

# **Analysts' Briefing**

# **1Q 2025 Results**

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# 1Q 2025 Financial Performance



## **1Q 2025 Financial Highlights**



| <b>P6.5 Bn</b><br>1Q 2025 Net Income | 15.1%<br>Return on Equity 15.6%<br>CET-1 Ratio P65.0<br>Book value per share  |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| Income Statement                     | <ul> <li>1Q 2025 Net income grew 10% to P6.5 billion;</li> <li>Resilient NII despite pressure on funding cost; NIM improved by 7 bps YoY to 4.49% in 1Q 2025;</li> </ul>  |
| Balance Sheet                        | <ul> <li>✓ Gross Loans (+19%) registered strong YoY growth;</li> <li>✓ NPL ratio has declined; NPL cover more than adequate</li> </ul>  |
| <b>Capital Position</b>              | <ul> <li>✓ Strong internal capital generation resulted to higher buffer</li> <li>✓ CET-1 ratio at 15.6%</li> <li>✓ Capital Adequacy Ratio (CAR) at 16.5%</li> <li>✓ Declared P2.50/share dividends, 14% higher vs. last year</li> </ul> |

## **1Q 2025 Financial Highlights**



| INCOME STATEMENTS (In Php millions)        | 1Q2024  | 4Q2024  | 1Q2025  | YoY<br>change |
|--|---------|---------|---------|---------------|
| Interest income                            | 21,900  | 25,027  | 25,357  | 16%           |
| Interest expense                           | (6,924) | (7,943) | (8,227) | 19%           |
| Net interest income                        | 14,975  | 17,084  | 17,129  | 14%           |
| Fee-based income                           | 63      | 2,096   | (832)   | n.m.          |
| Total revenue                              | 15,038  | 19,181  | 16,298  | 8%            |
| Operating expenses                         | (7,129) | (8,711) | (8,361) | 17%           |
| Income before provisions and taxes         | 7,909   | 10,470  | 7,937   | 0%            |
| Provision for impairment and credit losses | (302)   | (1,820) | (285)   | (6%)          |
| Income before income tax                   | 7,607   | 8,650   | 7,652   | 1%            |
| Provision for income tax                   | (1,703) | (2,210) | (1,147) | (33%)         |
| Net income                                 | 5,904   | 6,440   | 6,505   | 10%           |
|  |         |         |         |               |
| Return on Equity                           | 15.5%   | 15.5%   | 15.1%   |               |
| Return on Assets                           | 1.6%    | 1.6%    | 1.6%    |               |
| Net interest margin                        | 4.4%    | 4.6%    | 4.5%    |               |
| Cost-to-income ratio                       | 47%     | 45%     | 51%     |               |

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## **1Q 2025 Financial Highlights**



| BALANCE SHEETS (In Php millions)            | Mar 2024  | Dec 2024  | Mar 2025  | YoY<br>change |
|---|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------|
| Liquid Assets                               | 120,354   | 133,767   | 103,792   | (14%)         |
| Investment Securities                       | 551,753   | 542,695   | 552,470   | 0%            |
| Net Loans                                   | 786,072   | 915,230   | 936,126   | 19%           |
| Other Assets                                | 47,955    | 54,402    | 59,013    | 23%           |
| Total Assets                                | 1,506,134 | 1,646,093 | 1,651,400 | 10%           |
| Deposits                                    | 1,228,923 | 1,331,147 | 1,331,163 | 8%            |
| CASA  | 552,664   | 593,628   | 606,506   | 10%           |
| Time Deposits                               | 676,259   | 737,518   | 724,656   | 7%            |
| Bills and Bonds Payable                     | 89,551    | 112,133   | 105,816   | 18%           |
| Other Liabilities                           | 33,226    | 34,234    | 39,368    | 18%           |
| Total Liabilities                           | 1,351,700 | 1,477,514 | 1,476,346 | 9%            |
| Total Equities                              | 154,434   | 168,580   | 175,054   | 13%           |
| Total Liabilities and Equities              | 1,506,134 | 1,646,093 | 1,651,400 | 10%           |
| NPL Ratio                                   | 1.8%      | 1.6%      | 1.5%      |               |
| NPL Cover, exc allowance appropriated in RE | 119%      | 108%      | 112%      |               |
|   | 15.3%     | 15.3%     | 15.6%     |               |
| Capital Adequacy Ratio (CAR)                | 16.2%     | 16.2%     | 16.5%     |               |

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## **Sustained profitability amidst a challenging environment**

Quarterly Net Income (In PHP Bn)



**Chinabank** 

## **Resilient NII despite pressure on funding costs**





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#### Net interest income continues to grow



## **Core fee-based income remains strong**



#### Fee-based Income, ex trading and FX losses (In PHP Mn)



### Miscellaneous

+1% YoY

Gain on investment properties

-76%YoY

- Trust fee income
   +26% YoY
- Service charges, fees and commissions

#### Flat YoY

- ✓ Core fee income continues to grow on higher deposits, Trust and transaction-based income
- ✓ Share in net income of bancassurance declined due to timing difference in booking of insurance reserves
- ✓ Lower ROPA sales results in a decline in gain from the sale of investment properties.

## **Demonstrated strategic cost efficiency**



Operating Expenses ex provisions (in PHP Bn)



- ✓ PDIC fees higher due to bigger deposit balance
- ✓ IT expense grew 2.3x YoY on sustained investments in technology and infrastructure

## **Improving asset quality and sufficient NPL cover**





## **Sustained** loan growth



Continued expansion in both consumer and business segments

Gross Loans (In PHP Bn)



#### Well-secured consumer lending portfolio

Consumer Loans Breakdown, March 2025



## **Managed** Deposit growth



CASA inched up and still above pre-pandemic level

Deposits (In PHP Bn)



Deposits per branch (In PHP Bn)



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## **Strong internal capital generation results to higher buffer**

Enough capital buffer:

- to absorb credit shock;
- to support Asset growth; and
- to sustain dividend payment to shareholders  $\checkmark$ 0.2% 0.2% 16.5% 0.7% 16.2% 16.1% 15.9% 0.7% 15.8% 0.9% 15.6% 0.9% 0.9% 0.9% 0.8% 15.3% 14.9% 15.6% 15.3% 15.3% 15.1% 14.9% Dec-21 Dec-22 Dec-23 Dec-24 Mar-25 CET1 Ratio, 1Q'25 RWA Other CET1 Ratio, 2025 Proforma Dec-24 Net growth equity Mar-25 Dividends CET1 Ratio, ■ CET 1/Tier 1 ■ Tier 2 Mar-25 adjustments income

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## **Increasing dividend payments to Shareholders**



# **Consistent growth** in dividend per share over the last five years



### We are executing our strategies

sheet:

or services

Increased contributions from ancillary businesses



+20% Bancassurance Commissions

#### Increased digital investments

Expanded Business Relationships

Encouraged clients to access both sides of the balance

✓ Identified opportunities to cross-sell additional products



Strengthened Management Team

- ✓ Strategically recruited experienced professionals with strong expertise in their fields
- ✓ Average of 30+ years banking experience

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## In summary, Chinabank continues to be..



|                        |                        | 1Q'24 | FY'24 | 1Q'25 |
|------------------------|------------------------|-------|-------|-------|
|                        | Return on Equity       | 15.5% | 15.6% | 15.1% |
| Profitable             | Return on Assets       | 1.6%  | 1.6%  | 1.6%  |
| Adequately-capitalized | CET 1/Tier 1 Ratio     | 15.3% | 15.3% | 15.6% |
| Adequatery-capitalized | Capital Adequacy Ratio | 16.2% | 16.2% | 16.5% |
| Well-managed           | NPL Ratio              | 1.8%  | 1.6%  | 1.5%  |
|                        | NPL Cover*             | 119%  | 108%  | 112%  |

\* In line with the updated BSP guidelines that exclude provisions appropriated to Retained Earnings

# **Q & A**

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## **Additional Information**





# **History of Chinabank**

Pre-2000s



**1920.** Chinabank opened for business on August 16, 1920

**1927.** Became one of the first companies to be listed on the Manila Stock Exchange

### 2007 - 2015

2007. Acquired Manila Bank and operated it as China Bank Savings;

Entered into a bancassurance JV with Manulife to form:

Manulife China Bank

2012-2014. Acquired Unity Bank and Plantersbank; Raised P8 Bn from stock rights offering;

Increased MCBL stake to 40%

**2015.** Incorporated Chinabank Capital, a full-fledged investment house subsidiary





**2016.** Acquired ATC Securities and renamed it to Chinabank Securities

**2017.** Raised P15 Bn from stock rights offering

2018. Infused P500 Mn to China Bank Savings; Signed US\$150 Mn green bond agreement with IFC

**2019.** Raised P30 Bn via maiden issue of fixed-rate retail bonds

### 2020 - 2025

2020. Raised P15 Bn via fixedrate retail bonds; Celebrated 100 years and restored Binondo Business Center

**2022.** Became the 4th largest privately-owned universal bank in the country in terms of assets and breached the trillion-mark in deposits

**2024.** Launched a brand refresh program. Changed ticker symbol to **"CBC"**.

**2025.** Renewed bancassurance joint venture with Manulife.









# **SM Group: Strong Support & Synergies**



Chinabank benefits from being part of one of the largest and most diversified conglomerates in the Philippines



#### **Distinct benefits for Chinabank**

Access to the SM Group's ecosystem of merchants, suppliers and contractors to promote the Bank's products



**55 branches** and **148 ATMs** in SM Group's shopping malls, SaveMore, CityMall and Alfamart locations

## **Digital Banking** 1Q 2025 vs 1Q 2024

Bringing our signature touch in relationship banking to our customers anytime, anywhere.



+37% Digital TXNs year-on-year



+18% O/S Enrollments year-on-year

+26% Digital Gross TXN Value

year-on-year



## **Awards & Achievements**







## **Other Citations**



| THE ASIAN BANKER<br>UNDER CONSISTENT OF ANY PARAMETER CONSISTENT<br>Best Credit Card for<br>Travelers in the<br>Philippines,<br>Chinabank<br>Destinations<br>Mastercard<br>2024 | THE ASIAN BANKER<br>Texes constructed to a large construct<br>Best Home Loan<br>Financing in the<br>Philippines<br>Chinabank HomePlus | BANKINGSFINANCE<br>COMPORTER A MARGEMENT<br>Suntrust P25 Bn<br>Project Finance<br>Facility<br>Debt Deal of the<br>Year - Philippines<br>2024 | Repower Energy<br>Development<br>Corporation IPO<br>IPO Deal of the Year<br>- Philippines<br>2024 | CFA Society<br>Philippines<br>Best Managed Fund<br>for Bond Long-Term<br>Dollar Category<br>2024, 2023, 2022,<br>2021, 2020, 2019,<br>2018, 2017 | Cesar E.A. Virata<br>Award<br>(Bank Category)<br>2024                             |
|---|---|--|---|--|---|
| Top Brokering<br>Participant for Retail<br>Transactions<br>2024, 2023   | Top Fixed-Income<br>Dealing Participant<br>2024   | Top Corporate Issue<br>Manager/Arranger<br>(Investment House<br>Category)<br>2024  | Best Bond Adviser<br>(Domestic)<br>2024   | Best IPO - Repower<br>Energy Development<br>Corporation  | Best Equity Deal -<br>ACEN Corp.'s P25 Bn<br>Preferred Shares<br>Offering<br>2024 |

# **Highly capable management team**

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Over 30 years of banking experience



- Over 30 years of banking experience



#### **Ananias S. Cornelio III** SVP and Chief Risk Officer

With CBC since 2012 Over 25 years of banking experience





#### **Jeruel N. Lobien SVP and Chief Audit Executive**

- With CBC since 2023
- Over 15 years of banking experience



#### **Delfin Jay M. Sabido IX**

- SVP. Chief Innovation & Transformation Officer
- With CBC since 2022
- Over 25 years of IT experience



#### **Atty. Aileen Paulette De Jesus FVP and Chief Compliance Officer**

- With CBC since 2018
  - Over 30 years of legal experience



- Over 30 years of banking experience



- **Christopher Ma. Carmelo Y. Salazar** SVP and Treasurer
- With CBC since 2019
- Over 25 years of banking experience

**Market Data** 



| TRADING INFORMATION                  |                             |  |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Ticker (Bloomberg I Reuters)         | CBC PM I CBC.PS             |  |  |  |  |  |
| Par value (PHP)                      | 10.00                       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Outstanding shares                   | 2,691,343,012               |  |  |  |  |  |
| Stock price as of May 5, 2025        | 91.6                        |  |  |  |  |  |
| 52-week range (Low I High)           | 36.8 <mark>0</mark>   95.00 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Market Cap in PHP Mn                 | 246,527                     |  |  |  |  |  |
| Market Cap in USD Mn                 | 4,422                       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Public float as of Mar 31, 2025      | 57.66%                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| Foreign ownership as of Mar 31, 2025 | 26.81%                      |  |  |  |  |  |

| MARKET VALUATION       |               |               |                |  |  |  |  |
|------------------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|--|--|--|--|
|                        | <u>Dec-23</u> | <u>Dec-24</u> | <u> Mar-25</u> |  |  |  |  |
| Book value per share   | 55.8          | 62.6          | 65.0           |  |  |  |  |
| Earnings per share     | 8.2           | 9.2           | 9.7            |  |  |  |  |
| Price to book (x)*     | 0.6           | 1.4           | 1.5            |  |  |  |  |
| Price to earnings (x)* | 4.2           | 9.4           | 9.4            |  |  |  |  |
| Dividend per share     | 1.90          | 2.20          | 2.50           |  |  |  |  |
| Dividend yield*        | 6.2%          | 2.5%          | 2.7%           |  |  |  |  |

\* based on May 5, 2025 stock price

## **Profitability significantly improved since 2019**





Net income (in P Bn) — ROE

## Focus on optimizing branches in the last 5 years





■ Branches ■ Assets (in P Bn)

## **Historical Financial Highlights**



| BALANCE SHEETS<br>in Php billions, except % | Dec 2020      | Dec 2021      | Dec 2022      | Dec 2023             | Dec 2024 | Mar 2024 | Mar 2025 | Mar 25 vs<br>Mar 24 |
|---|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------|----------|----------|----------|---------------------|
| Liquid Assets                               | 205           | 188           | 178           | 155                  | 134      | 120      | 104      | -14%                |
| Investment Securities                       | 236           | 279           | 412           | 505                  | 543      | 552      | 552      | 0%                  |
| Net Loans                                   | 557           | 609           | 700           | 772                  | 915      | 786      | 936      | 19%                 |
| Other Assets                                | 38            | 36            | 40            | 46                   | 54       | 48       | 59       | 23%                 |
| TOTAL ASSETS                                | 1,036         | 1,112         | 1,330         | 1,478                | 1,646    | 1,506    | 1,651    | 10%                 |
| Deposits                                    | 835           | 863           | 1,066         | 1,187                | 1,331    | 1,229    | 1,331    | 8%                  |
| CASA  | 469           | 555           | 573           | 575                  | 594      | 553      | 607      | 10%                 |
| Time Deposits                               | 366           | 308           | 492           | 611                  | 738      | 676      | 725      | 7%                  |
| Bills and Bonds Payable                     | 76            | 108           | 99            | 105                  | 112      | 90       | 106      | 18%                 |
| Other Liabilities                           | 20            | 22            | 31            | 36                   | 34       | 33       | 39       | 19%                 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES                           | 931           | 993           | 1,195         | 1,328                | 1,478    | 1,352    | 1,476    | 9%                  |
| TOTAL EQUITY                                | 105           | 119           | 135           | 150                  | 169      | 154      | 175      | 13%                 |
| TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES                | 1,036         | 1,112         | 1,330         | 1,478                | 1,646    | 1,506    | 1,651    | 10%                 |
| NPL Ratio                                   | 2.3%          | 2.5%          | 2.3%          | 2.5%                 | 1.6%     | 1.8%     | 1.5%     |                     |
| NPL Cover                                   | 2.3 %<br>128% | 2.5 %<br>116% | 2.3 %<br>123% | 2.3 <i>%</i><br>104% |          | 119%     | 1.5%     | :                   |
| Tier 1/CET 1 Ratio                          | 13.8%         | 14.9%         | 123 %         | 15.3%                | 15.3%    | 15.3%    | 15.6%    |                     |
|   |               |               |               |                      |          |          |          |                     |
| Capital Adequacy Ratio (CAR)                | 14.7%         | 15.8%         | 15.9%         | 16.1%                | 16.2%    | 16.2%    | 16.5%    |                     |

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## **Historical Financial Highlights**

| INCOME STATEMENTS<br>In Php billions, except % | FY2020 | FY2021 | FY2022 | FY2023 | FY2024 | 1Q2024 | 1Q2025 | 1Q25 vs<br>1Q24 |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----------------|
| Interest income                                | 47.7   | 46.5   | 57.2   | 79.4   | 93.8   | 21.9   | 25.4   | 16%             |
| Interest expense                               | (13.3) | (7.4)  | (11.6) | (25.8) | (30.2) | (6.9)  | (8.2)  | 19%             |
| Net interest income                            | 34.4   | 39.1   | 45.6   | 53.5   | 63.5   | 15.0   | 17.1   | 14%             |
| Fee-based income                               | 9.5    | 9.6    | 10.1   | 0.6    | 2.0    | 0.1    | (0.8)  | n.m.            |
| Total revenue                                  | 43.9   | 48.7   | 55.7   | 54.1   | 65.5   | 15.0   | 16.3   | 8%              |
| Operating expenses                             | (21.5) | (22.3) | (24.4) | (27.0) | (30.7) | (7.1)  | (8.4)  | 17%             |
| Income before provisions and taxes             | 22.3   | 26.3   | 31.3   | 27.1   | 34.7   | 7.9    | 7.9    | 0%              |
| Provision for impairment and credit losses     | (8.9)  | (8.9)  | (9.0)  | (1.2)  | (3.3)  | (0.3)  | (0.3)  | -6%             |
| Income before income tax                       | 13.5   | 17.5   | 22.3   | 25.8   | 31.4   | 7.6    | 7.7    | 1%              |
| Provision for income tax                       | (1.4)  | (2.4)  | (3.1)  | (3.8)  | (6.6)  | (1.7)  | (1.1)  | -33%            |
| Net income                                     | 12.1   | 15.1   | 19.1   | 22.0   | 24.8   | 5.9    | 6.5    | 10%             |
| Return on Equity                               | 12.1%  | 13.6%  | 15.1%  | 15.5%  | 15.6%  | 15.5%  | 15.1%  |                 |
| Return on Assets                               | 1.2%   | 1.5%   | 1.6%   | 1.6%   | 1.6%   | 1.6%   | 1.6%   |                 |
| Net interest margin                            | 4.0%   | 4.3%   | 4.2%   | 4.2%   | 4.5%   | 4.4%   | 4.5%   |                 |
| Cost-to-income ratio                           | 49%    | 46%    | 44%    | 50%    | 47%    | 47%    | 51%    |                 |



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