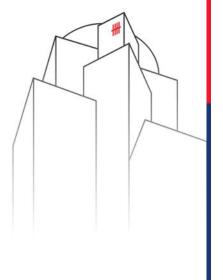
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#### **UOB Group**

Stable Core Earnings in Slower Operating Environment; Strong Balance Sheet February 2017

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#### Agenda

- 1. Overview of UOB Group
- 2. Macroeconomic Outlook
- 3. Strong UOB Fundamentals
- 4. Our Growth Drivers
- 5. Latest Financials

## **WOB**

#### **Overview of UOB Group**

### **UOB** Overview

#### **UOB**

#### Founding

Founded in August 1935 by a group of Chinese businessmen and Datuk Wee Kheng Chiang, grandfather of the present UOB Group CEO, Mr. Wee Ee Cheong

#### Expansion

UOB has grown over the decades through organic means and a series of acquisitions. It is today a leading bank in Asia with an established presence in the ASEAN region. The Group has an international network of around 500 offices in 19 countries and territories.

Note: Financial statistics as at 31 December 2016.

- 1. FX rate used: USD 1 = SGD 1. 44635 as at 31 December 2016.
- 2. Based on final rules effective 1 January 2018.
- 3. Leverage ratio is calculated based on the revised MAS Notice 637 which took effect from 1 January 2015.
- 4. Calculated based on profit attributable to equity holders of the Bank net of preference share dividend and capital securities distributions.
- 5. Average for 4Q16.

#### **Key Statistics for FY16**

Issuer Rating	Moody's	S&P	Fitch
<ul> <li>Credit Ratings</li> </ul>	:		
Cost / Income	: 45.9%		
<ul> <li>Average all-currency liquidity coverage ratio</li> </ul>	: 162% <sup>5</sup>		
<ul> <li>Loans/Deposits ratio</li> </ul>	: 86.8%		
NPL ratio	: 1.5%		
Non-interest/Total income	: 38.1%		
■ NIM	: 1.71%		
	: 10.2%		
ROA	: 0.95%		
Leverage ratio <sup>3</sup>	: 7.4%		
<ul> <li>Fully-loaded Common</li> <li>Equity Tier 1 CAR <sup>2</sup></li> </ul>	: 12.1%		
Common Equity Tier 1 CAR	: 13.0%		
<ul> <li>Customer deposits</li> </ul>	: SGD255b	(USD	176.5b1)
Gross loans	: SGD226b	(USD	156.0b1)
Shareholder's equity	: SGD33b	(USD)	22.7 b¹)
Total assets	: SGD340b	(USD)	235.1b¹)

Stable

P-1

Stable

A-1+

Stable

F1+

(Senior Unsecured)

Short Term Debt

Outlook





Source: Company reports.

2011 & 2016 (Retail and SME Banking), 2012 & 2014 (Retail Banking).



1.67%

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### **Proven Track Record of Execution**

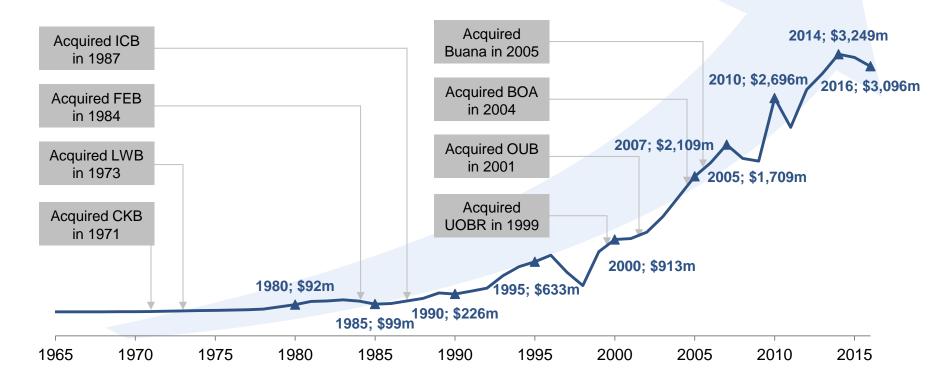
 UOB Group's management has a proven track record in steering the Group through various global events and crises.

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**NPAT Trend** 

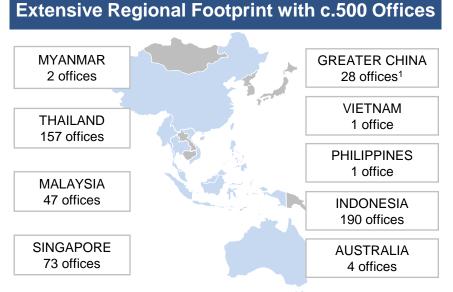
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- Stability of management team ensures consistent execution of strategies
- Disciplined management style which underpins the Group's overall resilience and sustained performance



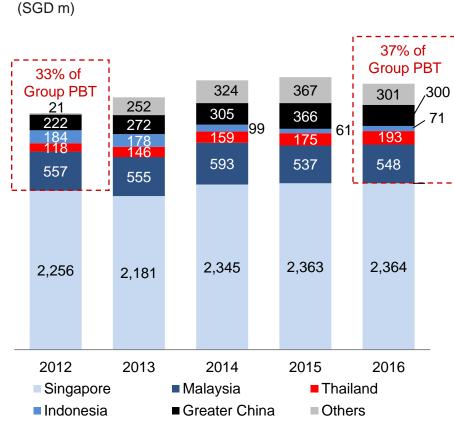
Note: Bank of Asia Public Company Limited ("BOA"), Chung Khiaw Bank Limited ("CKB"), Far Eastern Bank Limited ("FEB"), Industrial & Commercial Bank Limited ICB ("ICB"), Lee Wah Bank Limited ("LWB"), Overseas Union Bank Limited ("OUB"), Radanasin Bank Thailand "UOBR".

# Expanding Regional Banking Franchise



- Most diverse regional franchise among Singapore banks; effectively full control of regional subsidiaries
- Integrated regional platform improves operational efficiencies, enhances risk management and provides faster time-to-market and seamless customer service
- Simultaneous organic and inorganic growth strategies in emerging/new markets of China and Vietnam
- Aim for region to contribute 40% of Group's PBT in medium term





Established regional network with key South East Asian pillars, supporting fast-growing trade, capital and wealth flows

1. UOB owns c13% in Evergrowing Bank in China.

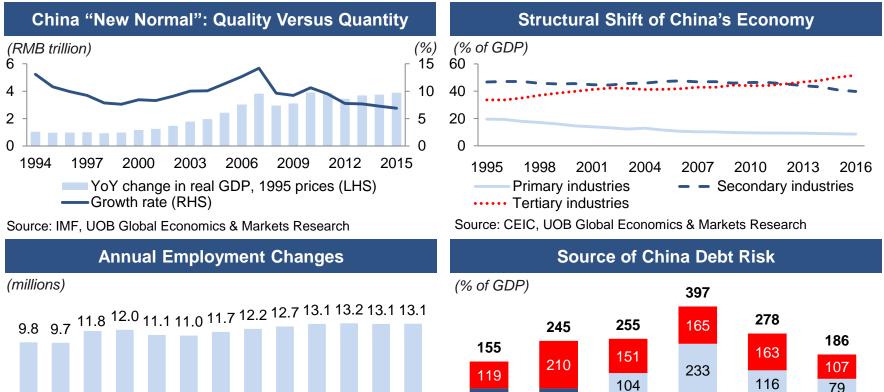
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#### **Macroeconomic Outlook**

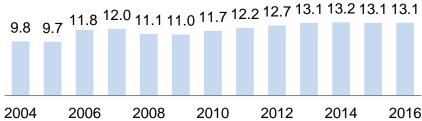
#### China's Growth Slower but Low Risk of Hard Landing

- While China's GDP growth rate is slowing, the annual increase in absolute GDP has been stable.
- The Chinese economy has its underlying momentum, supported by rebalancing reforms and steady job market.
- Low central government debt underpins China's fiscal capacity, which could help mitigate "black swan" events
- Base case scenario for China: slow and unexciting growth, RMB sideways, global economy muddling along dragged down by Europe and Japan in deflationary and low yield environment.



China '07 China '16 US '16 Japan '16 UK '16 Germanv Central govt debt Local govt debt Private sector '16

Source: China NAO, CEIC, IMF, OECD, UOB Global Economics & Markets Research



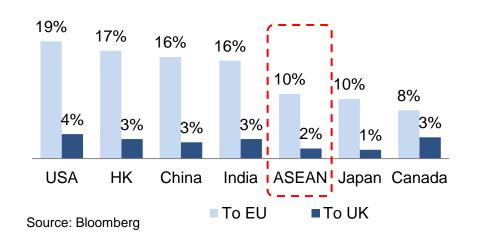
Source: CEIC, UOB Global Economics & Markets Research

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#### **Brexit Impact on Asian Markets via Trade and Investment Channels**

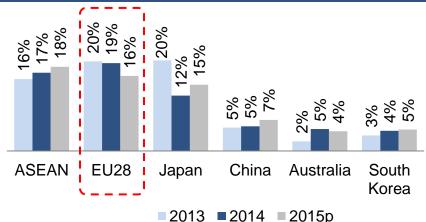
- It is a challenge to quantify Brexit effects with certainty at this stage.
- The immediate impact on Asian economies is likely to be limited and shallow, considering the low export reliance.
- If adverse impact of Brexit spreads to the broader European Union, however, this could have a more significant impact on Asia given the trade and investment links. As a bloc, EU represented 10.3% of ASEAN's total exports and 16% of FDIs in 2015.

#### EU & UK Export Mix of Selected Partners (2015)





#### ASEAN's Net FDI Flows by Key Partners (2015)



#### Source: ASEAN Secretariat

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### **Implication on Regional Policy Rates**

	3Q15	4Q15	1Q16	2Q16	3Q16	4Q16	1Q17f	2Q17f	3Q17f	4Q17f
US Fed Funds	0.25	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.75	0.75	1.00	1.25	1.50
SG 3M SOR	1.24	1.70	0.81	0.81	0.67	1.01	0.80	1.00	1.15	1.35
MY Overnight Policy Rate	3.25	3.25	3.25	3.25	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00
TH 1-Day Repo	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50
ID 7-Day Reverse Repo	6.25	6.25	5.50	5.25	5.00	4.75	4.75	4.75	4.75	5.00
CH 1-Year Deposit Rate	1.75	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50

- Regional monetary policies have increasingly less room to cut interest rates, as the US Fed Reserve is poised to further normalise interest rates after its Dec 2016 rate hike.
- The US Fed is expected to raise interest rates 3 times in 2017. The three contributing factors are:
  - Expansionary US fiscal policies
  - Rising US wages
  - Potentially higher commodity prices
- Stabilisation of, or appreciation in, regional currencies have reduced concerns of capital outflows from the region.

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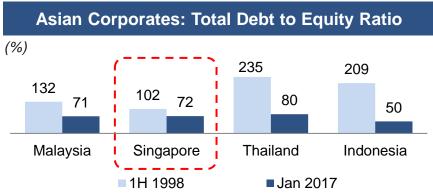
### **Southeast Asia: Resilient Key Markets**

Long-term fundamentals and prospects of key Southeast Asia have greatly improved since the 1997 Asian Financial Crisis. Compared with 1997, they have:

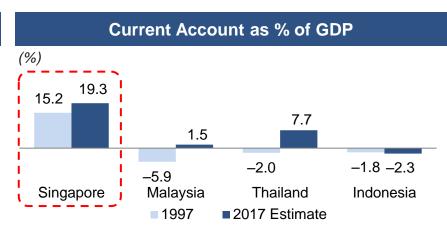
- Significantly higher levels of foreign reserves
- Healthier current account and balance of payment positions
- Lower levels of corporate leverage
- Lower levels of foreign currency debts



2016 foreign reserves include foreign currency reserves (in convertible foreign currencies) Source: IMF



Total debt to equity ratio = total ST and LT borrowings divided by total equity, multiplied by 100 Sources: MSCI data from Bloomberg



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Source: IMF

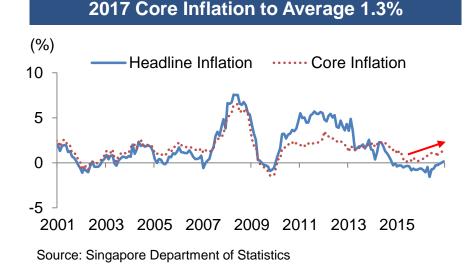


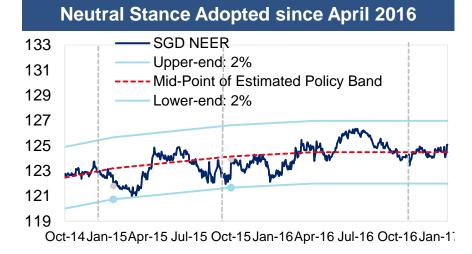
\* Foreign currency loans in 1996 approximated by using total loans of Asia Currency Units Sources: Central banks

#### Manufacturing Sector to Lead Singapore HUOB GDP in 2017, Services Remain Weak

- Singapore's GDP grew 1.8% yoy in 4Q16, as the manufacturing sector registered a strong 6.5% yoy growth, buoyed by the electronics & biomedical clusters. However, the services sector growth of 0.6% yoy was one of the slowest since the 2008 global financial crisis.
- We forecast 2017 GDP to grow 1.8%, similar to 2016, with persisting weak growth from the services and uncertainties in the global trade environment.
- Core inflation will edge higher to an average 1.3% in 2017 (2016: 1.0%), as the base effects of lower commodity prices and government subsidies wear off.

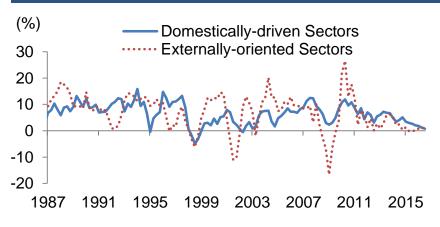
Source: UOB Global Economics & Markets Research





#### Source: CEIC, UOB Global Economics & Markets Research





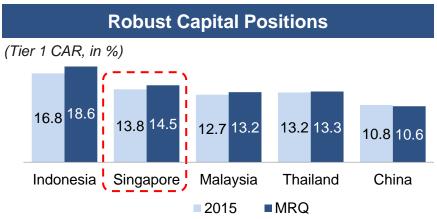
Source: Singapore Department of Statistics

#### ASEAN Banking Sector: Strong Fundamentals Remain Intact



- ASEAN banks have healthy capital and funding levels
  - Singapore banks have among the highest capital ratios in the region
  - As solvency is not generally an issue in ASEAN, focus would be on putting the excess capital to productive uses
- Policy changes in regulation, liquidity, rates and sector consolidation are shaping the ASEAN banking business models going forward

Source: Research estimates, Monetary Authority of Singapore

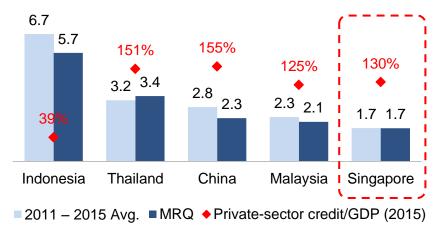


Source: SNL, Research estimates

Note: MRQ refers to the most recent quarter financials available for each bank

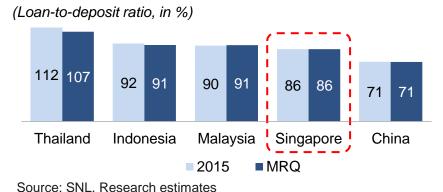
#### Higher NIM in Lightly Penetrated Markets

(Net interest margin and private-sector credit / GDP, in %)



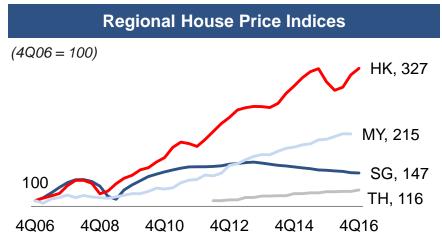
Source: SNL, Research estimates, World Bank

#### Stable Funding; Adequate Loan/Deposit Ratios

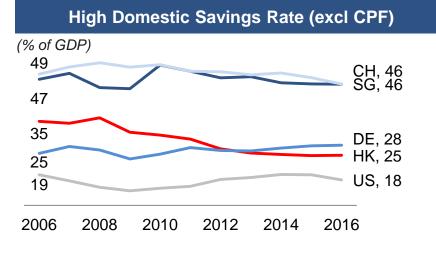


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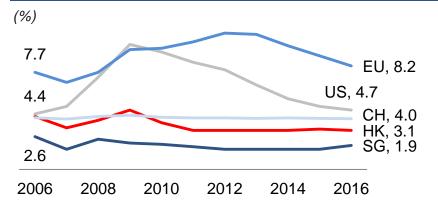
#### **Conducive Macro Conditions Underpin Singapore Property Market**



Note: For Thailand (2Q09=100) as no available data prior to that Sources: CEIC, UOB Economic-Treasury Research



Low Unemployment vs Global Peers



Sources: CEIC, UOB Economic-Treasury Research

#### SG Household Income in Line with Property Prices

	1996	2016	+/(–)
Price <sup>1</sup> (SGD / sq ft)	929	1,051	+13%
Unit size (sq ft)	1,450	1,200	-17%
Unit costs (SGD m)	1.35	1.26	-6%
Interest rate (%)	4.60	1.89	
Household income <sup>2</sup> (SGD / mth)	9,050	16,468	+82%
Debt servicing ratio <sup>3</sup> (%)	61	22 <sup>4</sup>	

1. Reflects median price of non-landed private residential

2. Reflects median of resident households living in private properties

3. Based on a 30-year housing loan, with a loan-to-value of 80%

4. A housing loan with 5% interest rate would increase to DSR to 33%

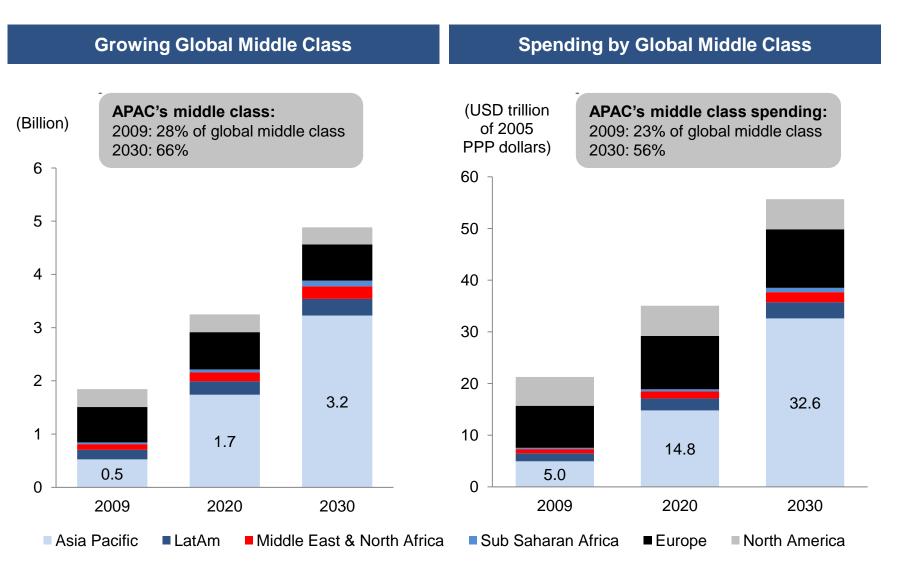
Sources: URA, CEIC, Singapore Statistics, UOB Economic-Treasury Research

Sources: IMF, UOB Economic-Treasury Research

Note: CH: China, DE: Germany, EU: European Union, HK: Hong Kong, SG: Singapore, TH: Thailand, UK: United Kingdom, US: United States

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#### Asia's Healthy Prospects, with Rising Population & Consumer Affluence



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#### Room for More Optimism on Intra-Regional Trade in the ASEAN Region

	Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN)				European Union (EU)				North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA)			
	JSD0.7 rillion			USD2.2 trillion	USD3.4 trillion			USD8.2 trillion	USD2.2 trillion			USD4.8 trillion
Share of total goods trade, % <ul> <li>Extra- regional (excluding China)</li> <li>Trade with China</li> </ul>	73	69	65	63	34	31 3	32	36 5	49	47	48	48
Intra- regional	4 23	7 24	10 25	13 24	64	66	64	59	46	45	42	40
	2000	2003	2006	2012	2000	2003	2006	2012	2000	2003	2006	2012

### **Basel III across the Region**



	BCBS	Singapore	Malaysia	Thailand	Indonesia	Hong Kong	China
	BANK FOR INTERNATIONAL SETTLEMENTS			-			
Minimum CET1 CAR	4.5%	6.5% <sup>1</sup>	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%	4.5%	5.0%
Minimum Tier 1 CAR	6.0%	8.0% <sup>1</sup>	6.0%	6.0%	6.0%	6.0%	6.0%
Minimum Total CAR	8.0%	10.0% <sup>1</sup>	8.0%	8.5%	8.0%	8.0%	8.0%
Full Compliance	Jan-15	Jan-15	Jan-15	Jan-13	Jan-14	Jan-15	Jan-13
Capital Conservation Buffer	2.5%	2.5%	2.5%	2.5%	2.5%	2.5%	2.5%
Full Compliance	Jan-19	Jan-19	Jan-19	Jan-19	Jan-19	Jan-19	Jan-19
Countercyclical Capital Buffer <sup>2</sup>	Up to 2.5%	Up to 2.5%	Up to 2.5%	Up to 2.5%	Up to 2.5%	Up to 2.5% <sup>3</sup>	Up to 2.5%
Full Compliance	Jan-19	Jan-19	Jan-19	Pending	Jan-16 <sup>4</sup>	Jan-19	Jan-19
D-SIB	-	2.0%	Pending	Pending	1.0% – 3.5% <sup>5</sup>	1.0% – 3.5%	1.0% <sup>6</sup>
G-SIB	1.0% – 3.5%	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	1.0% <sup>6</sup>
Minimum Leverage Ratio	3.0%	Pending	3.0%	3.0%	3.0%	3.0%	4.0%
Full Compliance	2018	Pending	2018	2018	2018	2018	2013

#### % of risk weighted assets 7

- Minimum CET1
- Minimum Tier 1 CAR
- Minimum Total CAR



Source: Regulatory notifications and rating reports.

- 1. Includes 2% for D-SIB buffer for the three Singapore banks.
- 2. Each local regulator determines its own level of countercyclical capital buffer to accumulate capital in periods of economic expansion.
- 3. HKMA has set a CCyB of 2.5% to be phased in over a period of 3 years. In 2016, the CCyB requirement is 0.625% of RWA.
- 4. Indonesia's new buffer requirement was set at 0% as of 1 January 2016.
- 5. According to the regulations, Indonesia D-SIBs will initially be subject to a D-SIB buffer of up to 2.5%.
- 6. In China, G-SIBs are only subject to the higher of G-SIB and D-SIB buffer
- 7. Minimum ratios on fully-loaded basis, including capital conservation buffer and D-SIB surcharge, but excluding countercyclical capital buffer and G-SIB

### **Resolution Regime Overview**

	Resolution Regime in Asia									
Country		Public discussion	Existing resolution powers	Factors influencing views on bail-in <sup>1</sup>	How past resolution was handled					
Singapore		Yes, ended	Statutory bail-in proposed to apply to only subordinated debt	Role as a global financial hub; strength of system; good coordination between regulator and local banks	Crisis prevention tools; no record of bank failures in the past					
Indonesia		No	Transfer powers; statutory bail-in proposed	History of public sector bailouts	Liquidation; public funds					
Hong Kong		Yes, ended	Transfer powers; statutory bail-in proposed	Role as an international financial centre and presence of G-SIBs	Liquidation; public funds; M&A					
China		No	Transfer powers; no statutory bail-in	Risk of contagion in debt market; role of government in banking sector	Capital injections; NPL disposals; forbearance					

#### **Resolution Regime Guidelines as per Financial Stability Board**<sup>2</sup>

As per Financial Stability Board (FSB), any systemically significant financial institution that fails should be subject to a resolution regime as set out in *The Key Attributes of Effective Resolution Regimes for Financial Institutions*. In Nov 2015, the FSB released two finalised guidance papers on the Principles for Cross-border Effectiveness of Resolution Actions, and Guidance on Cooperation and Information Sharing with Host Authorities of Jurisdictions.

- Jurisdictions should have in place a transparent and efficient process for resolution measures by a foreign resolution authority to have cross-border effect, provided that domestic creditors are treated equitably.
- Authorities must have the confidence that resolution powers are legally enforceable, especially where instruments are governed by a foreign law.
- Jurisdictions should continue to develop statutory frameworks but in the interim use contractual approaches to aid the enforceability of resolution actions. Even after implementation of statutory frameworks, contractual approach can continue to complement such regimes.
- 1. Bold text indicates factors in favor of implementing a bail-in regime; *italic text* indicates factors against
- 2. Source: Financial Stability Board's *The Key Attributes of Effective Resolution Regimes for Financial Institutions* Note: Malaysia and Thailand have yet to implement a framework for resolution regime.

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### **Strong UOB Fundamentals**

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Strong Management with Proven Track Record	<ul> <li>Proven track record in steering the bank through various global events and crises</li> <li>Stability of management team ensures consistent execution of strategies</li> </ul>
Consistent and Focused Financial Management	<ul> <li>Total income stable year-on-year, despite slower economic growth</li> <li>Continue to invest in building long-term capabilities in a disciplined manner</li> <li>Stable total credit costs at 32bp</li> </ul>
Disciplined Management of Balance Sheet	<ul> <li>Strong capital base; fully-loaded Common Equity Tier 1 capital adequacy ratio of 12.1% as at 31 December 2016</li> <li>Liquid and well diversified funding mix with loan/deposits ratio at 86.8%</li> <li>Stable asset quality, with a diversified loan portfolio, and high reserves buffer</li> </ul>
Delivering on Regional Strategy	<ul> <li>Holistic regional bank with effective full control of subsidiaries in key markets</li> <li>Focus on profitable niche segments and intra-regional needs of customers</li> <li>Entrenched local presence: ground resources and integrated regional network to better address the needs of our targeted segments</li> </ul>

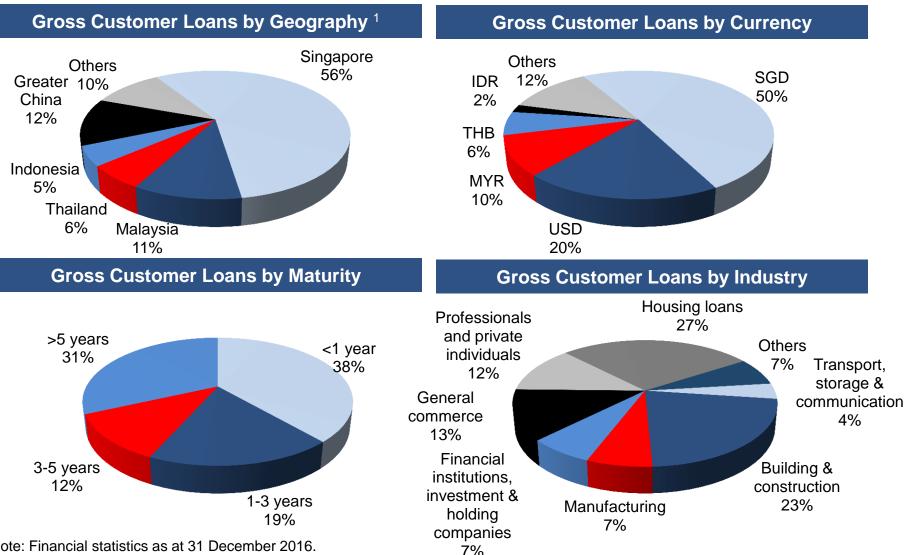
UOB is focused on the basics of banking; Stable management team with proven execution capabilities

Source: Company's reports.

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### **Diversified Loan Portfolio**





Note: Financial statistics as at 31 December 2016.

1. 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).

#### **Competitive Against Peers**

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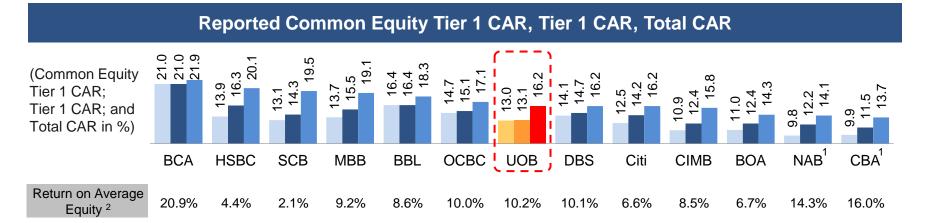
				Standalone Strength	Efficient Cost Management	Competitive ROAA <sup>1</sup>	Well-Maintained Liquidity
Moody's	S&P	Fitch	Moody's baseline credit assessment		Costs/income ratio	Return on average assets	Loan/deposit ratio
Aa1	AA–	AA–	UOB	a1	45.9%	0.95%	86.8%
Aa1	AA–	AA–	OCBC	a1	44.6%	1.03%	82.9%
Aa1	AA–	AA–	DBS	a1	43.3%	0.92%	86.8%
A1	А	AA–	HSBC	a3	70.2%	0.39%	67.9%
A1	BBB+	A+	SCB	a3	66.5%	0.16%	71.5%
Deed	A–		CIMB	baa2	54.6%	0.76%	89.8%
Baa1 A3	A- A-	n.r. A–	MBB	a3	48.9%	0.84%	90.9%
Baa1	BBB+	BBB+	BBL	baa2	47.7%	1.09%	89.1%
Baa3	n.r.	BBB-	BCA	baa3	61.3%	3.99%	77.3%
Pool	BBB+	А	BOA	baa2	66.0%	0.82%	71.9%
Baa1 Baa1	BBB+	A	Citi	baa2 baa2	59.0%	0.82%	65.9%
Aa2	AA–	AA–	CBA	a1	43.3%	1.00%	117.6%
Aa2	AA–	AA–	NAB	a1	41.4%	0.76%	110.9%

Source: Company reports, Credit rating agencies (updated as of February 2017).

The financials of banks were as of 31 Dec 2016, except for those of HSBC, CIMB, MBB, BCA and NAB (which were as of 30 Sep 2016) and those of SCB (which were as of 30 Jun 2016)

1. Computed on an annualised YTD basis.

### **Strong Capital and Leverage Ratios**



Reported Leverage Ratio <sup>4</sup>									
15.1%	8.4%	7.8%	7.4%	7.4%	7.1%	5.7%	5.6%	5.4%	5.0%
BCA	OCBC	DBS	UOB	Citi	BOA	NAB <sup>1</sup>	SCB	HSBC	CBA <sup>1</sup>

UOB is among the most well-capitalised banks, with capital ratios comfortably above regulatory requirements and high compared with some of the most renowned banks globally

Source: Company reports, Dealogic.

The financials of banks were as of 31 Dec 2016, except for those of HSBC, CIMB, MBB, BCA and NAB (which were as of 30 Sep 2016) and those of SCB (which were as of 30 Jun 2016)

- 1. NAB's and CBA's capital adequacy ratios are computed based on APRA's standards.
- 2. Computed on an annualised basis.
- 3. Bangkok Bank PCL (BBL), Malayan Banking Berhad (MBB) and CIMB do not disclose their leverage ratio.

### **Strong Investment Grade Credit Ratings**

STANDARD & POOR'S RATINGS SERVICES

McGRAW HILL FINANCIAL

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#### Ratings

AA-/Stable/A-1+

- MOODY'S
- Aa1/Stable/P-1
- 'Very strong buffers in terms of capital, loan loss provisions and pre-provision income'
- · 'Funding and liquidity profiles are robust.'
- 'Diversified Singaporean and Malaysian consumer banking and services to small-and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs)'
- 'Prudent management team... expect the bank to continue its emphasis on funding and capitalisation to buffer against global volatility'
- 'UOB will maintain its earnings, asset quality and capitalization while pursuing regional growth.'
- 'Above average funding and strong liquidity position'

#### **Fitch**Ratings

#### AA- /Stable/F1+

- 'Ratings reflect its strong domestic franchise, prudent management, robust balance sheet...'
- Stable funding profile and liquid balance sheet...'
- 'Notable credit strengths ...core capitalisation, domestic funding franchises and close regulatory oversight.'

		De	ebt Is	suance Histo	ory		Debt Maturity Profile						
lssue Date	Туре	Structure	Call	Coupon	Amount	Issue Rating (M / S&P / F)	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>	2022
Tier 1							SGDm	SGDm	SGDm	SGDm	SGDm	SGDm	SGDm
May-16	B3 AT1	Perpetual	2021	4.00%	SGD750m	Baa1/-/BBB			-	-	-	750	-
Nov-13	B3 AT1	Perpetual	2019	4.75%	SGD500m	Baa1 / BB+ / BBB			-	500	-	-	-
Jul-13	B3 AT1	Perpetual	2018	4.90%	SGD850m	Baa1 / BB+ / BBB			850	-	-	-	-
Tier 2													
Sep-16	B3 T2	10½NC5½	2022	2.88%	USD600m	A3 / – / A+			-	-	-	-	868
Mar-16	B3 T2	10½NC5½	2021	3.50%	USD700m	A3 / – / A+			-	-	-	1,012	-
May-14	B3 T2	12NC6	2020	3.50%	SGD500m	A3 / BBB / A+			-	-	500	-	-
Mar-14	B3 T2	10½NC5½	2019	3.75%	USD800m	A3 / BBB / A+			-	1,157	-	-	-
Oct-12	B2 LT2	10NC5	2017	2.88%	USD500m	A1 / A+ / A+		- 723	-	-	-	-	-
Jul-12	B2 LT2	10NC5	2017	3.15%	SGD1.2b	A1 / A+ / A+		- 1,200	-	-	-	-	-
Senior	Unsecur	ed											
Sep-14	-	5½yr FXN	-	2.50%	USD500m	Aa1 / AA- / AA-			-	723	-	-	-
Sep-14	-	4yr FRN	-	BBSW 3m +0.640%	AUD300m	Aa1 / AA- / AA-			314	-	-	-	-
Nov-13	-	3yr FRN	-	BBSW 3m +0.650%	AUD300m	Aa1 / AA- / AA-	314	1 -	-	-	-	-	-
Jun-13	-	3yr FXN	-	2.50%	CNY500m	Aa1 / AA- / AA-	104	4 -	-	-	-	-	-
Mar-12	-	5yr FXN	-	2.25%	USD750m	Aa1 / AA- / AA-		- 1,085	-	-	-	-	-
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Mar-16	Covered	d 5yr FXN	-	0.25%	EUR500m	Aaa/AAA/-			-	-	-	762	-
						Tot	tal <b>41</b>	3 3,008	1,164	2,380	500	2,524	868

B2: Basel II, B3: Basel III, AT1: Additional Tier 1, T2: Tier 2, LT2: Lower Tier 2; FXN: Fixed Rate Notes; FRN: Floating Rate Notes; the table comprises public rated issues of UOB; updated as of 24 January 2017.

Note: Maturities shown at first call date for Capital Securities

FX rates as at 31 December 2016: USD 1 = SGD 1.45; SGD 1 = MYR 3.10; SGD 1 = HKD 5.36; SGD 1.00 = AUD 0.96; SGD 1 = CNY 4.80; 1 GBP = SGD 1.78; EUR 1 = SGD 1.52.

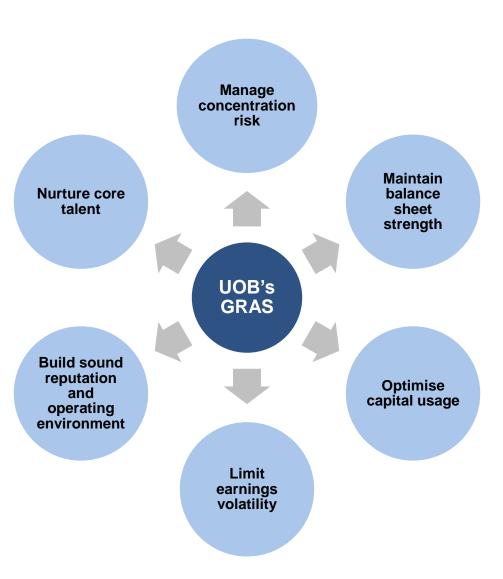
### **Robust Risk Management Framework**

Robust Risk Management Framework	<ul> <li>Operate under strict regulatory regime; prudential rules in line with global best practices</li> <li>Strong risk culture; focus beyond long-term sustainability, beyond gains in short-term</li> <li>Focused on businesses which we understand and are well-equipped to manage</li> <li>Active board and senior management oversight</li> <li>Comprehensive risk management policies, procedures and limits governing credit risks, funding risks, interest rate risks, market risks and operational risks</li> <li>Regular stress tests</li> <li>Strong internal controls and internal audit process</li> </ul>
Common Operating Framework across Region	<ul> <li>Standardised and centralised core banking systems completed at end-2013</li> <li>Common operating framework integrates regional technology, operations and risk infrastructure, ensuring consistent risk management practices across core markets</li> <li>Framework anchored to Singapore head office's high corporate governance standards</li> </ul>
Key Risks to Monitor	<ul> <li>Property-related risks:         <ul> <li>Healthy portfolio: low NPL ratio and provisions and comfortable average LTV ratio</li> <li>Majority of housing loans are for owner-occupied properties</li> <li>c.50% of property-related corporate loans are short-term development loans with diversified risks; progress, sales and cashflow forecasts of projects closely monitored</li> </ul> </li> <li>Modest oil and gas ("O&amp;G") exposure, with c.60% to less vulnerable downstream and traders; credit weakness with upstream players, but losses partly mitigated by collateral</li> <li>Outside O&amp;G, no widespread credit weakness with small and medium enterprises, with quality supported by portfolio diversity and collateral</li> <li>Exposure to weakening regional currencies: Extend such loans only to borrowers with foreign currency revenues; otherwise, borrowers required to hedge open positions</li> </ul>

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# Managing Risks for Stable Growth

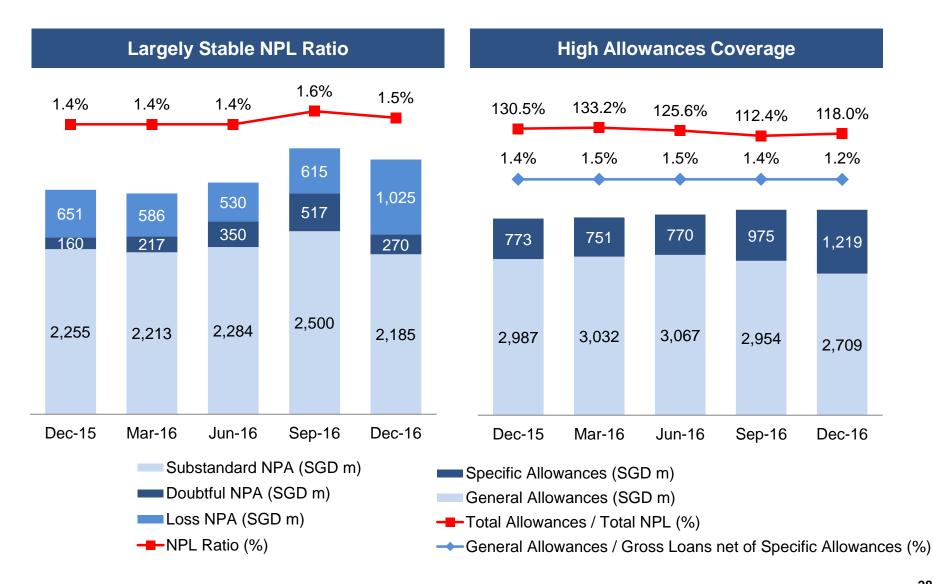
- Prudent approach has been key to delivering sustainable returns over the years
- Institutionalised framework through Group Risk Appetite Statement (GRAS):
  - Outlines risk and return objectives to guide strategic decision-making
  - Comprises 6 dimensions and 14 metrics
  - Entails instilling prudent culture as well as establishing policies and guidelines
  - Invests in capabilities, leverage integrated regional network to ensure effective implementation across key markets and businesses





#### Stable Asset Quality; High Allowances Coverage



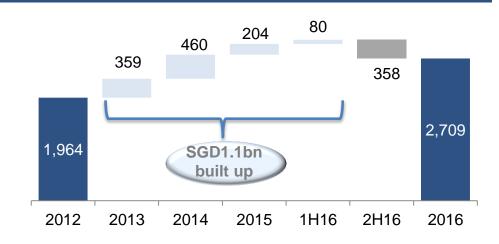


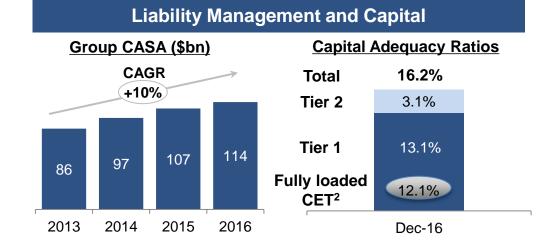
## **Disciplined Balance Sheet Management**

#### Portfolio quality broadly stable

- NPL ratio up slightly at 1.5%
- High general allowances-to-loans ratio of 1.2%
- 32bps total credit costs maintained
- Proactive liability management
  - Liquidity Coverage Ratios<sup>1</sup>: S\$ (275%) and all-currency (162%)
- Healthy capital position
  - 12.1% fully-loaded CET1 ratio<sup>2</sup>
- Final dividend of 35 cents/share
  - Scrip dividend scheme applied

#### **Countercyclical Approach to General Allowances (SGDm)**





- 1. Average ratios for fourth quarter of 2016.
- 2. Proforma CET1 ratio (based on final rules effective 1 January 2018).

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#### **Our Growth Drivers**

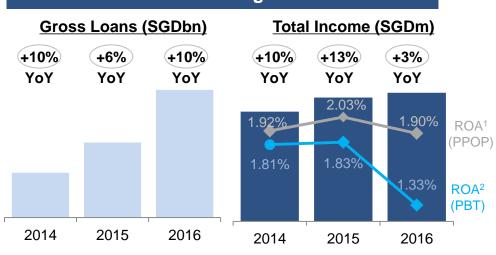
#### **Our Growth Drivers**

Realise Full Potential of our Integrated Platform	<ul> <li>Provides us with ability to serve expanding regional needs of our customers</li> <li>Improves operational efficiency, enhances risk management, seamless customer experience and faster time to market</li> </ul>
Sharpen Regional Focus	<ul> <li>Global macro environment remains uncertain. The region's long-term fundamentals continue to remain strong</li> <li>Region is our future engine of growth</li> </ul>
Reinforce Fee Income Growth	<ul> <li>Grow fee income to offset competitive pressures on loans and improve return on capital</li> <li>Increase client wallet share size by intensifying cross-selling efforts, focusing on service quality and expanding range of products and services</li> </ul>
Long-term Growth Perspective	<ul> <li>Disciplined approach in executing growth strategy, balancing growth with stability</li> <li>Focus on risk adjusted returns; ensure balance sheet strength amidst global volatilities</li> </ul>

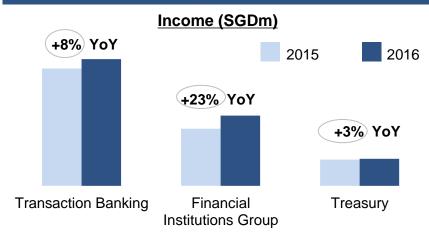
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### Wholesale Banking: Steady Franchise Growth; Broader Portfolio Quality Sound

- Wholesale Banking's loans and income up in 2016
- Bottom line dampened by higher allowances, largely from offshore & marine sector
  - Broader portfolio quality remains sound
- Selective loans growth, despite cautious business climate
  - Transaction Banking and Financial Institutions continue to grow
- Capturing regional opportunities
  - Cross-border income: 21% of Group
     Wholesale Banking income



Transaction Banking and Financial Institutions Group Seeing Good Momentum



Wholesale Banking Business

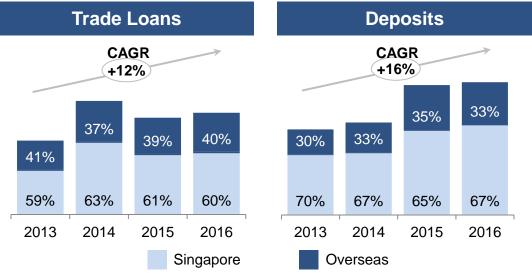
- 1. ROA: Ratio of "Pre-provision profit" to "Average Assets"
- 2. ROA: Ratio of "Profit before tax" to "Average Assets"

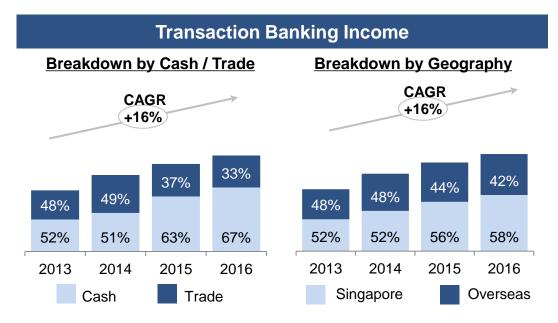
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### Group Transaction Banking: Stable Income Contributor



- Cash management increasing in significance
- Healthy growth in trade loans with focus on increasing client wallet share
- Continue to draw high-quality deposits, supporting our liability management
- Strong industry recognition for cash and trade achievements

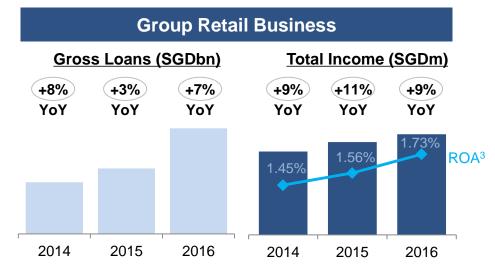


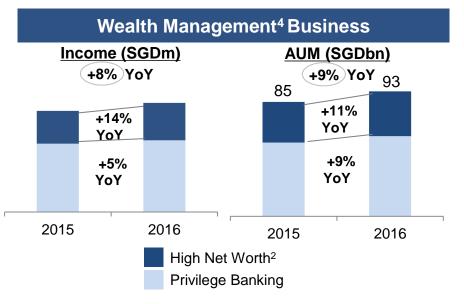


### Retail Banking: Growing Income with Stable Asset Quality

- Housing loans a key driver for Retail Banking's<sup>1</sup> loan growth in 2016; regional housing loans +11% YoY
  - Asset quality remains stable
- Gaining CASA in Singapore for the past 2 years
- Wealth management (WM) did well, across mass affluent and High Net Worth<sup>2</sup> segments
  - WM Income +8% YoY; profit +16% YoY
  - \$93bn AUM as at end-2016

- Retail Banking comprises Personal Financial Services, Private Banking and Business Banking.
- 2. High Net Worth segment comprises Privilege Reserve and Private Bank segments.
- 3. ROA: Ratio of "Profit before tax" to "Average Assets".
- 4. Wealth Management comprises Privilege Banking, Privilege Reserve and Private Bank segments.

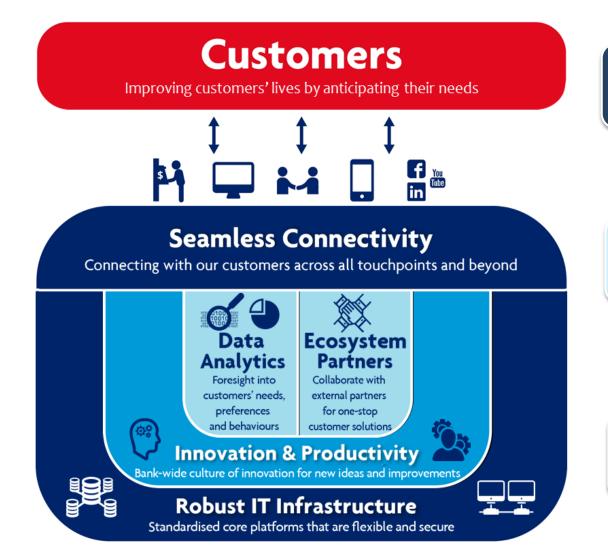




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### Digitalisation: Enriching Customer Experience





# Examples of UOB's digital initiatives

#### Connectivity

- Security token embedded in smartphone
- Instant digital credit card issuance
- Contactless ATM

#### **Ecosystem partners**

- hiLife and MGG
- cloudBuy
- BizSmart
- FinLab
- OurCrowd
- Innoven Capital

#### Innovation

- Innovation workshop
- Hackathon

### Why UOB?

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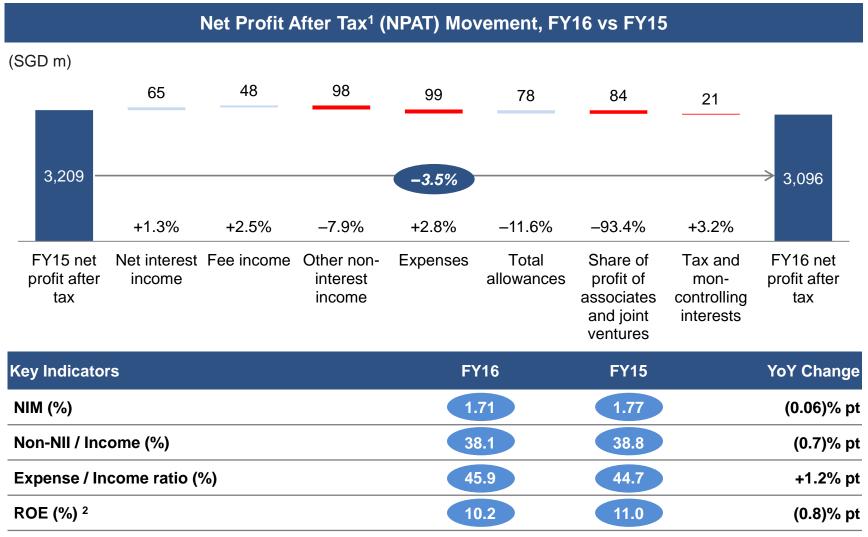
Stable Management	<ul> <li>Proven track record in steering the bank through various global events and crises</li> <li>Stability of management team ensures consistent execution of strategies</li> </ul>
Integrated Regional Platform	<ul> <li>Entrenched local presence. Ground resources and integrated regional network allow us to better address the needs of our targeted segments</li> <li>Truly regional bank with full ownership and control of regional subsidiaries</li> </ul>
Strong Fundamentals	<ul> <li>Sustainable revenue channels as a result of carefully-built core business</li> <li>Strong balance sheet, sound capital &amp; liquidity position and resilient asset quality – testament of solid foundation built on the premise of basic banking</li> </ul>
Balance Growth with Stability	<ul> <li>Continue to diversify portfolio, strengthen balance sheet, manage risks and build core franchise for the future</li> <li>Maintain long-term perspective to growth for sustainable shareholder returns</li> </ul>

Proven track record of financial conservatism and strong management committed to the long term

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## **Latest Financials**

### **FY16 Financial Overview**

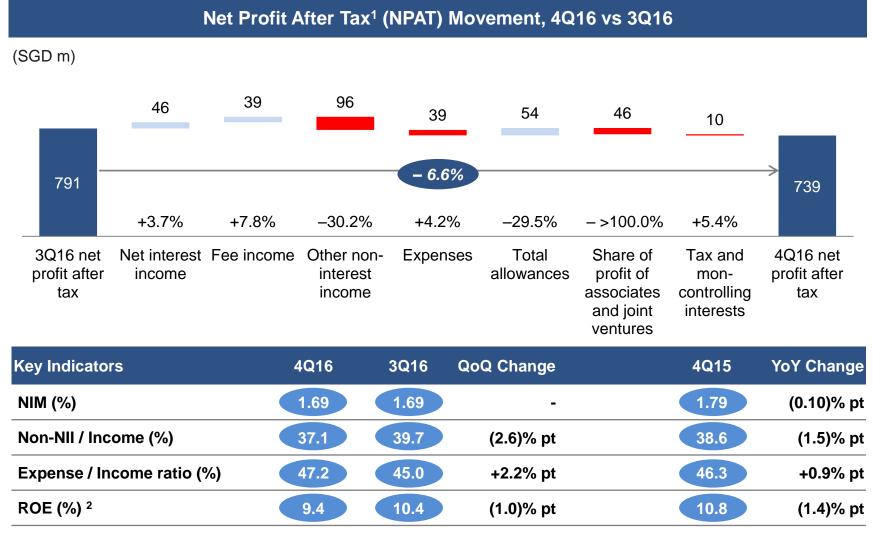


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### **4Q16 Financial Overview**





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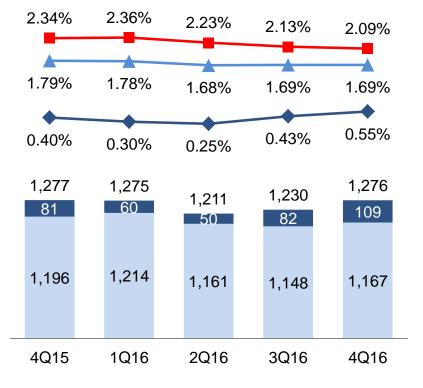
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### Growth in Net Interest Income Largely Driven by Healthy Loan Growth

Net Interest Income (NII) and Margin



----Net Interest Margin (%) \*



NII from Interbank & Securities (SGD m)

Interbank & Securities Margin (%) \*

\* Computed on an annualised basis, where applicable.

# Loan Growth at 3.1% QoQ and 8.8% YoY in Constant Currency Terms

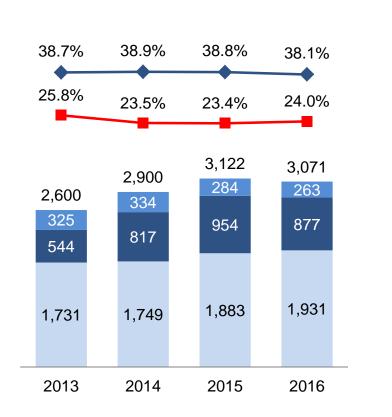


Dec-16	Sep-16	• - •	Dec-15	YoY +/(–)
SGD b	SGD b	%	SGD b	%
125.5	120.4	+4.3	116.1	+8.1
78.1	75.8	+3.0	72.8	+7.2
25.8	25.7	+0.4	24.6	+4.7
13.2	12.4	+7.0	11.5	+15.2
11.9	11.6	+1.9	11.5	+2.7
27.2	26.1	+4.3	25.2	+8.0
22.1	21.2	+3.8	18.4	+19.6
225.7	217.4	+3.8	207.4	+8.8
9.8	9.4	+4.5	10.0	-2.4
52.3	50.5	+3.5	45.2	+15.6
15.7	16.2	-2.7	15.8	-0.4
15.5	14.7	+5.8	14.3	+8.7
30.3	28.3	+7.1	28.3	+7.0
27.0	26.4	+2.0	26.0	+3.9
61.5	60.0	+2.5	56.4	+9.0
13.7	12.0	+13.9	11.4	+19.7
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### **Steady Non-Interest Income Mix Underpins Diversity**

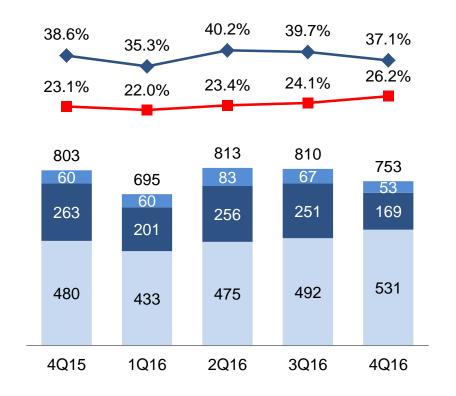
#### Non-Interest Income (Non-NII) and Non-NII Ratio



Fee Income (SGD m)

Other Non-Interest Income (SGD m)

----Core Fee Income / Total Income (%)

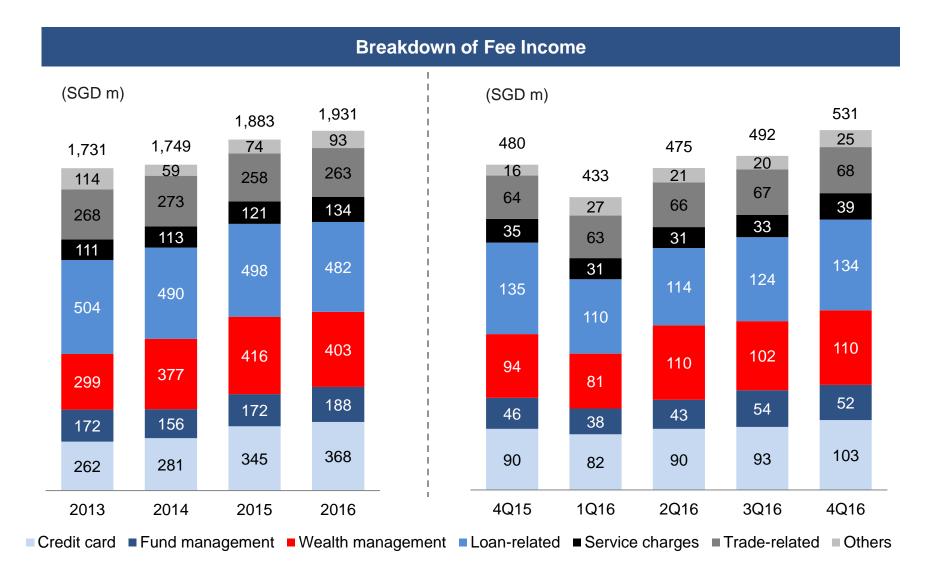


Trading and Investment Income (SGD m)

-Core Non-NII / Total Income (%)

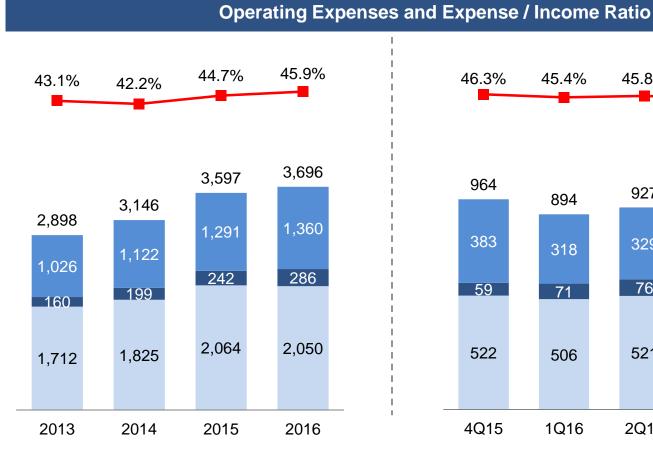
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### **Broad-based Focus in Fee Income**



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### Staff Costs Tightly Managed as **IT Investments Continue**

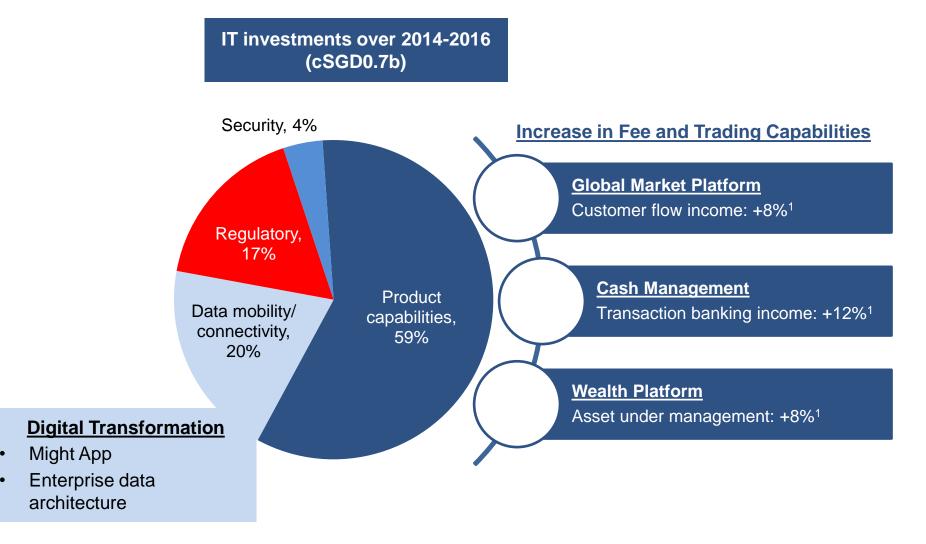




IT-related Expenses (SGD m)

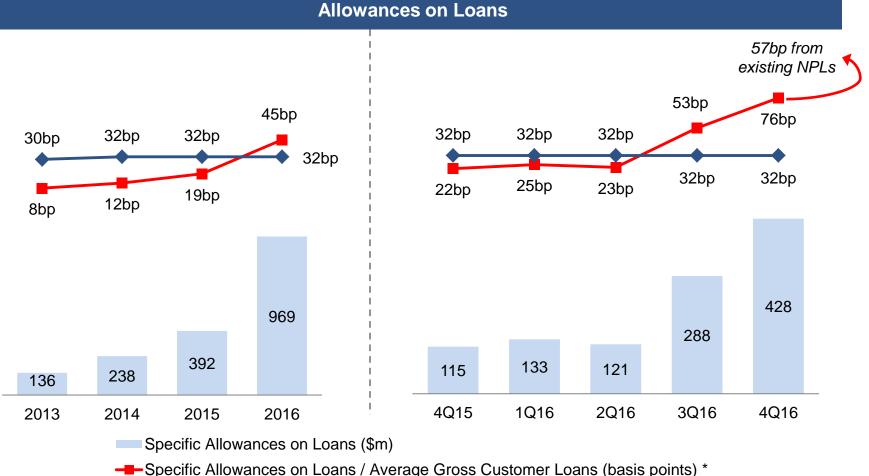
- Other Operating Expenses (SGD m)
- Expense / Income Ratio (%)

### IT Investments Geared towards Products and Digital Capabilities



1. CAGR computed over 2 years (2014 to 2016)

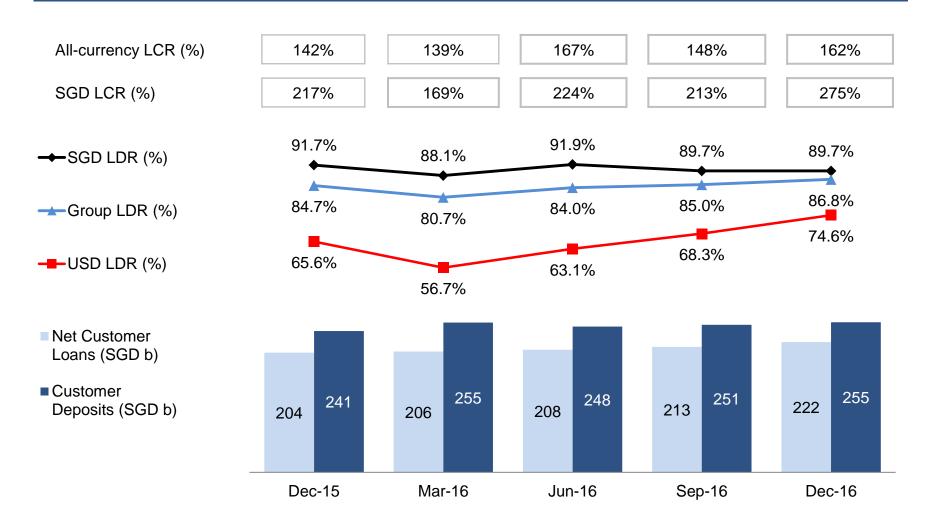
### Higher Specific Allowances from O&G and Shipping; Total Credit Costs Stable



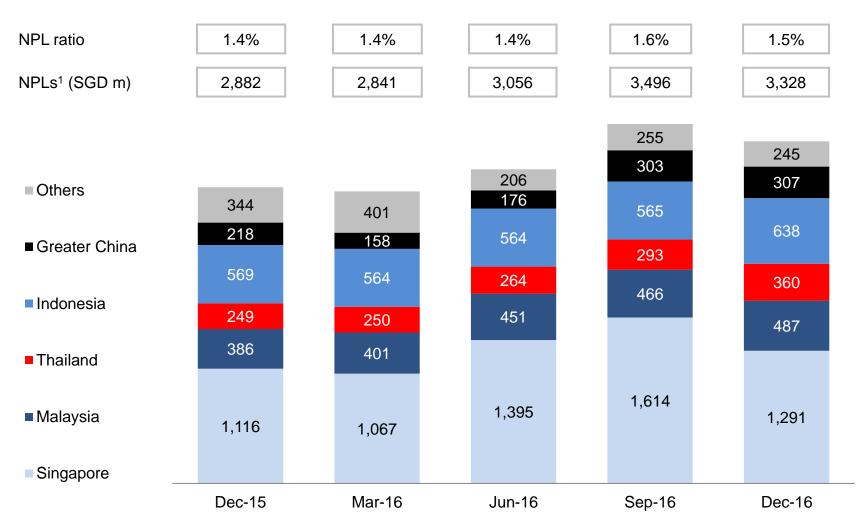
Total Allowances on Loans / Average Gross Customer Loans (basis points) \*

## **Stable Liquidity Position**

### Customer Loans and Deposits; Loan/Deposit Ratios (LDR); and Liquidity Coverage Ratios (LCR)



# NPL Ratio at 1.5%, with NPLs Mainly from Singapore and Indonesia



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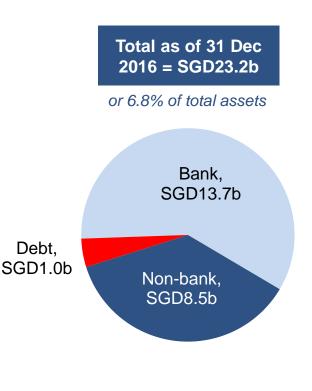
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### Inflows of Non-Performing Assets Have Eased

	4Q15 SGD m	1Q16 SGD m	2Q16 SGD m	3Q16 SGD m	4Q16 SGD m
NPA at start of period	2,737	3,066	3,016	3,164	3,632
New NPA	626	344	802	780	387
Upgrades, recoveries and translations	(233)	(235)	(548)	(201)	(320)
Write-offs	(64)	(159)	(106)	(111)	(219)
NPA at end of period	3,066	3,016	3,164	3,632	3,480

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### **Exposure to China**



#### Bank exposure in China

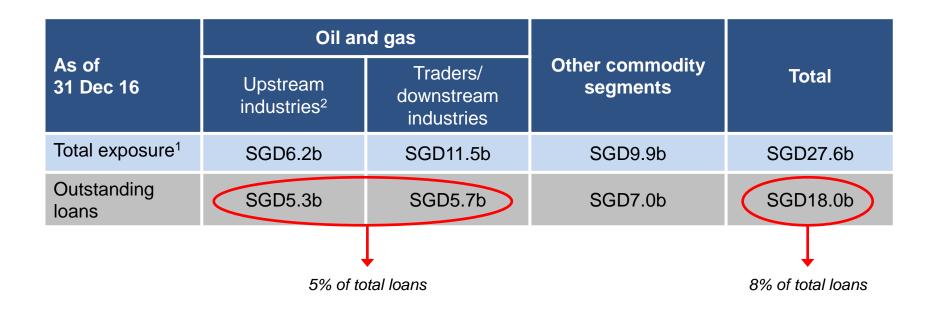
- 98% with <1 year tenor</p>
- Around 77% accounted for by top 5 domestic banks and policy banks
- Trade exposures mostly with bank counterparties, representing slightly more than half of bank exposure

### Non-bank exposure in China

- Target customers include top-tier state-owned enterprises, large local corporates and foreign investment enterprises
- NPL ratio around 0.9%
- Around half of loans denominated in RMB
- Around 40% of the loans has tenor within a year
- Minimal exposure to stockbroking companies linked to China's stock market
- No exposure to Qingdao fraud and local government financing vehicles

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### **Exposure to Commodities**



- Total exposure, including off-balance sheet items, stood at SGD27.6b as of 31 December 2016
- Mainly to traders and downstream segments
- Proactive monitoring, limit management and collateral enhancement

- 1. Total exposure comprises outstanding loans and contingent liabilities
- 2. Oil and gas upstream industries include offshore service companies.

### **Exposure to Europe**

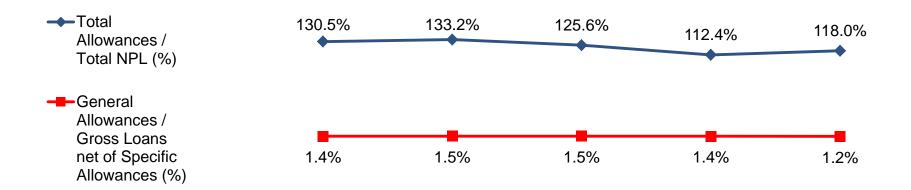
As of 31 Dec 2016	Non-bank	Bank	Debt securities	Total	As a % of total assets
Europe	SGD3.3b	SGD4.7b	SGD1.1b	SGD9.1b	3.2%
of which UK	SGD2.4b	SGD1.0b	SGD0.2b	SGD3.6b	1.3%

### Minimal direct impact from Brexit

- Bulk of UK non-bank exposure is secured and denominated in GBP
- Consumer mortgage book small and healthy
- High rated bank counterparties in the UK

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### Countercyclical Approach in General Allowance Supports High Reserve Cover



<ul> <li>Specific Allowances (SGD m)</li> </ul>	773	751	770	975	1,219
<ul> <li>General Allowances (SGD m)</li> </ul>	2,987	3,032	3,067	2,954	2,709
-	Dec-15	Mar-16	Jun-16	Sep-16	Dec-16

## **Strong Capital and Leverage Ratios**

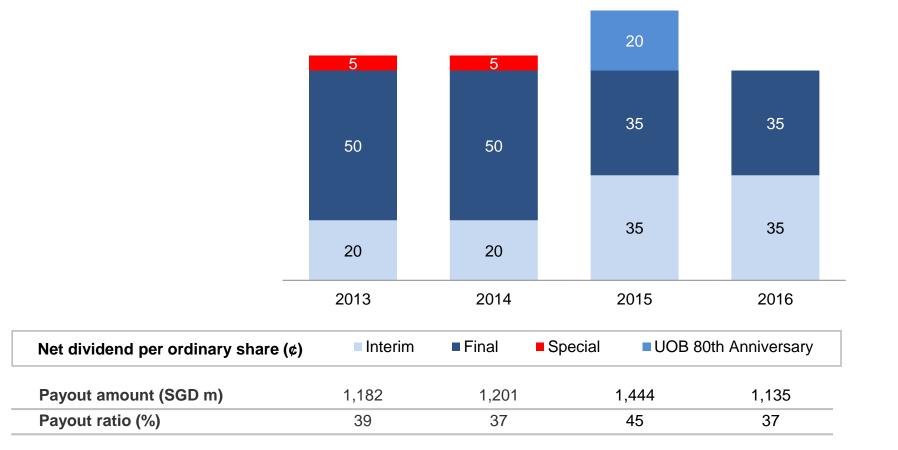
Leverage ratio <sup>1</sup>	7.3%	7.0%	7.4%	7.5%	7.4%
Total CAR <sup>2</sup>	15.6%	16.0%	15.9%	16.6%	16.2%
Tier 2 CAR <sup>2</sup> Tier 1 CAR <sup>2</sup>	2.6%	3.2%	2.7% 0.1%	3.1%	3.1%
CET1 CAR <sup>2</sup> Fully-loaded CET1 CAR <sup>23</sup>	13.0% 11.7%	12.8%	13.1%	13.4%	13.0%
SGD b	Dec-15	Mar-16	Jun-16	Sep-16	Dec-16
Common Equity Tier 1 Capital	26	26	26	27	28
Tier 1 Capital	26	26	27	28	28
Total Capital	31	32	32	34	35
Risk-Weighted Assets	201	202	202	205	216

- 1. Leverage ratio is calculated based on the revised MAS Notice 637. A minimum requirement of 3% was / is applied during the parallel run period from 1 January 2013 to 1 January 2017.
- 2. CAR: Capital adequacy ratio

3. Based on final rules effective 1 January 2018.

### **Stable Dividend Payout**





**Note**: The Scrip Dividend Scheme was applied to the final and special dividends for the financial year 2013, UOB 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary dividend for the financial year 2015, and interim and final dividends for the financial year 2016. The Scheme provides shareholders with the option to receive Shares in lieu of the cash amount of any dividend declared on their holding of Shares. For more details, please refer to <a href="http://www.uobgroup.com/investor/stock/dividend">http://www.uobgroup.com/investor/stock/dividend</a> history.html.

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