

Liquidity Coverage Ratio March 31, 2019

Liquidity Coverage Ratio (LCR) is a measure to assess short-term resilience of the banks to potential liquidity disruptions by ensuring sufficient high quality liquid assets (HQLA) are maintained to survive net cash outflows over next 30 days under stress conditions. LCR is calculated by dividing a bank's stock of HQLA by its total net cash outflows over a 30-day stress period.

As per the RBI directions, LCR framework is also applicable to small finance banks however, the transition period for the SFBs for achieving the prescribed level of LCR would be as follows with present requirement, as on March 31, 2019 at 80%.

	Till Dec 31, 2017	By Jan 1, 2018	By Jan 1, 2019	By Jan 1, 2020	By Jan 1, 2021
Minimum LCR	60%	70%	80%	90%	100%

High quality liquid assets (HQLA) under LCR are divided into two parts i.e. Level 1 HQLA which comprises of cash, excess CRR, excess SLR securities and a portion of mandatory SLR as permitted by RBI (under MSF and FALLCR) and Level 2 HQLA which comprises of investments in highly rated non-financial corporate bonds and listed equity investments considered at prescribed haircuts. Cash outflows are calculated by multiplying the outstanding balances of various categories or types of liabilities by the outflow run-off rates and cash inflows are calculated by multiplying the outstanding balances of various categories of contractual receivables by the rates at which they are expected to flow in under stress conditions.

Equitas Small Finance Bank Limited (ESFBL), during the quarter ended March 31, 2019, maintained monthly average HQLA of ₹ 2,737 Crore against the monthly average net cash outflows of ₹ 2,328 Crore (weighted). The entire HQLA was Level 1 HQLA. The average LCR of ESFB for the quarter ended March 31, 2019 was at 117.55%, which is well above the regulatory requirement of 80%.

The table below sets out the average LCR of ESFBL for quarter ended March 31, 2019.

(Rs. in Crores)

LCR Disclosure Template		For Q4 2018-19	
		Total Unweighted Value (average)	Total Weighted Value (average)
High Quality Liquid Assets			
1	Total High Quality Liquid Assets (HQLA)		2,737
Cash Outflows			
2	Retail deposits and deposits from small business customers, of which:		
(i)	Stable deposits	503	25
(ii)	Less stable deposits	2,391	239
3	Unsecured wholesale funding, of which:		
(i)	Operational deposits (all counterparties)	-	-
(ii)	Non-operational deposits (all counterparties)	2,718	2,248
(iii)	Unsecured debt	-	-
4	Secured wholesale funding		
5	Additional requirements, of which		
(i)	Outflows related to derivative exposures and other collateral requirements	-	-
(ii)	Outflows related to loss of funding on debt products	-	-
(iii)	Credit and liquidity facilities	-	-
6	Other contractual funding obligations	55	55
7	Other contingent funding obligations	164	19
8	TOTAL CASH OUTFLOWS		2,587
Cash Inflows			
9	Secured lending (e.g. reverse repos)	698	-
10	Inflows from fully performing exposures	361	181
11	Other cash inflows	98	78
12	TOTAL CASH INFLOWS	1,157	258
			Total Adjusted Value
21	TOTAL HQLA		2,737
22	TOTAL NET CASH OUTFLOWS		2,328
23	LIQUIDITY COVERAGE RATIO (%)		117.55