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# National Westminster Bank Plc

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## Presentation of information

This document presents the Pillar 3 disclosures for National Westminster Bank Plc (NWB Plc) at 31 March 2026. It should be read in conjunction with the Q1 2026 NatWest Holdings Group Pillar 3 report, published in the same location at: [investors.natwestgroup.com/reports-archive/2026](https://investors.natwestgroup.com/reports-archive/2026).

NWB Plc is incorporated in the United Kingdom and is a wholly-owned subsidiary of NatWest Holdings Limited ('NWH Ltd'). NatWest Group plc is 'the ultimate holding company'. The term 'NatWest Group' refers to NatWest Group plc and its subsidiary and associated undertakings.

Based on the criteria set out in the UK CRR, NatWest Group primarily defines its large subsidiaries in scope for PRA Pillar 3 disclosures as those designated as an Other Systemically Important Institution (O-SII) by the PRA or those with total assets equal to or greater than €30 billion.

The disclosures for NWB Plc are calculated in accordance with the UK CRR (split across primary legislation and the PRA Rulebook) and completed in accordance with the Disclosure (CRR) part of the PRA rulebook.

The liquidity disclosures completed at UK Domestic Liquidity Subgroup (UK DoLSub) level are published in the NWH Group Pillar 3 document. The UK DoLSub waiver allows NWB Plc, RBS plc and Coutts & Co to manage liquidity and funding as a single subgroup rather than at an entity level.

Within this document, row and column references are based on those prescribed in the PRA templates. Any rows or columns that are not applicable have not been shown however explanations have been added as appropriate.

A subset of the Pillar 3 templates that are required to be disclosed on a semi-annual basis were not applicable to NWB Plc at 31 March 2026 and have therefore not been included in this report. These excluded templates are listed below, together with a summary of the reason for their exclusion.

<b>PRA template reference</b>	<b>Template name</b>	<b>Reasons for exclusion</b>
UK CCR7	RWEA flow statements of CCR exposures under the IMM approach	No reportable exposures
UK MR2-B	RWA flow statements of market risk exposures under the IMA approach	No reportable exposures

In this report, in line with the regulatory framework, the term credit risk excludes counterparty credit risk, unless specifically indicated otherwise.

The Pillar 3 disclosures are presented in pounds sterling (£) and have not been subject to external audit.

For definitions of terms refer to the Glossary and Acronyms document available on [investors.natwestgroup.com/reports-archive/2025](https://investors.natwestgroup.com/reports-archive/2025).

## Annex I: Key metrics and overview of risk-weighted assets

### NatWest Bank Plc - Key points

#### CET1 ratio

**11.9%**

(Q4 2025 – 11.2%)

The CET1 ratio increased by 70 basis points to 11.9% due to a £1.3 billion increase in CET1 capital partially offset by a £2.6 billion increase in RWAs.

The CET1 capital increase was mainly driven by an attributable profit to ordinary shareholders of £1.0 billion and other movements on reserves and regulatory adjustments of £0.3 billion.

#### RWAs

**£136.3bn**

(Q4 2025 - £133.7bn)

Total RWAs increased by £2.6 billion to £136.3 billion mainly reflecting:

- A net increase in credit risk RWAs of £2.5bn mainly reflecting franchise lending growth with a further increase driven by risk parameters, CRDIV model updates and foreign exchange. These movements were partially offset by the benefit of RWA management actions.

#### UK leverage ratio

**4.4%**

(Q4 2025 – 4.2%)

The leverage ratio increased by 20 basis points to 4.4% due to a £1.3 billion increase in Tier 1 capital partially offset by a £7.7 billion increase in leverage exposure. The key driver of the leverage exposure movement was an increase in other financial assets.

#### UK average leverage ratio

**4.4%**

(Q4 2025 – 4.6%)

The average leverage ratio decreased by 20 basis points to 4.4% due to a £1.0 billion decrease in 3-month average Tier 1 capital and a £2.1 billion increase in average leverage exposure. The key driver of the average leverage exposure movement was an increase in other financial assets.

## Annex I: Key metrics and overview of risk-weighted assets continued

### UK KM1: Key metrics

The table below provides a summary of the main prudential regulation ratios and measures based on current PRA rules.

	31 March 2026 £m	31 December 2025 £m	30 September 2025 £m	30 June 2025 £m	31 March 2025 £m
<b>Available own funds (amounts)</b>					
1 Common equity tier 1 (CET1) capital	16,253	14,968	16,128	14,828	15,271
2 Tier 1 capital	19,194	17,910	20,147	18,346	18,848
3 Total capital	23,533	21,701	23,937	22,104	23,064
<b>Risk-weighted exposure amounts</b>					
4 Total risk-weighted exposure amount	136,280	133,749	130,496	130,712	127,480
<b>Capital ratios (as a percentage of risk-weighted exposure amount)</b>					
5 Common equity tier 1 ratio (%)	11.9	11.2	12.4	11.3	12.0
6 Tier 1 ratio (%)	14.1	13.4	15.4	14.0	14.8
7 Total capital ratio (%)	17.3	16.2	18.3	16.9	18.1
<b>Additional own funds requirements based on SREP (as a percentage of risk-weighted exposure amount)</b>					
UK 7a Additional CET1 SREP requirements (%)	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.5
UK 7b Additional AT1 SREP requirements (%)	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
UK 7c Additional Tier 2 SREP requirements (%)	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7
UK 7d Total SREP own funds requirements (%)	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.7	10.7
<b>Combined buffer requirement (as a percentage of risk-weighted exposure amount)</b>					
8 Capital conservation buffer (%)	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
9 Institution specific countercyclical capital buffer (%) (2)	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8
11 Combined buffer requirement (%)	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3
UK 11a Overall capital requirements (%)	14.7	14.7	14.7	15.0	15.0
12 CET1 available after meeting the total SREP own funds requirements (%)	6.1	5.4	6.5	5.3	6.0
<b>Leverage ratio</b>					
13 Total exposure measure excluding claims on central banks	432,245	424,554	413,717	411,371	397,065
14 Leverage ratio excluding claims on central banks (%)	4.4	4.2	4.9	4.5	4.7
<b>Additional leverage ratio disclosure requirements</b>					
UK 14a Fully loaded ECL accounting model leverage ratio excluding claims on central banks (%)	4.4	4.2	4.9	4.5	4.7
UK 14b Leverage ratio including claims on central banks (%)	4.2	4.0	4.6	4.2	4.4
UK 14c Average leverage ratio excluding claims on central banks (%)	4.4	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.5
UK 14d Average leverage ratio including claims on central banks (%)	4.1	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.1
UK 14e Countercyclical leverage ratio buffer (%) (2)	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
<b>Liquidity coverage ratio (3)</b>					
15 Total high-quality liquid assets (HQLA) (weighted value-average)					
UK 16a Cash outflows - Total weighted value					
UK 16b Cash inflows - Total weighted value					
16 Total net cash outflows (adjusted value)					
17 Liquidity coverage ratio (%)					
<b>Net stable funding ratio (3)</b>					
18 Total available stable funding					
19 Total required stable funding					
20 NSFR ratio (%)					

(1) The following rows are not presented in the table above because they are not applicable: UK8a, UK9a, 10 and UK10a.

(2) The institution-specific countercyclical capital buffer (CCyB) requirement is based on the weighted average of the buffer rates in effect for the countries in which institutions have exposures. The UK CCyB buffer is currently being maintained at 2%. The countercyclical leverage ratio buffer is set at 35% of NWB Plc CCyB.

(3) Under the UK DoLSUB waiver NWB Plc liquidity and funding are managed and disclosed at the sub-group level rather than entity level.

## Annex I: Key metrics and overview of risk-weighted assets continued

### UK OV1: Overview of risk-weighted exposure amounts

The table below shows RWAs and total own funds requirements by risk type. Total own funds requirements are calculated as 8% of RWAs.

	a		b	c
	Risk-weighted exposure amounts (RWAs)		Total own funds requirements	
	31 March 2026 £m	31 December 2025 £m	31 March 2026 £m	
1	<b>112,381</b>	110,314	<b>8,990</b>	
2	<b>13,295</b>	12,860	<b>1,064</b>	
3	-	-	-	
4	<b>8,853</b>	10,440	<b>708</b>	
UK 4a	<b>11</b>	11	<b>1</b>	
5	<b>90,222</b>	87,003	<b>7,217</b>	
5a	<b>2,967</b>	2,965	<b>237</b>	
6	<b>594</b>	600	<b>48</b>	
7	<b>164</b>	108	<b>13</b>	
8	-	-	-	
UK 8a	<b>37</b>	35	<b>3</b>	
UK 8b	<b>98</b>	113	<b>8</b>	
9	<b>295</b>	344	<b>24</b>	
15	-	-	-	
16	<b>4,467</b>	4,050	<b>357</b>	
17	<b>3,824</b>	3,458	<b>305</b>	
18	<b>60</b>	42	<b>5</b>	
19	<b>583</b>	550	<b>47</b>	
UK 19a	-	-	-	
20	<b>76</b>	23	<b>6</b>	
21	<b>76</b>	23	<b>6</b>	
22	-	-	-	
UK 22a	-	-	-	
23	<b>18,762</b>	18,762	<b>1,501</b>	
UK 23a	-	-	-	
UK 23b	<b>18,762</b>	18,762	<b>1,501</b>	
UK 23c	-	-	-	
24	<b>4,941</b>	4,703	<b>395</b>	
29	<b>136,280</b>	133,749	<b>10,902</b>	

(1) 5a is a subset of total IRB RWAs disclosed in row 5.

(2) The amount is shown for information only, as these exposures are already included in rows 1 and 2.

## Annex I: Key metrics and overview of risk-weighted assets continued

### UK CR8: RWA flow statement of credit risk exposures under the IRB approach

The table below shows movements in RWAs for credit risk exposures under the internal ratings based (IRB) approach. It excludes counterparty credit risk, securitisations, equity and non-credit obligation assets.

	a
	RWAs £m
1 <b>At 31 December 2025</b>	<b>94,478</b>
2 Asset size	<b>2,839</b>
3 Asset quality	<b>125</b>
4 Model updates	<b>345</b>
7 Foreign exchange movements	<b>135</b>
8 Other	<b>(1,814)</b>
9 <b>At 31 March 2026</b>	<b>96,108</b>

(1) The following rows are not presented because they had zero values: (5) methodology and policy; and (6) acquisitions and disposals.

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- The increase in RWAs relating to asset size was primarily driven by lending growth within Commercial & Institutional and Retail banking.
- The increase in RWAs relating to asset quality was mainly due to movements in risk metrics within Commercial & Institutional and Retail Banking.
- The increase in RWAs relating to model updates was primarily driven by CRDIV model updates within Retail Banking, partially offset by the benefits from CRDIV model updates in Commercial & Institutional.
- The increase in foreign exchange movements was mainly a result of sterling depreciation against the US dollar and appreciation against the euro.
- The decrease in RWAs in other was due to the benefit of RWA management actions within Commercial & Institutional.

## Annex XI: Leverage

### UK LR2 – LRCom: Leverage ratio common disclosure

The table below shows an abridged version of the disclosure template UK LR2 – LRCom for NWB Plc. The leverage metrics are calculated in accordance with the Leverage Ratio (CRR) part of the PRA Rulebook.

	31 March 2026	31 December 2025
	£m	£m
<b>Total exposure measure</b>		
UK-24b Total exposure measure excluding claims on central banks	<b>432,245</b>	424,554
<b>Leverage ratio</b>		
25 Leverage ratio excluding claims on central banks (%)	<b>4.4</b>	4.2
UK-25a Fully loaded ECL accounting model leverage ratio excluding claims on central banks (%)	<b>4.4</b>	4.2
UK-25c Leverage ratio including claims on central banks (%)	<b>4.2</b>	4.0
<b>Additional leverage ratio disclosure requirements - leverage ratio buffers (1)</b>		
27 Leverage ratio buffer (%)	<b>0.6</b>	0.6
UK-27b <i>Of which: countercyclical leverage ratio buffer (%)</i>	<b>0.6</b>	0.6
<b>Additional leverage ratio disclosure requirements - disclosure of mean values (1)</b>		
UK-31 Average total exposure measure excluding claims on central banks	<b>423,590</b>	421,481
UK-32 Average total exposure measure including claims on central banks	<b>449,247</b>	448,964
UK-33 Average leverage ratio excluding claims on central banks (%)	<b>4.4</b>	4.6
UK-34 Average leverage ratio including claims on central banks (%)	<b>4.1</b>	4.3

(1) NWB Plc is an LREQ firm therefore subject to the additional quarterly disclosures for averaging and countercyclical leverage ratio buffer.