

## CECA Sector: regulatory and financial outlook

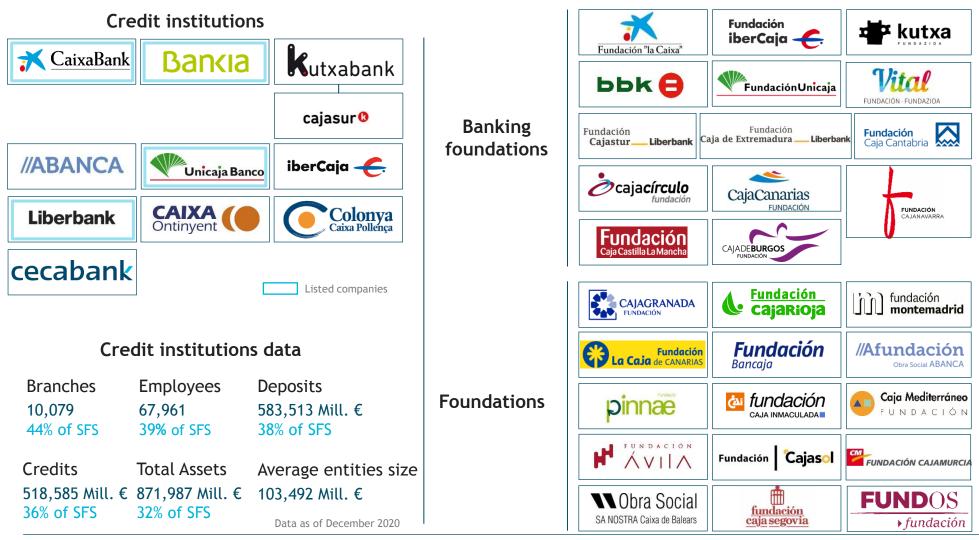
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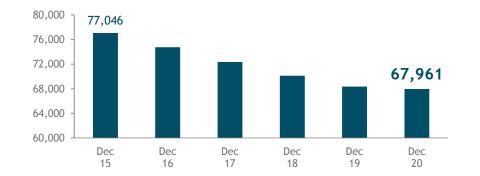


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## Financial data. Employees and branches

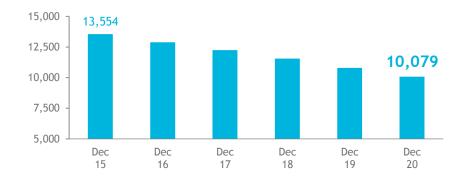
#### Employees

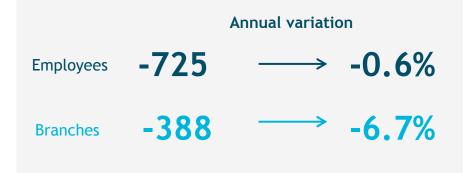
Number



#### Branches

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The reduction in the number of employees continues in 4Q 2020, registering a year-on-year drop of 0.6% (725 employees).

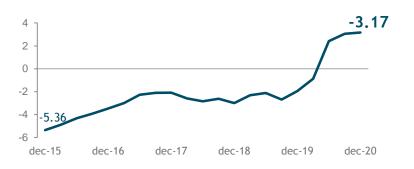
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Similarly, the number of branches decreases, registering in this case a more intense year-on-year drop of 6.7%.

## Financial data. Business activity

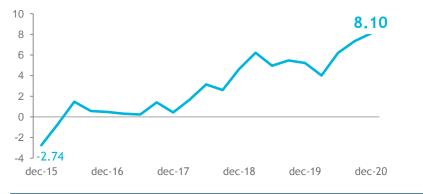
# Credit to non financial corporations and households

#### Annual variation

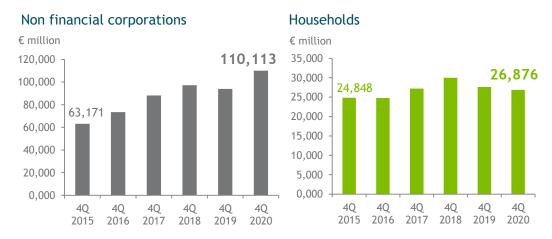


# Deposits from non financial corporations and households

#### Annual variation



#### New credits



- Credit to private sector accelerated its year-on-year growth rate in December to **3.17%**. The advance is mainly due to the increase in new loans to companies backed by the ICO to mitigate the costs of the pandemic.
- Thus, there is a significant rebound in new financing for companies in December, while new loans to households decrease compared to the same quarter of 2019.

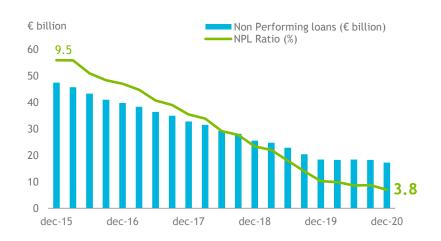


Business and household deposits continue to grow at a solid pace, around **8.10**% year-on-year.

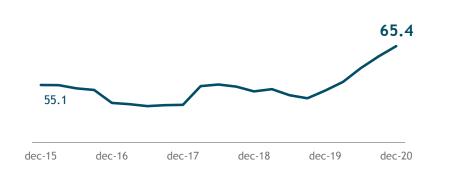
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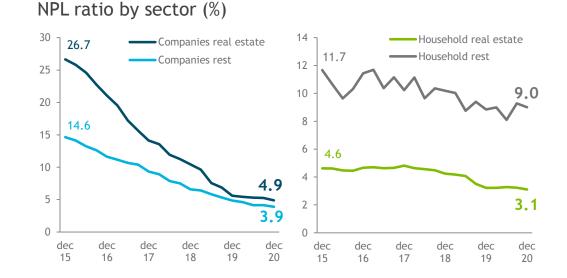
NPL ratio (%)

## Financial data. Credit risk



NPL coverage ratio (%)





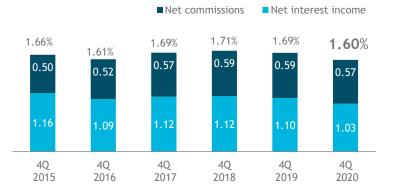
In December, there was a drop in the doubtful rate to 3.8%, associated with a decrease in doubtful assets, as credit fall slightly.

By sectors, the decline in the NPL ratio in companies continues, while it remains stable in the household real estate sector and decreases in the rest of households.

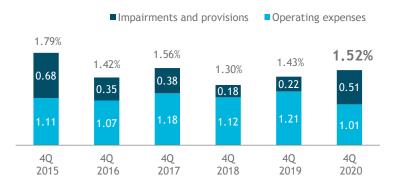
The coverage ratio increases significantly in December, to **65.4%**.

## Financial data. Results

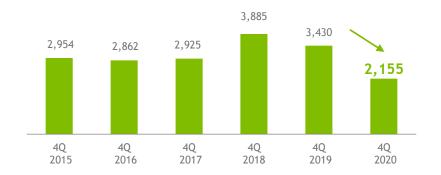
#### Net interest income and commissions % of ATAs



#### Operating costs and impairments % of ATAs



#### Net profit € million







While the ratio of impairments increases due to the extraordinary provisions made to

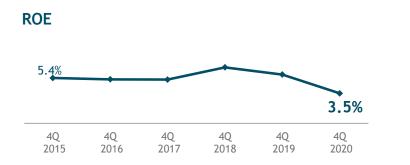
0.51% cover the impact of the Covid-19.



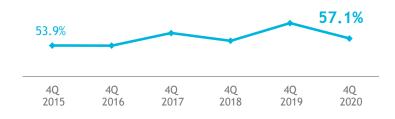
As a result, the consolidated profit decreases by 37%, reaching €2,155 millions in 4Q 2020.

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#### Financial data. Financial ratios



#### Cost to income ratio



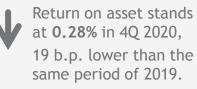
Return on equity (ROE) decreases in 4Q 2020, to **3.5%**, due to the impact of higher impairments and provisions. The efficiency ratio improves by 6.9 p.p. up to **57.1%** due to the containment of operating expenses. 0.35% 4Q 4Q 4Q 4Q 4Q 4Q 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020

#### Productivity (€ thousand)

ROA



Productivity = gross income by employee





## Financial data. Solvency

#### Solvency ratios as % of RWA



## In the 4Q of 2020, CECA entities continue to strengthen their solvency ratios.

Total capital ratio increases by 1.8 p.p. compared to the same period of 2019 and reaches **18.2%** in December 2020, as well as the CET1 ratio, which increases 1.3 p.p., to **14.9%**.

#### Breakdown of CET1 ratio as % of RWA



The causal analysis reflects that the raise of the CET1 ratio since December 2015 comes from a decrease in RWAs, in a context of strong deleveraging of banking activity (+2.7 p.p.), which has offset a slight decrease in own funds (-0.7 p.p.).

