having heard the opinion of the Compensation Committee, on the following drivers: (i) oversight and development of the areas related to the Thematic Review; (ii) oversight of operational and reputational; (iii) promotion of values and behaviors in line with the corporate culture. 2. Scope 1 + Scope 2 net emissions. 3. In the 2021-2023 period. 4. In the Strategic Plan period. 4. Consistent with the provisions on the integration of sustainability risks pursuant to EU Regulation 2019/2088 of 27 November 2019 of the European Parliament and of the Council.

Understanding material sustainability factors and ESG strategic roadmap impacts

### THE MATERIALITY MATRIX

- To respond to the logic of the new standard GRI, we have identified the
  aspects on which we generate the most significant impacts on the
  economy, environment and people, including on their human rights.
   Subsequently, the identified impacts were grouped into material topics
- In order to place them within the matrix, we shared the topics of the materiality analysis "desk" with our stakeholders (personnel, clients, territorial committees and financial analysts) and to the top management of the Banco BPM Group and collected their ratings (from 1 "not important" to 5 "strategic")
- The average ratings assigned by the stakeholders and top management start from the level of "importance" for all issues considered (average rating greater than 3), confirming the materiality of the themes proposed

### THE METHOD









# Strategic Plan 2021-2024: ESG as key foundation stone of the Plan



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# The ESG pillars of Strategic Plan 2021-2024: Business and Risk & Credit

### **BUSINESS**

Strenathening of our **ESG** commercial offering with dedicated workforce specialized in ESG products and services

**Advising Corporate and SME clients** to face ESG challenges with training and workshops

Share of new lending to green/low transition risk sectors<sup>1</sup>

BBPM Green residential mortagaes (cumulated new lending)<sup>2</sup>

Purchase of Real Estate tax credit (cumulated flows)<sup>3</sup>

Akros as lead manager or bookrunner of ESG bonds (cumulated)

Corporate bond proprietary portfolio: share of ESG bonds

Issuance of Green & Social bonds (cumulated)

STATUS AS AT 2022

55.6% > 65%

€1.32 bn

(o/w: € 0.62 bn in 2022)

€ 2.43 bn

(o/w: € 1.52 bn in 2022)

€ 16.05 bn

(o/w: € 8.05 bn in 2022)

24.15%

€ 2.55 bn

(o/w: € 2.05 bn in 2022)

2024 TARGET

€4bn

€3bn

€ 12.5 bn

> 30%

€ 2.5 bn

### RISK & CREDIT

**ESG factors** integrated **into BBPM**'s Credit policies and Risk Management framework

SIGNING OF:

NZBA **TCFD** 

**SBTI** 

STOP NEW LENDING TO SECTORS STRONGLY AFFECTED BY **CLIMATE TRANSITION:** 

- Mining and quarrying of hard coal
- Manufacture of coke oven products
- Coal-based energy production
- NEW LENDING TO FOSSIL FUELS-RELATED SECTORS LINKED TO TRANSITION PROJECTS<sup>4</sup>

STATUS AS AT 2022

€ 25 m Stock GBV as at 31/12/22 -57% vs. Jan 22 **OVER THE PLAN HORIZON** 

**RUN-OFF** 

>80%



Note: 1. New lending to corporate and enterprises belonging to green/low transition risk sectors and green lending products to corporate and enterprise seaments, 2. Mortgages granted to customers for property in classes A-B-C or renovated with energy efficiency improvements, 3. Purchase of real estate tax credit related to energy redevelopment and seismic risk reduction operations. 4. The energy crisis caused by the war in Ukraine has prompted aovernments to review their energy diversification strategy. This change of action has thus slowed, in the short term, the adoption of measures aimed at reducing the use of products and energy from fossil sources. Such slowdown was reflected in the pursuit of this specific Strategic Plan target, as of today.

# The ESG pillars of Strategic Plan 2021-2024: People

### PEOPLE STRATEGY

- Management incentive schemes to include a selected number of KPIs connected to the different responsibility/unit/role, extended to a wider group of managers
- Diversity & Inclusion:
- Talent enhancement and increase in the share of women in managerial positions
- In-depth evaluation of the current status of D&I, including Gender Pay Gap, in order to define an effective action plan
- Reinforce programs for the reintroduction of personnel on maternity leave
- Attraction and retention of young talents: partnerships with universities, tailor-made development programs
- Attractive value proposition: safe and stable work environment, well balanced lifestyle, meritocratic reward system
- Talent growth & Competence building supported by tailor-made personal development programs
- Accelerated learning on-the-job through rotation programs, personalized coaching & mentoring
- Ongoing support to employees through our solid and inclusive welfare system

•	Share of women	in manaaeri	ial positions <sup>1</sup>

•	Share	of new	hirings	between	20-30	vears <sup>2</sup>
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- Smart working days per year
- ESG Ambassador
- Training hours for employees on ESG themes (cumulated)

### STATUS AS AT 2022 2024 TARGET

- - 89.5% > 90%
  - 384,298 500,000

  - 75 >100
- 279,545
- (o/w: 174,213 in 2022)

26.1%

400.000

> 30%

### **OVER THE PLAN HORIZON**

- Individual development plan involving ~40% of population, with focus on:

  - Young People
- Upskilling and Reskilling programs involving ~15% of population, with focus on IT personnel (with actions concerning big data & analytics) and Corporate Control Functions personnel (consistent with the evolution of regulatory system)
- Hiring of 100 young talents graduated in digital-related disciplines



# The ESG pillars of Strategic Plan 2021-2024: Environment and Community

### **ENVIRONMENT**

Reducing consumption and CO<sub>2</sub> emissions with the aim of achieving carbon neutrality (Scope 1 + Scope 2)

**USE OF ELECTRIC ENERGY FROM** CERTIFIED RENEWABLE SOURCES **MAINTAINED AT 100%** 

- Total<sup>1</sup> direct & indirect energy consumption (Giaa Joule)
- Total<sup>2</sup> net direct & indirect emissions (Scope 1 & 2 Tons Co<sub>2</sub> eq.)
- Indirect emissions from commuters (Scope 3 tons Co2 eq.)
- CDP Ratina

### STATUS AS AT 2022

571K

7.4K

11K

В

**2024 TARGET** 

588K -20% vs. 2019

To improve to

-30% by 2030

**CARBON NEUTRALITY OVER THE PLAN HORIZON** 

> 13.1K -21% vs 2019

### COMMUNITY

Supporting social initiatives and continuous investments in educational activities and support for schools and universities

Confirmation of Banco BPM as an important Financial Partner for the Third Sector<sup>3</sup>

SIGNING OF:



Grants for support to social and environmental projects

AIRC4 Institutional partner

Social initiatives for local communities, schools and students

New lending to third sector

Corporate community services, ESG awareness and financial education

### STATUS AS AT 2022

€ 8.4 m (o/w: >€4.6m in 2022)

5,000 researchers & >700 projects

266 iniziatives

(o/w: 137 in 2022) € 356 m

(o/w: €180m in 2022)

24,190 hours (o/w: >14.500 in 2022)

### **OVER THE PLAN HORIZON**

~€ 10 m

5.000 researchers & 660 projects

> 300 initiatives

> € 700 m

> 10,000 hours



## Strategic Plan 2021-2024: Digital-driven service model

### Key initiatives 2021-2024

### > DATA & ANALYTICS

Using data to empower decisions

- Evolve the Data architecture and adopt Advanced Analytics
- Develop data-driven Customer Journeys

### EMERGING TECHNOLOGIES

Adopt technologies with transformational potential for our business

 Boost IT transformation with new technology (es. Cloud native application, Machine learning, Microservices, API) and open innovation to exploit new "external" opportunities

### DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION

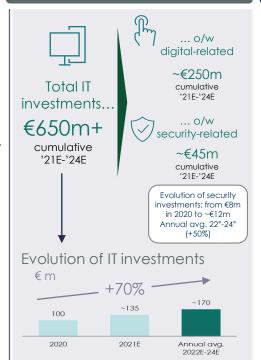
Delivering outstanding customer experiences

 Partnerships with fintech companies, innovation centers and universities for the use of Open Banking solutions

### > OPERATIONAL EXCELLENCE

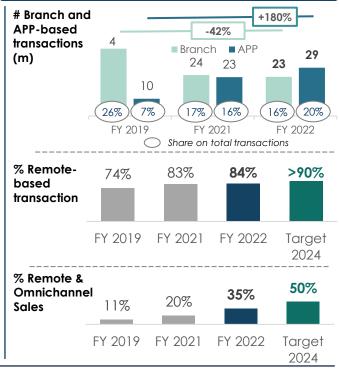
Continuous Improvement and slimming down complexity

- Create a stable operating environment leveraging on IT asset lifecycle processes
- DevSecOps lifecycle



IT Investments

### Main digital achievements & KPI





Notes: 1. "# Sales transactions" on main retail product categories, excluding typical 'Onboarding' products (cards and current accounts). 2. Advanced analytics-driven Sales: Advanced Analytics insights made available to RM's or used to generate remote/omnichannel offers. 3. Remote Sales: Self or Remotely-assisted full digital Sales; Omnichannel Sales: significantly digital channels-contributed branch sales (e.g. online price quotation and product selection/request). 4. Data refer to the period between 1st July 2020 and 30th June 2021. 5. Annualized data based on H1 2021 results.

# 2022 ESG Results:

Facts & Figures

- Business
- Risk & Credit
- People
- Environment
- Community





# Business – our ESG approach in a nutshell

- Material support to Italian economy, thanks to a business model focused on Households & SMEs
- Concrete achievements in the ESG integration into our commercial and business model
- Growing offering of "Green" loan products and SLLs
- Significant development of digital banking, coupled with strong safeguard of Business Continuity, Cybersecurity and Privacy



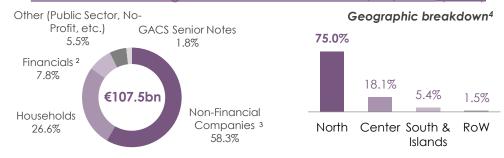
# Material support to Italian economy thanks to a business model focused on Households & SMEs

### Client base as at 31/12/2022

>3.8m clients, with the core segments represented by:

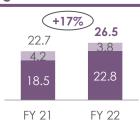
- >3.3m Households1 (o/w: ~50% women)
- >390K Professionals, Small Businesses, SMEs and Corporates (o/w: ~35K Non-profit organisations active in the third sector)

### Stock of Performing customer loans as at 31/12/2022 (GBV)



### **New Lending to our customers**

Corporate, Enterprise, Small Business & Institutional segments



Breakdown of
performing
loans to NFCs
by sector
ctook as at

Stock as at 31/12/2022 (GBV)<sup>5</sup>

	GBV, €bn
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	1.7
Mining and quarrying	0.2
Manufacturing	21.8
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	1.6
Water supply	0.7
Construction of Buildings	3.4
Civil engineering and specialised constructions	2.0
Wholesale and retail trade	9.6
Transport and storage	2.2
Accommodation and food services	2.2
Real estate activities	5.1
Other sectors	8.8





Households







# Concrete achievements in the ESG integration into our commercial and business model

### Lending with environmental features

### €10.9bn «Green» new lending in 2022 o/w:

 New lending to corporate and enterprises belonging to green/low transition risk sectors and green lending products to corporate and enterprise segments at €10.3bn¹



**55.6%** of total new lending to corporate & enterprises

Green residential mortagaes at €620m

### Green bonds issued (€bn)





### Lending with social features

- New lending to third sector in FY 2022 at €183m (+3% Y/Y)
- €16.7bn of Covid-related loans as at 31/12/2022 (stock, GBV) assisted by State guarantee

### ESG corporate bonds<sup>3</sup> in the proprietary portfolio

TOTAL	1,145.7	594.0	93%
Transition Bonds	22.5	-	
Sustainability & Sust. Linked Bonds	198.9	81.2	145%
Social bonds	178.0	99.5	79%
Green bonds	746.3	413.3	81%
	2022	2021	% Chg.
Stock in € m			

>24% of total Corp. bonds

### 2022 KEY ACHIEVEMENTS IN WM & CIB:

- €20.7bn stock of AUM third party products classified as art. 8 and art. 9 of the SFDR -> 35% of total AUM as at 31/12/20224
- WM: Due Diligence of issuers/producers and products and Product Classification Model developed in order to match client sustainability preferences and manage greenwashing risks, in line with MIFID 2
- CIB: Banca Akros participated in the placement, as joint bookrunner or joint lead manager, of 9 ESG bond issues<sup>5</sup> of our customers, with a total countervalue of €8.05bn in 2022
- ESG Training initiatives also on regulatory framework of sustainable investments: EFPA FSG Advisor Certification for ~200 colleagues (Private Banking, WM, Advisory and Banca Akros)













Managerial data.

Note: 1. Excluding small business & institutional segments. 2. Private Placement, issued out of the Green Social and Sustainable Bonds Framework. 3. Classification based on information provided by Bloomberg → (89% of ESG corporate bonds aligned with ICMA principles according to Bloomberg), 4. Products managed by asset managers with whom Banco BPM has collaborative relationships: the definition of instruments with sustainability and risk management features risks is given by the asset managers themselves. 5. Sustainability-linked bonds, Green hybrid bonds, Sustainability bonds, Green bonds and Social bonds.

# Growing offering of "Green" loan products and SLLs

**NEW PRODUCTS DEVELOPED IN 2022** 

### Loans with SACE **Green Guarantee**

Loans with Sustainability Target "Obiettivo Sostenibilità"

### Green Loan

Check of the purpose with support from SACE (or independently if activated "in convenzione")

Public augrantee from SACE after verification of the requirements

### Sustainable Linked Loan<sup>1</sup>

Loan with ESG KPIs selectable from a predefined catalog validated by an independent third party

KPIs must be consistent with the company's activities and objectives. as well as easily measurable

Product consistent with the "Sustainability Linked Loan Principles" provided by the Loan Market Association

Reporting by the client in formal documents

### Financing of Renewable **Energy Sources**

### Green Loan

Loan supporting the construction of plants for production of energy from renewable sources for the main purpose of self-use of the company.

Scope of interventions supported by the NRP

We offer also Leasing for RES plants in partnership with Alba Leasing

### Green Real Estate

### Green Loan

Real Estate operations certified in terms of efficiency and energy class

### Green Loan

Loan that can support customers' green transition to lowcarbon business models

Loans with Green

**Transition Target** 

**NEW PRODUCT IMPLEMENTED IN EARLY 2023** 

### Green Residential Mortgages

### Green Loan

Mortagaes related to the purchase of properties in classes A. B and C or renovated for eneray efficiency

Mortagaes with green factor2: a clause that allows for a 10 bps saving on the contracted rate and that can be activated throughout the life of the loan provided that:

- · a reduction in consumption of at least 30% is achieved or
- the energy rating of the home is improved by two classes

"You Giovani Green Mortgage" with the guarantee "Fondo Prima Casa" intended for customers under 36 of age

### **HOUSEHOLDS**

We offer also a Green Consumer Finance product in partnership with Agos

### 2022 KEY ACHIEVEMENTS:

- Dedicated training for Corporate salesforce on "Obiettivo Sostenibilità": >2,000 Relationship Managers involved
- Strengthening the central support to commercial network for technical / operational issues in the ESG area
- Improving CRM tools and development of new algorithms for analysis of the potential green/ESG growth of Corporate & SMEs
- Identification of ~5,000 agri-food companies potentially interested in installing photovoltaic panels on their buildings











### **ENTERPRISES AND CORPORATE CLIENTS**



# Significant development of digital banking...

### Digital adoption: continuing growth

**85.8%** Remote transactions - Households Web + ATM transactions, alternatives to traditional channels (vs. ~85.0% in 2021)

81.6% Remote transactions - Enterprises
Web + ATM transactions, alternatives to
traditional channels (vs. ~79.5% in 2021)

+24.3% APP transactions vs. 2021 +79.1% APP transactions vs. 2020 +177.9% APP transactions vs. 2019

~860K clients enrolled on Digital Identity

### **Key 2022 initiatives**

- 50% OF TOTAL SALES ALREADY DRIVEN BY ADVANCED ANALYTICS / OMNICHANNEL CUSTOMER JOURNEYS
- NEW VALUE ADDED SERVICES DEDICATED TO SME/BUSINESS CLIENTS LAUNCHED (e.g. BUSINESS FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT)
- DIGITAL IDENTITY AND DEMATERIALIZATION

Strong development of **remote sales processes** both in terms of **product availability** on digital channels (financial advisory and investment products, cards, consumer loans, small business loans) and **of customer adoption** (e.g. over 20% of financial advisory remotized)

Further boost in **paperless** processes

**TRAINING PROGRAM FOCUSED ON DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION**, to facilitate the knowledge, informed adoption and promotion of the services, products and language created under the .DOT Programme













...coupled with strong safeguard of Business Continuity, Cybersecurity and Privacy

o serious IT security incidents in 20221

DATA
GOVERNANCE
AND IT SECURITY
Data and information

management and

security

BUSINESS
CONTINUITY,
CYBERSECURITY
AND PRIVACY

PRIVACY

Protection of the information assets of the Group

O losses of data or unauthorised access in 2022

- EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES
  - Cybersecurity Specialist, Security Engineering and Business Continuity
- ✓ IT Transformation and Data Quality
- ✓ Internal anti-Phishing Campaign
- ✓ GDPR and Data protection training activities aimed at management and delivered in the context of activities related to regulatory compliance

- POLICY:
  - ✓ The Business Continuity
    Plan defines the
    principles, procedures
    and resources required to
    manage business
    continuity
  - The Security Plan provides internal assessments in line with the standard NIST Cybersecurity Framework
  - ✓ Secure code development guidelines

- INSURANCE COVERAGE
   Two insurance policies
   completely cover:
- ✓ Cyber incidents: breaches of security and confidentiality of personal data, Group damage, third-party claims and media liability
- ✓ IT incidents: direct material damage, damage due to theft of Group or third-party property, damage resulting from the reconstitution of archives)

- SPECIALIST EXPERTISE
  - ✓ Procedures and regulations are constantly enriched, updated and followed by the Data Protection Officer (DPO, identified as the Compliance department manager) supported by a dedicated organisational unit
- PARTNERSHIPS
- ✓ CERTFin<sup>2</sup>
- ✓ OF2CEN<sup>3</sup>
- "I Naviaati"<sup>4</sup>
- ✓ European Payment Council<sup>5</sup>
- STANDARDS
- ✓ The Group's safety management system follows the ISO 27001 standard











# Risk & Credits – our ESG approach in a nutshell

Progress in ESG-oriented lending policies

Progress in the integration of ESG into Risk Management

Portfolio transparency: Transition, Physical and Environmental risks



# **Progress in ESG-oriented lending policies**

### ESG oriented lending policies in 2022

### **EVALUATION OF ESG AND CLIMATE CHANGE RISKS INTEGRATED WITHIN** LENDING POLICIES FOR THE DEFINITION OF AN ESG SCORE, THROUGH:

SECTOR TO EVALUATE SUSTAINABILITY OF THE **RE INITIATIVES** 

- Sector analysis to capture potential transition risks on the basis of EU Taxonomy
- **Questionnaire** for evaluating both the counterparty and the transaction
- Analyse if the counterparty has defined policies and strategies to mitigate the main ESG risks through qualitative questions and quantitative KPIs
- · Assess whether the transaction is directly linked to ESG taraets and is therefore virtuous regardless of the counterparty's activity

### The ESG score may change the final credit policy strategy

### SPECIFIC GUIDELINES DEVELOPED FOR HIGH AND VERY HIGH TRANSITION RISK SECTORS, PROVIDING FOR:

- the run-off for coal-related sectors<sup>1</sup>
- the offer of lending products to support transition

In 2022 the stock of loans to corporates operating in coal-related sectors reduced by 57% Y/Y to €25m











### Upgrade of ESG lending policies already approved in 2022, to be implemented in 2023

- Evolution of the transition risk methodology classification, with greater relevance of emissions
- Inclusion of physical risk assessment both on counterparty operations and on collaterals
- Dedicated strategies on priority sectors with high emissions
- Introduction of **ESG credit auidelines** to support the **green** transition
- Upgrade of the questionnaire to verify:
  - o green transition path of companies (emissions baselines and taraets)
  - o presence of mitigating factors of physical risk (business continuity plan and/or insurance policies)
  - o existence of any pending litigations and/or litigations with negative outcomes concerning Social and Governance matters
- Questionnaire mandatory for:
  - o large corporates and corporates drafting the Non-Finanial report
  - o all corporates operating in High and Very High Transition Risk sectors and in priority-considered sectors (on the basis of emissions)

# Progress in the integration of ESG into Risk Management

### **Risk Identification**

 Confirmed also in 2022 materiality and relevance of the Climate & Environmental risks

### TRANSITION RISK IMPACTS IDENTIFIED:

Legislative, Technological, Market-related and Reputational

PHYSICAL RISK IMPACTS IDENTIFIED: Acute and Chronic and related sub-risks

TIME HORIZONS IDENTIFIED:

Short Term: up to 1Y / Mid Term: up to 3-5Y / Long Term >5Y

 Included the new Governance & Social sustainability risk in 2022<sup>1</sup>

### **Risk Appetite Framework**

- Integration of ESG risks within RAF, taking into account the impacts of ESG factors on business model, competitive scenario and Group's strategy
- Further strengthening of our RAF with the inclusion of additional ESG KPIs, coherent with main Strategic Plan targets





### Measurement and Management of Climate & Environmental risks

### **CREDIT RISK**

 "C&E" risk scoring calculated for Credit Risk, considering sectorial information, geographic data and additional info provided by clients

COMPLETION OF THE C&E RISK SCORING FOR THE MATERIALITY ASSESSMENT

TRANSPARENCY EXERCISE ON TRANSITION, PHYSICAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL RISKS (SEE THE FOLLOWING SLIDES) PUBLISHED THE FIRST PILLAR III ESG RISK DISCLOSURE AS PER THE EBA ITS Estimated the impact on PD & LGD → first integration of "E" risks in the main processes of credit risk evaluation (IFRS 9 and ICAAP) already deployed

# CALCULATION OF THE ELIGIBILITY RATIO AS PER THE EU TAXONOMY

~23%

Mandatory Eligible economic activities for Climate Change Adaptation & Mitigation on total covered assets

(KPI turnover & capex)2

### **OTHER RISKS**

- "C&E" risk-related potential impacts are also evaluated for market, operative and liquidity risk
- Inclusion of the ESG risk within the **Reputational Risk Framework**

### Climate Scenario Analysis & Stress Test

- Climate scenarios identified and first sensitivity analysis for all impacted risks already implemented in ICAAP and ILAAP
- First ECB Climate Stress test performed in 2022

Notes: 1. Capacity to govern effectively the planning, management and reporting of these issues, integrating fully the components related to the social sphere (such as human rights, gender equality, sustainable supply chain management, labor practices) and governance within our business operations. 2. Total Covered Assets at €137bn (73% of Total Assets) exclude exposures to central governments, central banks & supranational issuers and trading book. Share of eligible exposures (Turnover and Capex) represented by loans to companies subject to NFRD, loans to households secured by residential RE, loans to households aimed at the renovation of RE and vehicle purchases, and from collateral obtained by taking possession (residential and commercial properties): See the 2022 Consolidated non-financial Statement for further details.

# Portfolio transparency: Transition Risk

### Methodology

- Micro-sectorial analysis (NACE classification), aimed at providing an indication of the transition risk associated with the Industry of the counterparty
- For larger corporates or those operating in the sectors most impacted, the methodology involves also individual data collected from Non-financial reporting, ESG questionnaires (completed as part of the credit disbursement process) or based on estimates of GHG emissions sourced by qualified external infoproviders
- Construction and RE sectors assessed with an ad hoc methodology (taking into account also the characteristics of the property/initiative)
- Risk scoring for from 0 "Very Low" to 4 "Very High"
- Exposure to sectors with High and Very High transition risk limited at 15.5%





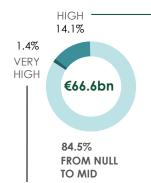






### TRANSITION RISK (Loans to NFCs)

### GBV as at 31/12/2022



### High risk exposures:

- include sectors whose companies should make significant investments, in order to realize their transition towards more sustainable business models
- ~67% is represented by counterparties with sound financial profile (low or medium-low credit risk categories)

HIGH	GBV, in € M	IN % ON TOTAL LOANS TO NFCs
01-Crop and animal production, hunting and related service activities	3.383	5.1%
24-Manufacture of basic metals	1,178	1.8%
49-Land transport and transport via pipelines	914	1.4%
23-Manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products	490	0.7%
29-Manufacture of motor v ehicles, trailers and semi-trailers	449	0.7%
17-Manufacture of paper and paper products	435	0.7%
20-Manufacture of chemicals and chemical products	421	0.6%
10-Manufacture of food products	324	0.5%
15-Manufacture of leather and related products	244	0.4%
77-Rental and leasing activities	219	0.3%
50-Water transport	191	0.3%
Other	1,127	1.7%
Total High	9.376	14.1%

### Very High risk exposures:

- include sectors whose companies will have to gradually reconvert their business or substantially change their production process
- within this cluster, 0.04% relates to sectors put in run-off:
- Mining and quarrying of hard coal
- Manufacture of coke oven products
- Coal-based energy production

		IN % ON TOTAL
VERY HIGH	GBV, in € M	LOANS TO NFCs
19-Manufacture of coke and refined petroleum products	418	0.6%
46-Wholesale trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	394	0.6%
47-Retail trade, except of motor vehicles and motorcycles	129	0.2%
Other	5	0.0%
Total Very High	946	1.4%

### MANAGEMENT OF TRANSITION RISK

- ESG integrated lending policies & risk management & measurement
- Development of lending products for supporting corporates' transition
- Initiatives of ESG awareness for our client companies (13 conferences organised in 2022 with >800 entrepreneurs involved)
- Signing of the NZBA (March 2023)

Managerial Data. This transition risk distribution analysis does not take into account either the component of turnover or investments considered already "eligible/aligned" with respect to the objectives of the taxonomy, nor the presence, within these shares of exposure, of loans aimed at support the transition. See the 2022 Consolidated Non-financial report for further information and details.

# Portfolio transparency: Physical Risk

### Methodology

- The analysis considers the RE collateral underlying exposures towards Households and NFCs and the productive assets of NFC clients:
  - Mapping of the Italian territory according to exposure to the different risk events considered:
  - Geo-location of the property (real estate collateral or productive asset), through its address and positioning within the maps of risk;
  - Identification of a risk event score based on the exposure level of the property
  - Calculation of the synthetic physical risk exposure score of the property (from 0 "Very Low" to 4 "Very High") through aggregation
- Sources used: public data<sup>1</sup> and third-party proprietary data
- The low exposure to physical risks is driven by the geographical distribution of our credit portfolios, concentrated in the North of Italy

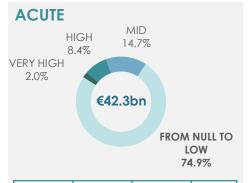
### MANAGEMENT OF PHYSICAL RISK

- Physical risk assessment on counterparty operations and on collaterals to be included in the evaluation of credit risk in 2023
- ESG questionnaire to be integrated in 2023 with questions regarding the presence of mitigating factors of physical risk (business continuity plan and/or insurance policies)

### PHYSICAL RISKS

Collateral values underlying exposures towards Households and NFCs

GBV as at 31/12/2022



	Landslide	Flood	Storm
ACUTE RISK EVENTS <sup>2</sup>	Fire	Anomalous waves	Frost
	Heat events	Heat waves	Drought



A focus on the exposure of productive assets of the non-financial counterparties operating in the sectors of agriculture, construction and tourism is provided in FY 2022 Consolidated Non-financial Report











Managerial Data

Note: 1. For example: Istituto Superiore per la Protezione e la Ricerca Ambientale (ISPRA), Copernicus, European Space Agency, European Soil Data Centre (ESDAC). 2. Risk events mapped by the EU Taxonomy.

# Portfolio transparency: Environmental Risks

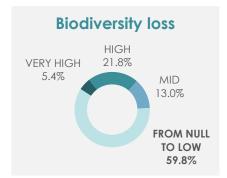
### Methodology

- Initial exercise aimed at measuring the exposure of our loan portfolio towards NFC clients with respect to environmental risks performed in 2022
- The variables of environmental risk considered are consistent with the EU taxonomy
- The methodology is based on a sectoral approach aimed at providing an indication of the environmental risks associated with the industry of the counterparty
- When such risks are deemed relevant or when information is available, the methodology involves the use of public data on individual counterparties (e.g. certifications)

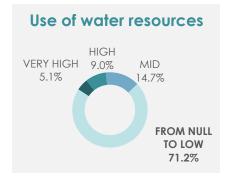
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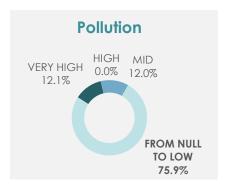
Loans to NFCs

€ 66.6bn, GBV as at 31/12/2022



















# People – Composition of Group employees, inclusion & diversity and new hires

### **Key figures**

2020

2021

GROUP EMPLOYEES	2021	2022	
Total employees	20,436	20,156	
Employees on permanent contracts	19,957	19,643	
of which women	45%	46%	
of which men	55%	54%	
Employees on apprenticeships	479	513	
of which women	55%	58%	
of which men	45%	42%	
Part-time employees	3,413	3,408	
of which women	94%	94%	
of which men	6%	6%	

- 97% employees of with permanent contracts and 3% of employees on apprenticeships
- 49 years of average age
- >22 years of average length of service

From 66% in 2021 to 70% in 2022 including also variable remuneration

Share of Women in managerial positions<sup>1</sup> 26.1% Up at # 475. 23.4% 20.8% +15% Y/Y Women in

2022

managerial

positions: +15% Y/Y

**PAY GAP** Average female-to-male base pay ratio by classification (excluding part-time)



### New hires and turnover in 2022

369 total hires **47%** Women

(62% related to solidarity fund)

 New hirings related to the Solidarity Plan perimeter in the period 2021-2022: 743, o/w 89.5% <30 years of age















# People – Training, Safety, Work-Life Balance and Wellbeing

### Training & people development programs

TRAINING HOURS	2021	2022	% Chg.
Total training hours	1,019,725	1,101,976	8.1%
o/w: ESG training hours	105,300	174,200	65.4%
Training hours per capita	50	55	10.0%
of which women	51	56	9.8%
of which men	49	53	8.2%



### KEY PROGRAMS

- ESG training for all employees, with a more specialized focus on resources involved in the workstreams of our ESG Action Plan: >174,000 hours
- Gender Program: a tailor-made paths of female empowerment: 294 women involved →
  Assessment step to support development actions on a first tranche of >100 women
- Respect Project (valuing diversity, respect and recognition of individual differences for an inclusive working environment): ~8,400 people involved
- Youth Program (train, engage and accompany young people in their first years of experience): 692 people involved
- Mentoring program: 84 young people involved
- Talent Program (skill strengthening for future new roles): involved 60 people
- · Disability management: 72 people involved

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### Safety management

TRAINING IN HEALTH & SAFETY	2021	2022	% Chg.
Total training hours	45,343	48,894	7.8%
People involved	7,393	7,392	0.0%
INJURIES	2021	2022	% Chg.
In the workplace	34	28	-17.6%
In transit	147	162	10.2%
<b>Injury rate</b> <sup>1</sup> (frequency rate)	5.7	6.0	6.5%
Severity rate <sup>2</sup>	0.21	0.25	19.0%

UNI ISO 45001:2018

CERTIFICATION

FOR OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH ANE
SAFETY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

Since 2020

### Work-life balance and Wellbeing

- 5,687 people in smart work
- >3,400 people in part-time
- 574 people involved a project dedicated to care-givers
- 100 women involved in the "Welcome back mom" project

**~65,000** people with coverage of medical expenses<sup>3</sup>

~25,000 supplementary pension arrangements with company contribution

# Environment – Keep on reducing our own impact

### **Key figures**

<b>Energy consumption</b> (GJ in '000)	2020	2021	2022	% Chg. vs. 2021	% Chg. vs. 2020
Of natural gas, diesel oil and gasoline 1	174.6	176.2	148.6	-15.7%	-14.9%
Of electric energy	402.1	393.2	355.6	-9.6%	-11.6%
o/w: from renewable sources	100%	100%	100%	0.0%	0.0%
Other <sup>2</sup>	78.4	79.6	66.7	-16.3%	-15.0%
TOTAL	655.1	649.0	570.8	-12.0%	-12.9%
GHG emissions (T Co2 Eq. in '000)	2020	2021	2022	% Chg. vs. 2021	% Chg. vs. 2020
Scope 1	12.1	12.3	11.5	-6.5%	-5.4%
Scope 2 Market- Based	4.5	4.6	3.9	-16.1%	-14.3%
GROSS EMISSIONS	16.7	16.9	15.4	-9.2%	-7.9%
Carbon credits	0	-0.8	-8.0	n.m.	n.m.
TOTAL NET EMISSIONS	16.7	16.1	7.4	-54.3%	-55.8%

2020 consumption and emissions data strongly impacted by the Covid-related lockdowns

100%

Consumptions of electric energy from renewable sources since 2020

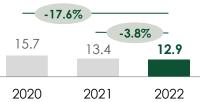
Avoided emissions for

~25,800

tons of Co2 eq. in 2022 thanks to electric energy from renewable sources -8,8% Consumption of

paper vs. 2021

Scope 3 emissions from commuters, paper purchased, personnel mobility and other



(Tons/000 Co2 equivalent)
Exclude Scope 3
emissions of the
financed portfolio

### **OTHER 2022 ACHIEVEMENTS:**

- Maintenance of the ISO Environmental, Energy and Occupational Health and Safety certifications (ISO 14001, ISO 50001 and ISO 45001)
- Compensation Project (Tanzania Project, REED + certified Zimbabwe Project REED + certified – India Project) → compensating ~8,000 t. of CO2 eq.





# Communities – Our contribution to the sustainable development of local territory

>€4.6m donations and sponsorship for social and environmental projects (+€0.9m vs. 2021)

In addition, €0.9m collected from fundraising and donated for people from Ukraine, in cooperation with Caritas

5.000

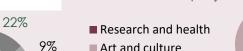
Researchers

partnership

supported by

o/w: €2.1m

• For 137 social and environmental projects



- Solidarity and social
- Education and training
- Environment and territory
- Sports
- Other

 For the care, charity and public interest projects of our 7 foundations active on local territories Corporate volunteering, ESG awareness and financial education: >14,500 hours

>11,800 hours of financial and ESG awareness training for customers, new generations, businesses and other stakeholders





Focus on ESG
Awareness training

"ESG FACTORY"
INITIATIVE FOR
COMPANIES

- 13 conferences organized
- 1,175 hours
- >800 entrepreneurs involved

### Topics discussed:

- ecological transition and its impact on business
- social inclusion
- governance



15%

31%





o/w: >€2.5m



5%



12%

6%



# Communities – Responsible management of the Supply chain

### **Key 2022 figures**

1,535 suppliers

€817m value of invoices registered in 2022
>99% in Italy

### Our approach

- Supplier Register: a comprehensive repository of information but also a management, evaluation and monitoring application
- IT interface to manage:
  - supplier applications
  - selection
  - supplier registration
  - competitive biddings

### **ESG** integration

- Request of Quality, Environmental and Energy Certifications<sup>1</sup> for a better screening of our suppliers
- All suppliers must **certify** that they:
  - know the Model of organization, management & control and the Code of Ethics of Banco BPM and assume conduct in accordance with these documents:
  - act in strict compliance with current regulations on labor matters, provisions on social security, accident prevention and insurance
  - operate in full compliance with current regulations on the protection of health and safety in the workplace, environmental protection, anti-money laundering and anti-corruption

## ESG RATING FOR SUPPLIERS IMPLEMENTED IN H2 2022 IN ORDER TO ANALYZE THEIR DEGREE OF SUSTAINABILITY

The rating is based on a questionnaire (developed in collaboration with Consorzio ABC) calibrated to the EU classification of the enterprise (micro/small/medium/large) and developed on the UNI ISO 26000:2010 guidelines for the Social Responsibility of Organizations



# Appendix

• Green, Social and Sustainability Bonds Framework



## Green, Social and Sustainability Bonds Framework published in July 2021

### GREEN, SOCIAL AND SUSTAINABILITY BONDS FRAMEWORK:

- Aligned with the ICMA Principles 2021
- Positive Second Party Opinion released by ISS **ESG**
- The development of a Green, Social and Sustainability Bonds Framework is fully complementary with Banco BPM's commitment and strategy to
  address climate change and to provide a positive social outcome in its business conduct
- In setting up its framework, Banco BPM mandated CRIF Real Estate Services to provide a technical analysis of the Italian
  residential market, with the aim to establish a reference framework for the Italian Green Bond market and to position the
  selection of Banco BPM's Green Mortgage loan portfolio at the very best market practices



- The Framework is an umbrella document that enables Banco BPM to issue Green Bonds, Social Bonds and Sustainability Bonds; either unsecured, such as Senior Unsecured Bonds, or secured instruments, such as Covered Bonds
- The Framework is structured according to the Green Bond Principles 2021, the Social Bond Principles 2021 and the Sustainability Bond Guidelines 2021
  - Eligible Green Loans financed by Banco BPM are expected to create substantial environmental benefits by enabling a significant reduction in GHG emissions and energy consumption
  - Eligible Social Loans financed by Banco BPM are expected to support employment generation, access to essential services (e.g. education, health, etc.) and affordable basic infrastructure (e.g. transport) and support socioeconomic advancement and empowerment





## Green, Social and Sustainability Bonds Framework: Detailed description

# USE OF PROCEEDS

- New and existing financings belonging to the following Eligible Categories:
  - Green Buildings
  - Renewable Energy
  - Energy Efficiency
  - Pollution prevention & control
  - Sustainable Water Infrastructure
  - Low-carbon transportation
  - SMEs and Covid Loans
  - Third and Public Sector
  - Healthcare

# PROJECT EVALUATION & SELECTION

- Appointed ESG Funding Working Group in charge of reviewing, monitoring and updating the Eligible Portfolio
- Scope includes the addition of new Eligible Categories and/or the alignment of the eligibility criteria with the latest best market practices, subject to obtaining an updated Second Party Opinion

# MANAGEMENT OF PROCEEDS

- Implementation on internal systems has been made to identify Eligible Loans
- The Working Group 'ESG Funding' manages the balance of the Eligible Portfolio with the net proceeds of the Green, Social and Sustainability Bonds issued under this framework on a portfolio approach

### REPORTING

- Annual allocation and impact reporting, starting a year after the issuance of each Bond on a portfolio approach basis.
- Banco BPM will make its
  Reports available for
  stakeholders on its website

The second Green, Social and Sustainability Bond Reporting was published in July 2023:

BBPM Green Social Sustainability B onds Report 2023.pdf (bancobpm.it)

### **EXTERNAL REVIEW**

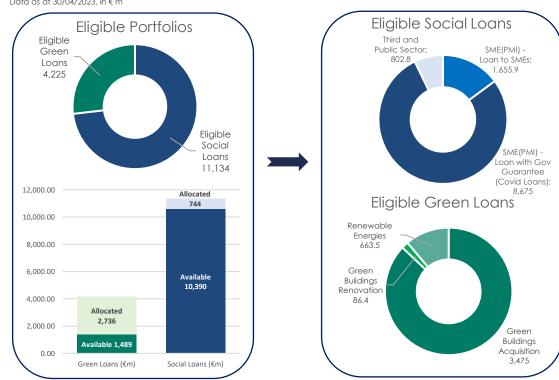


- ISS ESG reviewed the alignment of the Framework with ICMA<sup>2</sup>'s Green Bond Principles / Social Bond Principles / Sustainable Bond Guidelines
- An **independent auditor** will verify the compliance of the Eligible Portfolio with the framework on an annual basis



# Green, Social and Sustainability Bonds Framework: Total Eligible Assets

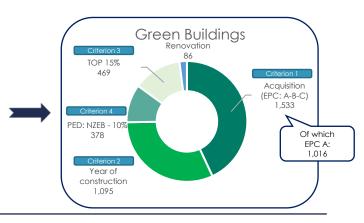
Data as at 30/04/2023, in € m.



The total amount of eligible assets under the current Green, Social & Sustainability Bonds Framework amounted to ~€15.4bn as at 30/04/23. of which:

- €4.2bn of Eligible Green Loans
- €11.1 bn of Eligible Social Loans

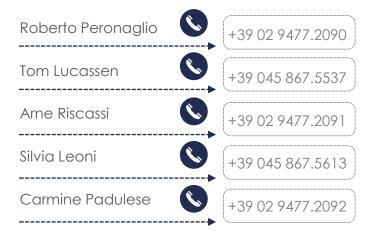
With the 5 outstanding issues as at 30/04/23, green and social assets are allocated for ~€3.5bn1





Note: 1. Allocation data as at 30/04/2023, excluding the Green SNP bond issued in June 2023.

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