

Annual Document of May 22, 2009

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1. Issuer-Related Publications

1.1 Financial Information

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www.westlb.com/Investor_Relations/financial_information/financial_reports
www.westlb.com/Investor_Relations/financial_information/interim_reports

1. WestLB AG
 - Financial Report 2007
 - Financial Report 2008

2. WestLB Group
 - Annual Report 2007
 - Annual Report 2008
 - Interim Report March 31, 2008
 - Interim Report June 30, 2008
 - Interim Report September 30, 2008

1.2. Ad-Hoc Information

The Ad-Hoc information published in the periods referred to above from January 21, 2008 and November 3, 2008 is available at the following Internet link:

[www.westlb.com/Investor Relations/Ad-Hoc News](http://www.westlb.com/Investor%20Relations/Ad-Hoc%20News)

2. Securities-Related Publications

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