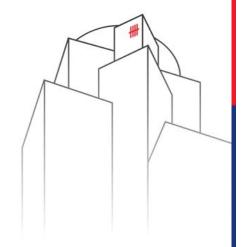


# **##UOB** UOB Group

For the First Half / Second Quarter Ended 30 June 2018



## **Financial Highlights**

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#### **Highlights**



#### New first half earnings high of \$2.05 billion in 2018 ↑ 24% YoY

#### Record second quarter earnings exceeding \$1 billion ↑ 28% YoY; ↑ 10% QoQ

- Increase in net interest income supported by broad-based loan growth and an uplift in loan margin
- Strong performance in net fee and commission income
- Assets quality remained stable. Credit costs decreased substantially in a favourable operating environment
- Return on risk-weighted assets increased to 2.13% for the quarter.
- Strong profit momentum and improved risk-adjusted returns; interim core dividends to increase to 50 cents for the half year



#### New high first half earnings surpassing \$2 billion

	1H18 \$m	1H17 \$m	Yo \$m -	Y +/(-) %
Net interest income	3,012	2,659	353	13 🔺
Net fee income	1,015	887	129	15 🔺
Other Non-NII	546	621	(76)	(12) ▼
Total income	4,573	4,167	406	10 🔺
Less: Total expenses	2,009	1,812	196	11 🔺
Operating profit	2,564	2,355	210	9 🔺
Less: Total allowances	170	366	(197)	(54) 🔻
Add: Assoc & JV	81	59	22	38 🔺
Net profit	2,055	1,652	403	24 🔺

- Net interest income up 13% supported by uplift in net interest margin and broad-based loan growth.
- Higher net fee income driven by strong performance in loan-related, wealth management, fund management and credit card.
- Lower trading and investment gains mainly due to gains on disposal of investment securities last year.
- Expenses increased due to higher performance-related staff costs and planned IT-related investments.
- Allowances decreased 54%.

### Second quarter earnings exceeding \$1 billion



	2Q18	2Q17	Yo	Υ
	\$m	\$m	\$m	+/(-) %
Net interest income	1,542	1,356	186	14 🔺
Net fee income	498	448	50	11 🔺
Other Non-NII	302	310	(8)	(3) 🔻
Total income	2,342	2,114	228	11 🔺
Less: Total expenses	1,022	925	96	10 🔺
Operating profit	1,320	1,189	132	11 🔺
Less: Total allowances	90	180	(90)	(50) 🔻
Add: Assoc & JV	52	24	28	>100 🔺
Net profit	1,077	845	232	28 🔺

- Higher net interest income driven by strong loan growth and higher net interest margin.
- Higher net fee income due to broad-based growth in loanrelated, fund management, credit card and trade-related fees.
- Expenses grew in tandem with income growth.
- Allowances decreased 50%.

### **Net earnings improved 10% QoQ**

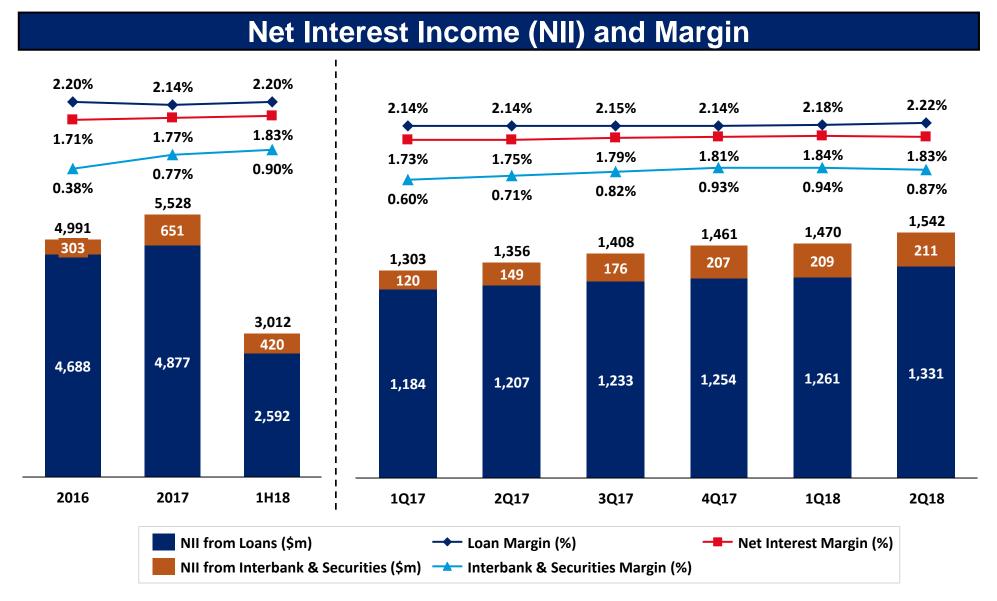


	2Q18 \$m	1Q18 \$m	Qo \$m +	
Net interest income	1,542	1,470	72	5 🔺
Net fee income	498	517	(19)	(4) <b>▼</b>
Other Non-NII	302	244	58	24 🔺
Total income	2,342	2,231	112	5 🔺
Less: Total expenses	1,022	987	35	4 🔺
Operating profit	1,320	1,244	77	6 🔺
Less: Total allowances	90	80	11	14 🔺
Add: Assoc & JV	52	29	23	81 🔺
Net profit	1,077	978	99	10 🔺

- Higher net interest income due to loan growth, partially offset by 1bp drop in net interest margin.
- Lower wealth management fees, partially offset by increase in credit card and loan-related fees.
- Increase in Non-NII mainly due to higher trading income.
- Higher expenses in line with income growth.
- Increase in allowances on higher quarterly loan growth.

## Higher NII driven by an uplift in loan margin and volume growth



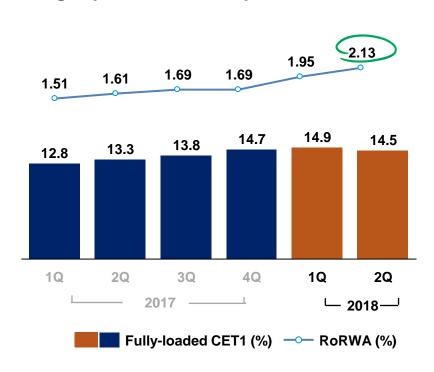




## Leverage strong capital position to drive volume growth on the back of the rising rate environment

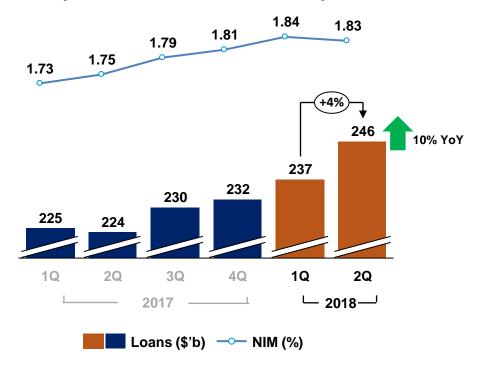
#### Well positioned to tap on opportunities for NII growth

#### Strong capital base and improvement in RoRWA



• Excess capital provided opportunities for higher loan growth.

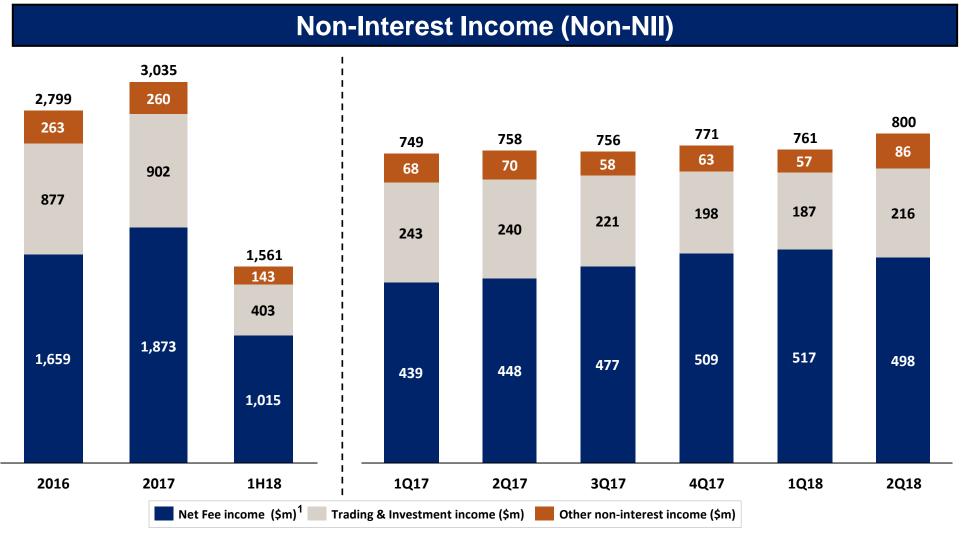
#### Steady loan momentum and healthy NIM



- Competitive pricing for loan growth.
- Supported by debt issuances and deposit growth to maintain stable funding portfolio.

## Loan-related, fund management and credit cards fees continued to perform well



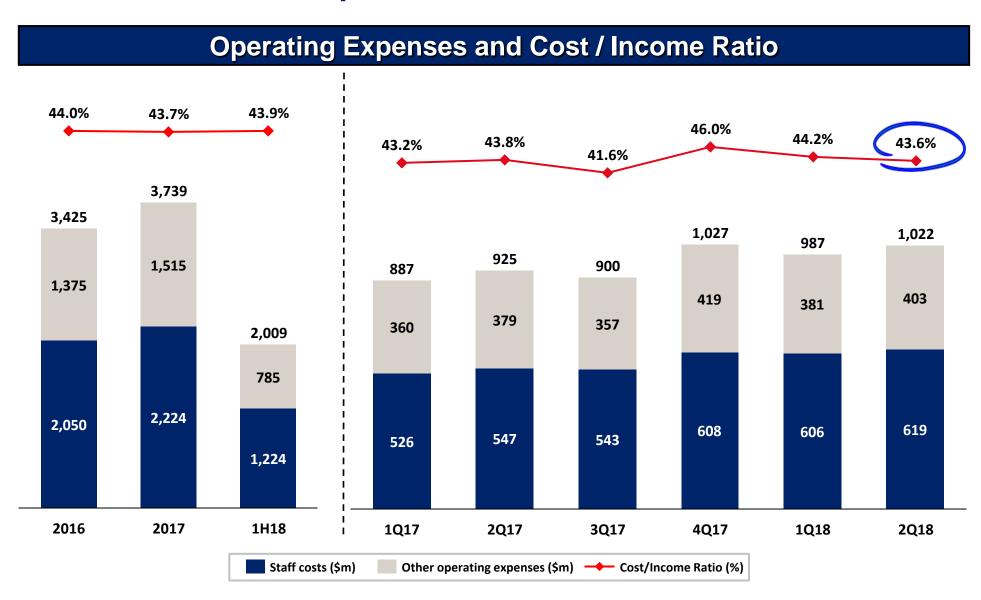


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#### Cost/Income ratio improved QoQ to 43.6%



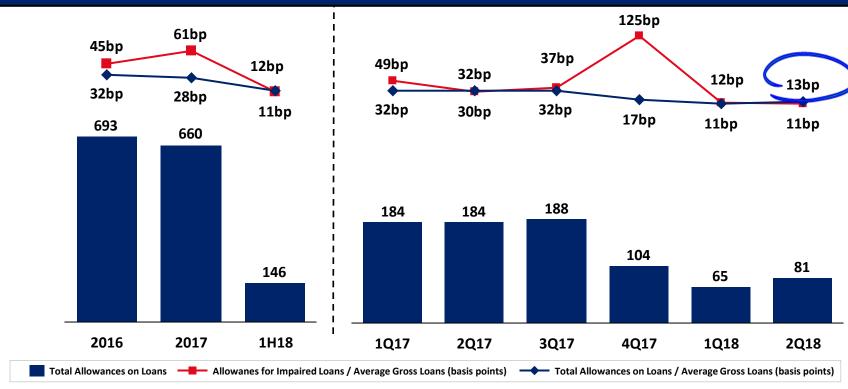


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#### Stable total allowances







Allowances on all exposures	2016	2017	1H18
Allowances for Non-Impaired Loans and others (\$m)	(349)	(747)	18
Allowances for Impaired Loans and others (\$m)	942	1,475	152
Total Allowances (\$m)	594	727	170

1Q17	2Q17	3Q17	4Q17	1Q18	2Q18
(93)	12	(26)	(641)	(9)	27
279	168	247	781	88	64
186	180	221	140	80	90

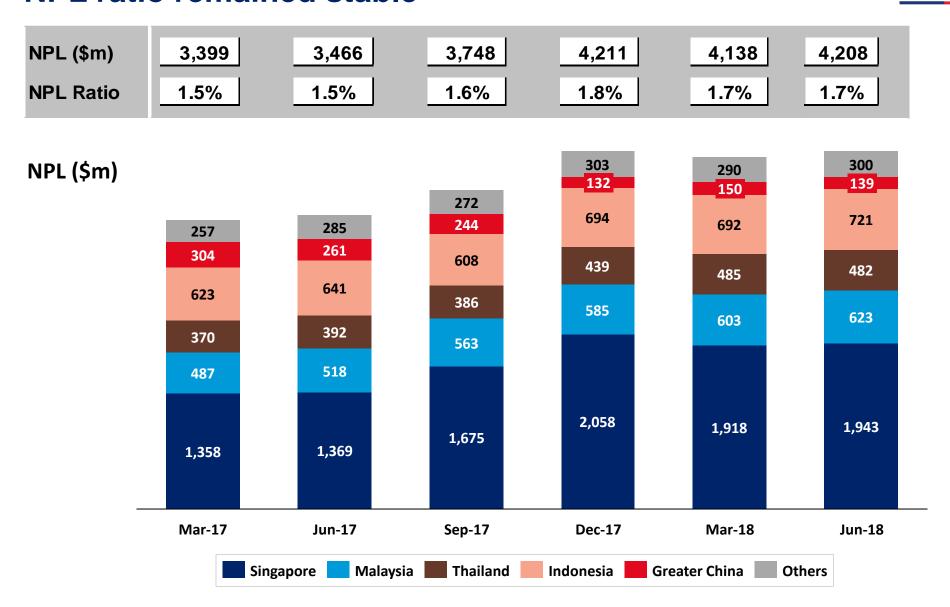


### **New NPA formation stayed at normalised level**

	1Q17 \$m	2Q17 \$m	3Q17 \$m	4Q17 \$m	1Q18 \$m	2Q18 \$m
NPA at start of period	3,480	3,543	3,587	3,919	4,389	4,323
New NPA	424	537	799	1,167	416	436
Upgrades, recoveries and translations	(293)	(255)	(369)	(354)	(310)	(212)
Write-offs	(68)	(238)	(98)	(343)	(172)	(143)
NPA at end of period	3,543	3,587	3,919	4,389	4,323	4,404

#### **NPL** ratio remained stable





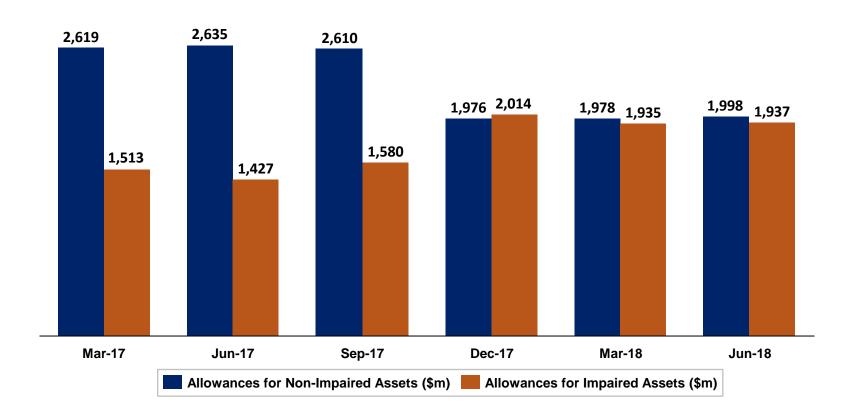
Note: Non-performing loans by geography are classified according to where credit risks reside, largely represented by the borrower's country of incorporation/operation (for non-individuals) and residence (for individuals).

### **Adequate NPA coverage**



Total Allowances (\$m)	4,132	4,062	4,190	3,990	3,913	3,935
NPA coverage (%)	117	113	107	91	91	89
Unsecured NPA coverage (%)	232	232	223	187	190	190

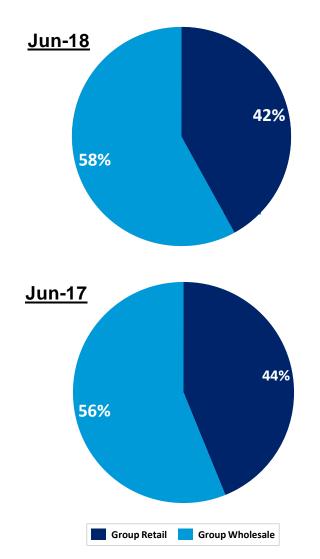
#### **Total Allowances (\$m)**



## Strong capital used to support broad-based loan growth across the Group



Gross Loans	Jun-18 \$b	Jun-17 \$b	+/(-) %	Mar-18 \$b	+/(-) %
Singapore	131	125	4	129	2
Regional:	94	79	18	89	6
Malaysia	29	26	11	29	1
Thailand	16	14	13	16	0
Indonesia	11	12	(6)	10	4
Greater China	38	28	37	34	13
Others	25	23	12	24	8
Total	250	228	10	241	4

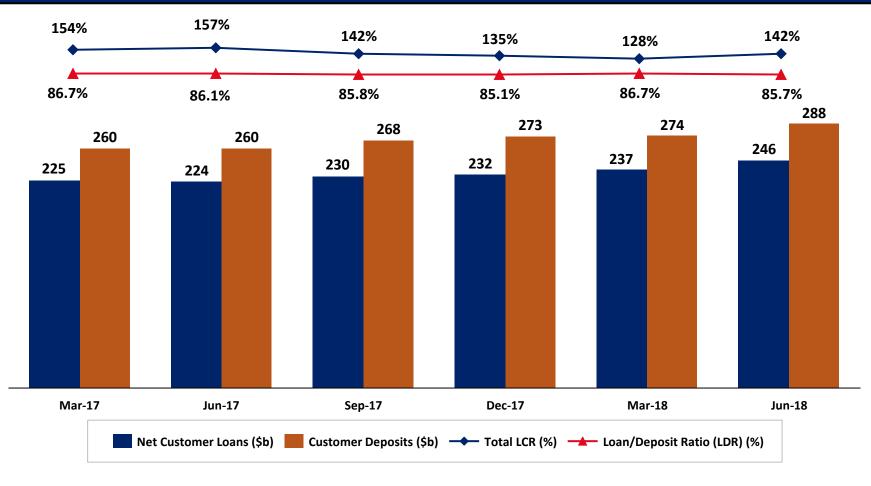


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## Stable liquidity position with LCR at 142% and NSFR at 110%



#### **Customer Loans and Deposits; LDR, LCR and NSFR**



NSFR (%) 111 110

## Strong funding position in anticipation of further rate hikes



#### **Customer Deposits**

Singapore

Regional:

Malaysia

**Thailand** 

Indonesia

**Greater China** 

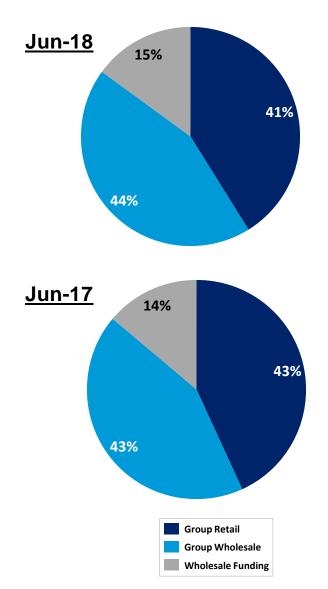
Others

Total customer deposits

Wholesale funding

Total funding

Jun-18 \$b	Jun-17 \$b	+/(-)	Mar-18 \$b	+/(-) %
192	180	7	184	5
74	65	14	71	4
30	27	12	30	2
17	14	17	17	(2)
7	8	(7)	7	5
20	16	24	18	11
22	15	42	19	15
288	260	11	274	5
48	40	19	41	16
335	300	12	315	6



### Good performance by all business segments



39%

#### **Segment Operating Profit**

Group Retail (GR)

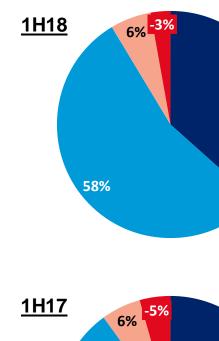
Group Wholesale Banking (GWB)

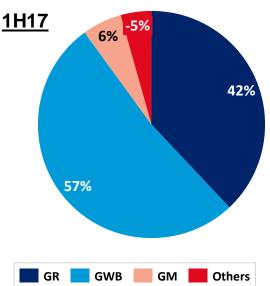
Global Markets (GM)

Others \*

**Total** 

1H18 \$m	1H17 \$m	+/(-) %
1,016	992	2
1,482	1,336	11
145	134	8
(79)	(107)	27
2,564	2,355	9





<sup>\*</sup> Comprises Investment Management, Central Treasury and Corporate Functions



#### Regional operating profit up 12% YoY in constant currency

## Operating Profit

Singapore

Regional:

Malaysia

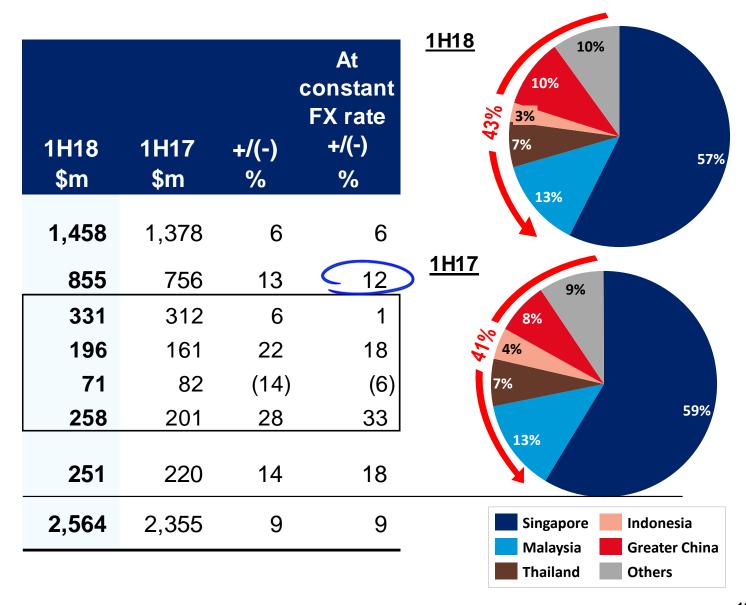
**Thailand** 

Indonesia

**Greater China** 

Others

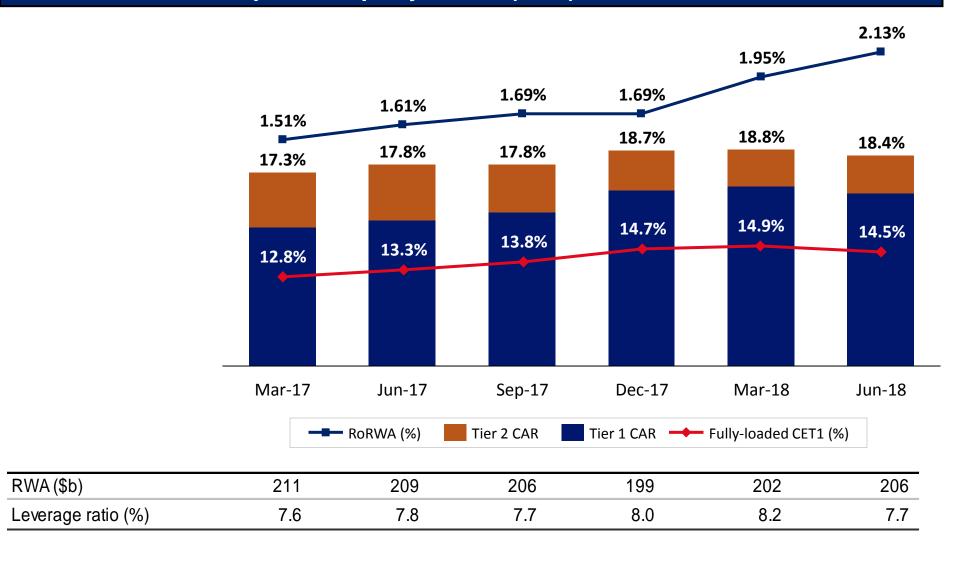
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### Strong capital position with improving RoRWA

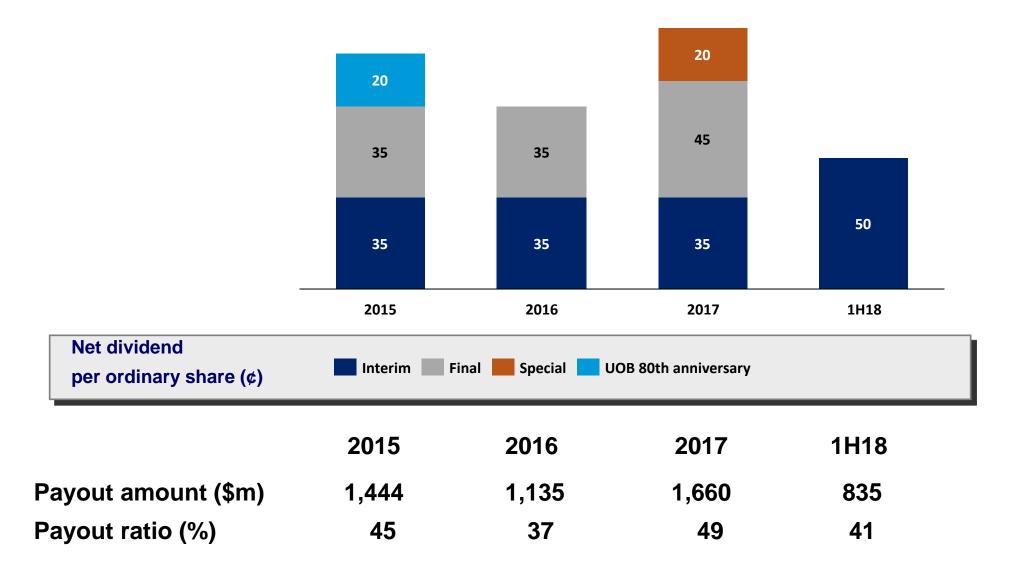


#### **Capital Adequacy Ratios (CAR) and RoRWA**











## **Appendix:**

#### **Performance of Major Territories**

- Singapore
- Malaysia
- Thailand
- Indonesia
- Greater China

#### **Exposure to China**





## **Singapore – Key Financials**

	1H18	1H17	+/(-)	2Q18	1Q18	+/(-)
	\$m	\$m	%	\$m	\$m	%
Net interest income	1,719	1,446	19	887	832	7
Net fee income	619	551	12	302	317	(5)
Other non-interest income	258	392	(34)	154	104	48
Total income	2,596	2,390	9	1,342	1,254	7
Less: Expenses	1,138	1,011	13	581	557	4
Operating profit	1,458	1,378	6	761	697	9
Less: Total allowances	47	254	(82)	11	36	(69)
Add: Assoc & JV	38	24	57	19	18	6
Profit before tax	1,449	1,148	26	770	679	13
Financial indicators (%)						
Net interest margin	1.50	1.32		1.51	1.49	
Cost/Income ratio	43.8	42.3		43.3	44.5	
Customer loans (net) - \$b	146.2	139.6	5%	146.2	143.0	2%
Loan/Deposit ratio	76.2	77.7		76.2	77.9	
NPL ratio ^	1.9	1.5		1.9	2.0	

<sup>^</sup> Based on location where the non-performing loans and gross loans are booked.





	1H18 RM'm	1H17 RM'm	+/(-) %	2Q18 RM'm	1Q18 RM'm	+/(-) %
Net interest income	1,069	1,060	1	543	526	3
Net fee income	314	293	7	145	169	(14)
Other non-interest income	182	151	21	78	104	(25)
Total income	1,565	1,504	4	766	799	(4)
Less: Expenses	582	528	10	291	291	-
Operating profit	983	976	1	475	508	(6)
Less: Total allowances	82	12	>100	45	37	22
Profit before tax	901	964	(7)	430	471	(9)
Profit before tax (S\$m)	304	308	(1)	145	159	(9)
Average Exchange rate	2.97	3.13		2.97	2.96	
Financial indicators (%)						
Net interest margin	2.12	2.20		2.07	2.16	
Cost/Income ratio	37.2	35.1		38.0	36.4	
Customer loans (net) - RM'b	86.7	81.3	7%	86.7	85.0	2%
Loan/Deposit ratio	96.8	96.1		96.8	97.4	
NPL ratio ^	1.8	1.6		1.8	1.6	

<sup>^</sup> Based on location where the non-performing loans and gross loans are booked.



### **Thailand – Key Financials**

	1H18	1H17	+/(-)	2Q18	1Q18	+/(-)
	THB'm	THB'm	%	THB'm	THB'm	%
Net interest income	8,258	7,513	10	4,189	4,069	3
Net fee income	2,392	2,276	5	1,158	1,234	(6)
Other non-interest income	539	427	26	283	256	11
Total income	11,189	10,216	10	5,630	5,559	1
Less: Expenses	6,503	6,229	4	3,351	3,152	6
Operating profit	4,686	3,987	18	2,279	2,407	(5)
Less: Total allowances	1,397	1,583	(12)	833	564	48
Profit before tax	3,289	2,404	37	1,446	1,843	(22)
Profit before tax (S\$m)	137	97	41	60	77	(23)
Average Exchange rate	23.95	24.73		24.13	23.81	
Financial indicators (%)						
Net interest margin	3.35	3.54		3.36	3.33	
Cost/Income ratio	58.1	61.0		59.5	56.7	
Customer loans (net) - THB'b	356.7	322.1	11%	356.7	348.4	2%
Loan/Deposit ratio	88.4	91.8		88.4	86.3	
NPL ratio ^	3.2	2.9		3.2	3.2	

<sup>^</sup> Based on location where the non-performing loans and gross loans are booked.



### **Indonesia – Key Financials**

	1H18 IDR'b	1H17 IDR'b	+/(-) %	2Q18 IDR'b	1Q18 IDR'b	+/(-) %
Net interest income	1,664	1,652	1	861	803	7
Net fee income	366	380	(4)	188	178	6
Other non-interest income	231	213	8	102	129	(21)
Total income	2,261	2,245	1	1,151	1,110	4
Less: Expenses	1,527	1,462	4	776	751	3
Operating profit	734	782	(6)	375	359	4
Less: Total allowances	200	361	(45)	256	(56)	>100
Profit/(loss) before tax	534	421	27	119	415	(71)
Profit/(loss) before tax (S\$m)	51	44	16	11	40	(71)
Average Exchange rate	10,385	9,515		10,397	10,382	
Financial indicators (%)						
Net interest margin	4.16	4.05		4.22	4.09	
Cost/Income ratio	67.5	65.1		67.4	67.7	
Customer loans (net) - IDR't	66.0	66.8	(1%)	66.0	62.1	6%
Loan/Deposit ratio	87.5	89.7	` '	87.5	86.9	
NPL ratio ^	1.6	3.7		1.6	1.2	

<sup>^</sup> Based on location where the non-performing loans and gross loans are booked.





	1H18 \$m	1H17 \$m	+/(-) %	2Q18 \$m	1Q18 \$m	+/(-) %
Net interest income	207	196	6	103	104	(1)
Net fee income	86	49	78	40	46	(12)
Other non-interest income	149	122	22	87	62	42
Total income	442	366	21	231	212	9
Less: Expenses	185	165	12	91	93	(2)
Operating profit	258	201	28	139	118	18
Less: Total allowances	37	10	>100	26	11	>100
Add: Assoc & JV	21	23	(8)	11	10	7
Profit before tax	242	214	13	124	118	6
Financial indicators (%)						
Net interest margin	0.90	1.04		0.84	0.97	
Cost/Income ratio	41.8	45.1		39.6	44.1	
Customer loans (net) - \$b	32.1	22.4	44%	32.1	28.5	13%
Loan/Deposit ratio	162.5	140.6		162.5	159.3	
NPL ratio ^	0.2	0.5		0.2	0.3	

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#### **Exposure to China**

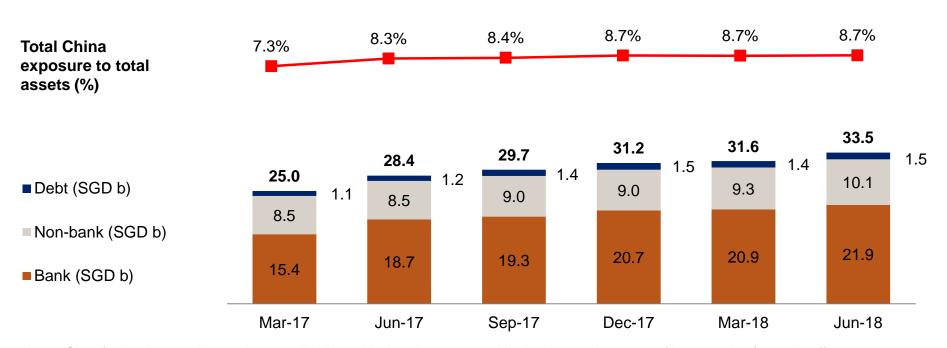


#### Bank exposure as of 30 June 2018

- Bank exposure accounted for 65% of total exposure to China
- Top 5 domestic banks and 3 policy banks accounted for 70% of total bank exposure
- 99% with <1 year tenor</li>
- Trade exposures mostly with bank counterparties, representing about half of bank exposure

#### Non-bank exposure as of 30 June 2018

- Target customers include top-tier state-owned enterprises, large local corporates and foreign investment enterprises
- NPL ratio at 0.7%
- 50% denominated in RMB
- 50% with <1 year tenor



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