

BOA MALI

Credit rating note

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Category of values	Rating scale	Currency	Current rating	Previous rating	Outlook
Long Term	Regional	CFA	A-	A-	Stable
Short Term	Regional	CFA	A2	A2	Stable

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Basic financial data:

	In million CFA	2015	2016	
	Total balance sheet	535 666	514 000	
	Interbank loans	64 350	44 449	
	Customer loans	258 606	257 691	
	Interbank debt	156 341	139 174	
C	Customer deposits	320 343	313 939	
	Equity	38 010	41 268	
	Interest margin	11 498	11057	
	Net banking product	30 210	29 747	
	Netresult	7 126	9 403	

Introduction

Established on 20 December 1982 with a capital of CFA 650 million, BANK OF AFRICA-MALI (BOA MALI) is a Malian public limited company with Board of Directors.

The majority shareholder is the BOA Group with 61.4% of the registered capital, which amounts to CFA 10,300 million as at 31 December 2016.

BOA Mali has a full banking license obtained on 24 December 1982 under the Order no.4401/MEEP/CAB and is listed on the regional Stock Exchange since 31 May 2016.

Justification of the rating and outlooks

Long term:

High credit quality. Protection factors are good. However, risk factors are more variable and more significant in times of economic pressure.

Short term:

Good assurance for timely repayment. Liquidity factors and key corporate elements are sound. Although current financing requirements seem to increase to the total financing requirement, access to the capital market is good. Risk factors are minor.

Key performance factors

The rating is based on the following positive factors:

- A sector with great potential for growth;
- Good competitive position;
- Adjustment of corporate governance
- Proven support of the main shareholder;
- Significant decline in the cost of risk;
- Compliance with prudential standards.

Main rating factors regarded as negative:

- Lower performance indicators;
- Strong decline in the quality of the credit portfolio;
- High operating risk;
- Alarming security situation.