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S&P GLOBAL RAISES BANCO DESIO'S "*S&P GLOBAL ESG SCORE*" TO 58/100

Desio, 24 September 2026 - Banco Desio announces that S&P Global has raised its "S&P Global ESG Score" to 58/100, up by 21 points compared to 37/100 in 2023.

The improvement in the score reflects the Group's progress in integrating environmental, social and governance (ESG) factors within its corporate strategies, operating processes and corporate governance system, in line with the path outlined in the Beyond26 Business Plan.

"The improvement in the score is a concrete confirmation of the work carried out by the entire organisation in the process of integrating sustainability into the Group's activities," said **Stefano Vittorio Kuhn**, **Chief Executive Officer and General Manager of Banco Desio**. *"In addition to strengthening our positioning, this result encourages us to continue along our path of sustainable growth with confidence, contributing to the consolidation of Banco Desio's role as an operator focused on the creation of long-term value."*

Banco Desio will continue to invest in the evolution of its sustainability model, with the aim of further strengthening the Group's resilience, its ability to generate value for stakeholders and its positioning in the reference financial landscape.

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BANCO DI DESIO E DELLA BRIANZA S.P.A. Established in 1909 and listed on the Milan Stock Exchange since 1995, today Banco Desio is a modern multi-product banking Group oriented towards the future in keeping with its own traditions, with strong territorial roots and an organisational structure focused on offering high quality services to its customers, including through digital channels. The Banco Desio Group operates in Northern and Central Italy and in Sardinia, with a distribution network of 273 branches and roughly 2,500 employees. It is present in the consumer credit sector with Fides S.p.A., a holding company specialised in salary-backed loans, and in the wealth advisory and portfolio management sector through Solutions Capital Management SIM S.p.A. In the assets under management and "bancassurance" sector, it operates through distribution agreements with leading national and international parties. It has total consolidated assets of over Euro 19 billion.

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