

RESULTS ANNOUNCEMENT

# 2025 Annual Results Announcement

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China Everbright Bank (Europe) S.A. today publishes its audited financial statements and management report for the year ended 31 December 2025.

## Highlights for the year ended 31 December 2025

**EUR 112.8 m**

**Operating income**  
+11.4% year on year

**EUR 33.6 m**

**Profit for the year**  
+15.1% year on year

**42.6%**

**Cost-to-income ratio**  
Sixth consecutive fall

**16.4%**

**CET1 capital ratio**  
From 15.9%

**EUR 3,940 m**

**Total assets**  
+9.0% year on year

**0.78%**

**Non-performing loan ratio**  
From 0.84%

**8.6%**

**Return on equity**  
After tax

**214**

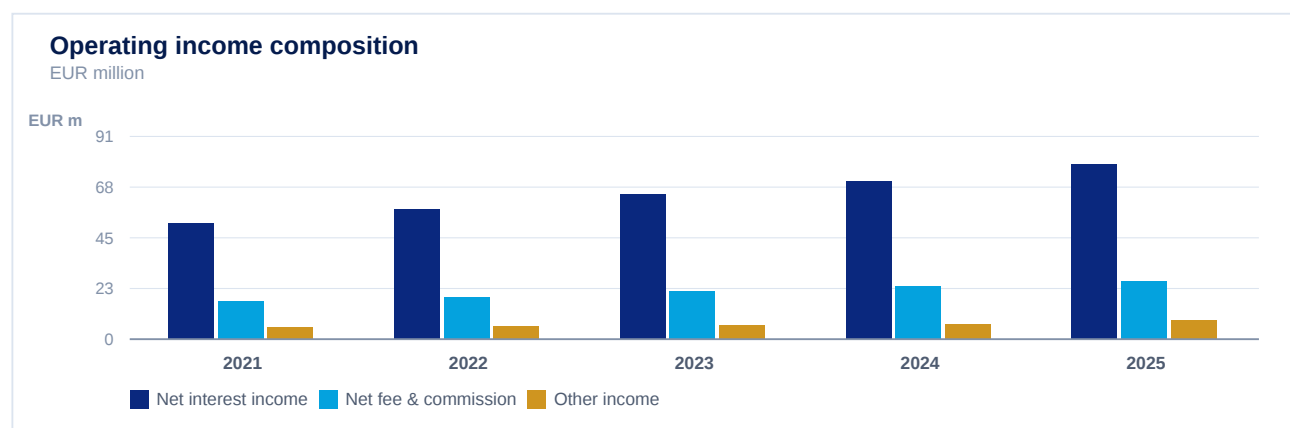
**Employees**  
24 nationalities

| EUR million                          | 2025          | 2024          | Change        |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>Net interest income</b>           | <b>78.4</b>   | <b>71.0</b>   | <b>+10.4%</b> |
| <b>Net fee and commission income</b> | <b>26.1</b>   | <b>23.6</b>   | <b>+10.6%</b> |
| Other operating income               | 8.3           | 6.7           | +23.9%        |
| <b>Operating income</b>              | <b>112.8</b>  | <b>101.3</b>  | <b>+11.4%</b> |
| <b>Operating expenses</b>            | <b>(48.1)</b> | <b>(44.7)</b> | <b>+7.6%</b>  |
| Impairment on financial assets       | (19.6)        | (17.2)        | +14.0%        |
| <b>Profit before tax</b>             | <b>45.1</b>   | <b>39.4</b>   | <b>+14.5%</b> |
| Income tax expense                   | (11.5)        | (10.2)        | +12.7%        |
| <b>Profit for the year</b>           | <b>33.6</b>   | <b>29.2</b>   | <b>+15.1%</b> |

## PERFORMANCE COMMENTARY

# Operating leverage delivered the result

Operating income grew 11.4 per cent while operating expenses grew 7.6 per cent. That gap, rather than balance-sheet expansion, produced the 15.1 per cent increase in profit. Net interest income of EUR 78.4 million benefited from a full year of deposit repricing discipline and from the 2024 decision to lengthen the duration of the liquidity buffer before policy rates fell. Net fee and commission income of EUR 26.1 million grew 10.6 per cent, with guarantees, documentary credits and depositary mandates each contributing.



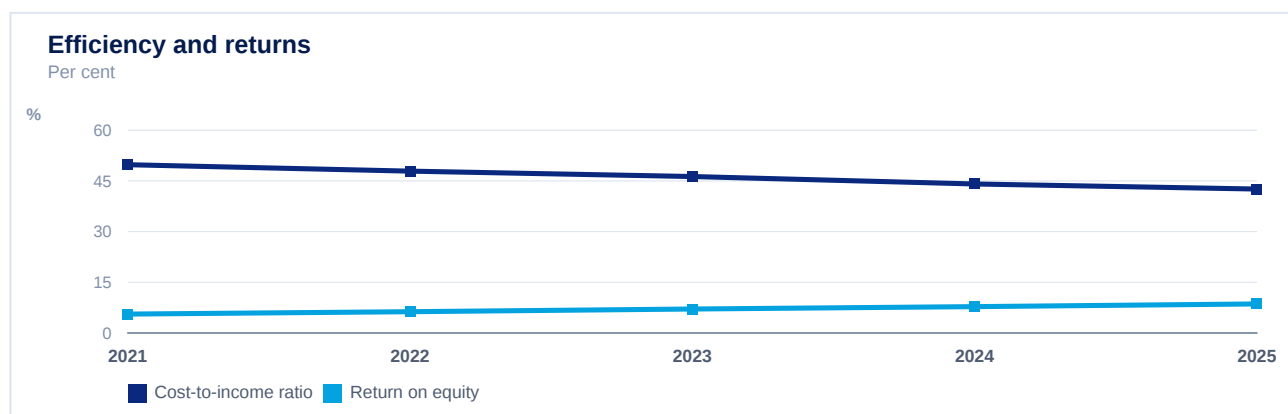
## Segment performance

| Segment                        | Op. income   | Share         | YoY           | Cost/income  |
|--------------------------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|
| Corporate & syndicated lending | 43.1         | 38.2%         | +10.4%        | 34.8%        |
| Trade finance & guarantees     | 24.1         | 21.4%         | +13.9%        | 39.2%        |
| Bond services & DCM            | 17.8         | 15.8%         | +16.1%        | 44.6%        |
| Financial markets & treasury   | 14.8         | 13.1%         | +6.2%         | 41.0%        |
| Institutional wealth & custody | 13.0         | 11.5%         | +12.8%        | 52.4%        |
| <b>Total</b>                   | <b>112.8</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>+11.4%</b> | <b>42.6%</b> |

BALANCE SHEET, CAPITAL AND DIVIDEND

## Position at 31 December 2025

| EUR million                         | 2025        | 2024        | Change         |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|
| Total assets                        | 3,940       | 3,615       | +9.0%          |
| Loans and advances to customers     | 1,918       | 1,742       | +10.1%         |
| Customer deposits                   | 2,760       | 2,534       | +8.9%          |
| Debt securities issued (EMTN)       | 428         | 372         | +15.1%         |
| <b>Total equity</b>                 | <b>391</b>  | <b>375</b>  | <b>+4.3%</b>   |
| Risk-weighted assets                | 2,145       | 2,020       | +6.2%          |
| <b>CET1 capital ratio (%)</b>       | <b>16.4</b> | <b>15.9</b> | <b>+0.5 pp</b> |
| <b>Leverage ratio (%)</b>           | <b>5.8</b>  | <b>5.7</b>  | <b>+0.1 pp</b> |
| <b>Liquidity coverage ratio (%)</b> | <b>176</b>  | <b>171</b>  | <b>+5 pp</b>   |
| <b>Net stable funding ratio (%)</b> | <b>137</b>  | <b>135</b>  | <b>+2 pp</b>   |



## Proposed appropriation of results

The Board of Directors will propose to the annual general meeting of shareholders that EUR 3.4 million of the profit for the year be transferred to the legal reserve and that the remaining EUR 30.2 million be retained, with no dividend distribution for the financial year 2025. Retaining the result supports continued organic growth in risk-weighted assets without recourse to the shareholder for additional capital.

### Publication and analyst call

The 2025 Annual Report, including the audited financial statements, the management report and the report of the reviseur d'entreprises agree, together with the annual Pillar 3 disclosures, is available in the Investor Relations section of the bank's website.

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