

### KfW IPEX-Bank

### Specialist financier in project and export finance with a global reach

#### **Key facts**

- a top rating AA+ (S&P) / Aa2 (Moody's)
- a strong shareholder
   100% subsidiary of Germany's state owned promotional bank KfW
- committed team 900+employees
- years of experience as a specialist financier and a clear mission
   In the market for over 75 years and specialized in global project, export, and trade finance

#### **Excellence** in performance



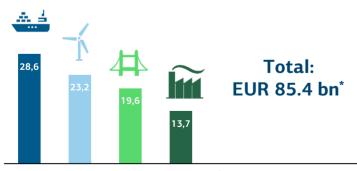
Top Performing Export Finance Bank

KFW IPEX-BANK

- In an independent worldwide survey with feedback from more than 450 participants in the export (finance) community, KfW IPEX-Bank was chosen as **best bank in export finance in 2024**
- Ranked among the top 3 banks for the seventh time

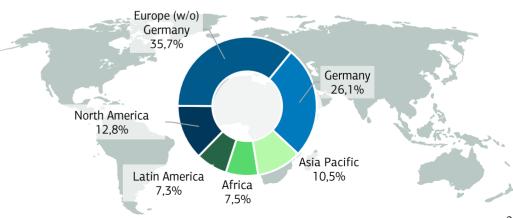
#### **Our industry sectors**

- Mobility
- Energy
- Infrastructure
- Industries & Commerce



\* Loan volume as of YE 2024

#### Global reach





# **Our Key Strengths**

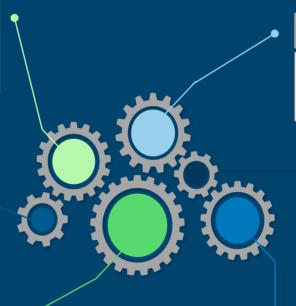
By embedding expertise into our system, we are a strong financing partner

#### **Sector Expertise**

- Covering sectors throughout cycles
- Understanding industries trends, challenges and opportunities

#### Support with Large Tickets

- Many complex projects need large scale investment and financing
- Large tickets as bilateral or consortiums are possible



#### **Competitive Structures**

- Evaluation on individual basis
- Costumize offers
- Meet unique requirements

#### **Access to ECA Financing Issues**

- Close relationships with many Export Credit Agencies (ECA)
- Attractive option to receive competitive pricing and extended tenors (esp. For large-scale projects)

#### **Continuity & Stability**

- Long track-record in core sectors
- Understand us as partners in projects
- Clear & reliable strategy

#### **Strong Shareholder**

- 100% subsidiary of KfW
- Clear understanding of geopolical situation



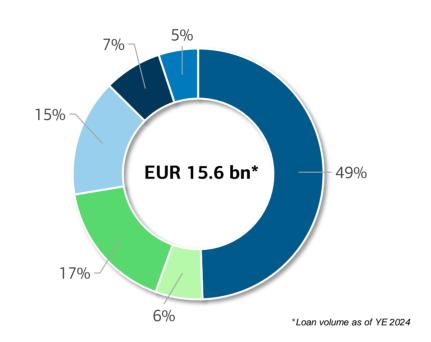
## **Our Maritime Industries Customers and Assets**



**European Vessel Owners** 

European Equipment Suppliers

**European Shipyards** 



- Tourism & Cruise
- Ferries
- Container
- LNG/LPG Tankers
- Product/ Chemicals/ Crude Oil Tankers
- Others (i.e. Bulker, Maritime Energy & Offshore)

## **Ferries**

More than
10 Existing Clients

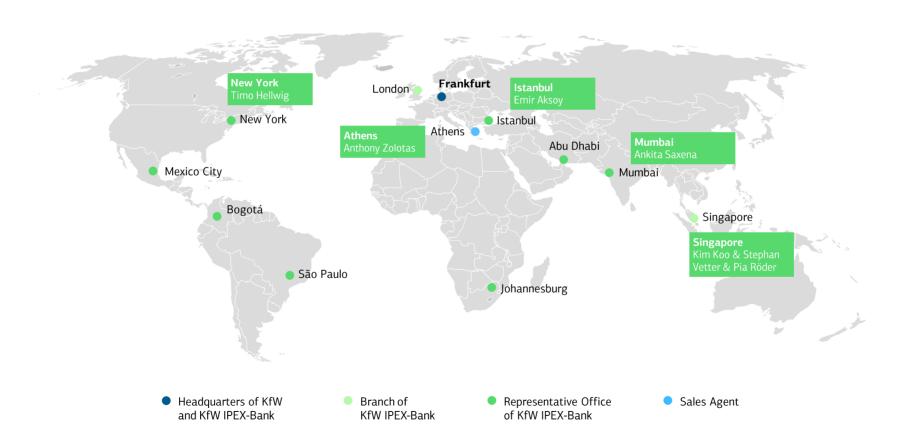
Supporting Core Players worldwide

Current exposure of approx. EUR 1 bn (excl. Tourism & Cruise)



## **Our International Maritime Finance Team**

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# **Investment Trends in Maritime Industries**

# Fleet Renewal & Modernization

aging vessels, passenger comfort and reliability, regulatory compliance

#### **Energy Transition**

electrification, hybrid systems, alternative fuels

#### **Market Demand**

growth in travel spending, transport and regional mobility

#### **Emission Reductions**

IMO regulations, FUEL EU, port regulations, stakeholder expectations

# Digitalization and Operational Efficiency

smart fleet management, automation, ticketing and logistic systems

Main drivers

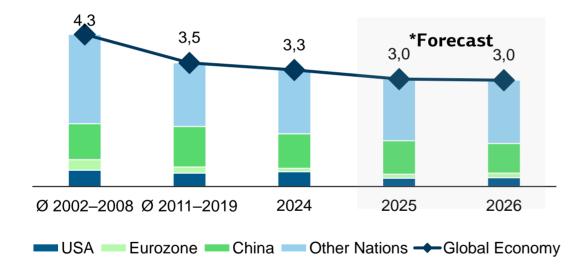
#### **Financial Incentives**

green funding, lower funding costs, public incentives



# Investment decisions are influenced by modest forecasts for economic growth

# Contributions to economic growth (in %)



Growth contributions of the USA, Eurozone, and China for the years 2025 and 2026 calculated based on KfW Research forecasts as of August 2025; growth contributions of other countries calculated based on IMF forecasts as of July 29, 2025.

Source: IMF (World Economic Outlook Update, July 2025); KfW Research.

- High geopolitical uncertainties
- Inflation pressures in major economies
- Supply chain disruptions
- Increased energy prices burden companies and households
- General structural changes
   (Al, demographic changes, etc.)



# **Recent Geopolitical Events**

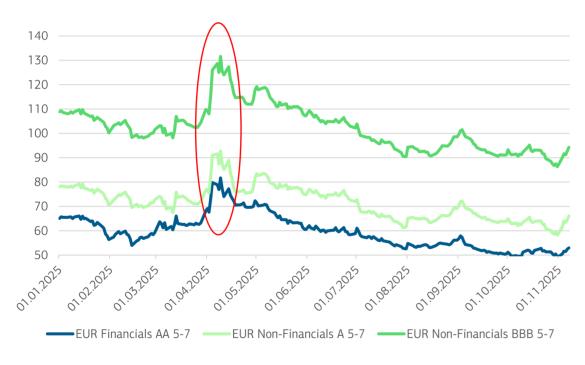
Unpredictable market developments but trends to watch for the Ferry Industry





# Financial Markets respond to Black Swan Events

Developments of bondspreads demonstrate the effect of US tariff announcement in spring 2025



Source: Bloomberg

- US tariff announcements triggered massive market movements
- Widespread repricing across asset and risk classes
   (over 20 bps across maturities and currencies)
- Markets calmed down and the developments in the end reflected an overreaction and no structural shifts in margin levels for banks or customers
- Key to successfully navigating through these times:
   a reliable financing partner



### **Our Products and Services**

Tailor-made for your financing needs



#### Your reliable financing partner

Aiming to **reduce** the annual **financial cost** of your investment

**Developing** the financing **together** with you

Working with governmental Export Credit Agencies, Development Finance Institutions, Insurers, Manufacturers and Contractors

#### **Financial Advisory**

Optimizing & Structuring of Debt Facilities with various Instruments

#### **Lead Arranger**

Arranging Debt Facilities up to USD 2 bn

#### **ECA Advisory**

Advisory for all sector-relevant ECAstructures globally

#### Sustainable Finance Advisor

Advisory and Coordination of Sustainable Finance Facilities and Frameworks

# Documentation & Security Agent

Loan Documentation and Agency Role for all Security Documents

## **Bookrunner & Agency**

Managing Syndication Processes and Banking Syndicates for large Loan Facilities

# Social & Environmental Agency

Managing Environmental & Social Studies and Implementation Process according to Equator Principles and ECA Regulation

#### **Debt Investor Placement**

Placement of Senior Debt with Debt Investors



# Selective References: Ferry Projects

Supporting core market players as a reliable financing partner





















# Get in touch with us - We will be glad to advise you

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