

### Creand

Creand is the leading financial group in Andorra. We offer commercial banking, private banking and asset management services at an international level that are complemented by other lines of business, such as insurance, and significant social activities through the Creand Foundation.

Creand workforce comprises 782 professionals, spread out over a wide geographic area as the result of the internationalization plan, thus gaining presence in various financial centers: Spain, Luxembourg, the United States (Miami) and Panama, as well as our headquarters which are located in the Principality of Andorra.



Headquarters Andorra la Vella, Principality of Andorra Founding year 1949

#### **Business areas**

Private banking and asset management Commercial banking (Corporate & Retail) Insurance group



Employees 782 (491 in Andorra) / 24 nationalities



#### Sustainability



Signatory to the Principles for Responsible Banking of the UNEP FI



Member of the United Nations Global Compact Committed to the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) - United Nations 2030 Agenda



Fitch ratings BBB-



#### Awards and recognitions

Bank of the Year in Andorra 2022 Best private bank in Andorra 2022 Best digital bank Andorra 2023 (2015-2022) Best Andorran bank in CSR 2023 (2015-2022)



### **Quality management**

#### ISO 9001

Creand Asset Management Creand Crèdit Andorrà: Investment Area

#### ISO 14001

**Environmental Management System** 

# **Significant figures 2022**

Balance Sheet and Results (millions of euro)



25,001 Total Business Volume

22,240

Assets under Management

2,761

Loan Investment





Net Profit

#### **Ratios**



Solvency

**157.71**% Liquidity



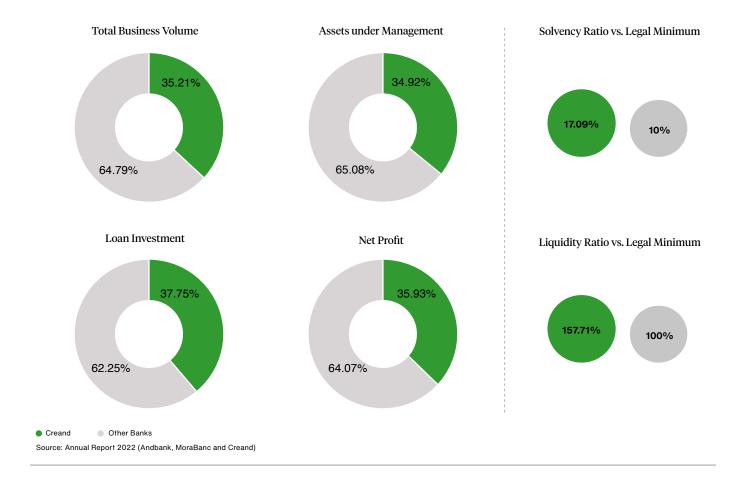
Efficiency

# **Comparative rating**

**BBB** BBB-RRR-MoraBanc Andbank Creand

<sup>\*</sup>More information: https://creandgroup.com/en/business/awards-and-certifications/

# Creand in the Andorran financial sector



### Awards and certificates

Awards



Bank of the Year in Andorra \*



Best Digital Bank Andorra \*\*\*



Andorra's Best Private Bank \*\*



Best Andorran Bank in CSR \*\*\*





#### Gestion de la qualité ISO 9001

Creand Asset Management

Creand Crèdit Andorrà: departments of Treasury and Capital Market, and Market Administration and Control



Environmental Management ISO 14001

Environmental Management System

<sup>\*</sup> The Banker // \*\* The Banker - PWM (Financial Times Group // \*\*\* Global Banking & Finance Review

# **Sustainability**

Aware of the impact our activity has, we at Creand Crèdit Andorrà have made a commitment to strengthen our contribution to the social, environmental and economic development of Andorra. We were pioneers in introducing social responsibility into our management model by signing the UNEP FI Principles for Responsible Banking, an international framework for incorporating environmental, social and governance (ESG) criteria into business strategy. We are also members of the UN Global Compact and we have embraced the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in line with the 2030 Agenda.

### Consolidated overall investment

















# Creand Chair of Entrepreneurship and Banking at IESE Business School

The Creand Chair of Entrepreneurship and Banking at IESE Business School is intended to respond to the new economic reality. Under the leadership of Albert Fernández, professor of the Accounting and Control and Entrepreneurship

departments, the chair focuses on new enterprise, in which the contribution of value extends beyond the pure scope of business and contributes to the generation of wealth for society as a whole.



# **Creand Foundation**

Creand Foundation was founded in 1987 with the aim of contributing to the social and cultural development of the Principality of Andorra. In order to do so, it offers the general community tools and activities aimed at fostering culture, improving citizens' personal growth and well-being and boosting social progress.

It is one of the country's main private foundations, both in terms of the number of programs and the resources allocated. It focuses on three main fields of activity: education and knowledge, social support, and creation and culture.

Investment by the Foundation per field of activity











Other projects

<sup>\*</sup> Regarder le tableau Investissement de la Fondation par domaine d'activité.

### Andorra



**468** km2



**81,588** Population\*



**Euro**Official currency



Catalan
Official language



### Political environment

Founded in 1278, the Principality of Andorra has been neutral and independent for over 700 years. In 1993, the Principality of Andorra approved its constitution, thus attaining full international recognition as a sovereign nation following the rule of law.

The country operates as a parliamentary democracy, with a head of government elected by the Consell General (Andorran parliament). The State is structured as a parliamentary co-principality, with two heads of state (the President of the French Republic and the Bishop of Urgell), who jointly hold an indivisible role.

Andorra has been a member of the UN and the European Council since 1993. Although it is not a member of the EU, its legal currency is the euro thanks to a monetary agreement with the EU. It has historically maintained close relations with Europe, and in particular with Spain, France and Portugal.

### Socioeconomic environment

Andorra offers an advanced economy, based on an open and flexible free market. GDP per capita is over €30,000, similar to the European average.

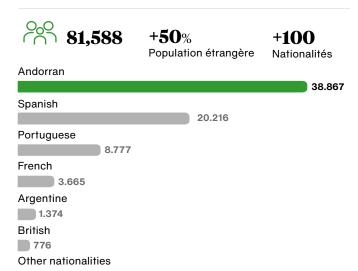
Its economic activity is mainly based on services. This sector encompasses 90% of the country's businesses and represents 83% of jobs. Trade and tourism account for nearly half of the employment of the services industry. These jobs are dedicated to looking after the over 8 million visitors that visit the Principality every year, attracted by a selection of leisure activities mainly revolving around skiing and alike, also including shopping.

The financial sector is another cornerstone of the Andorran economy, which has been adapted to the standards established by the EU and the OECD. Andorra has been a member of the International Monetary Fund (IMF) since 2020.

Source: Andorran Chamber of Commerce, Industry and Services

# Cosmopolitan population\*

7.913



### High quality of life



High life expectancy (87 years)



Low crime rate



One of the best healthcare systems in the world\*\*



Public, free education system, with 3 teaching models (Andorran, Spanish and French)

<sup>\*</sup>Registered population, December 2020. Source: Department of Statistics. Andorran Government

<sup>\*\*</sup>The Lancet

### Service economy



**39,068.28** € GDP per capita +**7.1**%



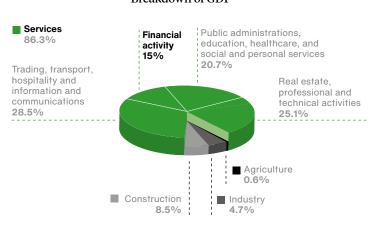
**2,284.67** € Average Salary **1.286.13** €

**1,286.13** € Minimum Salary



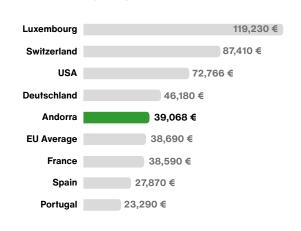
**45,805** Employees (-3%) **11,800** 

Breakdown of GDP



Source : Département des statistiques. Gouvernement d'Andorre. Eurostat

### GDP per capita (in euros, 2020)



# Outstanding tourist centre





Number of visitors

2022

8,426,708

2021

5,442,415

2020

5,206,632

Source: Department of Statistics. Andorran Government.

#### Ski resorts



2022-2023 Season	Number of slopes	Total lenght of slopes (km)	Skiing area (ha)	Mechanical lifts	Capacity (skiers/hour)	Snow cannons	Artificial snowmaking (% ski domain)
Grandvalira*	139	210	1,926	76	120,645	-	66%
Vallnord**	44	63	1,149	32	38,480	373	68%
TOTAL	183	273	3,075	108	159,125	373	67%

<sup>\*</sup>Grandvalira includes the Encamp, Canillo, El Tarter, Soldeu, Grau Roig, Pas de la Casa and Ordino-Arcalís resorts.

Source: Grandvalira and Vallnord



The Madriu-Perafita-Claror valley has been declared a **UNESCO World Heritage Site** 



Shopping, leisure, health, nature and well-being are the main reasons to visit



**Architectural heritage:** 60 Romanesque churches

<sup>\*\*</sup>Vallnord includes the Pal and Arinsal resorts.

# **Economic and tax framework**

Andorra is undergoing a process of change aimed at boosting the country's levels of modernization, compliance and competitiveness on the international scene. In recent years, the country has taken

steps towards tax and financial compliance with regards to international standards, in parallel with a process that has opened the economy up to foreign investment.



Country rating (Fitch)

**BBB**+

Perspective stable



Tax framework

10% Corporate tax (Profit tax)

10% Personal income tax (IRPF)

10% Non-resident income tax (IRNR)

**4,5**% Indirect tax IGI (IVA / VAT)



International relations

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Double tax treaties\*

102

Tax information exchange agreements (TIEA)

### Opening of the economy to foreign investment



# **Banking system**

In the context of global level entity restructuring, the Andorran banking system has adapted to the requirements of the

international financial regulations, in line with the global trend striving towards greater transparency in the sector.



The Andorran financial sector

**15**%

Contribution to GDP

**18**%

Solvency (EBA average, 15.5%)

187.12%

Liquidity (EBA average, 173.1%)

Regulation - Supervision

**AFA** 

Andorran Financial Authority

### **UIFAND**

Financial Intelligence Unit of Andorra

agreement (MCAA)



Transparence

# Moneyval

Measures to combat money laundering and the financing of terrorism

#### UE

Monetary Agreement which validates the Andorran legislative framework in banking and finance

### **Iosco**

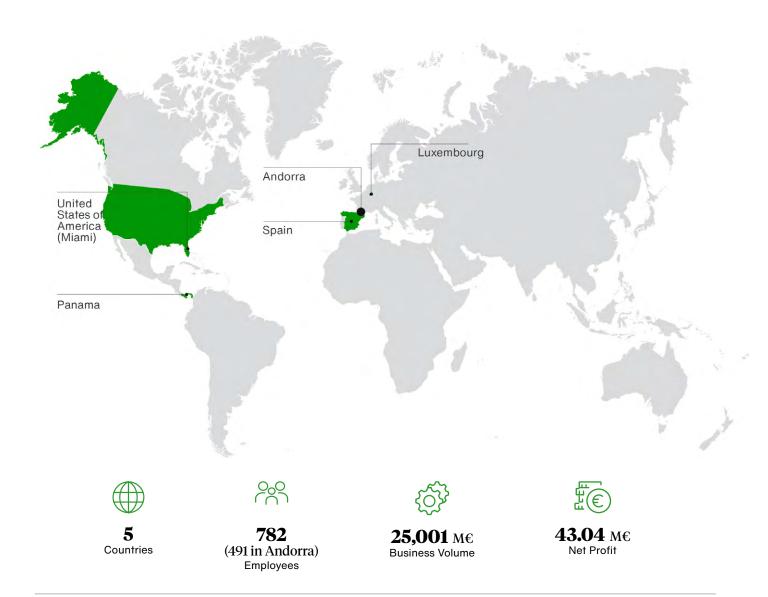
Membership of the International Organization of Securities Commissions

#### Tax compliance and transparency Beginning of Andorra signs the Paris declaration: The EU excludes negotiations Convention on Mutual Taxation of Savings Andorra from the list Multilateral Administrative Assistance for an association Agreement (OECD) Agreement (EU) of tax havens in Tax Matters (OECD) agreement EU) 2020 2017 2015 2011 2005 1991 Standardization of tax Andorra formalizes Cooperation Customs Andorra passes the 4th Monetary offenses round of the Moneyval Agreement (EU) Union (EU) entry to the Agreement (EU) Automatic tax International evaluation information exchange Monetary Fund Multilateral automatic Andorra passes the 5th tax information exchange

Moneyval assessment

<sup>\*</sup>France, Luxembourg, Spain, United Arab Emirates, Portugal, Liechtenstein, Malta and Cyprus

# Creand around the world



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