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Standard & Poor's confirms AA rating for Graubündner Kantonalbank

Graubündner Kantonalbank (GKB) has again been given a AA rating by Standard & Poor's. The bank's strong points include the extremely solid capital base, the leading position in the Graubünden home market and the diversified business model. The government guarantee from the Canton of Graubünden also contributed to the outstanding rating.

The rating report by the analysts at Standard & Poor's (S&P) assumes that GKB will continue to further diversify its income and expand its presence outside Graubünden. The majority stake in BZ Bank acquired in summer 2022 was another step in this direction.

CEO Daniel Fust is delighted that the excellent rating has been maintained: "The rating from Standard & Poor's confirms our strategy of having two strong pillars: the interest business and the investment business." He pointed out that the report also emphasised the bank's very strong capital position.

The outlook for GKB remains stable, according to S&P. In its analysis the rating agency notes that the bank is in a robust position and well set for the future, has a high level of capital and enjoys a government guarantee from the Canton of Graubünden.

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Graubündner Kantonalbank offers everything that makes up a modern universal bank – for private individuals, businesses and the public sector. The company is headquartered in Chur and has over 40 branches in Graubünden. With around 1,000 employees, GKB is one of the largest employers in the canton. It expresses its close relationship with Graubünden in a variety of ways. In addition to its economic activities, it is committed to the canton through its sponsorship, its contributory funds and its voluntary work.

GKB holds majority stakes in Privatbank Bellerive AG, Albin Kistler AG and BZ Bank Aktiengesellschaft as well as a minority stake in Twelve Capital Holding AG. GKB participation certificates have been listed on the stock exchange since 1985.