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Heritage Commerce Corp Strategy

- Build a significant community business bank in Northern California (primarily the San Francisco Bay Area)
 - Catering to small to medium sized privately held companies, their owners and professionals
 - By providing a diversified mix of lending and deposit products oriented to businesses and professionals
 - Delivering our products and services through full-service offices located in key communities in Northern California (primarily the San Francisco Bay Area)
 - Building the franchise through:
 - Organic growth
 - De novo office locations by adding new loan teams
 - Acquisitions



Heritage Bank Profile

Relationship Banking

A community business bank founded in 1994 headquartered in San Jose, California that offers a full range of banking services to small to medium sized businesses and their owners, managers and employees using a relationship banking approach

Core Clientele

- Small to medium sized closely held businesses
- **Professionals**
- High net worth individuals

Specialty Expertise

- SBA lending and loan sales
- Corporate finance/asset-based lending
- Cash management
- Non-profit organizations, education, and churches
- Construction lending

Well-positioned in three affluent counties of San Francisco Bay Area

Community Banks headquartered in the San Francisco Bay Area⁽¹⁾







Experienced Management Team

Name	Position	Years at HTBK	Years of Banking Experience
Walter T. Kaczmarek	President & CEO	9	32
Keith A. Wilton ⁽¹⁾	EVP / Chief Operating Officer	1	33
Michael E. Benito	EVP / Business Banking Division	10	29
Dan T. Kawamoto	EVP / Chief Administrative Officer	4	22
Lawrence D. McGovern	EVP / Chief Financial Officer	15	30
David E. Porter	EVP / Chief Credit Officer	1	39
Debbie K. Reuter	EVP / Chief Risk Officer	20	29

■ Regional Line Managers average over 20 years of experience in market⁽²⁾

⁽¹⁾ Keith A. Wilton joined the Company on February 18, 2014

⁽²⁾ Market refers to Alameda, Contra Costa, and Santa Clara counties



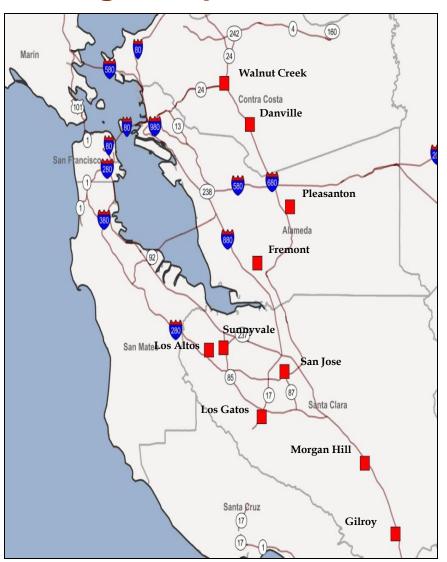
Located in Economically Vibrant San Francisco Bay Area

<u>County</u>	<u>Population</u>	Projected 5-Yr Population <u>Growth</u>	2013 Median Household <u>Income</u>	Projected 5-Yr Household Income <u>Growth</u>	Businesses
Santa Clara	1,824,941	5.36%	\$ 84,375	16.68%	68,497
Alameda	1,544,833	5.13%	66,807	20.10%	60,529
Contra Costa	1,076,524	5.35%	77,871	14.66%	40,415
San Francisco	825,162	4.76%	64,498	24.22%	47,863
San Mateo	730,953	4.54%	82,332	16.50%	31,427
Sonoma	490,657	3.41%	61,860	22.39%	24,734
Solano	417,406	3.09%	65,892	17.95%	14,455
Marin	255,910	2.91%	84,064	18.77%	17,425
Napa	137,194	3.22%	67,894	19.22%	7,631
California	37,905,036	3.94%	51,466	11.12%	1,474,198
National	314,467,933	3.62%	51,314	16.11%	12,492,759

Source: SNL as of 12/31/2013

Heritage Snapshot – 10 Branches





Financial Highlights 3/31/14

■ Total Assets	\$	1.5 billion	
■ Total Loans	\$	942 million	
■ Total Deposits	\$	1.3 billion	
■ Total Shareholders' Equity	\$	177 million	
■ Tangible Equity	\$	175 million	
■ TE/Tangible Assets		11.9%	
■ Tier 1 RBC Ratio	14.2%		
■ Total RBC Ratio	15.4%		
■ Loans/Deposits	74.6%		
■ Yield on Earning Assets ⁽¹⁾		4.21%	
■ Cost of Deposits ⁽¹⁾		0.17%	
■ Cost of Funds ⁽¹⁾		0.17%	
■ Net Interest Margin(TEY) ⁽¹⁾		4.05%	
■ Efficiency Ratio ⁽¹⁾		69.92%	
■ 1Q'14 Net Income ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾	\$	3.1 million	

(1)For the quarter ended 3/31/14

(2)Before dividends on preferred stock

Market Share



- Attractive footprint of 10 branch locations in the San Francisco East Bay
 Area & Silicon Valley
- Ranks fourth amongst Independent Community Banks headquartered in the San Francisco Bay Area⁽¹⁾

Top Regio	onal Banks		
			Deposits
2013		Branch	in Bay Area ⁽¹⁾
Rank	Bank	Count	(\$000)
	1 Mechanics Bank	24	2,520,727
	2 Fremont Bank	18	2,120,780
	3 Bridge Bank, NA	2	1,298,412
	4 Heritage Bank of Commerce	10	1,199,768
	5 Bank of Marin	12	1,053,070
	6 First National Bank of Northern California	13	803,220
	7 Pacific Coast Banker's Bank	1	503,466
	8 Avidbank	1	384,528
	9 Presidio Bank	4	384,442
:	10 Bank of the Orient	7	355,594

Deposits 2013 Branch in Bay Area ⁽¹⁾ Rank Bank Count (\$000)	
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1 Bank of America, NA 201 117,445,257	
2 Wells Fargo Bank, NA 227 86,447,232	
3 Citibank, NA 117 22,859,805	
4 JPMorgan Chase Bank, NA 196 20,010,627	
5 Silicon Valley Bank 4 16,837,514	
6 First Republic Bank 31 15,577,532	

Totals for Market ⁽¹⁾			
		Deposits	
	Branch	in Bay Area ⁽¹⁾	
	Count	(\$000)	
	1 445	270 029 677	

⁽¹⁾ San Francisco Bay Area refers to Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin, San Francisco, San Mateo, and Santa Clara counties. Source: FDIC, Summary of Deposits as of June 30, 2013.



Operating Performance (in \$000's)

	For the Periods Ended:			
	1Q 2014	1Q 2013	YTD 12/31/2013	YTD 12/31/2012
Interest Income	\$13,855	\$12,867	\$52,786	\$52,565
Interest Expense	521	714	2,600	4,187
Net Interest Income	13,334	12,153	50,186	48,378
Provision (Credit) for Loan Losses	(10)	-	(816)	2,784
Net Interest Income after Provision for Loan Losses	13,344	12,153	51,002	45,594
Noninterest Income	2,017	1,663	7,214	8,865
Noninterest Expense	10,734	10,781	41,722	40,256
Income Before Income Taxes	4,627	3,035	16,494	14,203
Income Tax Expense	1,551	855	4,954	4,294
Net Income (Before dividends on preferred stock)	\$3,076	\$2,180	\$11,540	\$9,909
Efficiency Ratio	69.92%	78.03%	72.69%	70.32%



Financial Highlights (in \$000's)

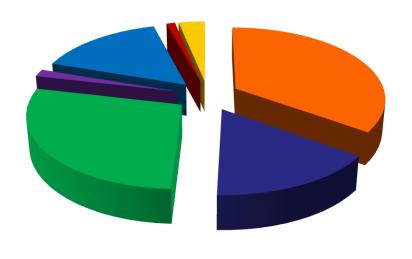
For the Periods Ended:

	<u>1Q 2014</u>	<u>1Q 2013</u>	% Change
■ Total Assets	\$1,470,110	\$ 1,383,564	6%
■ Total Loans	\$ 941,759	\$ 801,925	17%
■ Core Deposits	\$1,012,651	\$ 877,498	15%
■ Total Deposits	\$1,261,995	\$1,166,890	8%
■ Subordinated Debt	\$ -	\$ 9,279	-100%
■ Total Shareholders' Equity	\$ 176,817	\$ 170,835	4%



Strong Deposit Base (in \$000's)

March 31, 2014



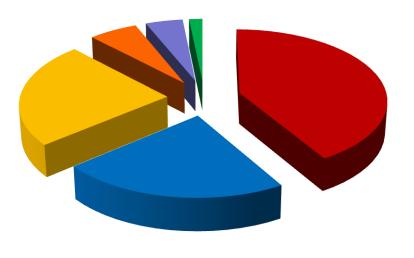
■ Demand, noninterest-bearing	■ Demand, interest-bearing
■ Savings and money market	■ Time deposits - under \$100
■Time deposits - \$100 and over	■Time deposits - CDARS
Time deposits - brokered	

	Balance	% of Total
Demand, noninterest-bearing	\$ 440,864	34.9%
Demand, interest-bearing	198,141	15.7%
Savings and money market	352,977	28.0%
Time deposits - under \$100	20,669	1.6%
Core Deposits	1,012,651	80.2%
Time deposits - \$100 and over	195,769	15.5%
Time deposits - brokered	40,440	3.2%
CDARS - money market and time deposits	13,135	1.1%
Total	\$ 1,261,995	100.0%



Diversified Loan Portfolio (in \$000's)

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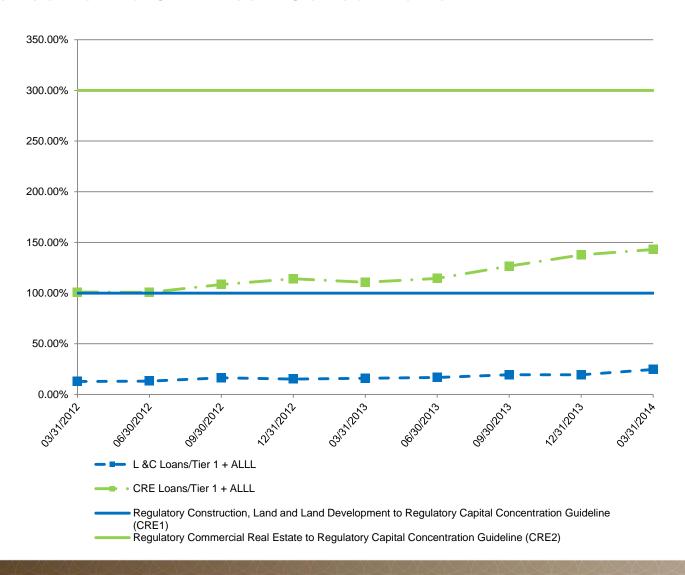


■ Commercial	■ CRE - Owner Occupied
CRE - Investor/Other	■ Equity Lines
■Land & Construction	■ Consumer & Other

	Balance	% of Total
Commercial	\$390,650	41.5%
CRE - Owner Occupied	211,076	22.4%
CRE - Investor/Other	225,486	23.9%
Equity Lines	56,289	6.0%
Land & Construction	42,889	4.5%
Consumer & Other	15,369	1.7%
Total	\$941,759	100.0%

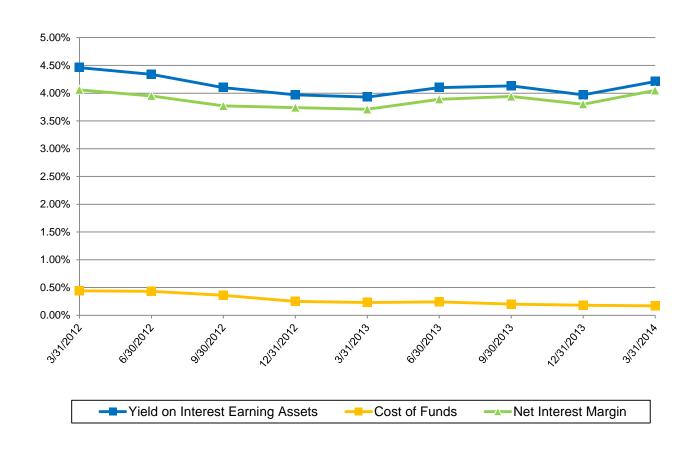


Conservative CRE Loan Concentration



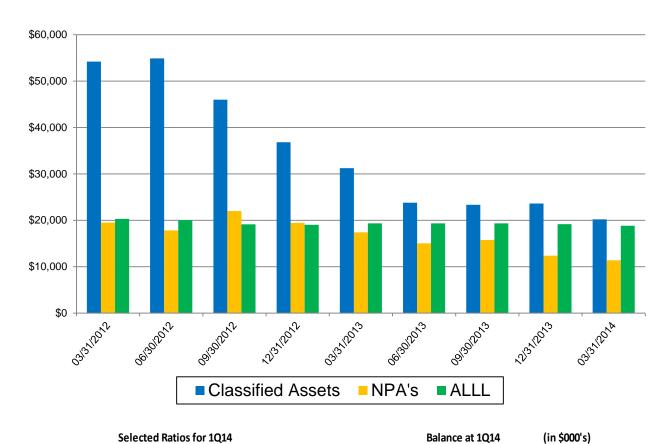


Net Interest Margin Trend (TEY)





Solid Credit Quality Metrics (in \$000's)



Selected Ratios for 1Q14

- 1. NPA's/Total Assets = 0.77%
- 2. ALLL/ NPL's = 173.85%

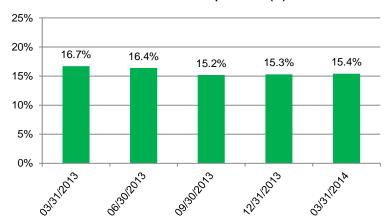
^{1.} Classified Assets (1) \$20,198 2. NPA's \$11,375 3. ALLL \$18,817

⁽¹⁾ net of SBA guarantees

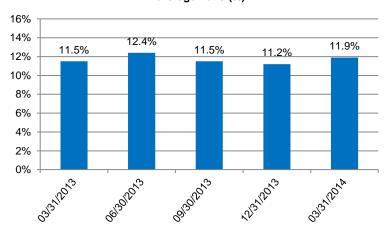




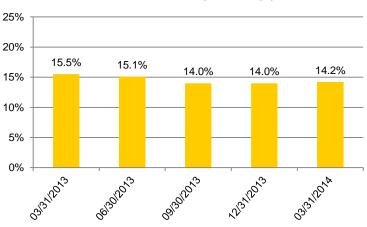
Total Risk-Based Capital Ratio (%)



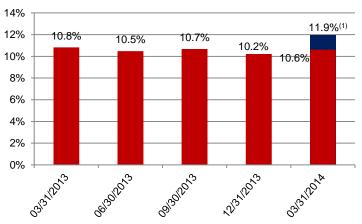
Leverage Ratio (%)



Tier 1 Risk-Based Capital Ratio (%)



Tangible Common Equity/Tangible Assets (%)



(1) Assumes conversion of Series C Preferred Stock of \$19.5 million into common stock

Positioned for Growth



- Small to medium size business customer relationship focus
- Competitive loan and cash management products catering to businesses
- Highly experienced management team throughout the company
 - 20+ years experience of Regional Managers in market
 - Recruited eight senior relationship managers over the past eighteen months
- Solid credit quality at 1Q 2014
 - 0.77% nonperforming assets to total assets
 - Balanced loan portfolio with real estate well under all regulatory guidelines
- Excellent capital and liquidity at 1Q 2014
 - 15.4% total risk-based capital ratio
 - 74.6% loan to deposit ratio
- Profitable operations
 - 15 consecutive quarters of net income
 - Solid loan & deposit growth
- Good locations and markets with solid market share among community banks
 - 10 branch locations
 - Fourth in deposit market share amongst independent community banks
 - San Francisco and San Jose combined MSA's are second in the state of California in households with income greater than \$200,000

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