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Technical error in the transparency exercise published by the European Banking Authority on 24 November 2015

A technical error has been detected in the data of the 2015 transparency exercise published yesterday by the European Banking Authority (EBA), owing to the double counting of deductions from AT1 capital. This error leads to the figure for the fully loaded capital ratio of certain banks, including several Spanish institutions, being significantly understated. The figure is published only for information purposes since this is not the ratio required at the time of publication.

The understatement also has an appreciable bearing on the aggregate data for Spanish banks that feature in the transparency exercise report.

The European banking authority is correcting the report and will duly amend and re-publish it.

<http://www.eba.europa.eu/-/correction-statement-on-2015-eu-wide-transparency-data>

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