

# Financial Literacy Training - 2024 

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## CAMELS Just Good Ole' Financial Ratios

Capital Adequacy
Asset Quality
Management (incuddes volunteess)
Earnings


Liquidity - Cash Flow and Sources
Sensitivity - Interest Rate Risk

## CAMELS

## Measured on a Scale of 1 to 5

1 - Indicates strong performance
2 - Indicates satisfactory performance
3 - Performance is of supervisory concern
4 - Performance serious supervisory concern
5 - Performance is critically deficient

## Basic Financial Statements

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- Balance Sheet or <br> - Statement of Financial Condition OR <br> - Statement of Condition <br> - Statement of Position <br> - Statement of Financial Position <br> - Income Statement <br> - Profit and Loss <br> - Revenues over Expenses <br> - Statement of Cash Flows <br> - Statement of Changes in Equity
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## Key Ratios to Know and Understand

- Capital to Assets Ratio
- Delinquency Ratio/Charge-off Ratio
- Net Interest Margin (Spread)
- Yield on Assets (interest income ratio)
- Cost of Funds (interest expense ratio)
- Net Interest Margin
- Operating expense ratio
- Provision for Loan Loss ratio
- Non-Interest Income ratio
- Return on Assets (profit ratio)
- Loan to Share Ratio


## Why is Capital Important?

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## Capital to Assets

Capital is your 'Stability' account

- Grows with profit.
- Shrinks with losses.
- Percentage of Asset Size
- Cushion for the unknowns
- Funding for opportunities or challenges

- Free funding of earning assets
- Cushion for severe economic condition changes.


## Capital to Assets

HOWEVER...
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## Capital to Assets

## HOWEVER...

If Asset size grows, and Capital size doesn't keep up, your structure becomes unstable.


## If Assets grow and Capital doesn't keep up, the credit union becomes unstable





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## What is Capital?

## Capital is not cash

- It is the accumulated earnings and losses since you started the credit union.
- Tells you what portion of your assets belong to the member owners and what part is owed to creditors
- Your 'rainy day' fund
- Your 'hibernation' fat


## Capital To Assets Ratio

Total Capital/Total Assets

Measure's stability of the credit union

National Average $=10.95 \%$

CAPITAL Undivided Earnings Other


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## Capital To Assets Ratio <br> Total Capital/Total Assets

If Assets grow, and Capital doesn't grow proportionately, the Ratio will decline

Woops! Now $=9.90 \%$



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## NCUA Calculation a bit different

## NET WORTH / TOTAL ASSETS

(Regular Reserve + Appropriation for Non-Conforming Investments [SCU Only] +Other Reserves + Undivided Earnings + Uninsured Secondary Capital [Low-Income Designated CU Only] + Net Income or (Loss)) / Total Assets *

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## How much Capital is enough?

Suggestion: Project worst 3 years possible (combination of Asset Growth and Net Losses)

If at end, the ratio is greater than $4 \%$, you may have enough

Prompt Corrective Action Rules
Depends on how much risk your assets and liabilities represent Depends on level of growth Depends on profitability of CU Depends on future plans


## The Capital to Assets Gauge



## Capital can disappear fast and grows back slowly <br> Capital to A




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## How much Profit do we need?



## Prompt Corrective Action Rules

- 7\% or higher Well capitalized
- 6\%-6.99\% Adequately capitalized
- 4\%-5.99\% Undercapitalized
- 2\%-3.99\% Significantly
undercapitalized
- Less than 2\% Critically undercapitalized


## Prompt Corrective Action Rules

- Mandatory Supervisory Actions
- Below 7\% - transfer 0.1\% of Total Assets to Regular Reserve each month
- Below 6\%
- Develop a Net Worth Restoration plan
- Limit asset growth
- No new member business loans
- Discretionary Supervisory Actions

The lower you go, the more authority the regulators take away from management and the board

## Capital for Complex CUs

Complex Credit Unions must calculate capital differently from those that are not complex
"Complex" refers to CUs >\$500 MM with complex instruments
Must follow Risk Based Capital Rule
Can elect to use new Complex Credit Union Leverage Ratio - CCULR

## Understanding the Five Puzzle Pieces of Profitability



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## Which CU is Doing Better?

Why we use Comparable ratios

|  |  | $\$ 10$ Bil CU |  | $\$ 100 \mathrm{Mil}$ CU |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Interest income |  | $\$ 496,000,000$ |  | $5,630,000$ |
| Cost of funds |  | $(175,000,000)$ |  | $(1,6400,00)$ |
| Net Interest Margin |  | $321,000,000$ |  | $3,990,000$ |
| Operating costs |  | $(329,000,000)$ |  | $(3,3200,00)$ |
| Provision for loan losses |  | $(111,000,000)$ |  | $(440,000)$ |
| Net loss before other income |  | $(120,000,000)$ |  | 230,000 |
| NII - Non-interest income <br> (Fee income, Other) |  | $136,000,000$ |  | 780,000 |
| Net Profit or Loss |  | $\mathbf{\$ 1 6 , 0 0 0 , 0 0 0}$ |  | $\mathbf{1 , 0 2 0 , 0 0 0}$ |
|  |  | $\$ \mathbf{5 0 0 , 0 0 0 , 0 0 0}$ |  | $\$ \mathbf{1 0 , 0 0 0 , 0 0 0}$ |
| Total Capital |  |  |  |  |

## Which CU is Doing Better? <br> Why we use Comparable ratios

| As a \% of Average Assets |  | \$10 Mil CU |  | $\$ 100 \mathrm{Mil}$ CU |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Yield: Interest income |  | $4.96 \%$ |  | $5.63 \%$ |
| Less: Cost of funds |  | $(1.75 \%)$ | $(1.64 \%)$ |  |
| Net Interest Margin (NIM- <br> Spread) |  | $3.21 \%$ | $3.99 \%$ |  |
| Less: Operating costs |  | $(3.29 \%)$ |  | $(3.32 \%)$ |
| Less: Provision for loan losses |  | $(1.11 \%)$ |  | $(0.44 \%)$ |
| Net loss before other income |  | $(1.20 \%)$ | $0.23 \%$ |  |
| Plus: NII-Non-interest income <br> (Fee income, Other) |  | $1.36 \%$ | $0.78 \%$ |  |
| Equals: Return on Assets <br> (ROA) |  | $\mathbf{0 . 1 6 \%}$ |  | $\mathbf{1 . 0 2 \%}$ |
|  | $\mathbf{5 . 0 0 \%}$ |  | $\mathbf{1 0 . 0 0 \%}$ |  |
| Capital to Assets Ratio |  |  |  |  |

## Puzzle Pieces of Profitability...

and We Need to Make a Profit

## Credit unions make money 2 ways:

- Interest Income
- Non-Interest Income

Credit unions spend money 3 ways:

- Cost of Deposits (Cost of Funds)
- Operating Expenses (cost of people, buildings, and systems)
- Provision for Loan Losses

(cost caused by bad loans)


## Spread Analysis (ROA)

## National Averages

As a \% of Average Assets
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| $(0.45)$ | 0.23 |
| 1.13 | 0.78 |
| $0.68 \%$ | $1.02 \%$ |

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## Yield on Average Assets

Total Interest Income from Loans and Investments / Average Assets

National Average $=4.43 \%$


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## Cost of Funds

Total Dividends and Interest paid / Average Assets

Cost of borrowing money from members to loan out at a higher price to other members

National Average $=1.42 \%$

## What is Net Interest Margin?

Net Interest Margin: the net amount between Yield on Assets and Cost of Funds

- NIM
- Spread
- You don't control your Interest Income, the Market does
- You don't control you Interest Expense, the Market does

You try to control the spread between the two: NIM or Spread

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## All Credit Unions

Net Interest Margin \& Operating Expense Ratio


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# Not for Profit, Not for Charity, But for Service 

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## Sources of Non-Interest Income Not Just Fees!!!

- Fee Income - NSF and late loan fee
- Service Revenues - Courtesy Pay
- Commission Income - sales of something
- Interchange Income - Debit and Credit cards
- Sales of Mortgage Loans
- Other Non-Interest Sources - CUSO selling some product or service


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Non-Interest Income (Fee and Service Revenues) to Average Assets

Measure's the contribution of noninterest income to profitability

National Average $=1.13 \%$


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## Why Peers don't really help

Manut Bol played at 7'7"
Muggsy Bogues played at 5'3"

## On Average, they were 6'5"

Peer info is just a conglomeration of financial data from hundreds of credit unions.
peer info does not:

- Reflect local market difference
- Strategic choices
- Business model differences

All Peer averages can show you is how different you are than the imaginary average

## Different Business Models

Different Spread Results
Know Your Model

Yield
Cost of funds
NIM
Operating exp
PLL
Net before NII
Non-Interest Income
ROA
Capital/Assets

| Avg CU | MOMMs CU |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4.43 | 6.31 | 3.18 |
| $(1.42)$ | $(1.79)$ | $(2.04)$ |
| 3.01 | 4.52 | 1.14 |
| $(2.95)$ | $(4.61)$ | $(0.87)$ |
| $(0.51)$ | $(0.76)$ | $(0.01)$ |
| $(0.32)$ | $(0.85)$ | 0.26 |
| 1.13 | 1.72 | 0.24 |
| 0.68 | 0.87 | 0.50 |
| $11.0 \%$ | $14.0 \%$ | $14.0 \%$ |



## Loan to Share Ratio

Total Loans / Total Shares and Deposits

Measures the credit unions use of its best earning asset

What \% of our Deposits is currently loaned out to members?

National Average $=85.2 \%$


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## Which is better, low loan to share or high loan to share ratio?

It Depends
The Loan to Share Ratio tells you only how well you turn deposits into loans

If the loans are poorly underwritten, loan losses could undermine a high Loan to Share Ratio

If the loans are underpriced, the weak Yield could undermine the high Loan to Share Ratio

## Delinquency and Charge-offs

|  | Normal | Avg. <br> $12 / 31 / 23$ | Modes $\dagger$ <br> Means |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Delinquency | $0.75 \%$ | $0.83 \%$ | $1.65 \%$ |
| Net Charge-offs | $0.40 \%$ | $0.61 \%$ | $0.91 \%$ |
| Combined | $1.15 \%$ | $1.44 \%$ | $2.56 \%$ |

But what is considered a healthy ratio depends on the credit union's Business Model and Strategy

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## Delinquency and Charge-offs

## History of Delinquency and Charge-Offs

 National Averages

# Allowance for Loan \& Lease Losses 

ALLL or ALL or ACL
CECL - Current Estimated Credit Losses:
An amount based on management's best estimate of losses over the life of the Ioan (or life of the portfolio)
A.L.L.L. is a Contra-Asset, that means it takes away from the assets


## Allowance for Loan and Lease Losses <br> - Before charge-off



The ALLL is like a reservoir of loan losses ready to be used. The loss has already been incurred at the time the loan became impaired. We are just waiting for the loan to finally wither and drop

## Loans Charged-off

 finally remove the loan from the books.

## ALLOWANCE FOR LOAN \& LEASE LOSSES

| LOAN TYPE | Portfolio Balance this Month |  | Allowance Req. Previous Month |  | Allowance Req. this Month |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Used Auto | \$ | 65,000,000 | \$ | 507,000 | \$ | 593,000 |
| New Auto | \$ | 35,000,000 |  | 191000 | \$ | 215,000 |
| Credit Card | \$ | 10,000,000 | \$ | 320,000 | \$ | 350,000 |
| Other Unsecured | \$ | 3,500,000 | \$ | 45,000 | \$ | 74,000 |
| First Mortgage | \$ | 30,000,000 | \$ | 23,000 | \$ | 40,000 |
| Home Equity Mortgage | \$ | 10,000,000 | \$ | 14,000 | \$ | 19,000 |
|  | \$ | 153,500,000 | 5 | 1,100,000 | \$ | 1,291,000 |
| Less Charge-offs at month end |  |  | \$ | 86,000 |  |  |
| Net Allowance |  |  | \$ | 1,014,000 |  | 1,291,000 |
| ADJUSTMENT REQUIRED |  |  |  |  | \$ | 277,000 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |

The Provision for Loan Loss Expense would be this amount for the month

## Restoring the ALLL through the Income Statement - Provision for Loan Losses



The Provision for Loan and Lease Losses is the current monthly charge-to restore the ALLL. It represents matching the expense to the period the loss actually occurred.


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## Another Important Valuation Concept - INVESTMENTS

## MARK TO MARKET

Credit unions must revalue the carrying amount on their books of investments under certain circumstances

This is similar to the concept of ALLL


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## Accounting for Investments

Held to Maturity (HTM) - an investment that your CU has the intent and capacity to carry until the investment matures and is paid back

Carry on your books at historical (or amortized) value unless: OTTI - a decline in value that is Other than a Temporary Impairment

## Accounting for Investments

Trading/Equity - an investment that your CU has purchased for speculative purposes. (All Equity investments must be categorized as "Trading")

Carry on your books at market value. Run the increase or decrease in market value through your income statement as an income or expense, even if you did not sell the investment.

Note: You may have Equity securities in your retirement fund portfolio that will need to follow these accounting rules

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## Accounting for Investments

Available for Sale (AFS) - any investment that is not HTM or Trading.

Carry on your Balance Sheet at market value but run the increase or decrease in value through your Equity New Account: Unrealized Gain or Loss on AFS Securities

Most Credit Unions have most of their investments in AVS

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## Effect of Investment Market Value being less than Book Value

| EQUITY | 2022 |  | 2023 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Undivided Earnings | \$ | 8,603,597 | \$ | 9,531,807 |
| Regular Reserves | \$ | 928,210 | \$ | - |
| Appropriation for Non-Conforming Investments (SCU ONLY) | \$ | - | \$ | - |
| Other Reserves (Appropriations of Undivided Earnings) | \$ | - | \$ | - |
| Miscellaneous Equity | \$ | - | \$ |  |
| Accumulated Unrealized Gains (Losses) on Available for Sale Securities | \$ | $(615,715)$ |  | (3,737, 156) |
| Accumulated Unrealized Net Gains (Losses) on Cash Flow Hedges | \$ | - | \$ |  |
| Other Comprehensive Income (unless already included in item 33 or 34) | \$ | - | \$ | - |
| Net Income (unless this amount is already included in Undivided Earnings) | \$ | - | \$ | 343,145 |
| Total Equity | \$ | 8,916,092 | \$ | 6,137,796 |
| Total Liabilities/Equity | \$ | 139,232,423 | \$ | 145,201,721 |



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# Risk: An ALM Primer 

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## In ALM, Keep it Simple

## Watch Capital at Risk



## What Risks Could We Watch?

- Credit Risk
- Interest Rate Risk
- Liquidity Risk
- Transaction Risk
- Compliance Risk
- Strategic Risk
- Concentration Risk
- Growth Rate Risk


## Credit Risk

Risk that we won't get our money back from a loan or investment

## Credit Risk

Risk that the credit union:

- Will make weak loans
- Will make loans to weak borrowers
- Will get involved in investments that might not pay back

Measuring Credit Risk
$\checkmark$ Delinquency Ratio
Lagging Indicators
$\checkmark$ Net Charge-off Ratio
$\checkmark$ Earning assets to non-earning assets ratio
$\checkmark$ Trend in credit score or grade mix of your loan portfolio Predictive
$\checkmark$ Product mix of your loan portfolio
$\checkmark$ Mix of your investment portfolio

## Delinquency and Charge-offs

History of Delinquency and Charge-Offs
National Averages

$\rightarrow$ Delinquency Ratio $\quad \Rightarrow$ Net Charge-Off Ratio $\Rightarrow$ Combined Delquency and Charge-Off Ratios

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## Know Your Risk and Return in Each Credit Tier

|  | DIRECT | \% |  | Loan Balance | Interest Income | Gross Yield | Admin Costs | \% Net CO | COF | DEALER COMM | Net <br> Yield |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A+ PAPER |  | 51.2\% | \$ | 392,676,558 |  | 3.33\% | 0.20\% | 0.07\% | 0.76\% | 0.00\% | 2.30\% |
| A PAPER |  | 21.4\% | \$ | 163,966,984 |  | 4.08\% | 0.20\% | 0.18\% | 0.76\% | 0.00\% | 2.94\% |
| B PAPER | 88.4\% | 15.9\% | \$ | 121,843,742 |  | 5.78\% | 0.40\% | 0.27\% | 0.76\% | 0.00\% | 4.35\% |
| C PAPER |  | 8.1\% | \$ | 62,441,962 |  | 7.98\% | 0.80\% | 0.74\% | 0.76\% | 0.00\% | 5.68\% |
| D PAPER |  | 2.3\% | \$ | 17,806,800 |  | 10.53\% | 1.50\% | 1.27\% | 0.76\% | 0.00\% | 7.00\% |
| E PAPER |  | 0.4\% | \$ | 3,347,407 |  | 11.51\% | 1.80\% | 0.85\% | 0.76\% | 0.00\% | 8.10\% |
| No Score |  | 0.4\% | \$ | 3,408,225 |  | 11.43\% | 1.80\% | 0.79\% | 0.76\% | 0.00\% | 8.08\% |
| Not Rep | 11.3\% | 0.2\% | \$ | 1,671,588 |  | 2.95\% |  | 0.06\% | 0.76\% | 0.00\% | 2.13\% |

## Risk Based Pricing = Sharing

| Credit Score |  | A | B | C | D |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Loan Rate |  | 5.9 | 6.9 | 8.9 | 11.9 |
| Charge-offs |  | 0.4 | 0.6 | 1.2 | 2.4 |
| Admin costs |  | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.8 | 1.5 |
| Dealer fee |  | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.3 |
| Cost of funds |  | $\underline{2.2}$ | $\underline{2.2}$ | $\underline{2.2}$ | $\underline{2.2}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Anticipated net | $\underline{\underline{2.8}}$ | $\underline{\mathbf{3 . 4}}$ | $\underline{4.4}$ | $\underline{5.5}$ |  |

Compare yield and term to alternative investments

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## Interest Rate Risk

The risk of loss due to rising or falling interest rates.
Arises when a credit union's assets do not mature or reprice at the same interval as its liabilities

If interest rates change, what will happen to:

- Net Interest Margin?
- Net Income?
- Capital?


## Interest Rate Risk

Risk that credit union:

- Will lose money due to long-term, fixed rate loans or investments
- Funded by short-term, variable rate deposits


## Interest Rate Risk

At time loan is made:

| Loan rate | $3.90 \%$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Your COF at time of loan | $\underline{0.80 \%}$ |
| Spread | $\underline{\mathbf{3 . 1 0 \%}}$ |

2 years later, rates rise 220 bp :
Loan rate $3.90 \%$

Your COF at time of loan $\underline{\underline{2.80 \%}}$
Spread
1.10\%

## Normal Banking Cycle: Spread widens and narrows with changing rates



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Interest Rate Risk: Catastrophic!


## Causes of Interest Rate Risk

## Making Fixed Rate Loans in A Variable Rate World

- Fixed rates over long term
- Terms of fixed rate loans and shares
- Adjustable rate loans,
- Floors, ceilings, re-pricing period


## Measuring Interest Rate Risk

Always pay attention Capital at Risk
Compare rate sensitivity of the credit union's earning assets to that of its interest-bearing liabilities

- Gap Analysis
-Net Economic Value (NEV) Calculations
- Income Simulations

Computer simulations
Shock tests
$\checkmark$ Measuring effect on asset values if interest rates rise or fall 300, 400 or 500 basis points

## Net Economic Value: <br> Book Value vs. Market Value: Capital at Risk

Net economic value (NEV) measures the effect of interest rate risk on capital NEV measures balance sheet's value at a future fixed point in time NEV = "present value" of Assets - "present value" of Liabilities: The end result is the "present value" of Capital at some point in the future.

Book Value or Current Value:

| Assets - Liabilities | $=$ Capital | Capital to Assets Ratio |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\$ 1,000-\$ 900$ | $=\$ 100$ | $\$ 100 / \$ 1,000=10.0 \%$ |

Future Value: (after a $3 \%$ Pt. ( 300 bp ) increase in market rates):
Assets - Liabilities $=$ Capital Capital to Assets Ratio

Capital at Risk: 67\%

Net Economic Value:
Book Value vs. Market Value


## Capital at Risk

From NCUA Financial Performance Report (only available for CUs under $\$ 500 \mathrm{MM}$ in assets)

|  |  | Sep-2022 | PEER Avg.** |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CAPITAL ADEQUACY RATIOS |  |  |  |
| Net Worth / Total Assets ${ }^{5}$ | Ratio | 6.80 | 10.65 |
| ASSET LIABILITY MANAGEMENT RATIOS ${ }^{7}$ |  |  |  |
| Est. NEV Tool Post Shock Ratio ${ }^{4}$ | After | 1.60 | 6.68 |
| Est. NEV Tool Post Shock Sensitivity ${ }^{4}$ | Capit | -70.36 | -39.79 |

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## The Saga of Silicon Valley Bank



## Was SVB a Victim of a Bad Market?

## "SVB's failure is a

 textbook case of mismanagement." Michael BarrVice Chair for Supervision Federal Reserve


## Two of NCUA's "Red Flags" at SVB

1. Rapid Deposit Growth
2. High Level of Long-Term Assets to Total Assets

## Two of NCUA's "Red Flags" at SVB

## 1. Rapid Deposit Growth

Above market rates tend to attract less stable ratesensitive shares. If the credit union then invests these sensitive deposits in longer-term assets (e.g., real-estate loans), it creates a mismatch of maturities for assets and liabilities that could further increase exposure to IRR.

## 1. Rapid Deposit Growth

| Annual Deposit Growth Rate | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Banking Industry | $4 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $8 \%$ | $-1 \%$ |
| Credit Unions | $8 \%$ | $18 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $5 \%$ |

## 2. High Level of L-T Assets/Total Assets

 "We are comfortable being able to put some of that money to work in longer duration" securities on our balance sheet.Greg Becker
CEO of Silicon Valley Bank in his 1Q 2021 earnings call

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2. High level of long-term assets to total assets.
A high concentration of assets with maturities longer than three years will reduce the credit union's ability to react to changing interest rates and expose it to increased interest-rate risk.

## Chain of Events

- SVB welcomed all tech company short-term deposits
- Tech companies were thrilled because other area banks didn't want their high volume of hot money
- To get a higher yield for their influx of deposits, SVB invested in longer-term investments
- Most of their investments were booked as Held to Maturity (no recognition of decline in market value)
- When Fed raised interest rates dramatically, their long-term investments (with lower interest rates) lost massive value


## Chain of Events

- They needed cash, selling HTM investments, causing significant investment losses
- Selling HTM investments (to qualify for HTM, investment should never be sold) triggered the conversion of ALL investments to AFS, now requiring ALL Losses to be booked, wiping out their Capital
- They needed more cash, so they tried to sell stock, but no one bought, so Capital stayed near Zero
- Experts saw their plight and texted their clients to withdraw all cash ASAP, causing a run on the bank


## Liquidity Risk

Risk that adequate cash will not be available to fund loans, meet withdrawal demands, or pay bills

## Liquidity Risk

1. Do we know what our sources of cash are going to be?
2. Do we know what are uses of cash are going to be?
3. Do we have access to loans or lines of credit?
4. How much cash and liquid investments do we have?

## Causes of Liquidity Risk

- Investments not liquid
- Loans or investments not paying as planned
- New loans exceeding new deposits
- Deposits leaving the C.U.
- Financial losses
- Lack of alternative funding sources
- Loans from others
- Lines-of-credit
Measures of Liquidity Ungood Federal Credit Union Liquidity Projection - Cash-Flow Projection January, 200X
BEGINNING CASH BALANCE
ASSUMPTIONS
NET LOAN (GROWTH) DECREASE DEPOSIT GROWTH (DECREASE) CDs MATURING GROWTH (DECREASE) ESTIMATED NET INCOME NET LIQUIDITY INCREASE (DECREASE)
ENDING LIQUIDITY BALANCE
LIQUIDITY MINIMUM ESTABLISHED BY THE ALM COMMITTEE
LIQUIDITY EXCESS (SHORTAGE)

| $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { ACTUAL } \\ \text { Jan OX } \end{gathered}$ |  | ACTUAL <br> Feb 0X |  | Mar-0X |  | Apr-0X |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$ | 24,480,091 | \$ | 28,081,931 | \$ | 30,209,082 | \$ 22,281,008 |
| \$ | 2,415,510 | \$ | 2,210,170 | \$ | $(754,776)$ | \$ (758,927) |
| \$ | 3,707,806 | \$ | 1,366,869 | \$ | 456,244 | \$ 457,612 |
| \$ | (2,701,680) | \$ | $(1,638,779)$ | \$ | (7,779,542) | \$ (8,575,551) |
| \$ | 180,204 | \$ | 188,891 | \$ | 150,000 | \$ 150,000 |
| \$ | 3,601,840 | \$ | 2,127,151 | \$ | $(7,928,074)$ | \$ (8,726,866) |
| \$ | 28,081,931 | \$ | 30,209,082 | \$ | 22,281,008 | \$ 13,554, 142 |
| \$ | 15,525,625 | \$ | 15,423,515 | \$ | 15,488,545 | \$ 15,484,158 |
| \$ | 12,556,306 | \$ | 14,785,567 | \$ | 6,792,463 | \$ (1,930,016) |

## Managing Liquidity

- Appropriate pricing on deposits
- Ability to sell investments early
- Keeping loans and investments relatively short term
- Lines-of-credit at Corporate, bank or FHLB
- Borrow from Corporate or FHLB
- Willingness and ability to sell loans or participations


## What Can You Focus On?

1. Maintain Deposit Growth at a manageable pace
2. Watch Duration on Earning Assets (life of the asset)
3. Monitor projections of Capital at Risk and be prepared to restructure your Balance Sheet
4. Review Concentration Limits in IRR and ALM policies

## What Can You Focus On?

- Monitor your Capital to Assets Ratio (Net Worth Ratio)
- Its direction and your expectations
- Monitor your Spread Analysis and ROA
- If the Capital to Assets Ratio is falling, determine what it would take to improve Profit (ROA) and return your Capital to Assets Ratio back to 'stable'
- Project out what might happen to Capital/Assets ratio
- Monitor other Key Ratios in Graphic Form or a DashBoard



## The Capital to Assets Gauge



## Using an Instrument Panel




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## Free DashBoard

http://forteamresources.com/products/free-downloads/




[^0]:    *Total assets means a credit union's total assets as measured by either the:
    (i) average quarterly balance of the four most recent calendar quarters; or
    (ii) average monthly balance over the three calendar months of the calendar quarter; or
    (iii) average daily balance over the calendar quarter; or (iv) quarter-end call report balance for the calendar quarter

