Barclays PLC Consensus

At Q323 results management confirmed Barclays was evaluating actions to reduce structural costs to help drive future returns, which could result in material additional charges in Q423. The below consensus reflects analysts' assumed view of £825m of operating costs in Q423 relating to structural cost actions. Divisional allocation of the costs differed by analyst, with some choosing to allocate across the divisions, and others including the total amount in Head Office. We have included the split by business below.

The consensus income statement includes litigation and conduct throughout. \\

GBPm, unless otherwise stated

Barclays Group	Q423	FY23	FY24	FY25			
Total income	5,763	25,544	25,652	26,492			
Operating costs	(4,639)	(16,618)	(16,005)	(16,245)			
Of which: Q423 Structural cost actions (SCA)	(825)	(825)	0	0			
UK bank levy	(177)	(177)	(177)	(177)			
Litigation and conduct	(91)	(123)	(257)	(210)			
Total operating expenses	(4,906)	(16,918)	(16,438)	(16,631)			
Other net income	10	17	22	22			
Profit before impairment	867	8,643	9,237	9,882			
Credit impairment charges	(629)	(1,958)	(2,308)	(2,304)			
Profit before tax	238	6,685	6,929	7,578			
Tax charge	(123)	(1,380)	(1,535)	(1,668)			
Profit after tax	115	5,305	5,393	5,910			
Non-controlling interests	(8)	(47)	(46)	(47)			
Other equity instrument holders	(231)	(997)	(996)	(1,009)			
Attributable profit	(123)	4,263	4,356	4,860			
Financial metrics							
Cost: income ratio (%)	84	66	64	63			
Basic earnings per share (p)	(0.7)	27.5	29.7	35.6			
Return on average tangible shareholders' equity (%)	(0.9)	9.0	8.9	9.5			
Common equity tier 1 ratio (%)	13.9	13.9	14.0	13.6			
Tangible net asset value per share (p)	318	318	355	394			
Capital distributions							
Dividend per share (p)	5.8	8.5	9.5	10.8			
Share buyback announced	890	1,640	1,645	1,545			
Period end number of shares (m)	15,147	15,147	14,122	13,225			

Appendix

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Barclays UK	Q423	FY23	FY24	FY25				
Total income	1,810	7,605	7,152	7,387				
Operating costs	(1,164)	(4,405)	(4,313)	(4,324)				
Of which: Q423 Structural cost actions (SCA)	(68)	(68)	0	0				
UK bank levy	(30)	(30)	(29)	(29)				
Litigation and conduct	(19)	(7)	(85)	(42)				
Total operating expenses	(1,213)	(4,441)	(4,427)	(4,396)				
Other net income	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)				
Profit before impairment	597	3,164	2,726	2,991				
Credit impairment charges	(165)	(432)	(627)	(614)				
Profit before tax	432	2,732	2,098	2,377				
Barclays International								
Total income	4,007	18,171	18,729	19,344				
Operating costs	(2,746)	(11,266)	(11,425)	(11,677)				
Of which: Q423 Structural cost actions (SCA)	(116)	(116)	0	0				
UK bank levy	(132)	(132)	(132)	(132)				
Litigation and conduct	(68)	(108)	(161)	(158)				
Total operating expenses	(2,946)	(11.506)	(11.718)	(11,967)				
Other net income	8	21	24	25				
Profit before impairment	1,069	6,686	7,035	7,402				
Credit impairment charges	(467)	(1,504)	(1,675)	(1,685)				
Profit before tax	603	5,183	5,361	5,717				
		5,105	5,562	5,7 2.7				
Barclays International: CIB								
Total income	2,673	12,893	13,251	13,606				
Operating costs	(1,944)	(8,147)	(8,162)	(8,323)				
Of which: Q423 Structural cost actions (SCA)	(113)	(113)	0	0				
UK bank levy	(124)	(124)	(124)	(125)				
Litigation and conduct	(51)	(42)	(110)	(109)				
Total operating expenses	(2,120)	(8,313)	(8,396)	(8,556)				
Other net income	(1)	3	2	2				
Profit before impairment	553	4,583	4,856	5,051				
Credit impairment charges	(77)	(77)	(236)	(245)				
Profit before tax	475	4,505	4,620	4,806				
Barclays International: CC&P								
Total income	1,334	5,278	5,479	5,739				
Operating costs	(802)	(3,120)	(3,264)	(3,354)				
Of which: Q423 Structural cost actions (SCA)	(4)	(4)	0	o				
UK bank levy	(8)	(8)	(8)	(8)				
Litigation and conduct	(17)	(66)	(51)	(49)				
Total operating expenses	(826)	(3,193)	(3,322)	(3,411)				
Other net income	9	19	22	23				
Profit before impairment	517	2,104	2,179	2,350				
Credit impairment charges	(389)	(1,426)	(1,438)	(1,440)				
Profit before tax	128	677	741	911				
Head Office								
Total income	(53)	(232)	(229)	(239)				
Operating costs	(727)	(947)	(267)	(243)				
Of which: Q423 Structural cost actions (SCA)	(641)	(641)	0	0				
UK bank levy	(15)	(15)	(15)	(15)				
	(4)	(8)	(11)	(11)				
Litigation and conduct Total operating expenses	(746)	(8)	(293)	(269)				
Total operating expenses								
Other net income	(700)	(5)	(2)	(3)				
Profit before impairment	(799)	(1,208)	(524)	(511)				
Credit impairment charges	2	(23)	(6)	(6)				
Profit before tax	(798)	(1,231)	(530)	(517)				

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