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UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

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Credit Suisse Group reports 2009 net income of CHF 6.7 billion, return on equity of 18.3%, net new assets of CHF 44.2 billion, tier 1 ratio of 16.3%

Cash dividend of CHF 2.00 per share to be proposed for 2009

4Q09 net income of CHF 0.8 billion, return on equity of 8.3%, net new assets of CHF 12.5 billion

2009

- Strong performance overall

- o Net income of CHF 6.7 billion, a return on equity of 18.3%, net new assets of CHF 44.2 billion, tier 1 ratio of 16.3% as of year-end

- o Collaboration revenues from the integrated bank of CHF 5.2 billion

- Strong performance in Private Banking

- o Pre-tax income of CHF 3.7 billion, net revenues of CHF 11.7 billion, net new assets of CHF 41.6 billion

- o Gross margin in the Wealth Management Clients business of 131 basis points

- Record results in Investment Banking

- o Pre-tax income and net revenues at record levels at CHF 6.8 billion and CHF 20.5 billion respectively; pre-tax return on economic capital of 33.5%

- Solid improvement in Asset Management

- o Pre-tax income of CHF 35 million, net revenues of CHF 1.8 billion

4Q09

- Resilient performance overall

- o Net income of CHF 0.8 billion, a return on equity of 8.3%, net new assets of CHF 12.5 billion

- o Results include net fair value charges on Credit Suisse debt of CHF 0.3 billion (before tax) resulting from tightening credit spreads, and the additional CHF 0.5 billion (before tax) charge for the settlement with the US authorities relating to an investigation into US dollar payments and other practices involving parties that are subject to US economic sanctions. Excluding these items, after-tax net income would have been CHF 1.4 billion and the return on equity would have been 14.6%

- o Collaboration revenues from the integrated bank at a record CHF 1.6 billion

- Strong performance in Private Banking
  - o Pre-tax income of CHF 0.9 billion
- o Net inflows were strong across most businesses and amounted to CHF 12.0 billion excluding net client outflows of CHF 5.6 billion relating to a tax amnesty in Italy; this resulted in net new assets of CHF 6.4 billion
  - o Gross margin in the Wealth Management Clients business of 130 basis points
- Resilient performance in Investment Banking
  - o Pre-tax income of CHF 1.0 billion
  - o Strong results in underwriting and advisory businesses and solid results in cash equities and prime services
    - o Market share maintained or increased across most products and regions
- o Fixed income and equity trading revenues impacted by weaker volumes, a marked slowdown in client activity in November and December and lower volatility
- Improved operating performance in Asset Management vs. 3Q09 on solid net revenues
  - o Pre-tax income of CHF 0.2 billion
  - o Net new assets of CHF 4.1 billion

#### Responsible approach to compensation

- Members of the Executive Board at December 31, 2009 received no variable cash compensation for 2009; all variable compensation they received for 2009 was in the form of deferred awards and subject to performance criteria, which may result in future negative adjustments
- Total variable compensation for 2009 was down 21% vs. 2007; average variable compensation for 2009 was CHF 144,000, down from CHF 180,000 for 2007
- 40% of the total variable compensation awarded across Credit Suisse for 2009 was in the form of deferred awards and subject to performance criteria, which may result in future negative adjustments
- Close to 60% of the variable compensation awarded to managing directors for 2009 was in the form of deferred awards and subject to performance criteria, which may result in future negative adjustments
- Reversal of previously accrued performance-related compensation in Investment Banking led to a negative accrual in 4Q09; full year 2009 compensation to revenue ratio in Investment Banking was at the historically low level of 41%

#### Credit Suisse positioned to perform well in the new regulatory environment

- Introduced a client-focused, capital-efficient strategy in 2008, at an early stage
  - Exited most proprietary trading businesses in 4Q08
- Established a very strong capital base meeting Swiss regulator FINMA's requirements for capital and leverage, which are scheduled to take effect in 2013
  - Demonstrated effective liquidity management – net provider of liquidity during the crisis

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Zurich, February 11, 2010 Credit Suisse Group reported net income attributable to shareholders of CHF 0.8 billion in 4Q09 and core net revenues of CHF 6.5 billion. The return on equity attributable to shareholders was 8.3% in 4Q09 and diluted earnings per share were CHF 0.56. As of the end of 4Q09, the tier 1 ratio was 16.3%.

Results in 4Q09 include net fair value charges on Credit Suisse debt of CHF 0.3 billion (before tax) resulting from tightening credit spreads, and the additional CHF 0.5 billion (before tax) charge for the settlement with the US authorities relating to an investigation into US dollar payments and other practices involving parties that are subject to US economic sanctions. Excluding these items, after-tax net income in 4Q09 would have been CHF 1.4 billion and the return on equity would have been 14.6%.

Brady W. Dougan, Chief Executive Officer, said: “Our environment and the way we do business have changed fundamentally over the past two years. Credit Suisse responded swiftly and responsibly to these changes with the implementation of a client-focused, capital-efficient strategy and a business model that enables us to generate less volatile earnings. As a result, we were able to achieve a strong performance in 2009, with net income of CHF 6.7 billion, a return on equity of 18.3% and net new assets of over CHF 44 billion. We also gained significant market share and maintained our industry-leading capital position. Our business was resilient in the fourth quarter despite lower client trading activity in November and December.”

He added: “We have had a strong start to the quarter with strong client activity. Our transaction pipelines and net new asset inflows are the best we have seen since the crisis. We are confident about our prospects for 2010 given the strength of our business model, our competitive position and our ability to generate capital. The Board of Directors will propose a cash dividend of CHF 2.00 per share for 2009.”

Commenting on Private Banking, he said: “In a market that is undergoing significant structural changes, our Private Banking business has outperformed. Net inflows were strong across most businesses and amounted to CHF 12.0 billion excluding net client outflows of CHF 5.6 billion relating to a tax amnesty in Italy. This resulted in net new assets of CHF 6.4 billion in Private Banking in the fourth quarter. In our Wealth Management Clients business we recorded a strong gross margin of 130 basis points in the fourth quarter. Wealth management remains a very attractive growth market. Having invested in our Private Banking business throughout the financial crisis, we now have the operating leverage to further improve our profitability when markets and the demand for comprehensive solutions recover. Furthermore, our international presence and our integrated business model put us in a very good position to grow our business and to gain further market share.”

Commenting on Investment Banking, he said: “We continue to benefit from the action we took at the end of 2008 to reposition the business in a changed financial services sector. We achieved strong results in our underwriting and advisory businesses and solid results in cash equities and prime services in the fourth quarter of 2009. We also maintained or increased our market share across most products and regions. We are pleased with our record full-year pre-tax income and net revenues.”

Commenting on Asset Management, he said: “Our strategic measures in this business have put us on the right track. We are particularly encouraged by our good net new assets, improved operating performance and solid net revenues in the fourth quarter.”



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Commenting on Credit Suisse's home market, he said: "Our business in Switzerland continues to make a strong and stable contribution to our overall result. It accounted for CHF 11.8 billion of the CHF 41.6 billion in net new assets we generated in Private Banking in 2009. We will continue to invest in our home market as well as in our international expansion. As part of our commitment to play a responsible role in supporting an economic recovery, we have helped clients to invest in growth and to successfully manage difficult restructuring and liquidity situations. We are an important and committed lender to clients, demonstrated by the fact that we have maintained our lending in Switzerland at CHF 136.7 billion."

Commenting on compensation, he said: "We recognize the need for institutions in our industry to change the way people are rewarded and incentivized. We have been using deferred, share-based compensation instruments for many years and in 2009 we were the first institution to announce the adoption of the guidelines for best practice that followed the G-20 summit. We implemented a new compensation structure that reaffirms Credit Suisse's commitment to fair, balanced and performance-oriented compensation policies."

He added: "In line with this approach, members of the Executive Board at December 31, 2009 received no variable cash compensation for 2009 and all variable compensation they received for 2009 was in the form of deferred awards and subject to performance criteria, which may result in future negative adjustments. Total variable compensation for 2009 was down 21% compared to 2007 and average variable compensation was CHF 144,000, down from CHF 180,000 for 2007. Of the total variable compensation awarded across Credit Suisse for 2009, 40% was in the form of deferred awards and subject to performance criteria, which may result in future negative adjustments. Furthermore, close to 60% of the variable compensation awarded to managing directors for 2009 was in the form of deferred awards and subject to performance criteria, which may result in future negative adjustments. In Investment Banking, our compensation to revenue ratio in the full year 2009 was at the historically low level of 41%. Overall, we have tried to strike the right balance between paying our employees competitively, doing what is right for our shareholders and responding appropriately to regulatory initiatives as well as political and public concerns. We will continue to take a responsible approach to compensation."

He concluded: "We began at a very early stage to equip our business for the challenges of the new environment. During the last 18 months, in addition to successfully implementing a client-focused, capital-efficient strategy, we exited most of our proprietary trading businesses and took decisive action to meet regulatory requirements for capital and leverage. Thanks to our forward-looking approach, we entered this period of unprecedented industry change already in a robust position, having made considerable progress on our plans. We believe that Credit Suisse is well positioned to succeed in the face of the regulatory initiatives that are currently being discussed."



## Financial Highlights

in CHF million	2009	Change in % vs. 2008	4Q09	Change in % vs. 3Q09	Change in % vs. 4Q08
Net income attributable to shareholders	6,724	-	793	(66)	-
Diluted earnings per share (CHF)	5.14	-	0.56	(69)	-
Return on equity attributable to shareholders (annualized)	18.3%	-	8.3%	-	-
Tier 1 ratio (end of period)	16.3%	-	16.3%	-	-
Core results <sup>1)</sup>					
Net revenues	33,617	183	6,533	(27)	-
Provision for credit losses	506	(38)	(40)	-	-
Total operating expenses	24,528	6	5,228	(16)	(18)
Income from continuing operations before taxes	8,583	-	1,345	(49)	-

1) Core Results include the results of the three segments, the Corporate Center and discontinued operations, but do not include noncontrolling interests without significant economic interest.

## Segment Results

## Private Banking

Private Banking, which comprises the Wealth Management Clients and Corporate & Institutional Clients businesses, reported income before taxes of CHF 857 million in 4Q09, stable compared to 3Q09, as a solid 6% increase in net revenues to CHF 3,000 million was offset by a 10% increase in total operating expenses. The rise in total operating expenses was due to higher general and administrative expenses and higher compensation and benefits. General and administrative expenses increased as a result of higher IT investment costs, mainly driven by investments in international growth platforms and in applications related to investment advisory and client solutions, as well as seasonally higher sales and marketing expenses.

The Wealth Management Clients business reported income before taxes of CHF 692 million in 4Q09, down 4% compared to 3Q09, as a 6% improvement in net revenues, which reflected higher recurring as well as transaction-based revenues, was more than offset by a 9% increase in total operating expenses. The growth in recurring revenues compared to 3Q09 reflected an increase in net interest income, driven by higher margins on stable average deposit volumes and higher recurring commissions and fees, while the growth in transaction-based revenues was mainly driven by increases in foreign exchange income from client transactions, in integrated solutions revenues and in product issuing fees. The gross margin was 130 basis points in 4Q09, up 5 basis points compared to 3Q09.

The Corporate & Institutional Clients business reported income before taxes of CHF 165 million in 4Q09, up 15% compared to 3Q09. The performance was driven by a 6% increase in net revenues, mainly due to lower fair value losses related to Clock Finance, a synthetic collateralized loan portfolio, compared to 3Q09. Net provision for credit losses was CHF 17 million in 4Q09 compared to CHF 40 million in 3Q09.

**Investment Banking**

Investment Banking continued to execute its client-focused, capital-efficient strategy in 4Q09 and maintained or increased its market share across most products and regions. Income before taxes was CHF 1,030 million, benefiting from strong results in the underwriting and advisory businesses as well as solid results in cash equities and prime services. Income before taxes was 41% lower than in 3Q09, reflecting a

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significant decline in net revenues to CHF 3,038 million in 4Q09 from CHF 5,046 million in 3Q09. Net revenues were affected by lower fixed income and equity trading revenues, which were impacted by weaker volumes, a marked slowdown in client activity in November and December and lower volatility. Investment Banking's results also reflected net fair value losses on Credit Suisse debt of CHF 243 million compared to net fair value losses of CHF 251 million in 3Q09. The pre-tax income margin was 33.9% in 4Q09 compared to 34.6% in 3Q09. The pre-tax return on economic capital was 21.9% in 4Q09, compared to 35.1% in 3Q09.

Investment Banking maintained its focus on expense discipline and efficiency improvement. Compensation expenses were CHF 870 million in 4Q09, down 59% compared to 3Q09, reflecting the reversal of previously accrued performance-related compensation. Total other operating expenses increased 6% compared to 3Q09 (excluding litigation charges of CHF 31 million in 4Q09 and CHF 47 million in 3Q09), due to higher IT investment, travel and entertainment and events expenses.

Risk-weighted assets were USD 140 billion, up slightly from the end of 3Q09, as Investment Banking grew its client-focused businesses. Average one-day, 99% Value-at-Risk increased 21% from 3Q09 to CHF 114 million.

Despite a subdued 4Q09, income before taxes and net revenues in 2009 reached record levels at CHF 6,845 million and CHF 20,537 million respectively, and the pre-tax return on economic capital improved to 33.5%.

#### Asset Management

Asset Management reported income before taxes of CHF 159 million in 4Q09, benefiting from an improvement in performance, placement and asset management fees compared to 3Q09. The results included, in particular, strong performance fees from Hedging-Griffo, Credit Suisse's asset management business in Brazil, and gains from the sale of two joint ventures. Investment-related losses were CHF 47 million in 4Q09, primarily in private equity investments.

Net revenues were CHF 637 million, down 17% or CHF 128 million compared to 3Q09. However, excluding investment-related valuation effects and the gain of CHF 207 million in 3Q09 relating to the sale of part of Credit Suisse's traditional investment strategies business to Aberdeen Asset Management, underlying revenues increased CHF 223 million.

Total operating expenses rose 5% compared to 3Q09, as an increase in general and administrative expenses was partially offset by lower performance-related compensation. As of the end of 4Q09, the fair value of the balance sheet exposure to securities purchased from Credit Suisse's money market funds was CHF 260 million, up CHF 8 million compared to 3Q09, and gains were CHF 47 million.

Segment Results in CHF million		2009	Change in % vs. 2008	4Q09	Change in % vs. 3Q09	Change in % vs. 4Q08
Private	Net revenues	11,662	(10)	3,000	6	(4)
Banking	Provision for credit losses	180	35	26	(26)	(80)
	Total operating expenses	7,831	(12)	2,117	10	(15)
	Income before taxes	3,651	(5)	857	(1)	66
Investment	Net revenues	20,537	-	3,038	(40)	-
Banking	Provision for credit losses	326	(52)	(66)	-	-
	Total operating expenses	13,366	20	2,074	(37)	(17)
	Income before taxes	6,845	-	1,030	(41)	-
Asset	Net revenues	1'842	191	637	(17)	-
Management	Provision for credit losses	0	-	0	-	-
	Total operating expenses	1'807	(1)	478	5	59
	Income before taxes	35	-	159	(49)	-

#### Net New Assets

In Private Banking, net inflows were strong across most businesses and amounted to CHF 12.0 billion excluding net client outflows of CHF 5.6 billion relating to a tax amnesty in Italy that negatively impacted net new assets in Europe, Middle East and Africa and Switzerland. This resulted in net new assets of CHF 6.4 billion in Private Banking in 4Q09, of which CHF 5.4 billion were generated in the Wealth Management Clients business. The annualized quarterly growth rate in Wealth Management Clients was 2.7% in 4Q09.

Asset Management reported net new assets of CHF 4.1 billion in 4Q09, including inflows of CHF 6.6 billion in targeted investment strategies, mainly in real estate and exchange traded funds, and CHF 0.8 billion in Swiss advisory, partially offset by outflows of CHF 3.6 billion in multi-asset class solutions, which included the impact of a tax amnesty in Italy.

Credit Suisse Group's total assets under management from continuing operations were CHF 1,229.0 billion as of the end of 4Q09, up CHF 3.7 billion or 0.3% from the end of 3Q09 and up CHF 122.9 billion or 11.1% from the end of 4Q08.

#### Benefits of the integrated bank

Credit Suisse generated a record CHF 1.6 billion in collaboration revenues from the integrated bank in 4Q09, up from CHF 1.1 billion in 3Q09, bringing the total in 2009 to CHF 5.2 billion.

#### Capital position

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Credit Suisse's capital position remains very strong. The tier 1 ratio was 16.3% as of the end of 4Q09, compared to 16.4% as of the end of 3Q09 and 13.3% as of the end of 4Q08.

### Dividend proposal

The Board of Directors will propose a cash dividend of CHF 2.00 per share for 2009 to the Annual General Meeting on April 30, 2010, compared to a cash dividend of CHF 0.10 per share for 2008.

### Long-term initiatives

As one of Switzerland's largest employers and providers of training, Credit Suisse has a duty to enhance the country's position as a center of expertise and to promote entrepreneurship and is taking long-term

initiatives with this in mind:

- Credit Suisse plans to create a further 150 apprenticeships in Switzerland and invest CHF 30 million over the next five years in training programs run by non-profit organizations that help young people to find an apprenticeship and enter the job market.
- In conjunction with the Swiss Venture Club, Credit Suisse will provide up to CHF 100 million of risk capital to small and medium-sized enterprises and young entrepreneurs, primarily to promote the creation of jobs in Switzerland.
- As part of a program launched by the Swiss IT and communication technology umbrella association, Credit Suisse plans to invest up to CHF 10 million in promoting professional education in the IT sector. The program aims to create over 1,000 new IT apprenticeships in Switzerland by 2015.

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- our plans, objectives or goals;
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- the ability to maintain sufficient liquidity and access capital markets;

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- market and interest rate fluctuations;
- the strength of the global economy in general and the strength of the economies of the countries in which we conduct our operations, in particular the risk of a continued US or global economic downturn in 2010 and beyond;
  - the direct and indirect impacts of continuing deterioration of subprime and other real estate markets;
- further adverse rating actions by credit rating agencies in respect of structured credit products or other credit-related exposures or of monoline insurers;
  - the ability of counterparties to meet their obligations to us;
- the effects of, and changes in, fiscal, monetary, trade and tax policies, and currency fluctuations;
  - political and social developments, including war, civil unrest or terrorist activity;
- the possibility of foreign exchange controls, expropriation, nationalization or confiscation of assets in countries in which we conduct our operations;
  - operational factors such as systems failure, human error, or the failure to implement procedures properly;
- actions taken by regulators with respect to our business and practices in one or more of the countries in which we conduct our operations;
  - the effects of changes in laws, regulations or accounting policies or practices;
  - competition in geographic and business areas in which we conduct our operations;
    - the ability to retain and recruit qualified personnel;
    - the ability to maintain our reputation and promote our brand;
    - the ability to increase market share and control expenses;

- technological changes;
- the timely development and acceptance of our new products and services and the perceived overall value of these products and services by users;
- acquisitions, including the ability to integrate acquired businesses successfully, and divestitures, including the ability to sell non-core assets;
  - the adverse resolution of litigation and other contingencies;
  - the ability to achieve our cost efficiency goals and other cost targets; and
  - our success at managing the risks involved in the foregoing.

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Presentation of 4Q09 and 2009 results

Media conference

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§ Speakers

Brady W. Dougan, Chief Executive Officer of Credit Suisse  
Renato Fassbind, Chief Financial Officer of Credit Suisse

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Fourth quarter and full-year 2009 results detail

Renato Fassbind, Chief Financial Officer

Introduction

Brady W. Dougan, Chief Executive Officer

Summary

Brady W. Dougan, Chief Executive Officer

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Challenges  
addressed  
early and  
decisively  
Strong  
results  
in 2009  
Distinctive  
strategy  
delivering  
results

- § Industry-leading return on equity and capital position
    - § Client and employee momentum
    - § Best-in-class dividend of CHF 2 per share
  - § Private Banking with positive net new assets throughout crisis
    - § Investment Banking achieves record results
    - § Asset Management now solidly repositioned
  - § Risk and balance sheet reductions; industry-leading tier 1 ratio; leverage ratio complies with 2013 Swiss minimum requirement
    - § First bank to comply with G-20 principles regarding compensation
    - § Anticipated early the evolving landscape in cross border banking
    - § Strong start to 1Q10 with strong client activity;
  - Transaction pipelines and net new asset inflows are the best since the crisis
    - § Potential to thrive in different market environments
    - § Responsible corporate citizen
- Fourth Quarter and Full-Year Results 2009  
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Credit Suisse strongly positioned with distinctive strategy
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Increased capital  
and funding costs  
as a price for  
cautious funding  
and high liquidity  
Tangible actions  
we took to  
strengthen our  
position

§ No net funding from central banks - we were supplying on average CHF 32  
bn, at peak over CHF 70 bn, in cash to the central banks

§ No need to participate in emergency or standing collateralized funding  
facilities provided by Central Banks

§ No equity injection, guarantees of liabilities or purchase of  
illiquid assets by government needed

Well positioned  
during the crisis  
and net provider of  
liquidity to the  
market

Direct impact for  
Credit Suisse

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Facing competitive  
distortion as  
primarily weaker  
competitors were  
supported with  
equity injections,  
funding guarantees  
and toxic asset  
purchases

§ Reduced balance sheet by 24% since 4Q07; RWA down 32%

§ Continued raising funding in the secured and unsecured markets without the  
support of government guarantees

§ Extending/lengthening of the funding profile - increased long-term debt  
weighted average duration

§ Pre-emptively raised privately CHF 10 bn of regulatory capital in 3Q08 -  
no government investment needed

§ Tier 1 ratio increased by 300 basis points during 2009 through retained  
earnings and risk reductions

§ Protected shareholder from dilution - fewer shares issued today than at  
start of 2006

§ Anticipated current regulatory and market environment; aggressively  
adapted our business model to fit that environment

The Governments' and Central Banks' actions were decisive and instrumental  
to stabilize the system - Credit Suisse contributed as a net provider of liquidity





Challenges  
addressed  
early and  
decisively  
Strong  
results  
in 2009  
Distinctive  
strategy  
delivering  
results

- § Industry-leading return on equity and capital position
    - § Client and employee momentum
    - § Best-in-class dividend of CHF 2 per share
  - § Private Banking with positive net new assets throughout crisis
    - § Investment Banking achieves record results
    - § Asset Management now solidly repositioned
  - § Risk and balance sheet reductions; industry-leading tier 1 ratio; leverage ratio complies with 2013 Swiss minimum requirement
    - § First bank to comply with G-20 principles regarding compensation
    - § Anticipated early the evolving landscape in cross border banking
    - § Strong start to 1Q10 with strong client activity;
  - Transaction pipelines and net new asset inflows are the best since the crisis
    - § Potential to thrive in different market environments
    - § Responsible corporate citizen
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Credit Suisse strongly positioned with distinctive strategy
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2009 4Q09 3Q09 2Q09 1Q09

Core results in CHF bn

Net revenues

Provision for credit losses

Total operating expenses

Pre-tax income

Net income 1)

Return on equity

Earnings per share in CHF 2)

A reconciliation from reported results to underlying results can be found in the appendix to this presentation

Numbers may not add to total due to rounding

Net revenues

Pre-tax income

Net income

Return on equity

Underlying results

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33.6 6.5 8.9 8.6 9.6

0.5 (0.0) 0.1 0.3 0.2

24.5 5.2 6.2 6.7 6.3

8.6 1.3 2.6 1.6 3.1

6.7 0.8 2.4 1.6 2.0

18% 8% 25% 18% 23%

5.14 0.56 1.81 1.18 1.59

34.4 6.8 9.0 9.8 8.9

10.6 2.1 3.0 3.1 2.4

7.7 1.4 2.3 2.5 1.5

21% 15% 24% 27% 17%

1) Attributable to shareholders

2) Diluted and attributable to shareholders

Results overview

(U)HNWI = (Ultra) high net worth individuals  
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Private Banking with strong 2009 results despite challenges in  
the market environment and an evolving industry landscape

§ Stable platform and strong client franchise

– Net new assets of CHF 42 bn

– Demonstrated the value of our industry-leading multi-shore business model  
with solid and consistently positive net asset flows across all regions

– Client satisfaction on high level and further enhanced value proposition during  
crisis

– Increasing market share in (U)HNWI client segment

§ Continued talent upgrades with focus on senior relationship managers

§ Continued investment in our platform provides significant upside potential from  
operating leverage as markets normalize

§ Opening 2010 assets under management up 16% from 2009;  
expected market shares gains to continue

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2,509

723

117

692

2,898

Pre-tax income

CHF m

§ Sound revenues with rebound in gross margin to 130 bp from 3Q09

§ Reduction in pre-tax income due to investments in client services, IT and higher personnel expenses

§ Continued strong client inflows in 4Q09, partially offset by outflows related to "Scudo"

§ Assets under management up CHF 10 bn to CHF 803 bn in 4Q09; up 16% in 2009

§ Number of relationship managers increased by 50 to 4,080 in 4Q09

2008

2009

4Q08

Pre-tax income margin in %

23.5 29.4 4.6 29.8 26.9

3Q09

4Q09

1) Including net provisions related to ARS of CHF 310 m in 3Q08 and CHF 456 m in 4Q08 and a charge of CHF 190 m related to an account close-out in 4Q08

2) Including proceeds from captive insurance settlements of CHF 100 m in 1Q09

1)

2)

1)

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Wealth Management geared towards growth with continued strong inflows and stable gross margin

Net new assets in 2009

CHF bn

1Q09

2Q09

9.6

Rolling four-quarter NNA growth on AuM in %

4.8 3.8 3.8 5.1 5.1

3Q09

4Q09

9.1

11.2

35.3

10.3

11.5

8.0

EMEA

Asia

Pacific

Americas

Switzerland

2009

5.4

5.5

§ Strong underlying inflows of CHF 11 bn

§ Negatively affected by net client outflows of CHF 5.6 bn due to "Scudo"

– Successfully retained 2/3 of repatriated funds

§ Solid net asset inflows of CHF 5.4 bn

§ Evidence that the business is building momentum

§ Testimony of our outperformance in a still challenging, yet improving, environment

(5.6)

11.0

Impact from tax

amnesty in Italy (Scudo)

Underlying inflows

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Continued strong inflows in Wealth Management reflecting the strength of our franchise

100  
99  
97  
92  
95  
97  
33  
26  
38  
33  
36  
34  
101  
96  
103  
101  
103  
30  
32  
34  
31  
31

Gross margin on assets under management

Basis points

Recurring  
margin

Trans-  
action  
based  
margin

Management fees

Integrated solutions

Key net revenue changes

2009 vs. 2008

Product issuing fees

1Q

2Q

3Q

4Q

2008

134

135

125

130

133

132

125

135

Brokerage fees

Interest income

1Q  
2Q  
3Q  
4Q  
2009  
2009  
2008  
131  
131  
2007  
131

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Stable gross margin in Wealth Management

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	1,341			
	753			
	400			
	165			
	144			
Pre-tax income				
CHF m				
2008				
2009				
4Q08				
Provision for credit losses in CHF m				
8 (147) (15) (40) (17)				
3Q09				
4Q09				
Pre-tax income margin in %				
60.7 42.0 64.5 35.6 38.6				
Fair value change on loan hedges in CHF m				
110 (118) 57 (61) (30)				
§ Net new assets of CHF 1.0 bn				
§ Stable revenues vs. 3Q09 excluding fair value changes on loan hedges				
§ Low credit provisions of CHF 17 m reflecting the strong performance of our credit portfolio despite the challenging economic conditions				
§ Strong pre-tax income margin both in 4Q09 with 38.6% and in 2009 with 42.0%				
§ Reduction in pre-tax income to solid CHF 753 m for 2009 driven by				
– Value changes on loan hedges				
– Increase in credit provisions				
– Lower margin on loans reflecting increased refinancing costs				
(228)				
(155)				
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Corporate & Institutional Clients review				

Note: All data before impact of movements in spreads on own debt  
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Client-focused, capital efficient model produces  
record results for Investment Banking in 2009

- § Record full-year revenues and pre-tax income achieved from client-focused, capital efficient model with significantly reduced risk and capital usage
  - § High quality of earnings and strong market share momentum; superior return on capital and pre-tax margin
  - § Industry-wide slowdown in client trading activity in 4Q09, but still achieved 27% pre-tax return on capital in 4Q09 and 35% for 2009
  - § Excluding litigation costs, 2009 non-compensation expenses declined 9% from 2008 and 11% from 2007
  - § Historic low full-year 2009 compensation/revenue ratio of 41%; negative accrual for performance-related compensation in 4Q09
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Net revenues

Pre-tax income

Pre-tax income margin

Pre-tax return on economic capital

Risk weighted assets (USD bn)

Average 1-day VaR (USD m)

Investment Banking (CHF m)

Note: Excluding impact from movements in spreads on own debt of CHF (243) m, CHF (251) m, CHF (269) m, CHF 365 m, CHF (397) m in 4Q09, 3Q09, 2Q09, 1Q09 and 2009, respectively

Numbers may not add to total due to rounding

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20.9 3.3 5.3 6.3 6.1

7.2 1.3 2.0 1.9 2.0

35% 39% 38% 31% 34%

35% 27% 40% 37% 38%

140 140 137 139 154

108 111 89 112 121

2009 4Q09 3Q09 2Q09 1Q09

Record 2009 revenue, pre-tax income and return on capital  
achieved with significantly less risk and capital usage

2009 Investment Banking revenues (in CHF bn)

Key client

businesses

Repositioned

businesses

Exit

businesses

2009

§ Accelerated implementation of our client-focused, capital efficient strategy in late

2008

§ Successful execution in 2009

– Strong results in key client businesses

– Repositioned businesses trans-formed into client-based franchises with lower capital usage

– Exit of businesses that were significant contributors in the past, but no longer fit our strategic criteria

§ Significant momentum going into 2010

20.9

18.2

5.4

(2.7)

Ongoing

Note: Excluding impact from movements in spreads on own debt

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Successful strategy implementation

Market rebound revenues:  
 estimated rebound revenues resulting from normalized market conditions, including the reduction in market volatility and the stabilization of the convertible bond market compared to 4Q08

=  
 CHF bn  
 0.2  
 1.1  
 2.4  
 2.5  
 1.6  
 1.6  
 0.1  
 8.7  
 7.5

1) Excludes impact from movements in spreads on own debt.

2) Exit losses for 2009 were CHF 110 million.

Securities view: Equity sales & trading and underwriting revenues<sup>1)2)</sup>

2009  
 1Q09  
 2Q09  
 3Q09  
 4Q09  
 2009

Repositioned businesses

Key client businesses

2.2  
 7.5  
 1.2

Equity  
 sales &  
 trading  
 Equity

underwriting

8.7  
 2009

§ Sustained market share growth delivers significant increase in revenues

§ Strong results in cash equities, prime services and flow and corporate derivatives

§ Minimal exit losses<sup>2)</sup> as a result of substantial risk reduction early in the year in illiquid trading activities

4Q09

§ Revenues impacted by a industry-wide decline in client activity

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Strong 2009 equity revenues demonstrate sustained market share gains



=  
 CHF bn  
 12.0  
 1.1  
 9.6  
 3.7  
 (2.4)  
 3.9  
 3.6  
 3.0  
 1.4  
 0.5

Repositioned businesses

Key client businesses

Exit businesses

0.9

Market rebound revenues:

estimated rebound revenues resulting from normalized market conditions, including the narrowing of credit spreads and the reduction in the differential between cash and synthetic instruments compared to 4Q08

1Q09

2Q09

3Q09

4Q09

2009

1) Excludes impact from movements in spreads on own debt.

10.9

1.1

Fixed

income

sales &

trading

Debt

underwriting

2009

12.0

2009

§ Strong results in key client businesses, including global rates and FX, US RMBS and investment grade credit

§ Improved results from repositioned businesses, driven by US leveraged finance, emerging markets and corporate lending

§ Significantly reduced exit losses reflecting aggressive risk reduction

4Q09

§ Revenues impacted by weaker market volumes, a decline in client activity and lower volatility across the industry

Securities view: Fixed income sales & trading and underwriting revenues1)

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Refocused fixed income business delivers high quality revenues  
with substantially lower risk and efficient capital usage

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2009 and 4Q09

§ Advisory and underwriting revenues benefited from significant improvement in both industry activity and our market share

§ Market share gains across most products and regions, resulting in #2 share of wallet in 2009 for EMEA and APAC1)

Outlook

§ Strong pipeline

§ Improving market for global M&A

§ ECM activity expected to benefit from an increase in IPOs

§ Strong leveraged finance pipeline; sizeable high yield refinancing opportunity

Investment Banking Department view: Advisory and underwriting

CHF bn

0.1

0.2

0.2

0.4

1Q09

2Q09

3Q09

4Q09

2009

0.3

0.2

0.2

0.7

0.8

0.1

0.3

0.4

1.2

0.3

0.4

0.5

3.1

0.8

1.1

1.2

1) Source: Dealogic

Note: Underwriting revenues are also included in the Securities view on slides 16 and 17

Debt underwriting

Advisory

Equity underwriting

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Significant improvement in both advisory and underwriting  
revenues

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Investment Banking RWAs (period end in USD bn)

4Q08

1Q09

2Q09

140

3Q09

89

Investment Banking average 1-Day VaR (USD m)

4Q08

1Q09

2Q09

3Q09

§ Average Value-at-Risk (VaR) decreased 21% vs. 4Q08 but increased relative to 3Q09

§ Revenues stable; no backtesting exceptions in 2009

§ The increase in VaR from 3Q09 primarily reflects the impact of a methodology change and increased VaR usage, reflecting client activity across our fixed income and equity businesses

163

4Q09

139

4Q09

§ Risk-weighted assets (RWA) in ongoing businesses grew to USD 123 bn as we continue to grow these businesses

§ RWA in exit businesses down slightly

§ Priority remains to release remaining capital from exit portfolio for reinvestment into our targeted client businesses

Exit

businesses

137

26

113

18

119

111

140

17

123

102

Methodology adjustment

154

112

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Continued reallocation of capital to ongoing businesses



Securities

Source: Thomson Financial, Tradeweb, Euromoney magazine, Greenwich Associates and Credit Suisse estimates

1) Represents leveraged loans secondary trading.

Underwriting and advisory

IPO Americas

#6/7%

#5/8%

#9/7%

#9/3%

2006

Current

2007

US cash  
equities

#6/6%

#2/12%

#4/12%

#5/12%

#1/3%

#1/8%

#1/8%

#1/8%

Prime  
services

Top 7/

~6%

Top 3/

>10%

Top 6/

~6%

Top 3/

>10%

Foreign  
exchange

#17/1%

NA

#14/2%

#9/3%

RMBS pass  
-throughs

#2/14%

#1/19%

#1/18%

#1/18%

Leveraged  
loans 1)

#2/14%

#2/19%

#4/13%

#2/16%

2008  
Global  
announced

#6/19%

#5/16%

#6/20%

#7/17%

US rates

#10/5%

#6/9%

#10/5%

#8/6%

#10/17%

#2/33%

#8/23%

#6/22%

APAC (ex Japan)

announced

#11/4%

#2/7%

#6/6%

#5/9%

#13/3%

#10/4%

#13/3%

#12/4%

#3/12%

#4/9%

#2/11%

#3/11%

ECM global

#7/6%

#7/6%

#7/6%

#7/5%

#4/7%

#5/6%

#3/8%

#8/5%

Trend

2006

2009

2007

2008

Trend

(Rank/market share)

(Rank/market share)

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Equi-  
ties

Fixed  
Income  
M&A  
DCM  
ECM  
US electronic  
trading  
Europe  
announced  
Investment  
grade global  
High yield  
global  
IPO global

Strong market share growth but upside potential remains

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2009 relative revenue contribution by business

2009 market environment

Credit

Suisse

market

share

Strong

Worse than

historic levels

Better than

historic levels

Upside

potential

Revenue growth potential from increasing market share

Revenue growth potential from improving environment

Risk of revenue reduction from normalizing environment

§ Market trends developed as

forecasted in mid-2009

– Some bid/offer spread

normalization, especially in

commoditized products

– Market share gains in key areas,

but substantial opportunity remains

§ Our resources continue to be aligned

with environment and market

opportunities

§ Specific growth initiatives aimed at

growing client flows and broadening

our client footprint

Sustainable performance expected

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Cash

equities

RMBS trading

Rates

Equity capital

Equity

derivatives

M&A

FX

Commodities

Leveraged

finance

grade

markets

Prime

Services

Emerging

markets



Investment

Growth initiatives aimed at extending market share gains  
and offsetting any impact of spread normalization

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- Decisive implementation of Asset Management's new business model is delivering encouraging initial results
- § Took tangible steps to implement new business model in 2009
    - Successfully closed transaction with Aberdeen Asset Management
      - Exited non-core joint ventures in Poland and Korea
  - § Strengthened sales team by hiring over 20 senior professionals
    - § Asset inflows gaining momentum;  
CHF 8.0 bn in 2H09 vs. CHF (7.6) in 1H09
    - § Improvement in operating performance in 2009
    - § Continued emphasis on driving platform efficiencies;  
general and administrative expenses reduced by 8% in 2009
-

§ Consistently improving operating performance and stronger net revenues

§ Gross margin improved to 43 basis points in 2009

§ Business positioned well to benefit from normalizing market environment

Pre-tax income 1)

CHF m

2008

2009

4Q08

3Q09

4Q09

Total gains/(losses) 2)

(1,343) (256) (759) 139 0

1) Including gain on sale of business of CHF 21 m, CHF 207 m, CHF 58 m and CHF 286 m in 2Q09, 3Q09, 4Q09 and 2009 respectively

2) On securities purchased from our money market funds and investment-related gains/(losses)

3) Before total gains/(losses) and gains on sale of business

Gross margin 3)

38 43 35 40 54

(1,185)

(656)

311

159

35

CHF 207 m gain on sale of business

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Asset Management returned to profitability for the year

(2)

44

125

110

119

121

191

200

196

199

34

46

Asset management fees

CHF m

2Q09

1Q09

3Q09

4Q09

Alternative

investment

strategies

Other traditional

strategies

Multi-asset class

solutions

314

344

362

364

§ Fees have consistently risen  
through 2009

§ Well diversified fee base; no  
single strategy accounts for  
more than 16%

§ Alternative investments not  
expected to be materially  
impacted by proposed US  
regulatory changes

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Fees steadily improving and well diversified

	+2.8
Assets under management end	
4Q09	
CHF bn	
Asset	
Management	
Division	
Multi-asset class	
solutions (MACS)	
Other traditional	
strategies	
Alternative	
investment	
strategies (AI)	
Net new assets	
	+6.6
	+1.0
	+4.1
2009 gross margin	
Before total gains/(losses) and gain on sale in	
2009	
	(3.6)
CHF bn	
	416
	88
	170
	158
	43
	47
	28
	59
	+0.4
	+7.6
	(5.4)
4Q09	
2009	
4Q09 outflows	
impacted by	
"Scudo"	
"Exit " businesses	
(primarily US money	
markets)	
	0
	(4.6)
	+0.1
	0

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Strong inflows in targeted areas drive positive net new  
assets for 2009



4Q08  
1Q09  
3Q09  
Basel 2 risk-weighted assets (in CHF bn) and capital ratios (in %)  
4Q07

§ Basel 2 tier 1 ratio of 16.3%,  
up 300 basis points in 2009

§ Core tier 1 ratio of 11.2%<sup>1)</sup>

§ Risk-weighted assets reduced by  
14% in 2009 and by 32% since end  
2007

§ Dividend proposal of CHF 2 per  
share, already fully considered in  
current capital ratio

10.0

13.3

14.1

257

261

324

15.5

235

2Q09

(32)%

16.4

222

4Q09

16.3

222

1) Excluding hybrid capital of CHF 12.2 bn

PB = Private Banking; AM = Asset Management; IB = Investment Banking

IB

PB

AM

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Industry leading capital position

1,031  
1,031  
Assets  
4Q09  
Capital & liabilities  
4Q09  
Reverse 247  
repo  
Trading 352  
assets  
Loans 229  
Other 151  
Repo 229  
Trading liab. 133  
Short-term<sup>1)</sup> 52  
Long-term 159  
debt  
Capital 179  
& Other  
122%  
coverage

Asset and liabilities by category (period-end in CHF bn)

§ Strong balance sheet structure maintained

§ Regulatory leverage ratio increased to 4.2%

§ Stable and low cost deposit base a key funding  
advantage

§ Complemented by a conservative and  
lengthened long-term debt profile -  
now at 6.4 years duration, up 31% from  
4.9 years in 2006<sup>2)</sup>)

Cash <sup>1)</sup> 52

1) Includes due from/to banks

2) weighted average, assuming that callable securities are redeemed at final maturity, latest in 2030

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Deposits 279

Maintained strong funding structure



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Adoption of new accounting principles on January 1, 2010

§ New consolidation rules for Variable Interest Entities to be adopted in 1Q10

- Increase to the opening consolidated balance sheet by CHF 15 bn, of which majority likely to be level 3 assets
- Reduction in opening retained earnings of approximately CHF 2 bn related to the consolidation of Alpine
- No impact on BIS tier 1 capital or risk-weighted assets; no additional economic risk

§ Future impacts from movements in credit spreads on own debt

- The remaining cumulative CHF 1.5 billion net gains will continue to be amortized on a straight-line basis, i.e. CHF 60 m per quarter (mostly in IB)
- Any positive/negative difference between the amortization amount and the impact from changes in credit spreads will continue to be included in

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35  
36 to 38  
39  
40  
41 to 42

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Reconciliation from underlying to reported results  
Collaboration revenues  
Repositioned Investment Bank  
Client market share momentum in the Investment Bank  
Investment Banking market and margin trends  
Investment Banking expenses  
Commercial mortgage exposures detail  
Loan portfolio characteristics

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Note: numbers may not add to total due to rounding

4Q09  
 reported  
 4Q09  
 under-  
 lying  
 Impact from  
 the tightening  
 of spreads on  
 own debt  
 Legal  
 provisions  
 CHF bn  
 Net revenues  
 Prov. for credit losses  
 Total oper. expenses  
 Pre-tax income  
 Income taxes  
 Income attributable to  
 noncontrolling interests  
 Net income  
 Return on equity

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6.5 0.3 - 6.8

0.0 - - 0.0

(5.2) - 0.5 (4.7)

1.3 0.3 0.5 2.1

(0.5) (0.0) (0.1) (0.6)

0.1 - - 0.1

0.8 0.3 0.4 1.4

8.3% 14.6%

Reconciliation from reported to underlying results 4Q09

2009  
 reported  
 CHF bn  
 Impact from tight-  
 ening of spreads  
 on own debt  
 Legal  
 provisions  
 2009  
 underlying  
 Discrete tax  
 benefits  
 Gain on sale  
 of business

Note: numbers may not add to total due to rounding

Net revenues  
 Prov. for credit losses  
 Total oper. expenses  
 Pre-tax income  
 Income taxes  
 Income from discon-  
 tinued operations  
 Income attributable to  
 noncontrolling interests  
 Net income  
 Return on equity

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33.6 0.7 0.1 - - 34.4  
 (0.5) - - - - (0.5)  
 (24.6) - 1.0 - - (23.6)  
 8.6 0.7 1.1 - - 10.6  
 (1.8) 0.2 (0.4) - (0.6) (2.6)  
  
 0.2 - - (0.2) - 0.0

0.2 - - - - 0.2  
 6.7 0.9 0.7 (0.2) (0.6) 7.7  
 18.3% 20.8%

Reconciliation from reported to underlying results 2009

§ Collaboration revenues remained resilient reflecting the strength of the integrated bank model

§ Record 4Q09 quarter

– 45% increase over 3Q09

– 33% increase over 4Q08

§ Good start into 2010, capitalizing on momentum

§ Total collaboration revenues targeted to reach CHF 10 bn in

2012

CHF bn

2006

2007

2008

4.9

5.9

5.2

2009

5.2

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Collaboration revenues

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Repositioned businesses

Exit businesses

- § Emerging Markets - maintain leading business but with more limited risk/credit provision
- § US Leveraged Finance - maintain leading business but focus on smaller/quicker to market deals
- § Corporate Lending - improved alignment of lending with business and ability to hedge

December 2008: Realignment of the Investment Bank

- § Equity Trading - focus on quantitative and liquid strategies
- § Convertibles - focus on client flow
- § Highly structured derivatives
  - § Illiquid principal trading
  - Develop existing strong market positions
  - Maintain competitive advantage but reduce risk and volatility
  - Release capital and resources; reduce volatility
  - § Global Rates
  - § Currencies (FX)
  - § High Grade Credit / DCM
  - § US RMBS secondary trading
  - § Commodities trading (joint venture)
  - § Strategic advisory (M&A) and capital markets origination
  - § Mortgage origination and CDO
- § Non-US leveraged finance trading
  - § Non-US RMBS
  - § Highly structured derivatives
  - § Power & emission trading
  - § Origination of slow to market, capital-intensive financing transactions

Key client businesses

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Equities

Fixed Income

Advisory

§ Cash equities

§ Electronic trading

§ Prime services  
§ Equity derivatives - focus on  
flow and corporate trades

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- § #1 market share in US cash products (leading market share analysis provider)
  - § #1 volume in S&P 500 and Nasdaq 100 (Bloomberg)
  - § #1 RMBS pass-through trading (Tradeweb)
  - § #2 in the Global High Yield Underwriter Rankings (Full Credit to Lead Left Bookrunner)(ThomsonReuters)
  - § #1 In High Yield Sales Rankings , #1 in Loan Market Penetration, #1 in Special Situations/Distressed Market Penetration for both Loans and High Yield(Greenwich Associates)
  - § #1 pan-an brokerage firm for equity trading based on commissions paid (Thomson Extel)
  - § #1 an convertible trading (Greenwich Associates)
  - § #1 LSE Order Book (LSE)
  - § #1 FTSE 100 (Bloomberg)
  - § #2 in EMEA Investment Banking wallet share (Dealogic)(1)
  - § #2 APAC Investment Banking Share of Wallet (Dealogic)(1)
  - § #2 in Asia (ex-Japan) announced M&A (ThomsonReuters)
  - § Emerging Markets Bond House of the Year (IFR)
  - § #1 Latin America M&A market share (ThomsonReuters)
  - § #1 Middle East and Africa Equity underwriting wallet share (Dealogic)
  - § Best M&A House in the Middle East (Euromoney)
  - § Best bank in Switzerland (Euromoney)
  - § Best Emerging Markets M&A House (Euromoney)
- 1) EMEA includes M&A, ECM, Converts, Lev Fin and DCM; APAC includes M&A, ECM, HY and DCM (but excludes Japan ECM, Chinese A-shares and bank loans), Global reflects the sum of the three regions.
- Bank of the Year for 2009 (International Financing Review)
- Best Investment Bank for 2009 (Euromoney)
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Clients confirm our momentum in investment banking across the globe

Cash equities  
Electronic trading  
Prime services  
Global rates  
Foreign exchange  
US RMBS trading  
High grade trading  
M&A  
High yield underwriting  
Equity underwriting  
Product  
Investment grade underwriting  
3Q09 vs.  
2Q09  
2Q09 vs.  
1Q09  
1Q09 vs.  
4Q08  
Market share trends  
2009 period-end vs.  
2008 period-end  
4Q09  
vs. 3Q09

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Equity

Fixed

income

Invest-

ment

banking

Market share trends across selected products

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Prime services  
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M&A  
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Product  
Investment grade underwriting  
3Q09 vs.  
2Q09  
2Q09 vs.  
1Q09  
1Q09 vs.  
4Q08  
Volume trends  
2009 vs.  
2008  
4Q09 vs.  
3Q09  
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Equity  
Fixed  
income  
Invest-  
ment  
banking  
Volume trends across selected products

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Cash equities  
Electronic trading  
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3Q09 vs.  
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2Q09 vs.  
1Q09  
1Q09 vs.  
4Q08  
Margin trends  
4Q09 vs.  
3Q09  
2009 period-end vs.  
2008 period-end  
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Fixed  
income  
Invest-  
ment  
banking  
Margin trends across selected products

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989  
2008  
293  
696  
2009  
1,106  
301

Commission expenses

G&A expenses

2)  
1,173  
884  
289

Investment Banking compensation expenses (CHF m)

Investment Banking non-compensation expenses (CHF m)

§ Compensation accrual based on our economic profit model, which reflects a full-year view of risk-adjusted profitability overall and of each business as well as the industry environment

§ The decrease in 4Q09 due to a reversal of previously accrued performance-related compensation, resulting in a negative accrual in 4Q09

§ Compensation/revenue ratio of 27% in 4Q09 and 41% for 2009(1) is a result, not a driver, of this accrual

8,652  
2,907  
2008  
3Q09  
4Q09

1) Before impact from movements in spreads on own debt

2) Excludes litigation charges of CHF 31m in 4Q09, CHF 47m in 3Q09 and CHF 383 m in 2Q09, corporation settlement, litigation reserve releases of CHF 333 m in 4Q08 and CHF 73 m in 3Q08 and a net credit of CHF 134 m pertaining to litigation in 2Q08

2009  
2Q09

§ Declined vs. 2008 reflecting decreases across most expense categories, primarily legal fees, T&E, occupancy costs and recruiting fees.

§ During 2009, our IT investment costs increased reflecting higher investment in our client-focused businesses

7,006  
805  
2,746  
870  
4,676  
1,342  
3,334  
4,253  
1,155  
3,098

2,129

3Q09

1Q09

985

272

713

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1Q09

4Q09

2Q09

Compensation and non-compensation expenses

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7

1) This price represents the average mark on loans and bonds combined

36

26

(91)%

19

15

13

9

3Q07

4Q07

1Q08

2Q08

3Q08

4Q08

1Q09

Commercial mortgages (CHF bn)

Exposure by region

§ Further reductions in exposure achieved in 4Q09 mainly from sales

§ Average price of remaining positions is 47% (from 48% in 3Q09)<sup>1)</sup>

§ Positions are fair valued; no reclassifications to accrual book

Other

6%

Asia

16%

Germany

28%

US

23%

UK

2%

Other

Continental

Europe

31%

Office

31%

Retail

12%

Hotel

27%

Multi-

family

23%

Exposure by loan type

2Q09

7

3.6

3Q09

3.1

4Q09

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Commercial mortgage exposure reduction in Investment  
Banking

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Developed market lending

§ Corporate loan portfolio is 77% investment grade, and is mostly (90%)  
accounted for on a fair value basis

§ Fair value is a forward looking view which balances accounting risks,  
matching treatment of loans and hedges

§ Loans are carried at an average mark of approx. 99% with average  
mark of 94% in non-investment grade portfolio

§ Continuing good performance of individual credits: limited specific  
provisions during the quarter

Unfunded  
commitments

Loans

Hedges

CHF bn

Emerging market lending

§ Well-diversified by name and evenly spread between EMEA, Americas  
and Asia and approx. 40% accounted for on a fair value basis

§ Emerging market loans are carried at an average mark of approx. 95%

§ No significant provisions during the quarter

Note: Average mark data is net of fair value discounts and credit  
provisions

44

11

(17)

Loans

Hedges

CHF bn

17

(9)

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Investment Banking loan book

BB+ to BB 6%

BB- and below 2%

Portfolio ratings composition, by  
transaction rating

Wealth Management Clients: CHF 125 bn

§ Securities-backed lending (CHF 31 bn) with conservative haircuts

§ Mortgages (CHF 88 bn) underwriting based on conservative client income and loan-to-value-requirements

§ Prices for real-estate largely flat, falling in structurally weaker regions, not yet in attractive regions (e.g., Zurich, Lac Léman); stable outlook with risk of sharp price falls only conceivable in Geneva and certain tourist regions

§ Segment not expected to be significantly affected by economic downturn

Corporate & Institutional Clients: CHF 51 bn

§ Sound credit quality with relatively low concentrations

§ Over 70% collateralized by mortgages and securities

§ Counterparties are Swiss corporates incl. real-estate industry

§ Commercial real-estate: Prices flat for office space and top-price bracket retail space, declining for standard retail space; negative outlook

§ Corporate client segment will be most affected by an economic downturn, but no significant deterioration discernible yet

§ Impact highly dependent on severity and length of downturn

Total loan book of CHF 176 bn; 85% collateralized and primarily on accrual accounting basis

63%

29%

BBB

AAA to A

Total: CHF 176 bn

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Private Banking loan book





SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

CREDIT SUISSE GROUP AG and CREDIT  
SUISSE AG  
(Registrant)

By: /s/ Romeo Cerutti  
(Signature)\*  
General Counsel  
Credit Suisse Group AG and Credit Suisse AG

Date: February 11, 2010

/s/ Charles Naylor  
Head of Corporate Communications  
Credit Suisse Group AG and Credit Suisse AG

\*Print the name and title under the  
signature of the signing officer.

