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## GKB again given top rating by Standard & Poor's

Rating agency Standard & Poor's has once more awarded Graubündner Kantonalbank the coveted AA rating. Amongst other things they drew attention to the bank's strong capital base and the quality of its loan portfolio.

The analysts at Standard & Poor's assume that GKB will stick to its business model and continue to build up its asset management business as a source of diversification. The rating report emphasises that GKB predominantly operates in the Canton of Graubünden, which accounts for more than 70% of the excellent mortgage portfolio. Its participating interests also strengthen GKB's position as a provider of professional investment solutions and advisory services.

Daniel Fust, CEO of GKB, is delighted at the excellent rating: "The rating is an affirmation of the strategy we have been successfully pursuing for many years. Graubünden is and remains our main market, the participating interests and business outside the canton help support a broader income base. They also strengthen our positioning as an investment bank and the jobs we provide in Graubünden."

The outlook for GKB remains stable, according to Standard & Poor's. The agency notes the bank's robust position, its strong capital base and the government guarantee from the Canton of Graubünden.

For more information please see [gkb.ch/ratings](https://gkb.ch/ratings).

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### Graubündner Kantonalbank.

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. GKB participation certificates have been listed on the stock exchange since 1985.

### Events:

Interim financial statements 2024:

25 July 2024