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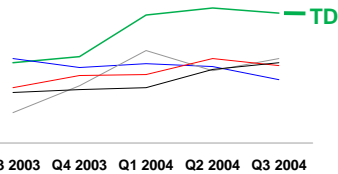
Portions of this communication relate to the proposed merger transactions involving the acquisition by TD Bank Financial Group of 51% of the outstanding common stock of Banknorth Group, Inc. In connection with the proposed transactions, a combined registration statement on Form F-4 and S-4 containing a proxy statement/prospectus will be filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. **Shareholders of Banknorth Group, Inc. are urged to read the proxy statement/prospectus regarding the proposed transaction when it becomes available, because it will contain important information.** Shareholders will be able to obtain a free copy of the proxy statement/prospectus, as well as other filings containing information about TD Bank Financial Group and Banknorth Group, Inc., without charge, at the Securities and Exchange Commission's Internet site (<http://www.sec.gov>). Copies of the proxy statement/prospectus and the filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission that will be incorporated by reference in the proxy statement/prospectus can also be obtained, without charge, by directing a request to TD Bank Financial Group 66 Wellington Street West, Toronto, ON M5K 1A2, Attention: Investor Relations 416-308-9030 or to Banknorth Group, Inc., Attention: Investor Relations 207-761-8517.

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Building The Better Bank: A Solid Foundation & Long-Term Strategy

Return on Risk-Weighted Assets*



Q3 2003 Q4 2003 Q1 2004 Q2 2004 Q3 2004

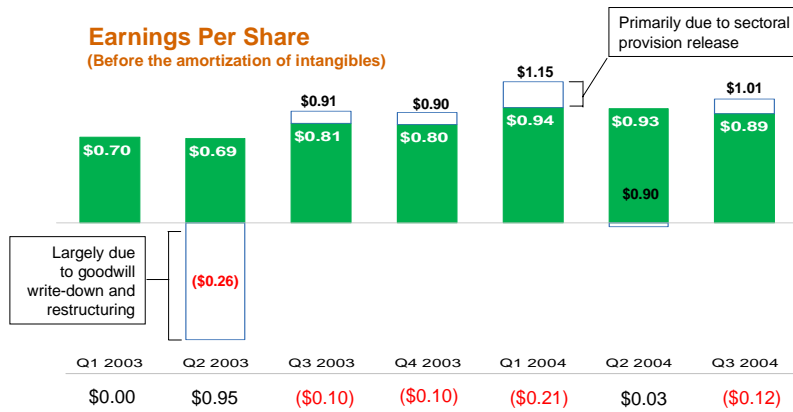
* TD earnings before the amortization of intangibles and excluding sectoral releases, write-offs and restructuring. Other banks adjusted for non-underlying items.

- Reduced risk profile and improved return provide solid foundation for future growth
- Investing in our core businesses
- Strategically re-deploy capital for value, long-term growth and flexibility
- Execute -- do what we say we're going to do



Three Strong And Growing Businesses Demonstrating Strong Financial Performance

Earnings Per Share (Before the amortization of intangibles)

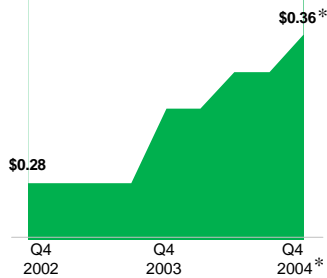


Net impact of adjustments (as noted in quarterly earnings) on EPS before the amortization of intangibles.



Focused On Fulfilling Our Shareholder Responsibilities

Quarterly Dividend Paid Per Common Share



* \$0.02 dividend increase announced in Q3 2004 and payable in Q4 2004

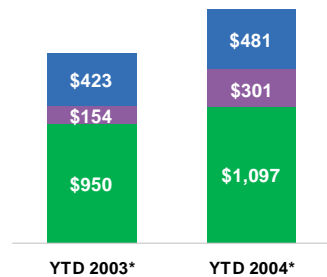
- Increased dividend payout ratio last year to 35-45%
- Earnings growth drives dividend growth with quarterly dividends paid increasing \$0.08 or 12.5% in fiscal 2004
- Repurchased 7.6MM shares in 2004 to offset dilution of DRIP and stock options



Focused On Aggressively Pursuing Our Organic Growth Opportunities

Net Income (MM\$)

(Earnings before amortization of intangibles, excluding 2003 write-downs and restructuring)



■ Personal & Commercial
■ Wealth Management
■ Wholesale Banking

* YTD = nine month period ending July 31

Personal & Commercial

- Build the better bank
- Grow under-penetrated businesses: small business, commercial banking, insurance

Wealth Management

- Build advice-based channels
- Organically grow TD Waterhouse USA

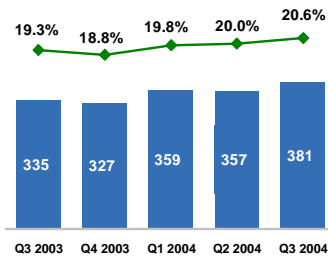
Wholesale

- Grow Canadian full service investment bank
- Expand in niche global capital markets



Building The Better Bank: Strategic Execution And Operating Excellence

Personal & Commercial Net Income (\$MM) and ROIC (%) (Earnings before amortization of intangibles)

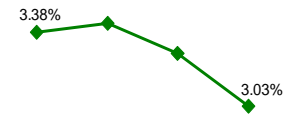


- ❑ Deliver superior service and leverage into premium customer experience based brand
- ❑ Improve customer retention and attraction, and increase business with each customer
- ❑ Leverage large retail base to improve cross-sell rates
- ❑ Exploit core competency in expense management and process optimization

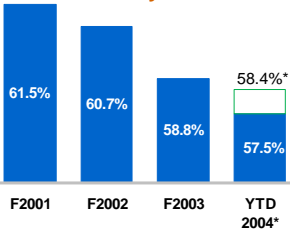


Maintain Gap Between Revenue Growth And Expense Growth

Net Interest Margin



P&C Efficiency Ratio



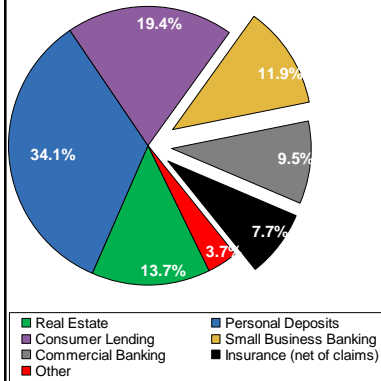
- ❑ Tough day-to-day cost management
- ❑ Invest in process re-engineering to reduce errors and permanently lower costs
- ❑ Strategy focuses on eliminating extraneous activities, duplication, and redundancy
- ❑ Objectives of cost and process optimization:
 - ❑ improve customer satisfaction
 - ❑ maximize amount of employee time spent on revenue generating activities

* Reported, including Laurentian (Q1 2004) and Liberty Mutual (Q2 2004) acquisitions.
Note: For nine month period ending July 31, 2003, P&C's efficiency ratio was 59.0%.



Tactics For Growing Under-Penetrated Businesses

P&C % Revenue By Key Product Segment - F2003



Small Business Banking

- Leverage strong retail drivers (coverage, hours, CSI) and large retail customer base

Commercial Banking

- Follow more segmented and focused approach to sales -- three distinct businesses and strategies

Insurance

- *Life Insurance*: Best creditor insurance penetration rate and direct sales of living benefits products
- *Property & Casualty*: Low cost direct insurance model produces superior ROE and growth



Expense Control Is Key In Slow Growth / Declining Margin Retail Environment

Nine Months YTD 2004 vs. Nine Months YTD 2003

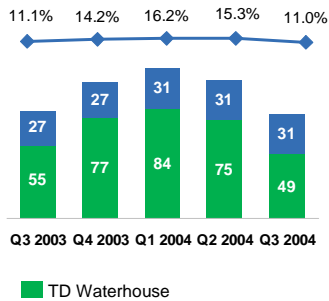
	TD Bank Reported	TD Bank Adjusted [†]	Canadian Peer Average ^{**}
Revenue	5.6%	3.8%	3.1%
Expenses	4.5%	1.2%	3.0%
Revenue-Expense Gap	1.1%	2.6%	0.1%
Credit Losses	(14.2)%	(14.2)%	10.2%
Net Interest Before Taxes	11.9%	11.9%	1.0%
Net Income	15.5%	15.5%	2.3%
Net Income F2003 vs. F2002	14.6%	N/A	6.2%

[†] Excluding Laurentian (Q1 2004) and Liberty Mutual (Q2 2004) acquisitions.
^{**} Peers include: RBC, BNS, CM and BMO.



Strategically Growing Our Wealth Management Business

Wealth Management Net Income (\$MM) and ROIC (%) (Earnings before amortization of intangibles, excluding 2003 write-downs and restructuring)

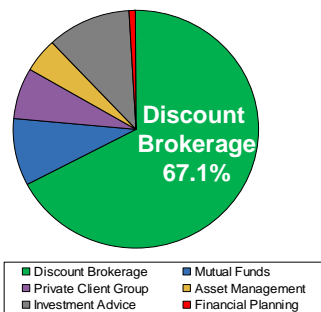


- Aggressively and organically grow TD Waterhouse U.S. discount brokerage
 - A valuable asset well positioned in the U.S. market
- Build out integrated wealth management platform in Canada, leveraging strengths:
 - Premium brand: TD Waterhouse
 - Large retail banking customer base
 - Top ranked mutual fund business

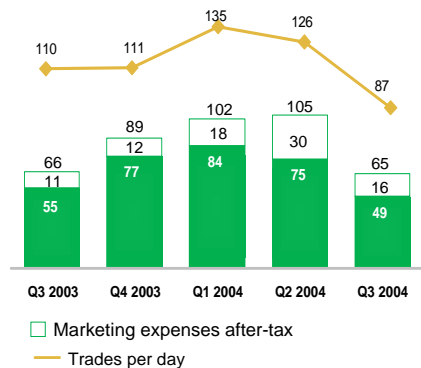


TD Waterhouse Global Discount Brokerage: A Major Driver Of Our Wealth Management Business

Wealth Management % Revenue By Key Product Segment - F2003



Net Income (\$MM) and Trades Per Day ('000s) (Earnings before amortization of intangibles, excluding 2003 write-downs and restructuring)





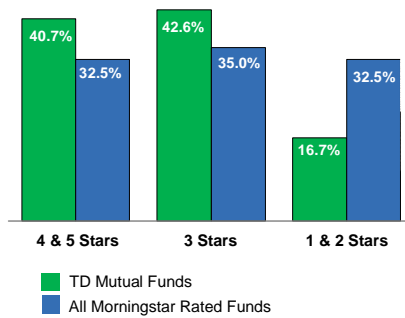
Pursuing Strategic Advantage Of TD Waterhouse's Solid Position In U.S. Discount Brokerage

- Our differentiating business model occupies sweet spot in the U.S.
 - branches
 - mutual funds
 - advisor services
- Strategic position and business model
 - allows us to attract full-service brokerage clients
 - yields higher assets per customer and more consistent profit stream

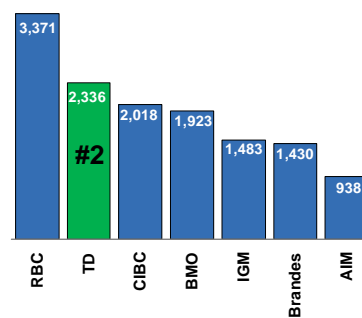


Highly Ranked TD Mutual Funds Make Significant Contribution To Wealth Management Business

TD Mutual Funds By Morningstar Rating (July 2004)



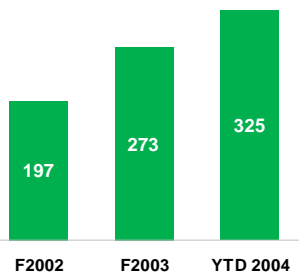
Canadian Mutual Fund - YTD 2004 (\$MM) Net Sales Rankings - Long-Term Funds





Building A Scaleable And More Profitable Business In Canada

TD Financial Planners



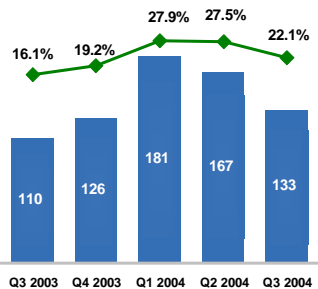
* YTD =nine month period ending July 31

- Take out costs and invest to realign Canadian platform
- Continue to integrate wealth offering -- a singularly branded experience
- Leverage our client bases to increase asset growth
- Increase advisory network
- Shift from transaction-based to more fee-based revenue



A Simple Wholesale Strategy Focused on Economic Return

Wholesale Banking Net Income (\$MM) and ROIC (%) (Earnings before amortization of intangibles, excluding 2003 write-downs and restructuring)

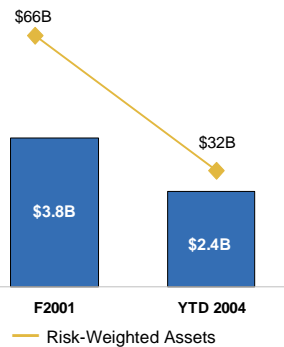


- Aggressively grow leading full service investment bank in Canada
- Operate as a niche investment bank outside Canada, leveraging product/service expertise
- Strategically allocate capital to high ROE businesses
- Proactive management of credit risk



Strategically Shifting Capital To Higher Return Businesses

Wholesale Banking Average Invested Capital vs. RWA



* F2001 invested capital has been restated to reflect the write-off of equity options business in Q2 2003

- ❑ Capital is considered a scarce resource
- ❑ Constantly evaluating our businesses and seeking out better return opportunities
- ❑ Performance measurement is based on economic profit
- ❑ Business volume based on capital allocated to wholesale segment not total bank capital



Significant Opportunity For Growing Leading Full Service Investment Bank In Canada

- ❑ **Strategy**
 - ❑ Continue to aggressively grow domestic full service franchise
- ❑ **Strengths and Opportunities**
 - ❑ Strength in execution
 - ❑ Vast breadth of products, services and expertise
 - ❑ Substantial room to grow market share (e.g. M&A, equity underwriting)
- ❑ **Gaps**
 - ❑ Lack of retail placing power with small full service advisory team
 - ❑ Takes time to build investment banking relationships, reflecting the long sales cycle



Expanding Platform As A Global Niche Player

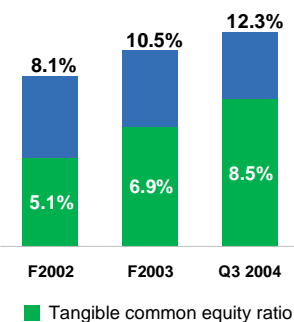
- ❑ **Strategy**
 - ❑ Grow niche investment bank outside Canada, leveraging product / service expertise
 - ❑ Focus on investor client not corporate borrowing clients
 - ❑ Target derivative markets
- ❑ **Strengths and Opportunities**
 - ❑ Strong credit products business
 - ❑ Expertise in customized structured solutions for institutional clients
 - ❑ Small size facilitates creative flow and thinking across organization
- ❑ **Gaps**
 - ❑ On-going build of risk infrastructure and resulting expense pressure

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Translating TD's Growing Capital and Financial Strength Into Future Earnings

Tier 1 Capital and Tangible Common Equity Ratios



- ❑ Core businesses will continue to grow and generate capital
- ❑ Banknorth geographically diversifies TD's earnings and increases retail mix
- ❑ Banknorth transaction provides outlet for our excess capital and clarifies our long-term growth strategy
- ❑ Projected capital ratios at close of Banknorth transaction:
 - ❑ Tier 1 capital ratio = 9.3%
 - ❑ Net tangible common equity ratio = 6.2%

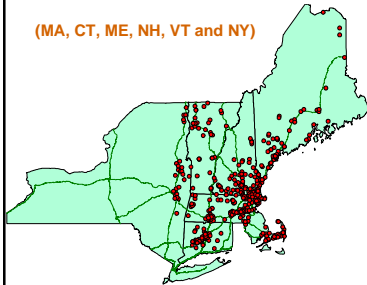
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Banknorth: A New Growth Platform

Solid Franchise With 389 Branches and 548 ATMs Located in Northeastern U.S.

(MA, CT, ME, NH, VT and NY)



- ❑ Why Banknorth?
 - ❑ best in class management
 - ❑ excellent record of value creation
 - ❑ great operators
 - ❑ motivated for future growth
 - ❑ a scale franchise in attractive markets
 - ❑ acquisition strategy into attractive Northeastern U.S. markets continues
 - ❑ TD can both fund and assist Banknorth's move to the next level

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Acquisition Of Banknorth Supports TD's Long-Term Growth Strategy

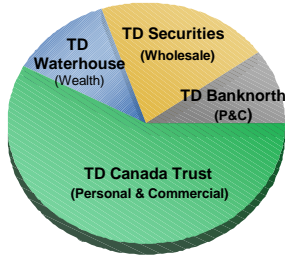
- ❑ Allows for acquisition of a franchise with critical mass
- ❑ Allows for the transaction to be immediately accretive
- ❑ Allows TD to continue doing larger accretive acquisitions
- ❑ Supports Banknorth's and TD's growth strategies
 - ❑ Maintains strong local acquisition currency
 - ❑ Supports retention and motivation of best in class management
 - ❑ Banknorth, with TD's backing, can step up size of future expansion
 - ❑ TD capital ratios remain strong with significant ongoing capital generation

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Strategically Building The Better Bank

Illustrative Business Segment Earnings*



- ❑ Three core businesses -- going to four
 - ❑ each fundamentally strong,
 - ❑ each contributing to valuation
 - ❑ each with growth opportunities

- ❑ Solid earnings generation creates
 - ❑ shareholder value
 - ❑ financial flexibility

- ❑ Re-deploying our capital for strategic options and long-term growth
 - ❑ Banknorth offers significant vehicle for future growth in U.S.

* TD segment Q3 2004 net income plus Banknorth's Q2 2004 net income

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