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REPORT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND MANAGEMENT AS OF JUNE 30, 2017

The meeting of the Board of Directors held on August 14, 2017, resolved to approve and publish the unaudited consolidated financial statements of the First International Bank of Israel Ltd. (hereinafter - "the Bank") and its consolidated subsidiaries (hereinafter - "the Bank Group"), as of June 30, 2017.

GENERAL OVERVIEW, GOALS AND STRATEGY Description of the Bank Group's activity

The Bank Group is one of the five large banking groups in Israel.

The business operations of the Bank Group focus on several principal areas:

- Financial brokerage between depositors and borrowers, which is the basis for commercial banking. Income from such operation is reflected in net interest income comprising the main source of profit of the Group.
- Financial and banking services producing commission income in a variety of operations in the foreign currency, international trade, securities, information services, credit cards, derivative financial instruments, etc.
- Investment and pension consulting.
- The "nostro" investments of the Bank and market and liquidity risk management.
- Operational banking services for the capital market.
- Trusteeship services for private and institutional customers through the Bank's trust company.

The Bank Group operates through three principal business divisions:

- The corporate division, which conducts all operations relating to corporate and middle-market customers, as well as business and institutional customers active on the capital market. Operating within this division is the business region, covering the operation of all business branches of the Bank.
- The banking division, which conducts all operations relating to private customers of the Bank, including private banking, households and small business. In this framework operates Ubank branches which specialize in private banking and capital market and the branches of PAGI sub-division which specialize in the orthodox and ultra-orthodox segment, branches of Otzar Hachayal Bank and Massad Bank.
- The customer asset division which centralizes the whole capital market operations, monies and foreign currency with private, commercial customers, institutional bodies and capital market professionals. In the framework of the Division operate the dealing rooms in securities, foreign currency and deposits as well as the sub-divisions of investment and pension counseling, the investment center, the Trust Company and the Portfolio Management Company.

In addition to the Bank, the Group includes two commercial banks in Israel, specializing in unique customers populations: Otzar Hachayal, which specializes in providing services to households and commercial customers which emphasize on the employees and retirees of the security system and Massad, which specializes in providing services to the teachers population in Israel.

FORWARD-LOOKING INFORMATION

Part of the information detailed in this report which does not refer to historical facts is forward-looking information as defined in the Securities Law, 1968. Actual results are likely to be substantially different from those included in the context of forward-looking information due to a large number of factors, including changes in legislation and supervisory directives, macroeconomic developments in Israel and abroad and their effect on the liquidity position and stability in the capital markets at business companies in Israel and abroad, exceptional economic developments such as extreme changes in interest rates, exchange rates and inflation, stock prices, bond prices, competitors' behavior and changes in the terms of competition.

Forward-looking information is notable for such words or expressions as: "forecast," "expected," "in the Bank's estimation" and "the Bank intends," as well as expressions such as "will be able," "might be" and "will be." These forward-looking expressions involve risks and uncertainty because they are based on the Management's assessments regarding future events that may not occur or that may occur in a different manner than expected as the result inter alia of the aforementioned factors or as the result of the materialization of one or more of the risk factors detailed in the table of risk factors presented in this report.

The information in this report is based, among other, on the publication of the Central Bureau of Statistics, the Treasury department and the data from the Bank of Israel, as well as on public information given by different factors operating and connected with the capital and money markets.

Net profit attributed to the Bank's shareholders amounted to NIS 317 million in the first six months of 2017, compared with NIS 281 million in the same period last year, an increase of 12.8%.

Net return on equity attributed to the Bank's shareholders amounted to 8.7% (annualized) in the first half of the year, compared with 8.0% in the same period last year and 7.2% in 2016.

Set out below are the central factors which affected the profit of the Group in the first six months of 2017 compared with the same period last year:

- Increase in interest income, net, in the amount of NIS 85 million (8.0%).
- Decline in non-interest financing income of NIS 34 million, due mainly to the decrease in gains on realization of bonds and shares amounting to NIS 29 million.
- Increase in the expenses for credit losses in the amount of NIS 62 million, due mainly from an increase in the collective expense for credit losses.
- Decrease in salaries and related expenses in the amount of NIS 18 million (2.1%) explained by the reduction in the employees positions in the Group.
- Decrease in operating and other expenses, excluding salaries and related expenses, in the amount of NIS 34 million (6.6%) derived mainly from the efficiency measures.
- Decrease in the Bank's share in the profit of investee company in the amount of NIS 33 million, derived mainly from the share of ICC in the proceeds of the sale transaction of Visa Europe shares in the same period last year.

Basic earnings per NIS 0.05 share amounted to NIS 3.16 in the first six months of the year compared with NIS 2.81 in the same period last year.

The Bank Group's total assets on June 30, 2017 amounted to NIS 128,836 million compared with NIS 127,307 million on June 30, 2016 and NIS 127,907 on December 31, 2016, an increase of 1.2% and 0.7%, respectivly.

Credit to the public, net on June 30, 2017 amounted to NIS 79,119 million compared with NIS 76,097 million on June 30, 2016 and NIS 77,328 million at the end of 2016, an increase of 4.0% and 2.3%, respectivly.

Deposits from the public on June 30, 2017 amounted to NIS 107,280 million, compared with NIS 105,316 million on June 30, 2016 and NIS 105,817 million at the end of 2016, an increase of 1.9% and 1.4% respectivly.

Capital attributed to shareholders totaled NIS 7,563 million on June 30, 2017, compared with NIS 7,339 million on June 30, 2016 and NIS 7,321 million at the end of 2016, an increase of 3.1% and 3.3%, respectivly.

The ratio of comprehensive capital to risk components amounted to 13.81%, compared to 13.79% at the end of 2016.

The ratio of Tier I equity capital to risk component as of June 30, 2017 amounted to 10.25%, compared to 10.09% at the end of 2016.

Net profit attributed to the Bank's shareholders amounted to NIS 151 million in the second quarter of 2017, compared with NIS 134 million in the same period last year, an increase of 12.7%.

Net return on equity attributed to the Bank's shareholders amounted in the second quarter of the year to 8.3% (annualized) compared with 7.6% in the same period last year.

Set out below are the central factors which affected the profit of the Group in the second quarter of 2017 compared with the same period last year:

- Increase in interest income, net, in the amount of NIS 49 million (9.2%).
- A decrease in the expenses for credit losses in the amount of NIS 39 million. In accordance to the instruction of the Supervision on Banks to banking entities, from July 2016, in the same quarter last year the Bank included the rate of writeoffs of 2011 in the average loss rates used as a basis to determine the collective provision (in the first quarter last year the writeoff rates of 2011 were excluded from the computation of the average loss rates). The implementation of this instruction increased the collective provision for credit losses in the amount of NIS 57 million in the second quarter last year.
- A decrease in other income in the amount of NIS 29 million, derived mainly from the Bank's share in the proceeds of the sale transaction of the shares of Visa Europe, in the same quarter last year.
- Decrease in the Bank's share in the profit of investee company in the amount of NIS 33 million, derived mainly from the share of ICC in the proceeds of the sale transaction of Visa Europe shares in the same period last year.

CONDENSED PRINCIPAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION AND PRINCIPAL EXECUTION INDICES

rincipal financial ratios For the six m		nths ended	For the year ended	
	30.6.17	30.6.16	31.12.16	
			in %	
Execution indices				
Return on equity ⁽¹⁾	8.7%	8.0%	7.2%	
Return on assets ⁽¹⁾	0.5%	0.4%	0.4%	
Ratio of fees to assets ⁽¹⁾	1.0%	1.0%	1.0%	
Ratio of equity capital tier 1	10.25%	9.97%	10.09%	
Leverage ratio	5.63%	5.49%	5.52%	
Liquidity coverage ratio	125%	109%	123%	
Efficiency ratio	69.2%	73.8%	73.5%	
Credit quality indices				
Ratio of provision for credit losses to credit to the public	1.06%	1.11%	1.08%	
Ratio of impaired debts or in arrears of 90 days or more to credit to the public	1.20%	1.25%	1.02%	
Ratio of provision for credit losses to total impaired credit to the public	112%	115%	147%	

Principal data from the statement of income	For the six n	onths ended		
	30.6.17	30.6.16	Change	
		NIS million	%	
Net profit attributed to shareholders of the Bank	317	281	12.8%	
Interest Income, net	1,145	1,060	8.0%	
Expenses from credit losses	87	25	248.0%	
Total non Interest income	739	777	(4.9%)	
Of which: Fees	651	656	(0.8%)	
Total operating and other expenses	1,304	1,356	(3.8%)	
Of which: Salaries and related expenses	821	839	(2.1%)	
Primary net profit per share of NIS 0.05 par value (NIS)	3.16	2.81	12.8%	

Principal data from the balance sheet			As of		Change vs.
	30.6.17	30.6.16	31.12.16	30.6.16	31.12.16
			NIS million		%
Total assets	128,836	127,307	127,907	1.2%	0.7%
of which: Cash and deposits with banks	30,969	30,635	29,150	1.1%	6.2%
Securities	13,047	14,917	15,776	(12.5%)	(17.3%)
Credit to the public, net	79,119	76,097	77,328	4.0%	2.3%
Total liabilities	120,661	119,367	119,973	1.1%	0.6%
of which: Deposits from banks	746	1,207	755	(38.2%)	(1.2%)
Deposits from the public	107,280	105,316	105,817	1.9%	1.4%
Bonds and subordinated capital notes	5,070	5,693	5,801	(10.9%)	(12.6%)
Capital attributed to the shareholders of the Bank	7,563	7,339	7,321	3.1%	3.3%

Additional data			As of
	30.6.17	30.6.16	31.12.16
Share price (NIS 0.01)	6,326	4,715	5,650
Dividend per share (NIS)	1.40	-	1.99

⁽¹⁾ Annualized.

Principal Risks to which the Bank is exposed

The Bank group activity involves exposure to risk, the more significant of which are:

- Credit risk, including credit concentration (borrower and sectorial).
- Market risks, the principal of which is interest rate risk.
- Liquidity risks.
- Operating risks.
- Compliance and Money Laundering risks.
- Strategic risk.
- Reputation risk.
- Legal risk.

All material risks are managed by and the responsibility of appointed members of Management. A regulatory requirement for capital adequecy exists in respect of credit, market and operating risks, according to the instructions of Pillar I of Basel.

Within the framework of the Internal Capital Adequacy Assessment Process ("ICAAP"), the Group performs an intensive process for the identification of additional risk centers and the challenging of identified risk centers, in accordance with Pillar I. Where required, a supplementory allocation of capital is made in respect of Pillar I risks, and an additional allocation of capital in respect of other risks and sub-risks.

The material developing risks are cyber and data protection risks, cross border risks, conduct risk, risks stemming from technological innovation in online banking, regulation risk and low operational efficiency risk. Additional information is detaild in the annual report 2016.

For additional information, see the chapter on risks review below and the risk report on the internet website of the bank.

Objectives and Strategy

Management of the Bank is guided and directed by the Board of Directors and its committees, with respect to the strategy and business policy of the Bank. In this framework, the Board of Directors approves the quantitative and qualitative targets and goals as well as the lines of operation of the Bank.

On the basis of the multi-annual strategic plans of the Bank, Management presents to the Board of Directors annual work plans and budgets, giving quantitative and qualitative details of the income, expenses and investment mix, which Management had determined as the long-term goals and specific targets for the current year of operation.

The Board of Directors and its committees supervise and control the work of Management in everything relating to the implementation of the strategy and business policy, as approved by them. The Board of Directors approves also the comprehensive risk management policy, including the determination of different limitations to exposure regarding credit risk and market and liquidity risks. The various units of the Bank, of the branch layout and of the Head Office, operate within the framework of written procedures and circular letters, guiding them in their current operations. These procedures define, among other things, the authority of the different units of the Bank and the manner of operation which they have to adopt.

The Bank operates according to a multi-annual strategic plan, validated by the Board of Directors at half-yearly intervals. The plan is based upon appropriate conduct in all areas of operation, with aspiration for proper and stable profitability over a period of time.

The Bank has a strategic plan for the years 2016-2018, which was approved by the Board of Directors in September 2015 and validated in 2016. The supreme goals of the plan are in terms of return on capital in excess of riskless interest rate and efficiency ratio.

Within the framework of the plan, the Bank would continue to focus on private banking, on financial wealth customers and on medium to large businesses, by providing a comprehensive response modified to the needs of the customer, including in the digital area and technological answer; the Bank is to maintain the leadership of its subsidiaries (Otzar Hachayal and Massad) and the merged banks (UBank and PAGI) in their unique operating niches, mostly in the retail and small business sectors. The Bank is to maintain leadership in the capital market; would conduct actions leading to efficiency in expenses, while improving its manpower position, improving procedures, continue efficiency measures in the branch layout and increase the use of online banking channels, and support performance directed culture and measurement in the Group.

In addition, the Bank promote innovation through implamantation of products and technologies from start-up companies, this alongside the current activity of developing products and technologies in-house by the IT division of the Bank. The fintech activity of the Bank is focused and adjusted to the Bank's needs and its strategic focuses, and as part of the Bank's strategy of "investing in you"- the Bank puts emphasis on solutions that will be possible to combine in interfaces versus the customer and by that to improve the customer's expirience and give him added value. For that, a specific department was build for holistic treatment in innovation and digital.

On November 17, 2016 the Board of Directors of the Bank approved the update of the strategic plan of the Group in respect of efficiency measures, for the years 2016- 2020.

As stated, the Bank reviews the plan at half-yearly intervals, in relation to the macro-economic environment, to developments in market competition, to the regulatory environment, to technological developments and frequent changes in the digital and cyber area, as well as to changes occurring in the Bank Group, and if necessary updates the plans and the moves stemming from the strategic plan.

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EXPLENATION AND ANALYSIS OF RESULTS AND BUSINESS POSITION

TRENDS, EVENTS, DEVELOPMENTS AND MATERIAL CHANGES

PRINCIPAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENTS

Following are the principal economic developments, which impacted the economic environment in which the Israeli banking sector operated in the first half of 2017.

Growth

Nonfinancial economic activity indicators, published in 2017, continue to be positive indicating that the economy continued growing also at the beginning of 2017 and the labour market continues to show strength with unemployment rates relatively low, although moderationin the growth is still visible compared with previous periods. Bank of Israel's Composite State-of-the-Economy Index rose in the first half of 2017 by 1.9%.

The review dated July 2017, issued by the Research Division of Bank of Israel, increased the product growth forecast for 2017 to 3.4% (from 2.8%) on the background of better priliminary activity indicators in the second quarter in the investment and export areas. The growth forecast for 2018 remained stable at 3.3%.

The State budget

A deficit in the amount of NIS 9.0 billion was measured in the first half of 2017, in the budgetary operations of the Government, compared to deficit of NIS 3.1 billion in the corresponding period last year.

During August 2017, S&P grading company updated the forecast of the credit grading of the State of Israel concerning the foreign currency debt from "Neutral" to "positive" and ratified it at a level of A+.

Inflation

The inflationary environment continues to be relatively low, and this following no change in the Consumer Price Index (CPI for the month) in the first six months of 2017. The "known CPI" rose by 0.7%. Bank of Israel estimates state that in 2017 the rate of inflation will reach 0.5%, under the lower limit of the price stability target of the Government (1%-3%), and that in 2018 the inflation rate will reach 1.5%. As of June 2017, the inflationary expectations for the coming twelve months, derived from the capital market, indicate an inflation rate of 0.5%.

The housing market

Moderation in the rise of housing prices was noted in recent months. According to the Central Bureau of Statistics, a moderate increase of 0.1% was recorded in prices of housing units in the months of April and May 2017, in comparison to the months of March and April 2017. The prices of transactions in March and April 2017 increased by 4.7% in comparison to the corresponding months last year.

The number of new appartment sold during the first five months of 2017 was lower by 23% compared to the same period last year (the data excluding seasonal effect).

Labor market

Unemployment data continues to be positive and stable. The rate of unemployment in May 2017 was 4.5%.

Exchange rate

The exchanged rate of the shekel as against the US dollar fell sharply by 9.1% in the first half of 2017, and as against the Euro the exchange rate weakened by 1.2%. Bank of Israel continued the trend of foreign currency purchases, inter alia, in accordance with the natural gas program, in order to mitigate the effect of the strengthening of the shekel.

Bank of Israel interest rate

The interest rate remained stable in the course of the first half of 2017 at the rate of 0.1% on the background of the low inflation rate. Bank of Israel estimates that the interest rate is expected to remain at its present level until the first quarter of 2018, rising in the second quarter of 2018 to 0.25%. Bank of Israel expects an additional increase in the interest rate to a level of 0.5% in the fourth quarter of 2018.

The global environment

The Global Economy continues to improve moderately. The OECD organization increased its glibal growth forecast for 2017 to 3.5%, from 3.3% in the previous forecast, in March 2017. The improvement includes most of the main economies except for the USA, for which the forecast in respect of 2017 was decreased from 2.4% in the previous forecast, to 2.1% in the current forecast.

The capital markets

The principal equities indices in the local capital market in the first half of 2017 recorded mixed trend: the TA-125 Index fell by 0.2% and the TA-35 Index fell by 3.2% and the TA-90 rose by 12%. The general bond Index rose by 1.7%.

The average daily turnovers recorded a raise in the share indices (TA-35 and TA-125) compared with fall in the bonds area.

The S&P-500 Index rose by 8.2% during the first half of 2017. In Europe, the Eurostocks-600 Index rose by 6.1% and the developing countries Index (the EM-MSCI Index) rose by 17.2%.

For additional details, see principal developments in Israel and globally, in the Chapter "Corporate governance - additional details".

MATERIAL DEVELOPMENTS IN REVENUES, EXPENSES AND OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

PROFIT AND PROFITABILLITY

Net profit attributed to the shareholders of the Bank amounted to NIS 317 million in the first half of 2017, as compared to NIS 281 million in the same period last year, an increase of 12.8%.

The basic net profit per share of NIS 0.05 amounted to NIS 3.16 in the first six months of the year, as compared to NIS 2.81 in the same period last year.

The return of net profit to the capital attributed to the shareholders of the Bank (annualized) amounted to 8.7% in the period January-June 2017, as compared to 8.0% in the same period last year and 7.2% in 2016.

DEVELOPMENT IN INCOME AND EXPENSES

Financing profit on all assets and liabilities of the Bank include net interest income together with non-interest financing income. Non-interest financing income includes financing income in respect of derivative instruments comprising an integral part of exposure management of the Bank. Income from derivative instruments include, inter alia, the effect of the time factor on the fair value of derivatives, comprising an integral part of the interest risk management at the Bank, as well as the effect of the rise in the rate of the "known" CPI on derivatives comprising an integral part of exposure to the consumer price index.

Set out below is the composition of net financing earnings:

		2017				2016
	Q2	Q1	Q4	Q3	Q2	Q1
						NIS million
Interest income	753	640	627	682	670	547
Interest expenses	170	78	71	129	136	21
Net interest income	583	562	556	553	534	526
Non-interest financing income	21	12	24	24	33	34
Net financing earnings	604	574	580	577	567	560

		First Half
	2017	2016
		NIS million
Interest income	1,393	1,217
Interest expenses	248	157
Net interest income	1,145	1,060
Non-interest financing income	33	67
Net financing earnings	1,178	1,127

Set out below is an analysis of net financing earnings:

		2017				2016
	Q2	Q1	Q4	Q3	Q2	Q1
	<u></u>					NIS million
Earnings from current activity	591	564	571	555	536	540
Reconciliations to fair value of derivative instruments	3	(1)	5	10	3	(2)
Income from realization and reconciliations to fair value of bonds	7	3	4	3	21	13
Earnings from investments in shares	3	8	-	9	7	9
Net financing earnings	604	574	580	577	567	560

		First Half
	2017	2016
		NIS million
Earnings from current activity	1,155	1,076
Reconciliations to fair value of derivative instruments	2	1
Income from realization and reconciliations to fair value of bonds	10	34
Earnings from investments in shares	11	16
Net financing earnings	1,178	1,127

Set out below are main data regarding interest income and expenses:

		he six months nded June 30,
	2017	2016
		in %
Income rate on asset bearing interest	2.44	2.18
Expense rate on liabilities bearing interest	0.70	0.43
Total interest spread	1.74	1.75
Ratio between net interest income and assets bearing interest balance	2.00	1.90

The increase in net interest income compared with the same period last year, derives from an increase in the volume of assets was partially offset by the recording interest income regarding previous years in the same period last year. These income derived from the cancellation of a liabilty recorded in a consolidated subsidiary due to a compromise settlement sighned on March 2016, between the consolidated subsidiary and a third party.

For details regarding the report on rates of interest income and expenses of the Bank and of its consolidated subsidiaries and the analysis of changes in interest income and expenses, see Appendix 1 to the Chapter "Corporate governance ".

Expenses from credit losses amounted to NIS 87 million compared with income of NIS 25 million in the same period last year. The increase in the expenses from credit losses derives from an increase in the expense concerning the collective provision for credit losses.

Expenses from credit losses as a ratio of total credit to the public amounted to a rate of 0.22% compared with 0.07% in the same period last year and 0.10% in 2016.

Set out below are details of Expenses in respect of credit losses in respect of debts and off-balance sheet credit instruments:

		he six months nded June 30,
	2017	2016
		NIS million
Individual expense in respect of credit losses	119	103
Decrease in individual expense in respect of credit losses and collection of debts written off in accounting	(103)	(88)
Individual expense, net in respect of credit losses	16	15
Collective expense in respect of credit losses	71	10
Total expenses in respect of credit losses	87	25
Of which:		
Expense in respect of commercial credit	67	6
Expense (income) in respect of housing credit	(1)	7
Expense in respect of other private credit	21	12
Ratio of individual expense in respect of credit losses to average total credit to the public ⁽¹⁾	0.04%	0.04%
Ratio of collective expense in respect of credit losses to average total credit to the public ⁽¹⁾	0.18%	0.03%
Ratio of total expenses in respect of credit losses to average total credit to the public ⁽¹⁾	0.22%	0.07%

(1) Annualized.

For additional information regarding expenses for credit losses, see Chapter "Review of Risks" below.

Fees totaled NIS 651 million, compared with NIS 656 million in the same period last year, a decrease of 0.8%. The decrease derived mainly from the effect of the decline in the exchange rate of foreign currency on the fees income.

Set out below are details of fees income:

	For the six m	onths ended		
	2017	2016	change	
Fees:		NIS million	%	
Account management	126	123	2.4	
Credit cards	49	51	(3.9)	
Transactions in securities	216	220	(1.8)	
Financial product distribution fees	37	36	2.8	
Management, operation and trusteeship for institutional investors	47	45	4.4	
Credit processing	8	8	-	
Conversion differentials	69	71	(2.8)	
Foreign trade activity	26	30	(13.3)	
Fees from financing transactions	46	44	4.5	
Other Fees	27	28	(3.6)	
Total Fees	651	656	(0.8)	

Other income totaled NIS 55 million, compared with NIS 54 million in the same period last year.

Set out below are the factors which affected other income:

- 1. On March 30, 2017 the transaction for the sale of the Bank's leasing rights in the areas in an office building in Tel Aviv was consummated, for a proceed of NIS of 84 million. The gain from the sale of these rights amounts to NIS 41 million, before tax effect. In the same period last year the gain from realization of buildings and equipment amounted to NIS 18 million.
- 2. An income in the amount of NIS 12 million derived from the completion of the transaction of the sale of FIBI(Swiss) activity to a third party (see the chapter on main investee companies below).
- 3. In the corresponding period last year an income in the amount of NIS 32 million was included derived from the Bank's share in the proceeds of the transaction of the sale of Visa Europe shares.

Operating and other expenses totaled NIS 1,304 million compared with NIS 1,356 million in the same period last year, a decrease of 3.8%.

Set out below are details of operating and other expenses:

	For the six	For the six months ended		
	2017	2016	change	
		NIS million		
Salaries and related expenses	821	839	(2.1)	
Maintenance and depreciation of premises and equipment	193	205	(5.9)	
Amortization of intangible assets	45	62	(27.4)	
Other expenses	245	250	(2.0)	
Total operating and other expenses	1,304	1,356	(3.8)	

Salaries and related expenses totaled NIS 821 million compared with NIS 839 million in the same period last year, a decrease of 2.1% explained mainly from decline in payroll expenses due to reduction in the number of employees in the group.

Expenses on depreciation and maintenance of premises and equipment totaled NIS 193 million, compared to NIS 205 million in the same period last year, a decrease of 5.9%, due mainly from the efficiency measures including closure and consolidation of branches and head-office areas.

Amortizations of intangible assets totaled NIS 45 million compared to NIS 62 million in the same period last year, a decrease stemming from the end of amortization of the excess of cost of the acquisition of Otzar Hachayal.

The provision for taxes on operating earnings amounted to NIS 183 million compared with NIS 212 million in the same period last year. The effective tax rate as a proportion of earnings before taxes amounted to 37.1%, compared with the statutory rate of tax of 35%.

The Bank's share in the operating earnings of investee company after the tax effect amounted to NIS 26 million, compare with NIS 59 million in the same period last year. A decrease of NIS 33 million, steming from ICC's share in the proceeds from the sale of Visa Europe shares that were recorded in the corresponding period last year.

The total comprehensive profit attributed to the shareholders of the Bank amounted to NIS 378 million. This amount was affected by the net profit for the period attributed to the shareholders of the Bank of NIS 317 million, by adjustments in respect of available-for-sale securities in an amount of NIS 40 million, and by other comprehensive profit in respect of employee benefits of NIS 21 million.

COMPOSITION AND DEVELOPMENTS OF ASSETS, LIABILITIES, CAPITAL AND CAPITAL ADEQUACY

The consolidated balance sheet as of June 30, 2017 amounted to NIS 128,836 million compared with NIS 127,307 million as of June 30, 2016 and NIS 127,907 million as of December 31, 2016, an increase of 1.2% and 0.7%, respectively.

A. Set out below are developments in the principal balance sheet items:

	30.6.17	31.12.16	Change
		NIS million	%
Credit to the public, net	79,119	77,328	2.3
Securities	13,047	15,776	(17.3)
Cash and deposits with banks	30,969	29,150	6.2
Premises and equipment	1,105	1,133	(2.5)
Deposits from the public	107,280	105,817	1.4
Bonds and subordinated capital notes	5,070	5,801	(12.6)
Shareholders' equity	7,563	7,321	3.3

B. Set out below are developments in the principal off-balance sheet financial instruments:

	30.6.17	31.12.16	Change
		NIS million	%
Off-balance sheet financial instruments excluding derivatives:			
Documentary credit	120	119	0.8
Guarantees and other liabilities	7,734	7,960	(2.8)
Unutilized credit lines for derivatives instruments	2,658	2,857	(7.0)
Unutilized revolving credit and other on-call credit facilities	9,562	10,806	(11.5)
Unutilized credit lines for credit card facilities and Facilities for the lending of securities	7,020	6,551	7.2
Irrevocable commitments to grant credit, not yet executed and commitments to issue guarantees	5,927	6,636	(10.7)
Total	33,021	34,929	(5.5)

Derivative financial instruments:

		June 30, 2017			Decen	
	<u> </u>		Negative fair value	Face value		
						NIS million
Interest contracts	233	254	16,227	261	282	18,464
Currency contracts	676	715	61,344	445	464	67,412
Contracts in respect of shares	384	384	56,222	625	625	62,914
Commodities and other contracts	2	1	179	1	1	106
Total	1,295	1,354	133,972	1,332	1,372	148,896

Credit to the public, net as of June 30, 2017 amounted to NIS 79,119 million compared with NIS 77,328 million as of December 31, 2016, an increase of 2.3%.

The following is information on credit to the public by linkage segment:

		As of			•	ent's share of e public as of				
	30.6.17	30.6.17 31.12.16 Ch		31.12.16 Change		30.6.17 31.12.16		Change	30.6.17	31.12.16
	<u> </u>	NIS million	NIS million %		%	%				
Local currency										
- Non-linked	63,925	62,356	1,569	2.5	80.8	80.6				
- CPI-linked	9,917	10,142	(225)	(2.2)	12.5	13.1				
Foreign currency (including f-c linked)	4,659	4,381	278	6.3	5.9	5.7				
Non-monetary items	618	449	169	37.6	0.8	0.6				
Total	79,119	77,328	1,791	2.3	100.0	100.0				

Gross Credit to the public, before provision for credit losses, by segment of activity

		As of		Change	
	30.6.17	31.12.16	30.6.16	31.12.16	30.6.16
			NIS million	%	
Corporate banking segment	17,940	18,186	17,516	(1.4)	2.4
Middle market banking segment	4,809	4,517	4,849	6.5	(0.8)
Small and minute business segment	15,349	15,133	15,001	1.4	2.3
Household segment	41,111	39,608	38,804	3.8	5.9
Private banking segment	55	47	92	17.0	(40.2)
Institutional entities	700	684	693	2.3	1.0
Total	79,964	78,175	76,955	2.3	3.9
Of which, consumer credit excluding housing loans and credit cards:					
Household segment	15,636	14,934	14,783	4.7	5.8
Private banking segment	25	18	63	38.9	(60.3)
Total	15,661	14,952	14,846	4.7	5.5
Housing loans in Israel:					
Household segment	22,373	21,741	21,092	2.9	6.1
Total	22,373	21,741	21,092	2.9	6.1

Total credit risk to the public is comprised of balance-sheet credit risk, which includes credit to the public, investments in bonds of the public and assets deriving from financial derivative instruments purchased by the public, and from off-balance-sheet credit, which includes transactions in off-balance-sheet financial instruments, unutilized credit lines and liabilities for the granting of credit.

Total credit risk to the public amounted to NIS 114,197 million on June 30, 2017 compared with NIS 113,336 million on December 31, 2016.

Set out below is information on the distribution of total credit risk to the public by sectors of the economy.

Sector		As of June 30, 2017	As of I	December 31, 2016	
	Total credit risk	Sector's share in total credit risk	Total credit risk	Sector's share in total credit risk	Change
	NIS million	%	NIS million	%	%
Financial services (including holding companies)	14,519	12.7	14,585	12.9	(0.5)
Construction and real estate	14,876	13.0	15,175	13.4	(2.0)
Industry	10,778	9.4	10,860	9.6	(0.8)
Commerce	8,533	7.5	9,121	8.0	(6.4)
Information and communications	2,300	2.0	2,508	2.2	(8.3)
Private customer, including housing loans	53,645	47.0	52,019	45.9	3.1
Others	9,546	8.4	9,068	8.0	5.3
Total	114,197	100.0	113,336	100.0	0.8

Set out below is the sector-specific distribution of the six largest borrowers at the Group (by size of gross indebtedness before deduction of collateral whose deduction is permissible for the purpose of limiting the indebtedness of a borrower and group of borrowers):

					As of June 30, 2017
Borrower no.	Sector of the economy	Balance-sheet credit risk(*)	Off-balance-sheet credit risk	Aggregate credit risk	Aggregate credit risk after permitted deductions
					NIS million
1.	Financial services	1,984	380	2,364	747
2.	Financial services	701	6	707	707
3.	Electricity and water supply	580	17	597	243
4.	Industry	256	259	515	515
5.	Financial services	122	343	465	135
6.	Information and communication	146	232	378	378

					As of December 31, 2016
Borrower no.	Sector of the economy	Balance-sheet credit risk(*)	Off-balance-sheet credit risk	Aggregate credit risk	Aggregate credit risk after permitted deductions
					NIS million
1.	Financial services	1,625	279	1,904	718
2.	Financial services	800	6	806	806
3.	Electricity and water supply	560	21	581	230
4.	Industry	3	556	559	559
5.	Financial services	503	2	505	88
6.	Commerce	493	2	495	495

^{*} Including credit to the public after net accounting write-offs, investment in bonds and other assets in respect of derivative instruments.

The investment in securities totaled NIS 13,047 million compared with NIS 15,776 million at the end of 2016, a decrease of 17.3%.

Set out below is the composition of the portfolio:

		As of		f total securities
	30.6.17	31.12.16	30.6.17	31.12.16
		NIS million		%
Government bonds	9,658	11,619	74.0	73.6
Banks' bonds ⁽¹⁾	1,176	2,052	9.0	13.0
Other bonds (corporate and asset-backed)	1,149	1,060	8.8	6.7
Other bonds (corporate and asset-backed) guaranteed by governments	892	867	6.8	5.6
Shares ⁽²⁾	172	178	1.4	1.1
Total	13,047	15,776	100.0	100.0

- (1) The balance includes bonds that were issued by banks' issuing companies.
 - Of which: Banks' foreign-currency bonds guaranteed by foreign governments in the amount of NIS 853 million (December 31, 2016 NIS 1,324 million).
- (2) Investment in shares includes inter alia investment in private equity funds in the amount of NIS 109 million, perpetual capital notes amounting to NIS 4 million, investment in foreign currency shares of NIS 46 million and investment in shares traded on the Tel Aviv Stock Exchange amounting to NIS 7 million (31.12.16 investment in private equity funds amounting to NIS 111 million, perpetual capital notes amounting to NIS 4 million, investment in foreign currency shares of NIS 47 million and investment in shares traded on the Tel Aviv Stock Exchange amounting to NIS 10 million).

Set out below is the distribution of the securities portfolio by linkage segments:

		As of			_	ment's share otal securities
	30.6.17	31.12.16		Change	30.6.17	31.12.16
		NIS million	NIS million	%	%	%
Local currency						
- Non-linked	5,226	6,966	(1,740)	(25.0)	40.1	44.2
- CPI-linked	1,459	1,667	(208)	(12.5)	11.2	10.6
Foreign currency denominated & linked	6,190	6,965	(775)	(11.1)	47.4	44.1
Non-monetary items	172	178	(6)	(3.4)	1.3	1.1
Total	13,047	15,776	(2,729)	(17.3)	100.0	100.0

Set out below are the sources for the price quotations which the Bank used for determining the fair value of securities on June 30, 2017:

	Price quoted in active market	Indicative price*	Counter-party price**	Total
			 -	NIS million
Shares and private investment funds	47	4	121	172
Local currency government bonds	5,657	-	-	5,657
Local currency corporate bonds	773	255	-	1,028
Non-asset backed foreign-currency and f-c linked bonds	63	5,793	-	5,856
MBS bonds	-	324	-	324
Others (structured and credit-based structured)	-	-	10	10
Total	6,540	6,376	131	13,047
% of portfolio	50.1	48.9	1.0	100.0

- * Indicative price-An indication determined by the Bank and which is based mainly on price quotations obtained from an external entity or entities specializing in the matter, and the remainder is based on internal models determined by the Bank.
- ** Counter-party price-Price quotation obtained from the entity with which the transaction is conducted. With respect to private equity funds, the need for a provision for write-down is examined on the basis of their financial statements.

Below are additional details of bonds denominated in and linked to foreign currency, which are not asset-backed, by country/continent:

		As of
	30.6.17	31.12.16
		NIS million
Israel (incl. Israel Government - 30.6.17 - NIS 2,406 million, 31.12.16 - NIS 1,961 million)	2,612	2,140
USA (incl. USA Government - 30.6.17 - NIS 1,434 million, 31.12.16 - NIS 2,001 million)	1,893	2,325
France	158	314
UK	130	228
Europe - others * (30.6.17 - 3 countries; 31.12.16 - 6 countries)	305	474
Australia	26	88
Canada	83	129
Germany (incl. Germany Government or guaranteed by it - 30.6.17 - NIS 513 million, 31.12.16 - NIS 527 million)	513	582
Netherlands		66
Far East, New Zealand* and others (30.6.17 - 4 countries; 31.12.16 - 5 countries)	136	199
Total	5,856	6,545

It should be noted that there is no issuer (except the Israel Government and USA Government) whose bond balance exceeds 4% of the shareholders' equity of the Bank.

Set out below are additional details on local currency corporate bonds by sector:

		As of
	30.6.17	31.12.16
		NIS million
Financial services	39	69
Banks	216	262
Industry	34	34
Electricity and water	*508	*515
Construction and real estate	102	108
Communications and computer services	12	19
Commerce	30	20
Public and community services	5	20
Transportation	66	74
Hotels, hospitality and food services	16	15
Total	1,028	1,136

^{*} Including NIS 354 million guaranteed by the Israel Government (31.12.16 - NIS 351 million).

federal agencies Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac.

Set out below is the composition of the foreign-currency bond portfolio at the Bank Group:

- Non asset-backed bonds denominated in or linked to foreign currency-amounting to NIS 5,856 million (Dollar 1,675 million) (includes foreign corporations amounting to NIS 1,649 million, foreign currency denominated bonds of Israeli corporations, mostly traded abroad, amounting to NIS 206 million, foreign currency denominated Israel Government bonds amounting to NIS 2,406 million and foreign government bonds amounting to NIS 1,595 million). All of the foreign bonds are investment grade and 97% of the portfolio is rated A or higher; 1.9% of the exposure is to leading banking and financial institutions in OECD countries. This portfolio is diversified, in a manner whereby exposure to any single issuer does not exceed 1.2% of the total foreign currency bond portfolio. The duration (average term-to-maturity) of the foreign currency bond portfolio is 2.9 years. The balance of unrealized gross profits (included in shareholders' equity under reconciliations to fair value in respect of the presentation of securities available for sale) as of the report date in respect of this portfolio amounted to NIS 43 million (Dollar 12 million) compared with NIS 2 million (Dollar 0.5 million) on December 31, 2016.
- Mortgage Backed Securities (MBS) amount to NIS 324 million (Dollar 93 million).
 The bonds were issued by federal agencies in the USA. Of these, NIS 318 million (Dollar 91 million) were issued by Ginnie Mae, which is wholly owned by the US government. The balance of NIS 6 million (Dollar 2 million) was issued by the US

^{*} For details of total exposure to foreign countries, including Spain and Ireland, see Chpater "Credit risk management" below.

Set out below is a sensitivity analysis as of June 30, 2017 of the effect of changes in the interest rate on the rate of early repayments and the fair value of the MBS portfolio (including economic hedging of interest rate swaps):

	Change in rate	
	of early repayments	Change in fair value
	Percentage points	Dollar million
Increase of 200 base points	(4.0)	(5.6)
Increase of 100 base points	(3.4)	(2.6)
Decrease of 100 base points	11.5	1.4
Decrease of 200 base points	27.1	1.1

- **Private equity funds** - investments in private equity funds amounted to NIS 109 million (Dollar 31 million). The balance of Commitments to invest in private equity funds amounted to NIS 61 million as of June 30, 2017.

The balance of profits, net (before the tax effect), included in other cumulative comprehensive profit, in respect of the difference between the fair value of securities included in the available-for-sale portfolio and their amortized cost, as of June 30, 2017, amounted to NIS 46 million.

Cash and deposits at banks on June 30, 2017 totaled NIS 30,969 million compared with NIS 29,150 million at the end of 2016, an increase of 6.2%

Deposits from the public on June 30, 2017 totaled NIS 107,280 million compared with NIS 105,817 million at the end of 2016, an increase of 1.4%.

Set out below is the distribution of deposits from the public by linkage segments:

		As of			Segment's s deposits from	share of total the public on
	30.6.17	31.12.16	-	Change	30.6.17	31.12.16
		NIS million	NIS million	%	%	%
Local currency						
- Non-linked	81,373	77,324	4,049	5.2	75.9	73.1
- CPI-linked	6,258	6,125	133	2.2	5.8	5.8
Foreign currency denominated & linked	19,021	21,906	(2,885)	(13.2)	17.7	20.7
Non-monetary items	628	462	166	35.9	0.6	0.4
Total	107,280	105,817	1,463	1.4	100.0	100.0

Deposits from the public by segment of activity

		As of			Change
	30.6.17	31.12.16	30.6.16	31.12.16	30.6.16
			NIS million		%
Corporate banking segment	9,073	10,392	9,008	(12.7)	0.7
Middle market banking segment	5,242	5,584	5,203	(6.1)	0.7
Small and minute business segment	16,003	16,359	16,209	(2.2)	(1.3)
Household segment	45,876	45,709	45,437	0.4	1.0
Private banking segment	7,676	8,325	7,983	(7.8)	(3.8)
Institutional entities	23,410	19,448	21,476	20.4	9.0
Total	107,280	105,817	105,316	1.4	1.9

Securities portfolios belonging to customers of the Bank Group

The total of the securities portfolios of customers of the Bank Group as of June 30, 2017, amounted to NIS 287 billion, as compared to NIS 286 billion at the end of 2016.

Bonds and deferred debt notes amounted at June 30, 2017 to NIS 5,070 million, as compared with NIS 5,801 million at December 31, 2016, a decrease of 12.6%.

On February 8, 2017 the First International Issuance Ltd., a wholly owned subsidiary of the Bank, issued on private placement, subordinated capital notes with loss absorbtion mechanizm, at par value of NIS 50 million in proceed of NIS 52 million. The proceeds of the issuance of the subordinated notes was deposited at the Bank. The Bank committed to fullfil the conditions of the issued subordinated capital notes.

CAPITAL AND CAPITAL ADEQUACY

The capital attributed to the shareholders of the Bank amounted on June 30, 2017 to NIS 7,563 million, as compared with NIS 7,321 million on December 31, 2016, an increase of 3.3%.

For detailes regarding the development of the other comprehensive profit, see the Chapter "Material developments in income, expenditure and in other comprehensive profit".

CAPITAL ADEQUACY

Minimum capital ratios

Bank of Israel issued on May 30, 2013 an amendment to Proper Conduct of Banking Business Directives Nos. 201-205, 208, 211 and 299, in the matter of "Measurement and capital adequacy", which adopt the Basel instructions. The initial implementation was set to January 1, 2014, and the implementation will be gradual in accordance to the transitional instructions in Proper Conduct of Banking Business Directive No. 299 "Measurement and capital adequacy— supervisory capital — transitional instructions". In accordance with these instructions, the minimum capital targets are as follows:

- 1. The ratio of Tier I equity capital to weighted average risk assets should be no less than 9% by January 1, 2015. A banking corporation, the total consolidated stated assets of which equals or exceeds 20% of total stated assets of the banking sector as a whole, shall have to attain a minimum Tier I equity capital ratio of 10% by January 1, 2017. This additional instruction does not apply to the Bank.
- 2. The ratio of comprehensive capital to average risk assets should be no less than 12.5% by January 1, 2015. A banking corporation, the total consolidated stated assets of which equals or exceeds 20% of total stated assets of the banking sector as a whole, shall have to attain a minimum capital ratio of 13.5% by January 1, 2017. This additional instruction does not apply to the Bank.

An additional instruction was published by the Supervisor of Banks on September 28, 2014. According to this instruction and to the transitional instructions for the year 2014, an additional capital requirement was added as from January 1, 2015, to the minimum capital ratios at a rate reflecting 1% of the outstanding balance of housing loans at the reporting date. This requirement was applied gradually over eight quarters until January 1, 2017.

The internal capital goals as were set by the Board of Directors are as follows:

- In a regular business situation the capital goals will be the higher between the ratio of Tier I equity capital 9.30%, and the ratio of the comprehensive capital, 12.79%, as were set in accordance to the forecasted regulatory demand at the time of the approvement of the ICAAP process, to the actual demanded regulatory rates.
- In stress situations the ratio of Tier I equity capital shall not be less than 6.50%, and the ratio of comprehensive capital shall not be less than 9.00%.

In accordance with the transitional instructions, the supervisory adjustments and the deduction from capital as well as the minority rights, which are not qualified for inclusion in the supervisory capital, shall be gradually deducted from the capital at the rate of 20% per annum, beginning on January 1, 2014 and until January 1, 2018. Capital instruments, which are no longer qualified as supervisory capital, shall be recognized, up to the maximum of 80%, on January 1, 2014, and in each consecutive year, this maximum would be reduced by 10% until January 1, 2022. As of January 1, 2017, the rate of deductions from the regulatory capital amounts to 80%, and the maximum rate of instruments qualified as supervisory capital amounts to 50%.

Operational Efficiency

The Supervisor of banks issued a letter on January 12, 2016, in the matter of "operational efficiency of the banking sector in Israel". In accordance with the letter, the Board of Directors of the Bank has to outline a multi-annual program for the improvement of efficiency.

A banking corporation that complies with the terms of the letter would be entitled to a relief, whereby it may spread, by the "straight line" method, over a period of five years, the effect of the cost of the program for the purpose of calculating the capital adequacy.

The Board of Directors approved on November 17, 2016, a revision of the strategic program of the Bank concerning the efficiency measures aspect.

The cost of the program is estimated at NIS 207 million (before the tax effect). Without the said relief, the implementation of the efficiency measures, as of June 30, 2017 would have reduced the capital adequacy ratio by 0.17%.

Implementation of the instructions

As stated above, in accordance with Bank of Israel instructions, the Bank implements the Basel instructions.

Pillar I – Credit, market and operating risks - the Bank is implementing the standard approach in accordance with Bank of Israel instructions.

Pillar II – the Bank is required to conduct an internal process for the assessment of capital adequacy (the ICAAP process). This process is designed to ensure the maintenance of an adequate level of capital means supporting the overall risks inherent in the operations of the Bank. The ICAAP document relating to the data as of June 30, 2016, has been dully submitted to bank of Israel. The infrastructure for the capital adequacy, as approved by the Bank, serves as a basis for the internal process conducted at each of the banking subsidiaries, subject to required adjustments, and on the basis of the specific risk profile of each subsidiry. The subsidiary companies had conducted the ICAAP process in relation to the December 31, 2016 data.

			As of
		30.6.17	31.12.16
1.	Capital for calculation of capital ratio, after deduction and supervisory adjustments		
	Tier 1 capital, after deductions and supervisory adjustments	7,842	7,684
	Tier 2 capital	2,722	2,819
	Total capital	10,564	10,503
2.	Weighted balances of risk assets		
	Credit risk	69,628	69,262
	Market risk	858	748
	Operational risk	6,002	6,168
	Total weighted balances of risk assets	76,488	76,178
3.	Ratio of capital to risk assets		
	Raito of tier 1 equity capital to risk assets	10.25%	10.09%
	Total ratio of capital to risk assets	13.81%	13.79%
	Minimal ratio of equity capital tier 1 required by the Supervisor of banks	9.29%	9.25%
	Minimal ratio of capital required by the Supervisor of Banks	12.79%	12.75%

The Tier I equity capital ratio as of June 30, 2017, amounted to 10.25%, in comparison with 10.09% on December 31, 2016. The ratio of comprehensive capital to risk components as of June 30, 2017, amounted to 13.81%, in comparison with 13.79% on December 31, 2016.

The comprehensive capital as of June 30, 2017 amounted to NIS 10,564 million, in comparison with NIS 10,503 million on December 31, 2016. The increase in the capital base stemmed mostly from the profits for the quarter in the amount of NIS 317 million. This increase was partly offset by a reduction of NIS 134 million in instruments issued by the Bank qualified for inclusion in the supervisory capital and from dividend paid in the amount of NIS 140 million. Risk assets as of June 30, 2017 amounted to NIS 76,488 million as compared with NIS 76,178 million on December 31, 2016.

The comprehensive capital ratios and the Tier I equity capital ratios of the significant subsidiaries, in accordance with the "framework for measurement and capital adequacy" of Basel, are:

	June 30, 2017	December 31, 2016
		In percent
Significant subsidiaries		
Bank Otsar Hahayal Ltd.		
Ratio of Tier 1 capital to risk assets	10.90	10.63
Ratio of overall capital to risk assets	13.50	13.39
Bank Massad Ltd.		_
Ratio of Tier 1 capital to risk assets	11.91	13.17
Ratio of overall capital to risk assets	13.00	14.31

Leverage ratio in accordance with instructions of the Supervisor of Banks - On April 28, 2015, the Supervisor of Banks published Proper Conduct of Banking Business Directive No. 218 in the matter of leverage ratio. The leverage ratio is expressed in percentages and is defined as the ratio between capital measurement and exposure measurement. Capital for the purpose of measuring the leverage ratio is the Tier I equity capital, as defined in Proper Conduct of Banking Business Directive No. 202, taking into consideration the prescribed transitional arrangements. In accordance with the Directive, a banking corporation should attain a leverage ratio of no less than 5% on a consolidated basis. A banking corporation, the total consolidated stated assets of which equals or exceeds 20% of total stated assets of the banking sector as a whole, should attain a leverage ratio of no less than 6%. In accordance with the above, the minimum leverage ratio required from the Bank is 5%. The minimum leverage ratio for a banking corporation applies as from January 1, 2018 and thereafter. The leverage ratio of the Bank at June 30, 2017, amounts to 5.63%.

DIVIDEND DISTRIBUTION POLICY

On June 9, 2015, the Bank Board of Directors resolved to update the dividend distribution policy of the Bank. According to the updated dividend distribution policy, the Bank will distribute annual dividends of up to 50% of its distributable annual net earnings, subject to the Bank's ratio of capital to risk elements being no less than the target specified by the Bank's Board of Directors from time to time. Such distributions will be made subject to legislative provisions and to Proper Conduct of Banking Business Regulations, providing that no adverse changes occur in the Bank's earnings and/or business and/or financial position and/or the overall state of the economy and/or the legal environment.

This resolution is not to be construed as detracting from the Board of Directors' authority to review policy from time to time and to resolve at any time, after taking due account of business considerations and of the legislative provisions applying to the Bank, changes in policy or the rate of dividend to be distributed for a specific period, or to resolve not to distribute any dividend at all. It is clarified that any dividend distribution shall be subject to specific approval by the Board of Directors and to all the restrictions applying to the Bank regarding dividend distribution, and shall be made public with all required details in accordance with the law.

It should be noted that in addition to the provisions of the Companies Law, dividend distribution by the Bank is subject to additional restrictions that are detailed in Note 33.g. to the financial statements of 2016, which have the following change: In accordance with the letter of the Supervisor of Banks to the Bank, a dividend distribution in a rate of 40% to 50% of the net profit of the current year, the Supervisor has to be notified in advance.

Following are details regarding dividends distributed by the Bank, as from the year 2015:

Declaration date	Payment date	Total dividend paid	Dividend per share
			NIS million
9 June 2015	30 June 2015	60	0.60
18 November 2015	6 December 2015	70	0.70
17 November 2016	5 December 2016	200	1.99
15 March 2017	2 April 2017	70	0.70
23 May 2017	14 June 2017	70	0.70

Subsequent to balance sheet date, on August 14, 2017, the Board of directors of the Bank resolved as follows:

- 1. To update the dividend policy so that the annual net earnings of the Bank distributable as dividends, shall relate to the annual net earnings of the current year. All other terms of the policy remain unchanged. It is clarified herewith, that the application of the updated dividend policy in the year 2017, would take into consideration dividend distributions as from (and including) the dividend distributed on June 14, 2017.
- 2. To distribute a dividend in cash to shareholders of the Bank in a total amount of NIS 70 million. The determining date for the distribution of the dividend is August 23, 2017, and the date of payment is August 31, 2017. The amount of the dividend is before any taxes, including the tax that the Bank has to withhold in terms of the law.

SUPERVISORY SEGMENTS OF ACTIVITY

A. Definitions:

- **Private individuals** individuals, including individuals managing joint account, which at the date of the report do not have an obligation to the Bank, or their obligation were classified in the economic segment-"private individuals- housing loans and other".
- **Private banking segment** private individuals the balance of their financial asset portfolio on consolidated basis, (including monetary deposits, securities portfolios and other financial assets) exceeds NIS 3 million.
- Households private individuals except for customers included in the private banking.
- **Business** Customer which is not included in the "private individuals" definition and is not institutional body or banking entity.
- Activity turnover Annual sales turnover or annual volume of income.
- Minute business a business the turnover of which is less than NIS 10 million.
- Small business a business the turnover of which is higher than or equals NIS 10 million, and is less than NIS 50 million.
- **Middle-market business** a business the turnover of which is higher than or equals NIS 50 million, and is less than NIS 250 million.
- Large business a business the turnover of which is higher than or equals NIS 250 million.
- **Institutional entities** as defined in the Regulation of Engagement in Investment Consulting activity, Investment Marketing and Investment Portfolio Management Act, including provident funds, pension funds, further education funds, mutual trust funds, ETF's, insurance companies and stock exchange members managing customers' funds.

Where the income turnover of business customer does not represents its volume of activity, the activity of the business customer was classified according to the said below: where the total indebtness of the business customer is equal to or exceeds NIS 100 million, the customer was classified to large business segment. In addition, in commercial accounts active in the capital market the classification to customers segment is according to the value of assets in the balance sheet or average value of the assets in the Bank, and in commercial accounts active in the real estate area the classification is in accordance to the value of assets in the balance sheet or the volume of facilities.

According to the transition directive set in the FAQ file of the Bank of Israel, it was determined that business customer, which is indebtness to the bank is up to NIS 80 thousands (including credit facilities etc.) and the bank does not have information regarding its activity turnover, will be classified to the relevant supervisory segment of activity according to its total financial assets at the bank (including financial deposits, securities portfolio and other financial assets), where instead of total balance sheet assets the classification will be according to total financial assets after multiplying them by 10.

- **Financial management segment** - includes trading and asset and liability management operations as defined in the Directives of the Supervisor of Banks. The segment also includes the Bank's share in the earnings of ICC.

Principles for apportioning operating results among the different segments

- Net interest income-includes:
 - The financial margin between borrowing and lending activity, which is calculated as the spread between the interest obtained or paid and the average prices of money for the Bank, which derive from the duration of assets or liabilities in the relevant linkage segments.
 - Interest on the weighted capital attributed to the segment (on the basis of the risk assets attributed to each segment).
 - The customer segments are charged with the excess financing costs (over and above the cost of raising sources) of the capital notes attributed to the segment.
- Expenses on credit losses Expenses on credit losses which were recorded in respect of its customers are attributed to each segment of activity.

- Non-interest income Commission income, non-interest financing income and other income deriving from its customers' activity are charged to each segment of activity.
- Operating expenses Attributed to each segment of activity are the direct expenses at the branches of the Bank and the head office deriving from the provision of services to the segment's customers, according to loading methodology, as follow:
 - Direct costs include:
 - Salary and organization expenses in the branches- are loaded on the basis of the "activity index" standard, which translates activity with customers into labor inputs.
 - Computer expenses at the branches- are loaded in accordance with the number of transactions carried out by the customers.
 - Salary, organization and computer expenses of the business units at head office- are loaded in accordance with loading parameters, corresponding with the nature of activity of the customer (such as: distribution of credit balances, number and volume of transactions).
 - The indirect expenses including the expenses of the head office and computer expenses of the back office divisions and the general computer expenses which are not classified- these expenses are loaded in accordance to the nature of the expense. Most of the indirect expenses are loaded according to the distribution of the direct expenses, and the remaining expenses according to the distribution of income.
- Taxes on income The provision for taxes on the earnings of each segment is calculated in accordance with the statutory rate of tax, with certain adjustments deriving from such factors as unrecognized expenses.
- Net profit attribution to noncontrolling interests The charging of noncontrolling interests in the different segments of
 activity is calculated on the basis of the net profit of subsidiaries with noncontrolling interests, as these profit are attributed
 to the different segments of activity.

The following is a summary of the results of activity by segments:

a. Total income*

		hree months ided June 30,		•	nent's share of total income	
	2017	2016	Change	30.6.17	30.6.16	
		NIS million	%		%	
Large business segment	109	106	2.8	11.7	11.3	
Medium business segment	52	53	(1.9)	5.6	5.6	
Small and minute business segment	220	210	4.8	23.5	22.4	
Household segment	387	361	7.2	41.4	38.5	
Private banking segment	36	25	44.0	3.9	2.7	
Institutional entities	55	60	(8.3)	5.9	6.4	
Financial management segment	75	123	(39.0)	8.0	13.1	
Total	934	938	(0.4)	100.0	100.0	

		ne six months nded June 30,		•	nt's share of total income
	2017	2016	Change	30.6.17	30.6.16
		NIS million	%		%
Large business segment	220	207	6.3	11.7	11.3
Medium business segment	103	103	-	5.5	5.6
Small and minute business segment	445	414	7.5	23.6	22.5
Household segment	770	766	0.5	40.9	41.7
Private banking segment	61	51	19.6	3.2	2.8
Institutional entities	109	120	(9.2)	5.8	6.5
Financial management segment	176	176	-	9.3	9.6
Total	1,884	1,837	2.6	100.0	100.0

b. Net profit attributed to the shareholders of the bank

		For the three months ended June 30,		e six months ded June 30,	
	2017	2016	2017	2016	
		NIS million	NIS million		
Large business segment	37	10	81	64	
Medium business segment	2	4	9	20	
Small and minute business segment	26	16	51	51	
Household segment	13	4	26	5	
Private banking segment	13	-	18	3	
Institutional entities	8	(4)	15	2	
Financial management segment	52	104	117	136	
Total	151	134	317	281	

^{*} Including net interest income and non-interest income.

c. Average balance sheet balances**

			Total assets		
	For the six month	For the six months ended June 30,		% o	f total assets
	2017	2016	Change	30.6.17	30.6.16
		NIS million	%	%	%
Large business segment	17,371	18,127	(4.2)	13.5	14.3
Medium business segment	4,636	4,375	6.0	3.6	3.5
Small and minute business segment	15,315	14,568	5.1	11.9	11.5
Household segment	39,899	37,400	6.7	31.0	29.5
Private banking segment	316	421	*(24.9)	0.2	0.3
Institutional entities	601	688	(12.6)	0.5	0.5
Financial management segment	50,604	51,276	(1.3)	39.3	40.4
Total	128,742	126,855	1.5	100.0	100.0

^{*} The decline results from the sale of the activity of FIBI (Swiss), see the chapter of Investee Companies below.

		Total liabilities				
	For the six month					
		30,		% of to	tal liabilities	
	2017	2016	Change	30.6.17	30.6.16	
		NIS million	%_	%	%	
Large business segment	9,446	9,393	0.6	7.8	7.9	
Medium business segment	5,409	4,938	9.5	4.5	4.2	
Small and minute business segment	16,217	16,097	0.7	13.4	13.5	
Household segment	45,851	43,759	4.8	38.0	36.7	
Private banking segment	7,574	7,645	(0.9)	6.3	6.4	
Institutional entities	21,604	23,007	(6.1)	17.9	19.3	
Financial management segment	14,611	14,269	2.4	12.1	12.0	
Total	120,712	119,108	1.3	100.0	100.0	

^{**} The average balance of assets and liabilities in each of the customer segments expresses the average balance of credit to the public and deposits from the public respectively.

BUSSINESS SEGMENTS - SMALL AND MINUTE BUSSINESS SEGMENT, MEDIUM BUSSINESS SEGMENT AND LARGE BUSSINESS SEGMENT

Following are main data concerning Bussiness segments - Small and minute, medium and large bussiness - activity in Israel

	F	or the three m	onths ended Jun	e 30, 2017	F	or the three m	onths ended Ju	ıne 30, 2016
	Small and minute business segment	Medium business segment	Large business segment	Total	Small and minute business segment	Medium business segment	Large business segment	Total
								NIS million
Net interest income	143	36	78	257	131	33	74	238
Non-interest income	77	16	31	124	79	20	32	131
Total income	220	52	109	381	210	53	106	369
Expenses (income) from credit losses	19	21	(2)	38	33	17	34	84
Operating and other expenses	157	27	52	236	143	26	48	217
Net profit attributed to the shareholders of the Bank	26	2	37	65	16	4	10	30
Average balance of assets	15,237	4,833	17,414	37,484	14,805	4,461	18,530	37,796
Balance of credit to the public at the end of the reported period	15,349	4,809	17,940	38,098	15,001	4,495	17,516	37,012
Average balance of liabilities	16,431	5,399	8,933	30,763	16,161	4,900	9,301	30,362
Balance of deposits from the public at the end of the reported period	16,003	5,242	9,073	30,318	16,209	5,203	9,008	30,420

		For the six m	onths ended Jun	ne 30, 2017		For the six m	onths ended Ju	ne 30, 2016
	Small and minute business segment	Medium business segment	Large business segment	Total	Small and minute business segment	Medium business segment	Large business segment	Total NIS million
Net interest income	288	71	152	511	260	66	143	469
Non-interest income	157	32	68	257	154	37	64	255
Total income	445	103	220	768	414	103	207	724
Expenses (income) from credit losses	40	33	(12)	61	12	9	(15)	6
Operating and other expenses	318	53	100	471	300	54	97	451
Net profit attributed to the shareholders of the Bank	51	9	81	141	51	20	64	135
Average balance of assets	15,315	4,636	17,371	37,322	14,568	4,375	18,127	37,070
Balance of credit to the public at the end of the reported period	15,349	4,809	17,940	38,098	15,001	4,495	17,516	37,012
Average balance of liabilities	16,217	5,409	9,446	31,072	16,097	4,938	9,393	30,428
Balance of deposits from the public at the end of the reported period	16,003	5,242	9,073	30,318	16,209	5,203	9,008	30,420

Main changes in the result of activity in the first half of 2017 compared with the same period last year

Total net interest income amounted to NIS 511 million, compared with NIS 469 million in the same period last year, an increase of 9.0% explained mainly by the change in the mix of credit to the public in business segments.

The operating and other expenses amounted to NIS 471 million, compared to NIS 451 million in the corresponding period last year.

The net profit attributed to the shareholders of the Bank in respect of the small and minute, medium sized and large businesses, amounted to NIS 141 million, in comparison with NIS 135 million in the same period last year.

Credit to the public as of June 30, 2017 amounted to NIS 38,098 million, in comparison with NIS 37,012 million on June 30, 2016, an increase of 2.9 %.

Deposits from the public as of June 30, 2017 amounted to NIS 30,318 million, in comparison with NIS 30,420 million on June 30, 2016, a decrease of 0.3 %.

PRIVATE INDIVIDUALS SEGMENTS - HOUSEHOLDS AND PRIVATE BANKING

Following are main data concerning Private individuals segments - household and private banking - activity in Israel

		For the three months ended June 30, 2017				hree months une 30, 2016
	household segment	private banking segment	Total	household segment	private banking segment	Total
						NIS million
Net interest income	250	6	256	219	4	223
Non-interest income	137	14	151	142	12	154
Total income	387	20	407	361	16	377
Expenses from credit losses	14	-	14	7	-	7
Operating and other expenses	344	13	357	341	13	354
Net profit attributed to the shareholders of the Bank	13	3	16	4	1	5
Average balance of assets	40,186	45	40,231	37,777	47	37,824
Balance of credit to the public at the end of the reported period	41,111	55	41,166	38,804	46	38,850
Average balance of liabilities	45,923	7,079	53,002	43,979	6,338	50,317
Balance of deposits from the public at the end of the reported period	45,876	7,676	53,552	45,437	7,244	52,681

		For the six months ended June 30, 2017				e six months une 30, 2016
	household segment	private banking segment	Total	household segment	private banking segment	Total
	 -					NIS million
Net interest income	490	12	502	478	9	487
Non-interest income	280	28	308	288	25	313
Total income	770	40	810	766	34	800
Expenses (income) from credit losses	25	-	25	20	(1)	19
Operating and other expenses	689	27	716	720	27	747
Net profit attributed to the shareholders of the Bank	26	7	33	5	4	9
Average balance of assets	39,899	47	39,946	37,400	47	37,447
Balance of credit to the public at the end of the reported period	41,111	55	41,166	38,804	46	38,850
Average balance of liabilities	45,851	7,574	53,425	43,759	6,817	50,576
Balance of deposits from the public at the end of the reported period	45,876	7,676	53,552	45,437	7,244	52,681

Main changes in the result of activity in the first half of 2017 compared with the same period last year

Total net interest income amounted to NIS 502 million, as compared with NIS 487 million in the corresponding period last year, an increase of 3.1%. This increase is explained by an increase in interest income due to increase in the credit balances.

This increase was partialy offset by interest recognized in respect of prior years in the corresponding period last year.

Non-interest income amounted to NIS 308 million, in comparison with NIS 313 million in the corresponding period last year.

Operating and other expenses amounted to NIS 716 million, as compared to NIS 747 million in the corresponding period last year, a decrease of 4.1 %. The decrease in expenses stemming mainly from the efficiency measures including the merger and closure of branches.

The net profit attributed to the shareholders of the Bank in respect of the private individuals segment, which includes households and private banking, amounted to NIS 33 million, compared with NIS 9 million in the corresponding period last year. The growth in profits stems mainly from a decrease in other and operating expenses and from an increase in the credit activity in the Bank.

Credit to the public as of June 30, 2017 amounted to NIS 41,166 million, in comparison with NIS38,850 million on June 30, 2016, an increase of 6.0 %.

Deposits from the public as of June 30, 2017 amounted to NIS 53,552 million, in comparison with NIS 52,681 million on June 30, 2016, an increase of 1.7 %.

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SEGMENT

Total income attributed to this segment amounted to NIS 176 million in the first half of 2017 similar to the corresponding period last year.

The net earnings of the Financial Management Segment amounted to NIS 117 million compared with NIS 136 million in the corresponding period last year.

Set out below is the main factors affected the net earnings in the financial management segment:

- An increase in capital gains from the sale of buildings and equipments, which amounted to NIS 23 million.
- A decrease of NIS 33 million in the Bank's share in the profit of investee company, derived mainly from ICC's share in the proceeds from the transaction of the sale of Visa Europe shares in the corresponding period last year.

PRINCIPAL INVESTEE COMPANIES

INVESTEE COMPANIES

The Bank's investments in investee companies totaled NIS 2,389 million on June 30, 2017, compared with NIS 2,330 million on December 31, 2016, a increase of 2.5 %.

The Bank's share in the net earnings of investee companies in Israel amounted to NIS 71 million compared with NIS 101 million in the same period last year.

Bank Otsar Hahayal (hereinafter - "Otsar Hahayal") - in which the Bank holds 78.0% of the share capital and voting rights, is a commercial bank that operates via 47 branches and sub-branches.

The Bank's investment in Otsar Hahayal amounted to NIS 1,250 million on June 30, 2017. Total assets of Otsar Hahayal on June 30, 2017 amounted to NIS 21,090 million compared with NIS 20,774 million on December 31, 2016, an increase of 1.5 %. Shareholders' equity of Otsar Hahayal on June 30, 2017 amounted to NIS 1,250 million compared with NIS 1,209 million on December 31, 2016, an increase of 3.4 %.

Net earnings of Otsar Hahayal amounted to NIS 32.5 million compared with NIS 53.9 million in the same period last year, a decrease of 39.7 %.

The change in profit is mainly explained:

- A. Decrease in interest income derived from interest in respect of previous years recorded in the same period last year, partialy offset by an increase in the spread on credit and increase in the volume of activity.
- B. Increase in the expenses from credit losses derived mainly by the change in the coefficient in the collective provision and increase in the volume of the credit.

The Bank's share in the results of activity of Otsar Hahayal amounted to NIS 25.3 million compared to NIS 25.1 million in the same period last year, an increase of 0.8% (in the same period last year, the Bank's share in the results of activity of Otsar Hahayal included amortization of excess cost of acquisition ended August 17, 2016).

Net return on equity amounted to 5.4 % compared with 9.3% in the same period last year.

The ratio of capital to risk assets amounted to 13.50 % compared with 13.39% at the end of 2016. The Tier 1 equity capital ratio amounted to 10.90 % compared with 10.63% at the end of 2016.

On May 2017, The Board of Directors of Otsar Hahayal resolved after discussion of the ICAAP document regarding the evaluation of the capital adequacy, that during 2017 the overall capital ratio of Otsar Hahayal will not be less than 12.52%, and that the Tier 1 equity capital ratio will not be less than 9.30%.

Bank Massad Ltd. (hereinafter - "Massad") - in which the Bank owns 51.0% of share capital and voting rights, is a commercial bank which operates a network of 22 branches and sub-branches.

The Bank's investment in Massad amounted to NIS 294 million on June 30, 2017. Total assets of Massad on June 30, 2017 amounted to NIS 7,335 million compared with NIS 7,115 million on December 31, 2016, an increase of 3.1 %. Shareholders' equity of Massad on June 30, 2017, totaled NIS 563 million compared with NIS 577 million on December 31, 2016, a decrease of 2.4 %.

Net earnings of Massad totaled NIS 23.7 million compared with NIS 20.2 million in the same period last year, a increase of 17.3%.

The Bank's share in Massad's operating results, net of amortization of excess of cost of the acquisition, amounted to NIS 7.7 million compared with NIS 6.0 million in the same period last year, an increase of 28.3%.

In the first half of 2017, Bank Massad distributed dividends in the amount of NIS 40 million. The Bank's share in the dividend amounted to NIS 20 million.

The unamortized balance of the excess of cost of the acquisition of Massad amounted to NIS 7 million on June 30, 2017.

Net return on equity amounted to 8.2 % compared with 7.5% in the same period last year. The ratio of capital to risk assets amounted to 13.00 %, compared with 14.31% at the end of 2016. The Tier 1 capital ratio amounted to 11.91 % compare with 13.17% at the end of 2016.

In the framework of the ICAAP process for the data of December 31, 2016 the minimal capital targets were set: tier 1 equity capital ratio will not be less than 10.5% until December 31, 2019 and the comprehensive capital ratio was set gradually and will be no less than 12.85% until December 31, 2019.

Israel Credit Cards Ltd. ("ICC") - The Bank holds 28.2% of equity and 21.0% of voting rights in ICC.

ICC markets and issues credit cards and settles credit card transactions of the international Visa brand, markets and operates Diners credit cards on an exclusive basis in Israel, and also markets to an only limited extent MasterCard credit cards.

The Bank's investment in ICC amounted to NIS 535 million on June 30, 2017.

The ratio of capital to risk assets on June 30, 2017 amounted to 15.7 %, compare with 15.8% at the end of 2016.

The Bank's share in the net earnings of ICC before the tax effect amounted to NIS 29.0 million compared with NIS 67.0 million in the same period last year, a decrease of 56.7 %. The main change in the profit of ICC is explained by ICC's share in the proceeds of the transaction of the sale of Visa Europe shares which was recorded in the corresponding period last year.

In the first half of 2017, ICC distributed as dividend an amount of NIS 30 million. The Bank's share amounted to NIS 8 million.

See note 9 regarding motions for approval of class actions against ICC, a motion for approval of a derivative lawsuit against officers and functionaries officiating at ICC during the relevant period.

FIBI (Switzerland) – Following that stated in Note 18A to the financial statements for the year 2016 – "Assets and liabilities held for sale" - FIBI (Switzerland) Ltd., a subsidiary of the Bank (hereinafter – "the extension"), signed on December 19, 2016, an agreement for the sale of its operations to a third party (hereinafter – : the agreement"). The transaction was consummated on June 2, 2017, following the transfer to the purchaser of most of the assets of customers of the extension. On this date, the extension received a payment of SFR 3.6 million (before taxes and expenses) on account of the total amount of the consideration stated in the agreement. The balance of the consideration for the sale is subject to the value of the assets of customers of the extension remaining with the purchaser at the end of one year following the date of consummation of the transaction.

Concurrently with the consummation of the sale, the extension continues the process of terminating its banking activity at the earliest date.

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REVIEW OF RISKS

This chapter was written in great detail in the financial statements for 2016. Therefore, it should be read together with the chapter of the risk review published in the annual reports for 2016. Additional information about the risks can be found on the report on risks and additional supervisory reporting in the Bank's internet website.

General

- a. The Group's activity is accompanied by exposure to risks, the most significant of which are: credit risk (including concentration of economy segments and borrowers), market risk, for which the main risk is the interest risk, liquidity risk, operational risk, compliance risk and ALM risk, strategy risk, legal risk and reputation risk. Members of the Board of Management are responsible for management of these risks. With respect to credit risk, market risk and operational risk, a regulatory requirement for capital adequacy in accordance with the Pillar 1 Basel directives exists. Within the ICAAP process, the Group performs an in-depth process of identifying additional risks focal and challenging the risks focal identified in the first pillar. If needed the Group makes an additional capital allocation in respect of Pillar 1 risks and other risks.
- b. The Group's risk management policy is directed at achieving the strategic and business objectives defined by the Group and at increasing its earnings expectancy by developing areas of specialization at the Group, exploiting economies of diversity and scale, keeping to the levels of risk which have been approved, and by operating suitable management, control and reporting mechanisms.
- c. The overall risk perceptive of the Group is in line with the regulatory framework set by the Supervisor of Banks and in line with the Sound Practices of the Basel Committee, based on the principal that every banking activity involving risk, the following will be defined and characterized: risk policy and appetite, limitations for bordering and defining the volume of exposure, control and auditing circles, reporting arrangement and earnings estimation mechanism, its measurement and reporting according to acceptable standard.
- d. Risk management and control at the Group are implemented by means of a suitable infrastructure of control, supervision, review and auditing mechanisms, and are applied via three lines of defense: The first line of defense consists of those responsible for the creation and management of risk. The second line is maintained by units of the Risk Management Division and Chief Accountant by means of independent control. The third line consists of the internal and external auditing functions.
- e. Chief Risk Manager and member of Management in charge of the risk management division and across the organization risk management infrastructure- Mr. Bentzi Adiri CPA.
- f. Those responsible for risk management at the Group are:
 - Mr. Ilan Batzri CPA, Head of the Business Division-serves as Credit Risk Manager;
 - Mr. Avi Sterenshous- head of the financial sub-division- serves as financial risk manager;
 - Mr. Yaacov Konortov- compliance manager, including, among other things AML, internal enforcement and cross border risks;
 - Mr. Yossi Levi- head of resources division- Strategic risk manager;
 - Mr. Ron Grisaro the CEO of MATAF serves as the IT risk manager as from June 4, 2017 (until June 3, 2017, Mrs. Iris Levanon served as the stand-in for the CEO and IT risk officer).
 - Mr. Yehoshua Peleg, manager of cyber defense and information security- cyber risks manager;
 - Adv. Dalia Blank, Chief Legal Counsel-Legal Risk Manager;
 - Nachman Nitzan, CPA- head of the chief accounting division- reputation risk manager;
 - Bentzi Adiri CPA- operational risk manager, supervisor of the internal enforcement and manager of business continuity. In addition, the cyber risks manager is subordinated to him.

- g. Additional risks to which the Bank is exposed- regulatory and legislative risks are managed and supervised as part of overall business management members of the Board of Management and department heads in the areas for which they are responsible.
- h. Risk management is carried out at each banking subsidiary in the Group separately, in accordance with the policy determined by the subsidiary's board of directors on the basis of Group policy, and on the basis of Group risk management methodology with an emphasis on the special nature of each subsidiary's activity. A Chief Risk Manager was appointed at each banking subsidiary, subordinate to the subsidiary's CEO and guided professionally by the Bank's Chief Risk Manager.
- i. Every quarter, the Risk Management Division, which is independent of the risk-taking units, compiles a risks document which is presented to the Management of the Bank, the Risk Management Committee and the Board of Directors of the Bank.
- j. The risks document contains an examination of all the risks to which the Bank Group is exposed in the course of its activity, with details of the findings at the specific risk level as well as the results of stress scenarios that were conducted.
 Presented in the document is the Chief Risk Manager's review of the risk management situation at the group and of the effectiveness and the quality of the risk management. Also reviewed in the document are developments in the business environment and in the financial markets, and the measures taken by the division with respect to the main process involved with the different types of risks and special action which the division took during the relevant quarter.
- k. The Bank applies stress scenarios for reviewing capital adequacy. In this respect, the Bank examines the effect of the materialization of risk on the capital base and the ratio of capital to risk assets. The scenarios which the Bank operates are forward looking and are used as an additional tool for risk management and for indication for the capital required for loss absorbent in case of major crisis. The importance of the stress scenarios come into effect in the planning of capital.

For discussion of the risk appetite and risk management principles, see reference in the description of principal risks, presented in the financial statements for the year 2016.

For detailed information regarding risk, provided in accordance with the disclosure requirements of Pillar III of Basel, and additional information regarding risks - see additional supervisory disclosure and report on risks on the Internet website of the Bank.

CREDIT RISK

Significant exposures to borrower groups

As of June 30, 2017 there is no borrower group which its indebtness on consolidated basis, after deductions of permissible deduction according to section 5 of directive 313, exceeds 15% of the bank's capital, calculated according to to directive of Proper Conduct of Banking Business regulation concerning measurement and capital adequacy.

Credit quality and problematic credit risk

Problematic credit risk, including off-balance-sheet components, totaled NIS 2,040 million compared with NIS 2,069 million at the end of 2016, a decrease of 1.4%

The ratio of problematic credit risk to total credit risk at the group amounted to 1.8%, similar to the end of 2016. 17.6% of problematic credit risk at the group are attributed to the manufacturing sector, 10.0% to the real estate sector, 22.0% to the commerce sector, 13.1% to the public services sector, and 25.4% to the private customers including housing loans. The ratio of problematic credit risk to total credit to the public amounted to 2.3 %, similar to the end of 2016.

1. Problematic credit risk

		June	30, 2017		June	30, 2016		Decembe	r 31, 2016
	Balance- sheet	Off- balance- sheet	Total	Balance- sheet	Off- balance- sheet	Total	Balance- sheet	Off- balance- sheet	Total
									NIS million
Impaired credit risk	757	137	894	752	231	983	582	174	756
Inferior credit risk	197	9	206	185	17	202	475	21	496
Credit under special supervision risk	847	93	940	595	70	665	740	77	817
Total problematic credit risk*	1,801	239	2,040	1,532	318	1,850	1,797	272	2,069
* Of which: Non-impaired debts in arrears of 90 days or more	204	-	204	222	-	222	221	-	221

		Bala	nce on	Balance on	Balance on
		Ju	ıne 30,	June 30,	
			2017	2016	December 31, 2016
					NIS million
2.	Non-performing assets				
	Impaired credit to the public not accruing interest income		701	715	541
3.	Performing impaired assets				
	Impaired debts undergoing problematic debts restructuring and accruing interest income		51	28	36
	Impaired bonds accruing interest income		5	9	5
	Total performing impaired assets		56	37	41

		For the three mo	nths ended June 30	For the six mo	nths ended June 30	For the year ended December 31
		2017	2016	2017	2016	2016
						NIS million
4.	Changes in impaired debts					
	Balance of impaired debts at beginning of year	744	758	577	764	764
	Classified as impaired	95	91	386	179	243
	Removed from impaired classification	-	(5)	(33)	(53)	(61)
	Collection of debts	(51)	(80)	(100)	(117)	(258)
	Accounting write-offs	(36)	(21)	(78)	(30)	(111)
	Balance of impaired debts at end of period	752	743	752	743	577

			six months led June 30	For the year ended December 31
		2017	2016	2016
5.	Risk Indices			
	Ratio of impaired credit to the public or in arrears of 90 days + to total credit to the public	1.2%	1.3%	1.0%
	Of which:			
	Ratio of impaired credit to the public to total credit to the public	0.9%	1.0%	0.7%
	Ratio of non-impaired credit to the public in arrears of 90 days+ to total credit to the public	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%
	Ratio of problematic credit risk in respect of the public to overall credit risk in respect of the public	1.8%	1.6%	1.8%
	Ratio of expenses for credit losses to average total credit to the public*	0.22%	0.07%	0.10%
	Ratio of net write-offs in respect of credit to the public to average total credit to the public*	0.23%	0.01%	0.09%

The increase in the rate of the impaired credit to the public from the credit to the public in the first half of the year compared with the year ended December 31, 2016, is explained by a classification of a borrower from inferior credit to impaired credit.

The increase in the expenses for credit losses out of the average recorded balance of credit to the public, is due to an increase in the collective provision for the expenses in credit losses. In the first half of 2017 the collective provision amounted to NIS 71 million, compared with NIS 10 million in the corresponding period last year.

Provision for credit losses

The Bank operates in the subject of expenses for credit losses and problematic debts according to the directives of the Supervisor of Banks that went into effect on January 1, 2011 and its amendments since that date. The Bank estimates, forecasts and updates the level of provision for credit losses in each calendar year, according to the economic forecasts, estimates regarding the different markets and past experience.

For additional information regarding provisions for credit losses see note 6 to the financial statements.

	Balance on	Balance on	Balance on	
	June 30, 2017	June 30, 2016	December 31, 2016	
Ratio of provision for credit losses in respect of credit to the public to credit to the public	1.06%	1.11%	1.08%	
Ratio of provision for credit losses in respect of credit to the public to total impaired credit to the public	112.4%	115.5%	146.8%	
Ratio of provision for credit losses in respect of credit to the public to impaired credit to the public plus credit to the public in arrears of 90 days or more	88.4%	88.9%	106.1%	
Ratio of net write-offs in respect of credit to the public to provision for credit losses in respect of credit to the public*	22.7%	0.70%	7.9%	

^{*} Annualized.

Total credit risk according to economic sectors

(NIS million)

Interspect of borrowers in Israel Parish										as at Ju	ne 30, 2017
Part			Tot	al credit risk ⁽¹⁾			Debts ⁽²⁾ a	and off-balanc	e credit risk (e	xcluding de	rivatives) ⁽³⁾
Per									-	Cre	dit losses ⁽⁴⁾
Public Commercial: Agriculture S57 492 24 553 417 24 4 (1) Agriculture S57 492 24 553 417 24 4 (1) Agriculture Mining and quarrying 163 162 1 71 58 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0		Total	execution		Total			Impaired	(income) for credit	write-	Provision for Credit losses
Agriculture 557 492 24 553 417 24 4 (1)	In respect of borrowers in Israel	_									
Mining and quarrying 163 162 1 71 58 1 Industry 10,201 9,463 360 9,950 7,616 360 149 16 27 1 1	Public-Commercial:										
Industry 10,201 9,463 360 9,950 7,616 360 149 16 27 1 Construction and Real estate- construction? 9,621 9,156 106 9,573 3,832 105 66 2 6 Construction? 9,621 9,156 106 9,573 3,832 105 66 2 6 Construction and Real estate- real estate activities 5,201 4,978 97 5,114 4,595 97 87 (7) (4) Electricity and water supply 1,393 1,322 8 800 685 8 5 2 - Commerce 6,533 7,675 449 8,161 7,128 449 176 48 42 1 Hotels, hospitality and food services 973 879 24 956 789 24 7 2 9 9 Hotels, hospitality and food services 1973 879 24 956 789 24 7 2 9 9 Hotels, hospitality and food services 1,057 964 49 955 770 44 10 3 1 1 Information and communications 2,274 4,181 37 2,181 1,160 37 13 (7) (5) Financial services 13,323 12,925 267 9,895 7,459 267 228 12 - Public and community services 2,675 2,468 83 6 2,631 1,738 69 9 3 2 - Public and community services 2,557 2,468 83 6 2,631 1,738 86 9 3 2 - Public and community services 2,552 2,376 55 2,501 1,906 55 21 (2) (2) Total commercial® 58,488 55,041 1,513 53,596 83,133 1,507 775 71 76 6 2 Public and community services 30,019 28,929 345 29,994 18,555 345 82 22 21 2 Private individuals - housing loans 23,605 23,083 174 23,625 22,373 174 24 (1) - 1 Private individuals - others 30,019 28,922 345 29,994 18,555 345 82 22 21 2 Banks in Israel 1,142 1,142 7,721 721 Final activity in Israel 12,240 10,6416 2,032 107,215 79,061 2,026 881 92 97 5 Banks in Israel 1,142 1,142 7,721 721 721 Industry 577 577 478 477 7 - 1 (1) (2) Construction and Real estate- real estate activities 52 52 52 52 (1) (1) (1) Construction and Real estate- real estate activities 52 52 52 52 (1) (1) (1) Private individuals - others 1 1,149	Agriculture	557	492	24	553	417	24	4	(1)	-	9
Construction and Real estate- real estate activities S, 201 A, 978 Final P, 122 S, 201 S,	Mining and quarrying	163	162	1	71	58	1	-	-	-	-
construction off each estate - real estate activities	Industry	10,201	9,463	360	9,950	7,616	360	149	16	27	138
real estate activities		9,621	9,156	106	9,573	3,832	105	66	2	6	86
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Banks in Israel 1,142 1,142 1,142 7 721 721 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7		30,019	28,292		29,994						246
State Stat	Total public - activity in Israel	112,142	106,416	2,032	107,215	79,081	2,026	881	92	97	911
Total activity in Israel 122,902 117,176 2,032 108,587 80,448 2,026 881 92 97 97 97 98 99 99 99 99	Banks in Israel	-	1,142	-	721	721	-	-	-	-	-
In respect of borrowers abroad Public-Commercial:	Israeli government	9,618	9,618		651	646			<u> </u>	-	
Public-Commercial: Mining and quarrying 72 72 72 73 74 75 75 75 75 75 75 75	Total activity in Israel	122,902	117,176	2,032	108,587	80,448	2,026	881	92	97	911
Mining and quarrying 72 72	In respect of borrowers abroad										
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Construction and Real estate -	Mining and quarrying	72	72	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Financial services 1,196 1,196 - 338 337 Other business services	· -			8			•	٥	-	-	-
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Public and community services 105 105 -		1,196	1,190	-	330	33/	-	-	- (2)	- (2)	1
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				-			-	-	-	-	-
Total 129,264 123,530 2,040 110,691 82,544 2,034 889 87 91 9									87		914

See note on page 48.

Total credit risk according to economic sectors (Cont'd)

(NIS million)

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		Tot	al credit risk ⁽¹⁾			Debts ⁽²⁾ a	and off-balanc	e credit risk (e	excluding de	rivatives) ⁽³
									Cre	dit losses ⁽⁴
	Total	Credit execution rating ⁽⁵⁾	Problematic (6)	Total	Of which: Debts ⁽²⁾	Problematic (6)	Impaired	Expenses (income) for credit losses	Net charge- offs	Provision for Credit losses
In respect of borrowers in Israel	-									
Public-Commercial:										
Agriculture	533	447	16	528	409	16	7	3	1	6
Mining and quarrying	172	170	-	75	64	-	-	-	-	
Industry	11,104	10,353	347	10,841	8,243	347	265	(38)	(2)	176
Construction and Real estate - construction ⁽⁷⁾	9,906	9,434	202	9,834	3,669	201	158	1	(7)	89
Construction and Real estate - real estate activities	5,298	5,050	99	5,181	4,663	99	79	(3)	(2)	20
Electricity and water supply	1,380	1,360	2	818	507	2	_	(1)	(1)	4
Commerce	9,085	7,981	489	8,999	7,531	489	274	40	6	191
Hotels, hospitality and food services	922	695	29	920	773	29	15	1	_	18
Transport and storage	1,022	911	25	906	736	16	6	_	_	11
Information and communications	2,504	2,274	44	2,368	1,248	44	22	1	_	13
Financial services	13,185	13,034	8	9,434	6,556	8	2	(3)	_	21
Other business services	2,215	1,951	26	2,180	1,322	26	10	-	(2)	11
Public and community services	2,224	1,971	42	2,190	1,662	42	18	2	2	9
Total commercial ⁽⁸⁾	59,550	55,631	1,329	54,274	37,383	1,319	856	3	(5)	569
Private individuals - housing loans	22,443	21,859	195	22,443	21,092	195	18	7	1	125
Private individuals - others	28,500	26,948	309	28,464	17,430	309	83	12	7	226
Total public - activity in Israel	110,493	104,438	1,833	105,181	75,905	1,823	957	22	3	920
Banks in Israel	1,784	1,784	- 1,033	1,185	1,185	1,023		-		320
	10,359	10,359	_	648	647	_	-	_	_	
Israeli government Total activity in Israel	122,636	116,581	1,833	107,014	77,737	1,823	957	22	3	920
	122,030	110,381	1,833	107,014	77,737	1,823	337	22		320
In respect of borrowers abroad										
Public-Commercial:	1.4	1.4		4.4	0					
Agriculture	14	14	-	14	9	-	-	-	-	
Mining and quarrying	12	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Industry Construction and Real estate -	294	294	-	270	261	-	-	2	-	3
construction	23	23	-	23	3	-	-	-	-	1
Construction and Real estate - real estate activities	233	223	9	233	232	9	9	-	-	3
Electricity and water supply	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Commerce	93	93	-	91	51	-	-	-	-	
Hotels, hospitality and food services	9	9	-	9	9	-	-	-	-	
Transport and storage	17	9	8	17	9	8	8	-	-	
Information and communications	25	25	-	6	4	-	-	-	-	
Financial services*	973	973	-	345	313	-	-	1	-	1
Other business services	311	311	-	311	113	-	-	-	-	2
Public and community services	117	117		-						
Total commercial	2,121	2,103	17	1,319	1,004	17	17	3		10
Private individuals - others	126	126		123	46			-	-	1
Total public - activity abroad	2,247	2,229	17	1,442	1,050	17	17	3		11
Banks abroad	4,675	4,675	-	2,299	2,299	-	-	-	-	
Foreign governments	1,837	1,837		-						
Total activity abroad	8,759	8,741	17	3,741	3,349	17	17	3	-	11
Total public	112,740	106,667	1,850	106,623	76,955	1,840	974	25	3	931
Total banks	6,459	6,459	-	3,484	3,484	-	-	-	-	
Total governments	12,196	12,196	-	648	647	-	-	-	-	
Total	131,395	125,322	1,850	110,755	81,086	1,840	974	25	3	931

See note on page 48.

Total credit risk according to economic sectors (Cont'd)

(NIS million)

						- (0)			s at Decemb	
		Tot	al credit risk ⁽¹⁾			Debts(2) a	and off-balanc	e credit risk (e		
									Cre	dit losses ⁽⁴⁾
	Total	Credit execution rating ⁽⁵⁾	Problematic (6)	Total	Of which: Debts ⁽²⁾	Problematic (6)	Impaired	Expenses (income) for credit losses	Net charge- offs	Provision for Credit losses
In respect of borrowers in Israel										
Public-Commercial:										
Agriculture	543	493	25	542	437	25	7	8	2	10
Mining and quarrying	151	148	-	67	55	-	-	-	-	
Industry	10,601	9,960	344	10,348	7,378	344	182	(32)	26	150
Construction and Real estate - $construction^{(7)}$	9,673	9,207	167	9,627	3,439	166	119	(13)	(22)	90
Construction and Real estate - real estate activities	5,450	5,261	91	5,363	4,817	91	78	(3)	(4)	23
Electricity and water supply	1,512	1,447	3	944	686	3	2	1	-	5
Commerce	9,118	8,257	485	9,030	7,875	485	194	58	33	182
Hotels, hospitality and food services	914	785	30	897	743	30	15	3	3	18
Transport and storage	1,060	962	33	951	764	28	6	3	-	13
Information and communications	2,491	2,402	50	2,398	1,378	50	19	_	(2)	13
Financial services	13,311	12,961	242	9,764	7,221	242	2	6	2	31
Other business services	2,431	2,256	27	2,388	1,521	27	6	2	-	12
Public and community services	2,351	2,191	48	2,314	1,706	48	21	2	1	10
Total commercial ⁽⁸⁾	59,606	56,330	1,545	54,633	38,020	1,539	651	35	39	557
Private individuals - housing loans	22,893	22,292	174	22,893	21,741	174	8	2	6	115
Private individuals - others	29,120	27,112	342	29,094	17,937	342	84	47	24	245
Total public - ectivity in Israel	111,619	105,734	2,061	106,620	77,698	2,055	743	84	69	917
Banks in Israel	946	946		481	481					
Israeli government	10,535	10,535	-	659	654	-	_	_	_	
Total activity in Israel	123,100	117,215	2,061	107,760	78,833	2,055	743	84	69	917
In respect of borrowers abroad						,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,				
Public-Commercial:										
Mining and quarrying	12	12	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Industry	259	259	_	228	228	_	_	_	(1)	
Construction and Real estate - construction	3	3	-	3	3	_	-	-	-	
Construction and Real estate -										
real estate activities	49	49	-	49	48	-	-	(4)	(1)	
Commerce	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Transport and storage	17	9	8	17	8	8	8	-	-	
Information and communications	17	17	-	5	4	-	-	-	-	-
Financial services*	1,274	1,274	-	189	186	-	-	-	-	1
Public and community services	77	77		-				-	-	
Total commercial	1,711	1,703	8	491	477	8	8	(4)	(2)	1
Private individuals - others	6	6		1						
Total public - ectivity abroad	1,717	1,709	8	492	477	8	8	(4)	(2)	1
Banks abroad	3,797	3,797	-	1,443	1,443	-	-	-	-	
Foreign governments	2,160	2,160								
Total activity abroad	7,674	7,666	8	1,935	1,920	8	8	(4)	(2)	1
Total public	113,336	107,443	2,069	107,112	78,175	2,063	751	80	67	918
Total banks	4,743	4,743	-	1,924	1,924	-	-	-	-	
Total governments	12,695	12,695		659	654					
Total	130,774	124,881	2,069	109,695	80,753	2,063	751	80	67	918

See note on page 48.

Total credit risk according to economic sectors (Cont'd)

NOTES:

- Of which, NIS 324 million of investments in mortgage-backed bonds (30.6.16 NIS 433 million, 31.12.16 NIS 409 million).
- (1) Balance sheet credit risk and off-balance sheet credit risk, including in respect of derivative instruments. Includes debts, bonds, securities borrowed, assets in respect of derivative instruments and credit risk in off-balance sheet financial instruments, as calculated for the purpose of the limit on borrower indebtedness, in the amount of NIS 82,544, 12,875, 903, 1,295 and 31,647 million respectively (30.6.16 NIS 81,086, 14,715, 602, 1,480 and 33,512 million respectively, 31.12.16 NIS 80,753, 15,598, 414, 1,332 and 32,677 million respectively).
- (2) Credit to the public, credit to governments, deposits with banks and other debts excluding bonds.
- (3) Credit risk in off-balance sheet financial instruments, as calculated for the purpose of the limit on borrower indebtedness, excluding in respect of derivative instrument.
- (4) Including in respect of off-balance sheet credit instruments (presented in the balance sheet under the item "other liabilities").
- (5) Credit risk wherein the credit rating at the date of the report, congruent with the credit rating for the execution of new credit, according to the policy of the Bank. The increase in the volume of the credit rated in comparison to the first quarter of 2016 is explained by improvement in the Bank's credit rating systems.
- (6) Balance sheet and off-balance sheet credit risk that is impaired, substandard, or under special supervision, including in respect of housing loans for which an provision based on the extent of arrears exists, and housing loans for which an provision based on the extent of arrears does not exist, which are in arrears of 90 days or more.
- (7) Including balance sheet credit risk amounting to NIS 238 million, and non-utilized credit facilities amounting to NIS 505 million, in respect of loans extended to certain purchasing groups currently in the process of construction (30.6.16 NIS 328 million and NIS 934 million, respectively, 31.12.16 NIS 247 million and NIS 700 million, respectively).
- (8) The balance of commercial debts includes housing loans in the amount of NIS 2,317 million, combined in the transaction and collateral position of commercial borrowers or those extended to certain purchasing groups currency in the process of constructions (30.6.16 NIS 2,101 million, 31.12.16 NIS 2,058 million).

Counter-party credit risk management

Present credit exposure to counter-parties that are foreign financial institutions

Most of the Bank Group's credit exposure to foreign financial institutions is to banks, mainly the banking systems in Western Europe and North America. The exposure to other financial institutions is negligible.

Present credit exposure to foreign financial institutions,(1) consolidated

External credit rating		As of J	une 30, 2017		As of Decem	ber 31, 2016
	Balance-sheet credit risk ⁽²⁾	Current Off- balance-sheet credit risk ⁽³⁾	Aggregate credit risk	Balance-sheet credit risk ⁽²⁾	Current Off- balance-sheet credit risk ⁽³⁾	Aggregate credit risk
			NIS million			NIS million
AAA to AA-	588	98	686	945	100	1,045
A+ to A-	1,301	66	1,367	1,161	14	1,175
BBB+ to BBB-	36	9	45	205	14	219
BB+ to B-	97	1	98	64	-	64
Unrated	4	9	13	55	8	63
Total credit exposure to foreign financial institutions	2,026	183	2,209	2,430	136	2,566
Of which: Balance of problem loans ⁽⁴⁾	-	-	-	-	-	-

NOTES:

- (1) Foreign financial institutions include: banks, investment banks, brokers/dealers, insurance companies, institutional investors and entities under their control.
- (2) Deposits at banks, credit to the public, investments in bonds, securities that have been lent and other assets in respect of derivative instruments.
- (3) Mainly guarantees and liabilities for the granting of credit, including guarantees for securing third-party indebtedness.
- (4) Credit risk that is impaired, inferior or under special supervision.
- (5) For the purpose of rating the financial institutions, the Bank used the ratings that were determined for the purpose of applying the Basel standardized approach. The Bank uses the rating of S&P for rating the foreign financial institutions to which credit exposure exists. When no S&P rating is available, the Bank uses the ratings of other rating agencies.

GENERAL NOTES:

- a. Credit positions and problematic loans balances are presented after deduction of the provision for credit losses.
- b. The credit positions do not include exposures to financial institutions that have an explicit and full government guarantee, and do not include investments in asset-backed securities.
- c. For further information regarding the composition of credit positions in respect of derivative instruments against banks and (local and foreign) dealers/brokers, see Note 10 to the financial statements. Off-balance-sheet credit risk in respect of transactions in derivative financial instruments which were conducted with foreign financial institutions as calculated for the purpose of borrower indebtedness restrictions totaled NIS 262 million on June 30, 2017 (December 31, 2016 NIS 322 million).

The conservative risk appetite defined by the Board of Directors of the Bank is reflected by the distribution of the exposure of credit to financial institutions that are almost entirely graded at high ratings.

The Group also manages counter-party positions by means of netting agreements, which significantly reduce the risk to the Group's income and capital in situations of repayment default by these institutions.

Most of the Group's present credit exposure (93%) is attributed to leading financial institutions in OECD countries, which are graded AAA to A-, and 31% of the total exposure is rated in the range between AAA to AA-.

The Group's balance-sheet credit exposure to foreign financial institutions includes NIS 111 million investment in foreign currency bonds. All these bonds are investment grade bonds, 78% of which are rated A- or higher. The average duration of the portfolio is two years.

In addition, balance-sheet credit risk includes NIS 1.6 billion of deposits placed with foreign banks, mainly for a short period of a day to a week.

As of June 30, 2017 there is no country in which the credit exposure to sovereigns of the Bank group exceeding 15% of the Bank's equity capital, which amounted to NIS 1,556 million (as defined in Proper Conduct of Banking Business Regulation No. 202 concerning capital components).

Exposure to foreign countries

Balance-sheet exposure to foreign countries consists of deposits, bonds, credit to the public and the fair value of financial instruments.

Off-balance-sheet exposure consists of guarantees, off-balance-sheet credit risk with respect to financial derivatives and unutilized facilities.

A. Information regarding total exposures to foreign countries⁽¹⁾ and exposures to countries where total exposure to each country is greater than 1% of total assets or greater than 20% of capital, whichever is lower ⁽⁵⁾

	·				As	at June 30, 2017
	· ·				Balance sl	heet exposure(2)
	Cross-bo	rder balance sh	eet exposure	Bank's	Balance sheet foreign subsidiaries t	exposure of the o local residents
	to Governments (4)	To Banks	To Others	Before deduction for local liabilities	Deduction for local liabilities	Net of local liabilities
United States	1,877	1,147	733	-	-	-
Spain	-	2	4	-	-	-
Italy	-	1	10	-	-	-
Ireland	-	-	1	-	-	-
Portugal	-	-	1	-	-	-
Other	36	1,362	1,746	179	2	177
Total exposure to foreign countries	1,913	2,512	2,495	179	2	177
Total exposure to LDC countries	-	2	162		_	-

⁽¹⁾ On the basis of final risk, after effect of guarantees, liquid collateral and credit derivatives.

⁽²⁾ Balance sheet and off-balance sheet credit risk, problematic credit risk and impaired loans are presented before the effect of provision for credit losses and before the effect of deductible collateral for the purpose of indebtedness of borrower and group of borrowers.

⁽³⁾ Off-balance sheet credit risk as calculated for the purpose of the limits on indebtedness of borrower.

⁽⁴⁾ Governments, Official authorities and Central Banks.

⁽⁵⁾ Information regarding exposures to the countries: Portugal, Ireland, Italy, Spain and Greece is given.

		e sheet exposure ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	Off-Balance			
nce sheet exposure ⁽²⁾	Cross-border balar					
Maturity over one year	Maturity up to one year	Of which: off-balance sheet problematic credit risk	Total off- balance sheet exposure	Impaired debt	Problematic balance sheet credit risk	Total balance sheet exposure
481	3,276	-	86	1	2	3,757
1	5	-	14	-	-	6
2	9	-	2	-	-	11
1	-	-	1	-	-	1
-	1	-	-	-	-	1
398	2,746	-	605	-	5	3,321
883	6,037	-	708	1	7	7,097
17	147	-	109		1	164

					AS	at June 30, 2016
					Balance sh	neet exposure(2)
	Cross-bo	rder balance sh	eet exposure	Bank's	Balance sheet foreign subsidiaries t	exposure of the o local residents
	to Governments (4)	To Banks	To Others	Before deduction for local liabilities	Deduction for local liabilities	Net of local liabilities
United States	2,142	1,606	585	-	-	-
JK	116	949	267	-	-	-
Spain	-	4	3	-	-	-
taly	80	-	43	-	-	-
reland	-	-	17	-	-	-
Greece	-	-	-	-	-	-
Portugal	-	-	1	-	-	-
Other	156	1,632	901	250	27	223
Total exposure to foreign countries	2,494	4,191	1,817	250	27	223
		4,191 82	1,817 216			
					- As at Dec	 -
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		82	216	-	As at Dec Balance st Balance sheet	cember 31, 2016 neet exposure ⁽²⁾ exposure of the
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		sheet exposure ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	Off-Balance			
nce sheet exposure ⁽²⁾	Cross-border balar					
Maturity over one year	Maturity up to one year	Of which: off-balance sheet problematic credit risk	Total off- balance sheet exposure	Impaired debt	Problematic balance sheet credit risk	Total balance sheet exposure
1,065	3,268	-	77	-	1	4,333
269	1,063	-	135	9	10	1,332
2	5	-	25	-	-	7
4	119	-	3	-	-	123
13	4	-	1	-	-	17
-	-	-	1	-	-	-
-	1	-	-	-	-	1
1,243	1,446	-	341	6	23	2,912
2,596	5,906	-	583	15	34	8,725
30	268		83		6	298

		sheet exposure ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	Off-Balance			
nce sheet exposure ⁽²⁾	Cross-border balar					
Maturity over one year	Maturity up to one year	Of which: off-balance sheet problematic credit risk	Total off- balance sheet exposure	Impaired debt	Problematic balance sheet credit risk	Total balance sheet exposure
1,071	2,711	-	89	1	5	3,782
1	6	-	31	-	-	7
4	95	-	3	-	-	99
-	14	-	1	-	-	14
-	-	-	1	-	-	-
-	2	-	-	-	1	2
1,080	2,952	-	650	5	18	4,245
2,156	5,780	=	775	6	24	8,149
18	266	-	109	_	1	284

B. Information regarding countries where total exposure to each country is between 0.75% and 1% of total consolidated assets, or between 15% and 20% of capital, whichever is lower (NIS million) Balance-sheet exposures:

Balance-sheet balances	Balance-sheet balances	Balance-sheet balances
December 31, 2016	June 30, 2016	June 30, 2017
United Kingdom 880	-	United Kingdom 803

C. Information regarding balance-sheet exposure to foreign countries with liquidity problems

									For the	three month	ns ended
		June 30, 2017					L7 Ju				
	Greece	Ireland	Portugal	Puerto Rico	Venezuela	Hungary	Cyprus	Iceland	Romania	Portugal	Puerto Rico
Total exposure at beginning of the reported period	1	12	2	4	2	1	-	10	5	2	2
Short-term changes in total exposure, net	(1)	(11)	-	(1)	-	-	-	-	(2)	(1)	1
Additional exposures	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-
Other changes (incl. provisions and write- offs)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(8)	-	-	-
Total exposure at end of the reported period	-	1	2	3	2	1	6	2	3	1	3

									For t	he six month	s ended	
		June 30, 2017					June 3					
	Puerto										Puerto	
	Greece	Ireland	Portugal	Rico	Venezuela	Hungary	Cyprus	Iceland	Romania	Portugal	Rico	
Total exposure at beginning of the reported period	-	14	2	2	2	1	-	10	4	1	3	
Short-term changes in total exposure, net	-	(13)	-	1	-	-	-	-	(1)	-	-	
Additional exposures	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	
Other changes (incl. provisions and write- offs)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(8)	-	-	-	
Total exposure at end of the reported period	-	1	2	3	2	1	6	2	3	1	3	

		Year ended December 31,								
	Cyprus	Ireland	Portugal	Rico	Venezuela					
Total exposure at beginning of the reported year	-	19	1	3	2					
Short-term changes in total exposure, net	(6)	(5)	1	(1)	-					
Additional exposures	6	-	-	-	-					
Total exposure at end of the reported year	-	14	2	2	2					

Risks in the Housing loans portfolio

Mortgage activity at the Bank Group

Exclusive of refinancing transactions, the Bank extended mortgages to the public at an overall amount of NIS 1,854 million in the first half of 2017 compared with NIS 2,416 million in the same period last year, a decrease of 23.3%. These data include housing loans from the Bank's own sources (excluding credit from Treasury funds) in the amount of NIS 1,850 million compared with NIS 2,415 million in the same period last year, a decrease of 23.4%. Rollovers deriving from early repayments in the first half of 2017, totaled NIS 85 million compared with NIS 240 million in the same period last year, a decrease of 64.6%.

The Group's credit policy in the area of mortgage activity

In view of the risk to which the Israeli banking system is exposed in its mortgage activity, developments in the housing loan market and the Supervisor of Banks' directives, the Bank adopts a conservative credit policy that is approved by the Board of Directors of the Bank and that is examined yearly. This conservative approach is reflected by an examination of LTV, the repayments as a percentage of the borrower's debt-to-income ratio and the ability to maintain current repayments in interest rate adjustment scenarios. In addition, restrictions are applied on loan size per single borrower. When examining applications for large loans, the Bank ensures that information on "warning signs" is obtained from the BDI system. The Bank adopts a particularly cautious approach to properties notable for a complex registration situation, taking due account of the quality of the customer and the LTV.

When granting credit to purchase groups, the Bank focuses on groups that are building in demand areas. The Supervisor of Banks' directives concerning purchase groups are fully applied at the Bank. Apart from conducting current examinations, the Bank holds a quarterly discussion on all purchase groups' portfolios, examines the projects in question, and ascertains whether an allowance for credit losses is necessary with respect to the purchase groups, over and above the individual risk of each member of the groups. During the forth quarter of 2016 the handaling of purchase group new and existing (over 10 units) in which performance rate is less 50%, to the construction and real estate sector in the corporate division.

The Bank ensures that each transaction is priced in accordance with the risk involved and the capital retention required by means of advanced yield calculation tools.

The Bank performs monthly control on the development of risks charechteristics, among them: LTV, income-debt ratio, loan purpose etc.

Loan to value

One of the main parameters used by the Bank in examining the risk in the housing loan portfolio is the loan to value ratio (LTV). The LTV is calculated in accordance with the Banking Supervision Division's Directive No. 876- "Report on housing loans," and is the ratio between the amount of credit and the value of the assets serving as collateral on the date at the time the loan is approved. It should be noted that in itself, a rise in the value of the property does not constitute an event for the purpose of recalculating the LTV. However, when additional credit secured by the same property is granted, the LTV can be calculated on the basis of a revised value appraisal.

The portfolio of housing loans extended from the Bank's sources on June 30, 2017 amounted to NIS 22,217 million, including 72% of credit granted at an LTV of up to 60% compared to 70% on June 30, 2016. 95% of total loans were granted at an LTV of up to 75%, similar to June 30, 2016.

Housing loan extensions from the Bank's sources in the first six months of 2017 including 77% of credit granted at an LTV of up to 60%, compared with 69% in the same period last year. All loan extensions were granted at an LTV of up to 75%, similar to the same period last year.

Debt-income ratio

Another key parameter used by the Bank in examining the risk in the housing loan portfolio is the debt-income ratio. This ratio enables the Bank to assess a borrower's ability to maintain current loan repayments in an orderly manner from the borrower's regular income at the date of the extension of the loan.

The portfolio of housing loans extended from the Bank's sources as of June 30, 2017 included 79% of credit granted at a debt-income ratio of up to 35% compared with 78% on June 30, 2016. 90% of the credit was extended to borrowers on the basis of a debt-income ratio of up to 50%, similar to June 30, 2016.

Housing loan extensions from the Bank's sources in the first six months of 2017 included 84% of credit granted at a debt-income ratio of up to 35% similar to the same period last year. 90% of the credit was extended to borrowers on the basis of a debt-income ratio of up to 50% compared to 92% in the same period last year.

Floating-rate loans

The portfolio of housing loans from the Bank's sources as of June 30, 2017 includes 62% of credit that was granted at floating-rate interest and amounts to NIS 13,922 million.

Housing loan extensions from the Bank's sources in the first six months of 2017 include NIS 603 million of credit granted at floating-rate interest of up to five years constituting 33% of extentions. An amount of NIS 409 million (22% of the extensions) is floating-rate credit five years and above.

Long-term loans

The portfolio of housing loans from the Bank's sources as of June 30, 2017 includes 62% of credit whose redemption period as of the report date is up to 20 years and amounts to NIS 13,752 million.

Housing loan extensions from the Bank's sources in the first six months of 2017 include 48% of credit whose redemption period as of the report date is up to 20 years and amounts to NIS 893 million.

Set out below are data on the development of the housing loan portfolio at the Bank alone by linkage segments (excluding credit from Treasury funds and after deduction of the allowance for credit losses)

									For	residenti	al purposes	Secured	
			Unlinked se	egment			CPI-linked se	egment	Foreign-c	urrency egment	Total	by a residential apartment	Total
	Fix	Fixed-rate Floating rate		Floating rate		Fixed-rate		ing rate	Floating rate				
	Balance	Rate	Balance	Rate	Balance	Rate	Balance	Rate	Balance	Rate	Balance	Balance	Balance
	NIS million	%	NIS million	%	NIS million	%	NIS million	%	NIS million	%	NIS million	NIS million	NIS million
30.6.17	4,995	23.7	9,195	43.5	3,027	14.3	3,834	18.2	61	0.3	21,112	1,105	22,217
31.12.16	4,660	22.8	8,866	43.3	3,019	14.8	3,825	18.7	75	0.4	20,445	1,179	21,624

Set out below are data on the development of housing loan extensions at the Bank alone (excluding credit from Treasury funds)

	six months				
	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
Total housing loan extensions (NIS million)	1,850	4,337	4,796	3,707	3,550
Rate of change in housing loan extensions compared with previous year	(23%)	(10%)	29%	4%	(5%)
Rate of expense (income) on credit losses relative to mortgages at the Bank's risk	(0.03%)	0.01%	0.01%	0.01%	0.20%
Cumulative rate of allowance for credit losses relative to mortgages at the Bank's risk	0.52%	0.55%	0.60%	0.74%	0.86%

Private individuals credit risk (excluding housing loans)

General

The private consumption is in growth trend during the last years, and as a result also the volume of credit to private individuals. The banks in the Group grant consumer credit to a variety of households, made up mainly of individuals in employee positions, part of whom in the education system and part in the defense system. The bank provides also services to other private customers on the basis of personal agreements and on the basis of collective agreements.

The credit policy for private individuals reflects the risk apetite of the Bank and its intensions as to the risk spreads it wants to take as well as the wanted profile for the private individuals credit portfolio and its volume in respect to the overall credit portfolio. The risk apetite of the Bank reflects conservative willingness for taking credit risk, compatible with coutious banking activity, compatible with the regulatory requirements and compatible with the volume of the Bank's activity and its character.

The granting of credit is based on statistical models for the rating of credit risk, which take into account the personal parameters of each customer, including: his income and and stability of income, financial wealth, his repayment ability and past experience of the Bank with the customer. This perception is well reflected in the credit policy of the Bank through quantitative and qualitative restrictions for the granting of credit in the level of the single customer and in the level of the Bank, as well as in control procedures and structured work procedures, in the different control lines. Models of credit rating used by the banks both for the direct granting of credit via the Internet, the cellular application and via "International Bank Call", and in the underwriting process of credit at the branches. The credit recommendations derived from the statistical models together with procedures of the Bank based on the credit policy of the Bank and the qualitative and quantitative limitations included therein – shape the proportional risk appetite of the Group as regards the consumer credit field.

The Bank focuses on retail credit, typified by a high level of distribution and a low level of risk, taking into account the fact that the Bank has subsidiaries engaged in the credit field, the Bank operates from a Group viewpoint and acts for the implementation of an orderly work format of the Group, which defines, inter alia, a business focused format for each subsidiary in the Group. The targeted population is mostly a population having stable sources of income, which requires finance in the consumer field and has credit repayment ability, inter alia, salaried persons and those having a fixed income, designated populations having a joint connection on a country-wide level (such as: teaching personel, Ministry of Defense personnel, etc.) having repayment ability or realizable collateral.

Teaching personnel loan tender are loans repaid by the direct withholding from salary. Loans to Ministry of Defense personnel are granted within the framework of different tender, reflect the capitalization of rights for interim periods and are characterized by large amounts and long periods. Moreover, within the framework of the terms of the tender, the responsibility of the Ministry of Defense for the repayment of the credit in default cases is determined, thus reducing to a minimum the risk of credit granted to Ministry of Defense personnel within this framework.

Set out below is the distribution of Private individuals credit risk (excluding housing loans) in Israel:

			As of		Change
	30.6.17	30.6.16	31.12.16	30.6.16	31.12.16
			NIS million		%
Current account and utilized balances of credit cards	4,754	4,476	4,598	6.2	3.4
Other loans	13,801	12,954	13,339	6.5	3.5
Total balance credit risk	18,555	17,430	17,937	6.5	3.4
Unutilized current account credit lines	3,918	3,794	3,805	3.3	3.0
Unutilized credit lines in credit cards	5,946	5,394	5,561	10.2	6.9
Other off-balance credit risks	1,600	1,882	1,817	(15.0)	(11.9)
Total off-balance credit risk	11,464	11,070	11,183	3.6	2.5
Total credit risk	30,019	28,500	29,120	5.3	3.1
Average volume of credit, including overdrafts, credit cards and loans	17,892	17,023	17,756	5.1	0.8

Set out below is the distribution of problematic Private individuals credit risk (excluding housing loans) in Israel:

		As of			
	30.6.17	30.6.16	31.12.16	30.6.16	31.12.16
			NIS million		%
Impaired credit risks	82	83	84	(1.2)	(2.4)
Unimpaired problematic credit risk	263	226	258	16.4	1.9
Non-problematic credit risk	29,674	28,191	28,778	5.3	3.1
Total credit risk	30,019	28,500	29,120	5.3	3.1
Of which: unimpaired debts in arrears of 90 days or more	39	34	41	14.7	(4.9)
Balance of restructured debts out of the problematic credit	69	70	71	(1.4)	(2.8)
Expense rate of credit losses out of total credit to the public	0.24%	0.14%	0.27%		

Description of operations

A. The underwriting of credit to households

The underwriting of consumer credit is conducted taking into consideration of personal parameters of the customer and reflects readiness for proportional acceptance of credit risk. This concept is well reflected in quantitative and qualitative limitations, as well as by means of a wide array of structured work procedures and tight control processes in the different control lines.

The banks in the Group offer credit to their customers in an initiated fashion on the basis of monitoring the risk characteristics of the borrower and identifying his needs. As part of the underwriting process, several criteria that form a decision supporting tool are examined, inter alia, general information regarding the customer (his identity, financial stability, conduct of his account and any additional information which might assist in the underwriting process), the object of the credit, the volume of activity of the customer with the Bank in relation to the pricing of the transaction, repayment ability, the total credit mix in the account and the modification thereof to the customer's needs. This process is based upon values of fairness and transparency, when in each initiated approach by the Bank (or following exposure of the customer to marketing information on the Internet website or on the cellular application) full disclosure is provided to tne customer as regards the assets and liabilities in his account and the returns thereon, to the extent computable. Such information is intended to enable the customer to make an intelligent decision regarding the advisability of taking the loan prior to taking action.

The Bank is preparing for the expansion of the volume of operations in the retail credit segment, inter alia, by means of performing the segmentation of customers in a manner that allows careful and professional relationship and proficiency, while maintaining an adequate control environment, as well as by intensifying digital operations encouraging the online taking of loans, maintaining a proportional risk appetite.

B. The manner of supervising and monitoring risk characteristics

The banks in the Group have a high level of skill and expertise in the field of retail credit due to many years of experience in household credit.

The Group trains its employees at a high level of professional skill in the credit field, having decision supporting computer systems and control and monitoring systems for the early discovery of borrowers in default or of negative symptoms.

The Group hedges acceptance of credit risks, inter alia, by means of the distribution of risk among customers.

Risk management and the control thereof are conducted at the Bank by means of an appropriate infrastructure of restraint, supervision, control and audit mechanisms. Control in the matter of consumer credit is conducted by means of three defense lines.

Controls conducted within the framework of the first line of defense include: the monitoring of deviation from current account and revolving debit account credit facilities, examination of troubled credit in arrears and follow-up of developments in the troubled consumer credit at the branches.

The second line of defense includes different controls, the essence of which are intended to test the financial management of accounts and to identify signs for deterioration in the debt situation. Deterioration signs may stem from a decline in the volume of operations, deviation from approved credit facilities, etc. In addition, the Bank uses supporting computer systems, such as a system for the identification and treatment of debts showing trouble symptoms and a statistical system forecasting credit default.

The third line of defense is the internal audit group, which is responsible for performing independent audits of risk management, work framework and controls over consumer credit risks, including the work of the first and second lines of defense in respect of this risk.

Construction and real estate sector risks

On background of the risk under which the Israeli banking sector is operating in the construction and real estate credit field, as well as on background of changes and developments in the housing credit market, directives of the Supervisor of Banks and Government regulations, the Bank adopts a proportional and careful credit policy, approved by the Board of Directors of the Bank, which is examined every year and is revised in accordance with changes in conditions in the country, changes in regulation, etc. The said proportionality and care are reflected in the examination of the financing ratio, the careful examination of failures in the financing of construction projects and examination of the borrower's equity and early sales, this in order to reduce the risk to the extent possible.

Moreover, The Bank has adopted a specific policy in respect of the different lines of operation in the real estate and construction field, includign the financing of housing construction, financing of income producing property construction, as well as financing of construction of income producing offices, commercial and industrial properties. The Bank grants credit to "acquisition groups" and focuses on groups having projects in demand areas and on groups the organizer thereof has proven experience in this field. Over and above examination performed on a current basis, the Bank conducts monthly discussions with respect of all credit portfolios and examines the condition of the projects as well as the level of risk inherent in each, and reduces exposure accordingly.

The pricing of each transaction is strictly calculated in accordance with the risk involved and the required capital allocation, using tools for the calculation of returns.

The parameters used by the Bank for the examination of risk relating to the real estate credit portfolio are mostly "loan to value", the ratio of the credit amount to the value of assets used as collateral at date of approval of the loan, based on an updated value assessment and the existence of stable sources for the repayment of the credit.

Examination of the risk relating to the construction credit portfolio is performed on a monthly basis, based on construction progress reports by the supervisor of the project, where the examined risks are both at the level of market risk and at the level of execution risk.

Following are data of credit to the public risk in the construction and real estate field:

As of June 30, 2017	0	verall credit risk ⁽¹⁾			
	Projects i	not yet completed			
	Open land	Property under construction	Completed building projects	Other ⁽²⁾	Total
					NIS million
	1,178	4,965	3,768	4,911	14,822
As of December 31, 2016	0	verall credit risk ⁽¹⁾			
	Projects i	not yet completed			
	Open land	Property under construction	Completed building projects	Other ⁽²⁾	Total
					NIS million
	978	5,301	3,966	4,878	15,123

⁽¹⁾ Of which: credit secured by housing property in the amount of NIS 4,805 million, Credit secured by industrial property in the amount of NIS 370 million and credit secured by commercial property in the amount of NIS 4,736 million (31.12.16 - NIS 5,215 million, NIS 392 million and NIS 4,638 million, respectively).

Leveraged Finance

Leveraged finance is defined as credit granted for financing capital transaction in corporation (as defined in the Bank of Israel directive 323) that meats certain criteria, and credit granted to debtors characterized with high finance leverage. The Bank considers leveraged finance as credit granted for certain goals as detailed in the risk report for 2016 in the internet website of the Bank.

As of June 30, 2017 total aggregate balances (balance sheet credit and off-balance sheet credit net of provisions for credit losses and deductible collateral) considered as leveraged finance, ampounted to NIS 1,636 million, compared to NIS 1,353 million on June 30, 2016 and NIS 1,172 million at the end of 2016.

For the detailed quantitative and qualitative information regarding credit risk reported in accordance to the disclosure requirements of pillar III and additional information on risks- see sub-chapted "additional supervisory disclosured" in "financial information" at the Bank's internet site.

⁽²⁾ Includes credit to borrowers in the construction and real estate field in Israel, the collateral provided by them does not include real estate, or borrowers where the value of their property for prompt realization purposes secures less than 50% of the credit risk of the borrower.

MARKET RISK

Methodology for the estimation of exposure to market risk

The Bank manages and controls exposure to market risks by means of a number of generally accepted models and tools which include VaR calculations and the operation of stress tests and management and exposure control tools such as: duration, fair value and sensitivity tests for changes in the interest curve.

Interest exposure

Interest risk is measured on the basis of assumptions regarding the redemption times of assets and liabilities. The effect of the early repayment of housing loans is also taken into account in risk management.

Non-interest bearing current accounts have credit balances at a stable amount over time. The Bank bases on specific model and determined that the redemption period of the stable current accounts will be for several years.

Set out below is a description of the sensitivity of the Group's capital to parallel changes in the interest rate curve- the theoretical change in economic value resulting from a parallel increase of 1% in the interest curve:

		% actual exposure
	June 30, 2017	December 31, 2016
Non-linked local currency(*)	0.29	(0.90)
CPI-linked local currency	(1.41)	(1.57)
Foreign currency and foreign-currency linked	(0.53)	(0.60)

^(*) The main change in the exposure data in comparison with the data for December 31, 2016, stems from the reduction in exposure and from the transition to the discounting of future cash flows by means of the Bank's cost of money graph.

Analysis of sensitivity to the effect of exposure to interest rate adjustments based on the fair value of financial instruments

Set out below is information on assets and liabilities that are exposed to changes in interest rates on the basis of their fair value, including a sensitivity analysis of the effect of theoretical changes in the interest rate on the fair value of financial instruments, excluding non monetary items, according to accounting rules:

Set out below are details of the effect of changes in the interest rate on the fair value of the asset surplus in the segment:

1. The fair value of the financial instruments of the Bank and its consolidated companies, with the exception of non-monetary items (before the effect of theoretical changes in interest rates):

As of June 30, 2017	L	ocal currency		Foreign	currency ⁽²⁾	
	Non-linked	CPI-linked	Dollar	Euro	Other	Total
<u> </u>						NIS million
Financial assets (1)	99,015	12,117	9,339	2,623	576	123,670
Amounts receivable in respect of derivative financial and off-balance-sheet instruments ${}^{(3)}$	24,673	241	26,572	5,788	3,457	60,731
Financial liabilities ⁽¹⁾⁽⁵⁾	88,003	11,324	15,279	3,012	1,178	118,796
Amounts payable in respect of derivative financial and off-balance- sheet instruments	31,524	490	20,589	5,394	2,793	60,790
Net fair value of financial instruments	4,161	544	43	5	62	4,815

As of June 30, 2016	Lo	cal currency*		Foreign o	currency ⁽²⁾	
	Non-linked	CPI-linked	Dollar	Euro	Other	Total
						NIS million
Financial assets ⁽¹⁾	92,972	13,567	12,810	2,230	908	122,487
Amounts receivable in respect of derivative financial and off-balance-sheet instruments ${}^{(3)}$	27,611	415	32,446	6,615	4,568	71,655
Financial liabilities ⁽¹⁾	79,087	12,727	19,674	3,655	1,505	116,648
Amounts payable in respect of derivative financial and off-balance- sheet instruments	36,158	825	25,451	5,241	4,078	71,753
Net fair value of financial instruments	5,338	430	131	(51)	(107)	5,741

As of December 31, 2016	L	ocal currency		Foreign	currency ⁽²⁾	
	Non-linked	CPI-linked	Dollar	Euro	Other	Total
						NIS million
Financial assets (1)	96,462	12,801	10,518	2,207	869	122,857
Amounts receivable in respect of derivative financial and off-balance-sheet instruments ⁽³⁾	21,706	375	28,987	8,018	4,083	63,169
Financial liabilities ⁽¹⁾⁽⁵⁾ Amounts payable in respect of derivative financial and off-balance-	83,492	11,802	17,066	4,724	1,314	118,398
sheet instruments	31,135	603	22,299	5,569	3,603	63,209
Net fair value of financial instruments	3,541	771	140	(68)	35	4,419

^{*} Reclassified.

2. Effect of theoretical changes in interest rates on the net fair value of financial instruments of the Bank and its consolidated companies, with the exception of non-monetary items:

The redemption time of non-interest bearing current accounts which is used for calculating the said exposure is on demand and up to a month. Calculation of the exposure does not include the effect of early repayments of housing loans.

As of June 30, 2017	Net								
	Loca	al currency		Foreign c	urrency (2)	Offsetting			
	Non-linked	Linked	Dollar	Euro	Other	effects	Total	Total change i	n fair value
		NIS million			NIS million		NIS million	NIS million	In percent
Changes in interest rates					<u>.</u>	,		'-	
Immediate parallel increase of one percent	3,883	475	11	(4)	58	-	4,423	(392)	(8.14)
Immediate parallel increase of 0.1 percent	4,133	537	40	4	62	-	4,776	(39)	(0.81)
Immediate parallel decrease of one percent	4,501	618	76	8	66	-	5,269	454	9.43

As of June 30, 2016	N								
	Local	currency*		Foreign cu	ırrency (2)	Offsetting			
	Non-linked	Linked	Dollar	Euro	Other	effects	Total	Total change i	n fair value
		NIS million			NIS million		NIS million	NIS million	In percent
Changes in interest rates									
Immediate parallel increase of one percent	4,950	409	99	(51)	(107)	-	5,300	(441)	(7.68)
Immediate parallel increase of 0.1 percent	5,298	427	120	(43)	(107)	-	5,695	(46)	(0.80)
Immediate parallel decrease of one percent	5,749	465	145	(43)	(107)	-	6,209	468	8.15

As of December 31, 2016	Net	fair value of f	inancial instru	ments, afte	er effect of ch	anges in interes	t rates ⁽⁴⁾⁽⁶⁾		
	Loca	al currency		Foreign c	urrency (2)	Offsetting			
	Non-linked	Linked	Dollar	Euro	Other	effects	Total	Total change	in fair value
		NIS million			NIS million		NIS million	NIS million	In percent
Changes in interest rates									
Immediate parallel increase of one percent	3,202	705	97	(73)	35	-	3,966	(453)	(10.25)
Immediate parallel increase of 0.1 percent	3,504	764	136	(68)	35	-	4,371	(48)	(1.09)
Immediate parallel decrease of one percent	3,920	847	180	(65)	35	-	4,917	498	11.27

^{*} Reclassified

⁽¹⁾ Including complex financial instruments. Not including balance-sheet balances of off-balance-sheet financial instruments.

⁽²⁾ Including foreign-currency linked local currency.

⁽³⁾ Amounts receivable (payable) in respect of derivative financial instruments and off-balance-sheet financial instruments, discounted by the interest rates used for calculating the fair value in all currencies which are not USD and other principal currencies for which separate disclosure is given.

⁽⁴⁾ The net fair value of financial instruments which is presented in each of the linkage segments is the net fair value in that segment on the assumption that a change has occurred which is noted in all the interest rates in the linkage segment. The total net fair value of financial instruments is the net fair value of all the financial instruments (with the exception of non-monetary items), on the assumption that a change has occurred which is noted in all the interest rates in all the linkage segments.

⁽⁵⁾ Including the fair value of actuarial liability to employees in the amount of NIS 1,128 million and not including the value of the assets of the program (31.12.16 - NIS 1,166 million). Comparative data as of June 30, 2016 were not reclassified.

⁽⁶⁾ This measurement includes the sensitivity effect of the actuarial liability to employees, that was estimated in decline in fair value of the liabilities in the amount of NIS 73 million in a scenario of 1% interest increase (31.12.16 - NIS 74 million) and does not include the sensitivity effect of the program assets to changes in interest, that was estimated in decrease in the value of the assets in the amount of NIS 17 million in a scenario of increase in interest of 1% (31.12.16 - NIS 16 million). Comparative data as of June 30, 2016 were not reclassified.

EXPOSURE OF THE BANK AND CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES TO FLUCTUATIONS IN INTEREST RATES

	On demand			One to	Three	
	and up to one month	One to three months	Three months to one year	three	to five	Five to
	NIS million	HIOHUIS	to one year	years	years	ten years
Israeli currency - unlinked	INISTITUTION				 -	
Financial assets, amounts receivable in respect of derivative instruments, off-balance sheet financial instruments and hybrid financial assets						
Financial assets ⁽¹⁾	80,398	3,423	3,615	4,672	2,754	3,001
Derivative financial instruments (except options)	8,096	6,908	4,713	1,834	993	793
Options (in terms of the underlying asset)	304	291	722	19	-	-
Total fair value	88,798	10,622	9,050	6,525	3,747	3,794
Financial liabilities and amounts payable in respect of derivative instruments, off-balance sheet financial liabilities						
Financial liabilities ⁽¹⁾	74,407	2,175	4,937	3,669	1,518	165
Derivative financial instruments (except options)	12,731	6,266	7,020	1,720	1,363	1,176
Options (in terms of the underlying asset)	247	173	824	4		-
Total fair value	87,385	8,614	12,781	5,393	2,881	1,341
Financial instruments, net						
Exposure to fluctuations in interest rates in the segment	1,413	2,008	(3,731)	1,132	866	2,453
Cumulative exposure in the segment	1,413	3,421	(310)	822	1,688	4,141
sraeli currency - Linked to the CPI						
Financial assets and amounts receivable in respect of derivative instruments, off-balance sheet financial instruments and hybrid financial assets						
Financial assets ⁽¹⁾	1,333	420	2,111	3,848	2,462	1,294
Derivative financial instruments (except options)		24	24	37	133	23
Total fair value	1,333	444	2,135	3,885	2,595	1,317
Financial liabilities and amounts payable in respect of derivative instruments, off-balance sheet financial instruments and hybrid financial liabilities						
Financial liabilities ⁽¹⁾	1,005	222	1,187	5,044	2,614	1,021
Derivative financial instruments (except options)		24	160	268	16	22
Total fair value	1,005	246	1,347	5,312	2,630	1,043
Financial instruments, net						
Exposure to fluctuations in interest rates in the segment	328	198	788	(1,427)	(35)	274
Cumulative exposure in the segment	328	526	1,314	(113)	(148)	126

See notes in page 68.

er 31, 2016	Decemb		ne 30, 201 6	Jui		ne 30, 2017	Ju				
	Internal			Internal			Internal		With no	Over	Ten to
Effective	rate of	Total fair	Effective	rate of	Total fair	Effective	rate of	Total fair	repayment	twenty	twenty
duration	return	value	duration	return	value	duration	return	value	period	years	years
years	%	NIS million	years	%	NIS million	years	%	NIS million			
0.71	3.26	96,462	*0.68	*2.84	*92,972	0.59	3.53	99,015	82	75	995
0.79		20,643	0.63		25,928	0.69		23,337	-	-	-
0.36		1,063	0.26		1,683	0.37		1,336	-	-	-
⁽²⁾ 0.72	_	118,168	⁽²⁾ 0.66	_	120,583	(2)0.61	-	123,688	82	75	995
0.22	4.42	02.226	0.24	4.00	70.007		0.04	06.075			_
0.22	1.12	82,326	0.21	1.09	79,087	0.20	0.84	86,875	•	-	4
0.76		30,342	0.60		34,496	0.69		30,276	•	-	-
0.40	-	793	0.27	_	1,662	0.39	-	1,248	<u> </u>		
⁽²⁾ 0.36	=	113,461	(2)0.33	=	115,245	(2)0.33	=	118,399	<u> </u>	-	4
										75	991
										5,207	5,132
3.18	3.15	12,801	*3.14	*2.84	*13,567	2.98	3.61	12,117	-	62	587
2.38		375	2.72		415	3.21		241	-	-	-
⁽²⁾ 3.15	=	13,176	(2)3.13	_	13,982	(2)2.98	-	12,358	-	62	587
	_			_			_				
2.82	1.11	11,802	3.08	1.24	12,727	2.57	1.06	11,324	-	6	225
1.56		603	1.61		825	1.39		490	-	-	-
⁽²⁾ 2.76	=	12,405	⁽²⁾ 2.99	=	13,552	⁽²⁾ 2.53	=	11,814	<u>-</u>	6	225
										56	362
										544	488

EXPOSURE OF THE BANK AND CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES TO FLUCTUATIONS IN INTEREST RATES (CONTD)

	On demand			One to	Three	
	and up to one	One to three	Three months	three	to five	Five to
	month	months	to one year	years	years	ten years
	NIS million					
Foreign Currency ⁽⁴⁾						
Financial assets and amounts receivable in respect of derivative instruments, off-balance sheet financial instruments and hybrid financial assets						
Financial assets ⁽¹⁾	4,761	1,634	2,574	807	828	1,918
Derivative financial instruments (except options)	18,758	6,830	7,658	615	292	270
Options (in terms of the underlying asset)	269	256	864	5	-	-
Total fair value	23,788	8,720	11,096	1,427	1,120	2,188
Financial liabilities and amounts payable in respect of derivative instruments, off-balance sheet financial instruments and hybrid financial liabilities						
Financial liabilities ⁽¹⁾	15,806	1,857	1,679	83	14	27
Derivative financial instruments (except options)	12,760	5,260	5,767	731	712	2,074
Options (in terms of the underlying asset)	326	369	757	20	-	-
Total fair value	28,892	7,486	8,203	834	726	2,101
Financial instruments, net						
Exposure to fluctuations in interest rates in the segment	(5,104)	1,234	2,893	593	394	87
Cumulative exposure in the segment	(5,104)	(3,870)	(977)	(384)	10	97

See notes in page 68.

er 31, 2016	Decemb		ne 30, 2016	Jui		ne 30, 2017	Jui				
	Internal			Internal			Internal		With no	Over	Ten to
Effective	rate of	Total fair	Effective	rate of	Total fair	Effective	rate of	Total fair	repayment	twenty	twenty
duration	return	value	duration	return	value	duration	return	value	period	years	years
years	%	NIS million	years	%	NIS million	years	%	NIS million			
1.33	2.15	13,594 40,155	1.16 0.32	1.76	15,948 41,680	1.63 0.27	1.84	12,538 34,423	-	-	16 -
0.37	_	933	0.37	_	1,949	0.38	_	1,394			
⁽²⁾ 0.51	-	54,682	⁽²⁾ 0.54	-	59,577	⁽²⁾ 0.63	=	48,355	-		16
0.09	1.33	23,104	0.09	1.00	24,834	0.08	1.46	19,469	-		3
0.68		30,277	0.79		32,826	0.86		27,304	-		-
0.32		1,194	0.32		1,944	0.37		1,472	-	-	-
(2)0.42	=	54,575	(2)0.48	-	59,604	(2)0.53	=	48,245			3
	-			-			-				
										-	13
										110	110

EXPOSURE OF THE BANK AND CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES TO FLUCTUATIONS IN INTEREST RATES (CONTD)

	On demand			One to	Three	
	and up to one	One to three	Three months	three	to five	Five to
	month	months	to one year	years	years	ten years
	NIS million	-				
Total exposure to changes in interest rates						
Financial assets and amounts receivable in respect of derivative instruments, off-balance sheet financial instruments and hybrid financial assets						
Financial assets ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾	86,492	5,477	8,300	9,327	6,044	6,213
Derivative financial instruments (except options)	26,854	13,762	12,395	2,486	1,418	1,086
Options (in terms of the underlying asset)	573	547	1,586	24	-	-
Total fair value	113,919	19,786	22,281	11,837	7,462	7,299
Financial liabilities and amounts payable in respect of derivative nstruments, off-balance sheet financial instruments and hybrid financial iabilities						
Financial liabilities ⁽¹⁾	91,218	4,254	7,803	8,796	4,146	1,213
Derivative financial instruments (except options)	25,491	11,550	12,947	2,719	2,091	3,272
Options (in terms of the underlying asset)	573	542	1,581	24	-	-
Total fair value	117,282	16,346	22,331	11,539	6,237	4,485
Financial instruments, net						
Exposure to fluctuations in interest rates in the segment	(3,363)	3,440	(50)	298	1,225	2,814
Cumulative exposure in the segment	(3,363)	77	27	325	1,550	4,364
In addition, exposure to interest rates in respect of liabilities for employee rights, gross - pension and severance pay	17	23	116	247	127	230

* Reclassified

Note

- Further details regarding the exposure to changes in interest rates in each segment of the financial assets and financial liabilities, according to the different balancesheet items, will be provided upon request.
- In this table, data by period reflect the present value of future cash flows of each financial instrument, discounted by the interest rate used for deduction to the fair value, in consistency with the assumptions used to calculate the fair value of the financial instrument. For further details regarding the assumptions used in the calculation of the fair value of the financial instruments, see Note 14.A. to the Financial Statments.
- The internal return rate is the interest rate for the deduction of the expected cash flows from the financial instrument to the fair value included in respect thereof.
- The effective average duration of a group of financial instruments constitutes an approximation of the change, in precent, in the fair value of the group of financial instruments which would be caused by a small change (an increase of 0.1%) in the internal return rate of each of the financial instruments.
- (1) Excluding balance-sheet balances of derivative instruments, fair value of off-balance sheet financial instruments and hybrid financial instruments.
- (2) Average weighted by fair value of effective average duration.
- (3) Including shares stated in the column "with no repayment period".
- (4) Including Israeli currency linked to foreign currency.

For the quantitative and qualitative data on interest risk given in accordance with Pillar 3 reporting requirement and additional information on risks - see additional supervisory reporting and report on risks in the internet website of the Bank.

er 31, 2016	Decembe		ne 30, 2016	Jur		ne 30, 2017	Ju				
	Internal			Internal			Internal		With no	Over	Ten to
Effective	rate of	Total fair	Effective	rate of	Total fair	Effective	rate of	Total fair	repayment	twenty	twenty
duration	return	value	duration	return	value	duration	return	value	period	years	years
years	%	NIS million	years	%	NIS million	years	%	NIS million			
1.04	3.07	123,717	*1.02	*2.68	*123,393	0.93	3.26	124,799	1,211	137	1,598
0.44		61,235	0.45		68,189	0.45		58,087	86	-	-
0.36		2,560	0.32		4,084	0.38		3,029	299	-	-
(2)0.83	_	187,512	(2)0.80	_	195,666	⁽²⁾ 0.77	-	185,915	1,596	137	1,598
0.46	1.12	117,911	0.50	1.19	117,350	0.41	0.99	118,622	954	6	232
0.73		61,284	0.71		68,313	0.78		58,156	86	-	-
0.35		2,551	0.30		4,058	0.38		3,019	299	-	-
(2)0.55	_	181,746	(2)0.57	=	189,721	(2)0.53	-	179,797	1,339	6	232
										131	1,366
										5,861	5,730
14.95	1.70	1,166				14.86	1.70	1,128	_	71	297

Basis exposure

Actual basis exposure

Set out below is a description of the actual exposure of active capital, at the Group level, compared with the Board of Directors' restrictions (NIS millions):

	A	Actual exposure As of		% of active capital As of	
	30.6.17	31.12.16	30.6.17	31.12.16	
Non-linked local currency	5,294	4,943	86	85	
CPI-linked local currency	755	814	12	14	
Foreign currency and f-C linked	94	78	2	1	

The Bank adopts an economic approach in the management of basis risk and reconciliations are made taking into account the economic nature. In its current management, the Bank takes into account the lack of reconciliation that sometimes arises between the accounting exposure and the economic exposure in order to hedge the reported accounting profit.

Sensitivity of capital to changes in the exchange rate

The Bank operates in the currency markets by means of spot transactions, forward transactions and options on its own behalf and on behalf of its customers. The Bank operates using global negotiable currencies, and the total net currency exposure for the Group is low.

Most of the activity in derivative financial instruments is carried in the currency derivatives Shekel/Dollar for the Bank's customers. The Bank is not exposued in its derivative activity to material currency risks.

Set out below is the sensitivity of the Bank's capital to theoretical changes in the exchange rates of the principal currencies as of June 30, 2017 (NIS millions).

The measurement refers to the effect of changes on capital and includes activity in balance-sheet and off-balance-sheet instruments:

Percentage change in exchange rate	Dollar	Euro
5% decrease	(8)	1
10% decrease	(18)	3
5% increase	7	(1)
10% increase	16	2

NOTES:

- (1) This effect is calculated in accordance with the expected change in the economic positions managed in different currencies, given the scenarios that were determined by the Supervisor of Banks.
- (2) An increase implies a strengthening of the currency in question against the shekel.
- (3) The data express the effects of changes in exchange rates on fair value after the tax effect.
- (4) Changes in the exchange rates of other currencies have a negligible effect on the Bank's earnings.

Management of risks in derivative financial instruments

Set out below is the volume of activity in derivative financial instruments (nominal value NIS millions):

	As of June 30,	As of December 31,
	2017	2016
Hedging transactions:		
Interest rate contracts	2,782	2,943
Foreign currency contracts	207	241
ALM and other transactions:		
Interest rate contracts	13,445	15,521
Foreign currency contracts (including spot)	61,137	67,171
Contracts on shares, share indexes, commodities and other contracts	56,401	63,020
Total derivative financial instruments	133,972	148,896

LIQUIDITY RISK

For information regarding liquidity coverage ratio (LCR) see note 8 to the financial statements.

Liquidity position and the composition of assets and liabilities

The liquidity assets at the group, which includes cash, deposits at the Bank of Israel, deposits at banks and liquid securities, amounted to NIS 42.4 billion on June 30, 2017, compared with NIS 43.0 billion at the end of 2016. Of this amount, the balance of cash, deposits with the Bank of Israel and deposits with banks accounted for NIS 31.0 billion, and NIS 11.4 billion were invested in securities, principally Israel government bonds.

The ratio of deposits from the public to credit to the public on June 30, 2017 amounted to 135.6% compared with 136.8% on December 31, 2016.

At the end of June 2017, deposits from the public, bonds and subordinated notes totaled NIS 112.3 billion compared with NIS 111.6 billion at the end of 2016.

The composition of the assets and liabilities of the Bank shows high liquidity. This, as a result of the policy to raise deversified and stable funds, while emphsizing on raising sources for medium and long periods from deversified customers sectors and in different currencies.

In the non-linked shekel and foreign currency segments the Bank has sources in a short-medium contructual duration, which the Bank anticipates that they will be held for a long time. The uses in these segments are both for short term and medium-long term.

In general the exposures in the foreign currency segment are low (see the chapter on market risk).

In the CPI linked segement, the sources are spread for medium- long terms, for which a slight change in the CPI does not have a material effect on the Bank exposure.

The CPI exposure of the Bank's group amounted to NIS 755 million.

Balance of deposits from the public of the three largest depositors in the Group:

	As of June 30, 2017	As of December 31, 2016
		NIS million
1	3,405	3,308
2	3,360	1,856
3	1,720	1,423

For detailed information regarding risk, provided in accordance with the disclosure requirements of Pillar III of Basel, and additional information regarding risk - see sub-chapter "additional supervisory disclosure in the Chapter "Financial information" on the Internet website of the Bank.

OTHER RISKS

For information regarding other risks, among others, the operational risls and the way they are managed (including business continuity, data security and cyber events), compliance risk, anti money laundering and terror finance risk (including cross border risks), finance risk, legal risk, reputation risk and strategy risk- see the chapter on risk review in the annual financial statements of the Bank for 2016 and the risk report on the Bank's website.

DISCUSSION OF RISK FACTORS

For discussion in risk factors see the chapter of risk review in the annual financial statements of the Bank for 2016. Following are the changes ocured in the level of risk factors during the first half of 2017:

- Borrowers concentration and group of borrowers risk- the level declined from "medium-low" to "low" in light of the on going decrease in borrowers concentration and borrowers group.
- Operational risk- the risk level was increased from "medium-low" to "medium" in light of intensifying cyber risks as a hole along side the expanding of the group's activity in the digital banking.

CRITICAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND ESTIMATES, CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

General

The estimates and assessments regarding critical accounting policy matters were made in accordance with the best knowledge and judgment of the professional entities engaged in their preparation, and that they were applied in an appropriate manner in the financial statements of the Bank.

A review of the significant areas, which in the opinion of the Bank Management consist critical accounting policies, are detailed in the Director's report for the annual financial statements for 2016 and no change has occurred.

CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

ASSESSMENT OF CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES CONCERNING DISCLOSURE IN THE FINANCIAL REPORT

In accordance with the Supervisor of Banks' directives for reporting to the public and the guidelines of Proper Conduct of Banking Business Regulation 309 that was issued in September 2008, the Bank has for a number of years maintained controls and procedures regarding disclosure, and has deployed an internal control network for financial reporting which was first applied in the financial report for the year ending December 31, 2008.

The directives, which concern Management's responsibility on the internal control of financial reporting and the external auditor's statement of opinion regarding the audit of the internal control of financial reporting, were compiled in accordance with the provisions of Sections 302 and 404 of the law known as the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 that was enacted in the USA, and directives and guidelines that were determined in the USA, including those determined by the PCAOB.

Enclosed with the financial statements are declarations by the CEO of the Bank and the Chief Accountant, each one separately, concerning the assessment of controls and procedures in the matter of disclosure.

The Management of the Bank, in cooperation with the CEO of the Bank and the Chief Accountant, assessed for June 30, 2017 the effectiveness of the controls and procedures in the matter of disclosure by the Bank. On the basis of this assessment, the CEO of the Bank and the Chief Accountant concluded that as at the end of this report period, the controls and procedures in the matter of disclosure by the Bank were effective for the purpose of recording, processing, summarizing and reporting the information which the Bank is required to disclose in the report in accordance with the Supervisor of Banks' directives for reporting to the public, and at the time determined in those directives.

During the quarter ending on June 30, 2017, no change occurred in the Bank's internal control over financial reporting which exerted a material effect, or which can reasonably be expected to exert a material effect on the Bank's internal control over financial reporting.

Irit Izakson

Chairperson of the Board of Directors

Smadar Barber-Tsadik
Chief Executive Officer

Executive Vice President,
Chief Accountant

Tel Aviv, August 14, 2017

CERTIFICATION

I, Smadar Barber-Tsadik, declare that:

- 1. I have reviewed the quarterly report of the First International Bank of Israel Ltd. (hereinafter: "the Bank") for the quarter ended June 30, 2017 (hereinafter: "the Report").
- 2. Based on my knowledge, the Report contains no incorrect presentation of a material fact, and there is no presentation of a material fact missing from the Report that is necessary so that the presentations included therein, in light of the circumstances under which such presentations were included, are not misleading with regard to the period covered by the Report.
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements and other financial information included on the Report correctly reflect the financial condition, results of operations, changes in shareholders' equity, and cash flows of the Bank, in all material aspects, for the dates and periods covered in the Report.
- 4. I, and others at the Bank making this declaration, are responsible for the establishment and application of controls and procedures with regard to the Bank's disclosure⁽¹⁾ and internal control of financial reporting⁽¹⁾. furthermore:
 - A. We have established such controls and procedures, or caused such controls and procedures to be established under our supervision, aimed at ensuring that material information pertaining to the Bank, including its consolidated corporations, is brought to our knowledge by others at the Bank and at such corporations, in particular during the preparation of the Report.
 - B. We have established such internal controls of financial reporting or caused such internal control of financial reporting to be established under our supervision, intended to provide a reasonable degree of confidence with regard to the reliability of the financial reporting, and that the financial reports for external purposes are prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and with the directives and guidelines of the Supervisor of Banks.
 - C. We have assessed the effectiveness of the controls and procedures concerning disclosure at the Bank, and we have presented our findings with regard to the effectiveness of the controls and procedures concerning disclosure, as at the end of the period covered in the Report, based on our assessment; and
 - D. We have disclosed in the Report any change in the internal control of financial reporting at the Bank that occurred during the fourth quarter, and that had a material effect, or could reasonably be expected to have a material effect, on the internal control of financial reporting at the Bank; and
- I, and others at the Bank making this declaration, have disclosed to the auditor, to the Board of Directors, and to the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors of the Bank, based on our most current assessment of the internal control of financial reporting;
 - A. Any significant deficiencies or material weaknesses in the establishment or application of internal control of financial reporting that can reasonably be expected to impair the Bank's ability to record, process, summarize, or report financial information; and
 - B. Any fraud, whether material or immaterial, in which the Board of Management was involved, or in which other employees were involved who have significant role in the internal control of financial reporting at the Bank.

The aforesaid shall not detract from my responsibility, or from the responsibility of any other person, under any law.

(1) As defined in the public reporting directives concerning the "board of Directors' report".

Tel-Aviv, August 14, 2017

Smadar Barber-Tsadik Chief Executive Officer

CERTIFICATION

I, Nachman Nitzan, declare that:

- 1. I have reviewed the quarterly report of the First International Bank of Israel Ltd. (hereinafter: "the Bank") for the quarter ended June 30, 2017 (hereinafter: "the Report").
- 2. Based on my knowledge, the Report contains no incorrect presentation of a material fact, and there is no presentation of a material fact missing from the Report that is necessary so that the presentations included therein, in light of the circumstances under which such presentations were included, are not misleading with regard to the period covered by the Report.
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements and other financial information included on the Report correctly reflect the financial condition, results of operations, changes in shareholders' equity, and cash flows of the Bank, in all material aspects, for the dates and periods covered in the Report.
- 4. I, and others at the Bank making this declaration, are responsible for the establishment and application of controls and procedures with regard to the Bank's disclosure⁽¹⁾ and internal control of financial reporting⁽¹⁾. furthermore:
 - A. We have established such controls and procedures, or caused such controls and procedures to be established under our supervision, aimed at ensuring that material information pertaining to the Bank, including its consolidated corporations, is brought to our knowledge by others at the Bank and at such corporations, in particular during the preparation of the Report.
 - B. We have established such internal controls of financial reporting or caused such internal control of financial reporting to be established under our supervision, intended to provide a reasonable degree of confidence with regard to the reliability of the financial reporting, and that the financial reports for external purposes are prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and with the directives and guidelines of the Supervisor of Banks.
 - C. We have assessed the effectiveness of the controls and procedures concerning disclosure at the Bank, and we have presented our findings with regard to the effectiveness of the controls and procedures concerning disclosure, as at the end of the period covered in the Report, based on our assessment; and
 - D. We have disclosed in the Report any change in the internal control of financial reporting at the Bank that occurred during the fourth quarter, and that had a material effect, or could reasonably be expected to have a material effect, on the internal control of financial reporting at the Bank; and
- 5. I, and others at the Bank making this declaration, have disclosed to the auditor, to the Board of Directors, and to the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors of the Bank, based on our most current assessment of the internal control of financial reporting;
 - A. Any significant deficiencies or material weaknesses in the establishment or application of internal control of financial reporting that can reasonably be expected to impair the Bank's ability to record, process, summarize, or report financial information; and
 - B. Any fraud, whether material or immaterial, in which the Board of Management was involved, or in which other employees were involved who have significant role in the internal control of financial reporting at the Bank.

The aforesaid shall not detract from my responsibility, or from the responsibility of any other person, under any law.

(1) As defined in the public reporting directives concerning the "board of Directors' report".

Tel-Aviv, August 14, 2017

Nachman Nitzan Executive Vice President, Chief Accountant

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AUDITORS' REVIEW TO THE SHAREHOLDERS' OF THE FIRST INTERNATIONAL BANK OF ISRAEL LTD.

Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying financial information of The First International Bank of Israel Ltd. and its subsidiaries (hereinafter- "the Bank"), comprising of the condensed consolidated interim balance sheet as of June 30, 2017 and the related condensed consolidated interim statements of income, comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the three and six months periods then ended. The Board of directors and Management are responsible for the preparation and presentation of this interim financial information in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in Israel (Israeli GAAP) for interim accounting and in accordance with the directives and guidelines of the Supervisor of Banks. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on this interim financial information based on our review.

We did not review the interim financial information of a consolidated company which its assets included in the consolidated assets amounted to 0.2% of total consolidated assets as of June 30, 2017, and the net interest income before expenses for credit losses amounted to 0.2% of total consolidated net interest income before expenses for credit losses, included in the consolidated statement of income for the period of six months then ended. The interim financial information of that company was reviewed by other auditors which their review report was presented to us and our conclusion, as it relate to the financial information of that company, is based on the review report of the other auditors.

Scope of Review

We conducted our review in accordance with Standard on Review Engagements 1, "Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity" of the Institute of Certified Public Accountants in Israel and a review standard applied in the review of banking institutions according to the directives and guidelines of the Supervisor of Banks. A review of interim financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards in Israel and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

Conclusion

Based on our review nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying financial information was not prepared, in all material respect, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in Israel (Israeli GAAP) for interim accounting and in accordance with the directives and guidelines of the Supervisor of Banks.

As explained in Note 1A, the accompanying financial statements represent a translation into English from the original financial statements in Hebrew.

Somekh Chaikin Certified Public Accountants (Isr.)

August 14, 2017

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF INCOME

(NIS million)

			three months		e six months	For the year Ended December 31
	NOTE	2017	2016	2017	2016	2016
		(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(audited)
Interest Income	2	753	670	1,393	1,217	2,526
Interest Expenses	2	170	136	248	157	357
Interest Income, net	_	583	534	1,145	1,060	2,169
Expenses from credit losses	6,12	53	92	87	25	80
Net Interest Income after expenses from credit losses	=	530	442	1,058	1,035	2,089
Non-Interest Income	=					
Non Interest Financing income	3	21	33	33	67	115
Fees		317	329	651	656	1,300
Other income		13	42	55	54	65
Total non-Interest income	=	351	404	739	777	1,480
Operating and other expenses	=					
Salaries and related expenses		407	405	821	839	1,656
Maintenance and depreciation of premises and equipment		94	99	193	205	409
Amortizations and impairment of intangible assets		22	31	45	62	116
Other expenses		127	123	245	250	502
Total operating and other expenses	_	650	658	1,304	1,356	2,683
Profit before taxes	_	231	188	493	456	886
Provision for taxes on profit		86	94	183	212	398
Profit after taxes	_	145	94	310	244	488
The bank's share in profit of equity-basis investee, after taxes		16	49	26	59	72
Net profit:						
Before attribution to noncontrolling interests		161	143	336	303	560
Attributed to noncontrolling interests	_	(10)	(9)	(19)	(22)	(39)
Attributed to shareholders of the Bank	-	151	134	317	281	521
Primary profit per share attributed to the shareholders of the						NIS
Bank						
Net profit per share of NIS 0.05 par value		1.51	1.34	3.16	2.81	5.19

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part thereof.

Irit Izakson

Chairperson of the Board of Directors

Smadar Barber-Tsadik Chief Executive Officer

Tel-Aviv, 14 August, 2017

Nachman Nitzan Executive Vice President, Chief Accountant

STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

(NIS million)

		hree months nded June 30	For the six months ended June 30		For the year Ended December 31
	2017	2016	2017	2016	2016
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(audited)
Net profit before attribution to noncontrolling interests	161	143	336	303	560
Net profit attributed to noncontrolling interests	(10)	(9)	(19)	(22)	(39)
Net profit attributed to the shareholders of the Bank	151	134	317	281	521
Other comprehensive income (loss) before taxes:					
Adjustments of available for sale securities to fair value, net	33	16	65	36	14
Adjustments from translation of financial statements ⁽¹⁾ net after the effect of hedges ⁽²⁾	_	_	_	-	(3)
Adjustments of liabilities in respect of employee benefits ⁽³⁾	10	(26)	34	(65)	(131)
Other comprehensive income (loss) before taxes	43	(10)	99	(29)	(120)
Related tax effect	(16)	3	(35)	9	38
Other comprehensive income (loss) before attribution to noncontrolling interests, after taxes	27	(7)	64	(20)	(82)
Less other comprehensive (income) loss attributed to noncontrolling interests	(1)	(1)	(3)	(1)	10
Other comprehensive income (loss) attributed to the shareholders of the Bank,		(-)			
after taxes	26	(8)	61	(21)	(72)
Comprehensive income before attribution to noncontrolling interests	188	136	400	283	478
Comprehensive income attributed to noncontrolling interests	(11)	(10)	(22)	(23)	(29)
Comprehensive income attributed to the shareholders of the Bank	177	126	378	260	449

⁽¹⁾ See note 4.

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part thereof.

⁽²⁾ Adjustments from translation of financial statements of foreign operation which its currency of operation is different from the currency of operation of the Bank.

⁽³⁾ Hedges-gains (losses) regarding the hedging of investment in foreign currency.

⁽⁴⁾ Mostly reflects adjustments in respect of actuarial assessments as of the end of the period regarding defined benefits pension plans, of amounts recorded in the past in other comprehensive profit.

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

(NIS million)

		30.6.17	30.6.16	31.12.16
	NOTE	(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(audited)
Assets				
Cash and deposits with banks		30,969	30,635	29,150
Securities	5	13,047	14,917	15,776
Securities which were borrowed		903	602	414
Credit to the public	6,12	79,964	76,955	78,175
Provision for Credit losses	6,12	(845)	(858)	(847)
Credit to the public, net		79,119	76,097	77,328
Credit to the government		646	647	654
Investments in investee company		535	505	514
Premises and equipment		1,105	1,200	1,133
Intangible assets		232	237	243
Assets in respect of derivative instruments	10	1,295	1,480	1,332
Other assets ⁽²⁾		968	987	1,020
Assets held for sale		17	-	343
Total assets		128,836	127,307	127,907
Liabilities, temporary equity and Shareholders' Equity				
Deposits from the public	7	107,280	105,316	105,817
Deposits from banks		746	1,207	755
Deposits from the Government		1,038	841	570
Bonds and subordinated capital notes		5,070	5,693	5,801
Liabilities in respect of derivative instruments	10	1,341	1,564	1,356
Other liabilities ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾		5,170	4,746	4,929
Liabilities held for sale		16	-	745
Total liabilities		120,661	119,367	119,973
Temporary equity - noncontroling interests		336	326	330
Capital attributed to the shareholders of the Bank		7,563	7,339	7,321
Noncontrolling interests		276	275	283
Total equity		7,839	7,614	7,604
Total liabilities, temporary equity and shareholders' equity		128,836	127,307	127,907

⁽¹⁾ Of which: provision for credit losses in respect of off-balance sheet credit instruments in the amount of NIS 69 million and NIS 73 million and NIS 71 million at 30.6.17, 30.6.16 and 31.12.16, respectively.

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part thereof.

⁽²⁾ Of which: other assets measured at fair value in the amount of NIS 341 million and NIS 253 million and NIS 238 million at 30.6.17, 30.6.16 and 31.12.16, respectively.

⁽³⁾ Of which: other liabilities measured at fair value in the amount of NIS 577 million and NIS 429 million and NIS 491 million at 30.6.17, 30.6.16 and 31.12.16, respectively.

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

(NIS million)

			For the three r	nonths ended	l June 30, 2017 (ı	unaudited)
	Share capital and premium ⁽¹⁾	Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	Retained earnings (2)	Total share- holders' equity	Non- controlling interests	Total equity
Balance as of March 31, 2017 (unaudited)	927	(142)	6,671	7,456	289	7,745
Net profit for the period	-	-	151	151	6	157
Dividend	-	-	(70)	(70)	(20)	(90)
Other comprehensive income, after tax effect	-	26	-	26	1	27
Temporary equity - noncontrolling interests.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balance as of June 30, 2017	927	(116)	6,752	7,563	276	7,839

			For the three i	months ended	June 30, 2016 (unaudited)
	Share capital and premium ⁽¹⁾	Accumulated other comprehensive loss	Retained earnings (2)	Total share- holders' equity	Non- controlling interests	Total equity
Balance as of March 31, 2016 (unaudited)	927	(118)	6,407	7,216	269	7,485
Net profit for the period	-	-	134	134	5	139
Other comprehensive income (loss), after tax effect	-	(8)	-	(8)	1	(7)
Temporary equity - noncontrolling interests.	-	-	(3)	(3)	-	(3)
Balance as of June 30, 2016	927	(126)	6,538	7,339	275	7,614

			For the six i	months ended	June 30, 2017 (unaudited)
	_	Accumulated		Total		
	Share	other	5.1.1.1	share-	Non-	T
	capital and premium ⁽¹⁾	comprehensive income (loss)	Retained earnings ⁽²⁾	holders' equity	controlling interests	Total equity
Balance at the beginning of the year (audited)	927	(177)	6,571	7,321	283	7,604
Net profit for the period	-	-	317	317	12	329
Dividend	-	-	(140)	(140)	(20)	(160)
Other comprehensive income, after tax effect	-	61	-	61	1	62
Temporary equity - noncontrolling interests.	<u> </u>		4	4		4
Balance as of June 30, 2017	927	(116)	6,752	7,563	276	7,839

			For the six	(unaudited)		
	Share capital and premium ⁽¹⁾	Accumulated other comprehensive loss	Retained earnings (2)	Total share- holders' equity	Non- controlling interests	Total equity
Balance at the beginning of the year (audited)	927	(105)	6,251	7,073	264	7,337
Net profit for the period	-	-	281	281	10	291
Other comprehensive income (loss), after tax effect	-	(21)	-	(21)	1	(20)
Temporary equity - noncontrolling interests.			6	6		6
Balance as of June 30, 2016	927	(126)	6,538	7,339	275	7,614

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (CONT'D)

(NIS million)

			For the	year ended De	ecember 31, 20	L6 (audited)
	Share capital and premium ⁽¹⁾	Accumulated other comprehensive loss	Retained earnings ⁽²⁾	Total share- holders' equity	Non- controlling interests	Total equity
Balance at the beginning of the year	927	(105)	6,251	7,073	264	7,337
Net profit for the year	-	-	521	521	21	542
Dividend	-	-	(200)	(200)	-	(200)
Other comprehensive loss, after tax effect	-	(72)	-	(72)	(2)	(74)
Temporary equity - noncontrolling interests.	-	-	(1)	(1)	-	(1)
Balance as of December 31, 2016	927	(177)	6,571	7,321	283	7,604

⁽¹⁾ Including share premium of NIS 313 million (as from 1992 onwards).

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part thereof.

⁽²⁾ Including an amount of NIS 2,391 million which cannot be distributed as dividend.

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

(NIS million)

				For the six months ended June 30	
	2017	2016	2017	2016	2016
		(unaudited)		(unaudited)	(audited)
Cash flows from (for) operating activities:					
Net profit for the period	161	143	336	303	560
Adjustments to reconcile cash provided by operating activities:					
The Bank's share in profit of equity-basis investee	(16)	(49)	(26)	(59)	(72)
Depreciation of premises and equipment	19	19	39	46	93
Amortization of intangible assets	22	31	45	62	116
Gain on sale of premises and equipment	-	(7)	(41)	(18)	(24)
Expenses from credit losses	53	92	87	25	80
Gain from sale and adjustment in value of available for sale securities	(7)	*(26)	(14)	*(46)	(50)
Realized and non-realized loss (gains) from adjustment to fair value of trading					
securities	2	(1)	5	2	3
Deferred taxes, net	(29)	68	(27)	125	118
Defined benefit severance pay and pension schemes	20	40	36	53	96
Accumulation differences included in investing and financing activities	178	*(138)	572	*71	190
Effect on cash balances of changes in exchange rates	(18)	(55)	131	29	91
Net change in current assets:					
Deposits with banks	(133)	42	1,229	(85)	(1,060)
Securities held for trading	1	(12)	181	116	9
Securities which were borrowed from Treasury	(411)	124	(489)	(249)	(61)
Credit to the public	(1,009)	*(2,093)	(1,572)	*(3,078)	(4,155)
Credit to the public held for sale	225	-	283	-	-
Credit to government	2	(2)	8	22	15
Other assets	47	(71)	40	49	53
Assets in respect of derivative instruments	42	378	33	110	334
Net change in current liabilities:					
Deposits from the public	1,321	2,061	1,053	2,037	2,931
Deposits from banks	30	(417)	(9)	(358)	(810)
Deposits from the government	(47)	*22	(51)	*35	246
Other liabilities	(61)	(239)	251	(325)	(244)
Liabilities in respect of derivative instruments	(107)	(477)	(8)	(95)	(297)
Other liabilities held for sale	(675)	-	(729)	-	-
Net cash from (for) operating activity	(390)	(567)	1,363	(1,228)	(1,838)

^{*} Reclassified.

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (CONT'D)

(NIS million)

				For the six months ended June 30	
	2017	2016	2017	2016	2016
		(unaudited)		(unaudited)	(audited)
Cash flows from (for) investing activity					
Purchase of held to maturity and available for sale securities	(366)	(2,716)	(1,832)	(7,157)	(13,132)
Proceeds from redemption of bonds held to maturity	49	11	77	53	80
Proceeds from sale of available for sale securities	1,216	3,284	2,558	5,650	8,203
Redemption of available for sale securities	759	1,326	1,880	2,709	4,551
Acquisition of premises and equipment	(15)	(13)	(22)	(26)	(55)
Proceeds of sale of premises, equipment and other assets	1	9	85	27	38
Investment in intangible assets	(15)	(15)	(35)	(32)	(94)
Dividend received from investee company		<u> </u>	8	<u> </u>	
Net cash from (for) investing activity	1,629	1,886	2,719	1,224	(409)
Cash flows for financing activity Issue of bonds and subordinate debt notes		580	52	580	834
	(526)				
Redemption of bonds and subordinate debt notes Dividend paid to shareholders	(536) (140)	(613)	(793) (140)	(724)	(907) (200)
Dividend paid to snareholders Dividend paid to noncontrolling shareholders in consolidated companies	(20)	-	(140)	-	(200)
Net cash for financing activity	(696)	(33)	(901)	(144)	(273)
Increase (decrease) in cash	543	1,286	3,181	(144)	(2,520)
Cash balances at beginning of period	30,113	28,747	27,638	30,265	30,265
Effect of changes in exchange rates on cash balances	22	55	(141)	(29)	(107)
Cash balances at end of period	30,678	30,088	30,678	30,088	27,638
Interest and taxes paid and/or received:					
Interest received	751	601	1,497	1,622	2,970
Interest paid	205	211	389	431	736
Dividends received	5	1	20	6	19
Income tax paid	147	86	244	165	313
Income tax received	109	78	136	168	172

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part thereof.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 - PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A. General

The first International bank of Israel Ltd. (hereinafter - "the Bank") is an Israeli corporation. The condensed consolidated interim financial statements of the Bank as of June 30, 2017 include those of the Bank and of its subsidiary companies (hereinafter – "the Group) as well as the rights of the Group in equity basis investees. The condensed consolidated interim financial statements do not include all the information required in full annual financial statements. The condensed statements should be read together with the financial statements as of and for the year ended December 31, 2016 (hereinafter – "the Annual Report").

The accounting policy of the Group applied in these condensed consolidated interim financial statements, is the same policy applied in the Annual Report, with the exception of that stated in subsection "D" below.

In accordance with the guidelines of the Supervisor of Banks, the Bank publishes only the condensed consolidated financial statements. The condensed consolidated interim financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors for publication on August 14, 2017.

As explained in Note 1A, the accompanying financial statements represent a translation into English from the original financial statements in Hebrew.

B. Financial reporting principles

The financial statements of he Bank are prepared in accordance with accepted accounting principles in Israel (Israeli GAAP) and in accordance with the public reporting instructions and guidelines of the Supervisor of Banks. In most matters, these directives are based on accounting principles accepted by US banks. In other matters, which are less material, the directives are based on international financial reporting standards (IFRS) and on accepted accounting principles in Israel (Israeli GAAP). Where the international financial reporting standards (IFRS) allow several alternatives, or do not include specific reference to a certain situation, these instructions set specific implementation guidelines, based mainly on accounting principles accepted by US banks.

C. Use of estimates

Preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in Israel (Israeli GAAP) and the directives and guidelines of the Supervisor of Banks requires Management to use judgment, make estimates and assumptions which affect the implementation of the accounting policy and the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and the amounts of income and expenses. It should be noted that actual results may differ from these estimates.

Upon the formation of accounting estimates used in the preparation of the financial statements of the Bank, Management is required to make assumptions as to circumstances and events which involve significant uncertainty. When using judgment in determining the assessments, Management of the Bank relies upon past experience, various facts, outside factors and upon reasonable assumptions in accordance with the circumstances applying to each assessment.

Judgment and estimates of Management, when implementing the accounting policy of the Group and main guidelines used in assessments involving uncertainty, are consistent with those used in compiling the annual financial statements.

The assessments as well as the assumptions supporting them are being reviewed on a current basis. Changes in accounting assessments are recognized in the period in which these changes occur as well as in all future periods affected by them.

D. Initial implementation of accounting standards, updates of accounting standards and instructions of the Supervisor of Banks

Starting with the periods beginning on January 1, 2017, the Bank implements new accounting standards and instructions regarding the matters detailed below:

- Reporting by banks and credit card companies in accordance with US accepted accounting principles in the matter of taxes
 on income.
- 2. Reporting in accordance with US accepted accounting principles in matters of foreign currency issues, accounting policy, changes in accounting estimates and errors, as well as events subsequent to balance sheet date.
- 3. A new update of the accounting standard in the matter of the effect of a derivative swap contract on existing accounting hedge relations.
- 4. A new legislation update in the matter of options conditional upon debt instruments.

Following is a description of the substance of the changes made to the accounting policy applied in these condensed consolidated interim financial statements, and a description of the manner and effect of the initial implementation, if at all:

Reporting by banks and credit card companies in accordance with US accepted accounting principles in the matter of taxes on income

A circular letter was published on October 22, 2015, in the matter of reporting by banks and credit card companies in accordance with US accepted accounting principles in the matter of taxes on income. The letter requires the implementation of the accounting principles accepted by US banks in the matter of taxes on income, and inter alia, the presentation, measurement and disclosure rules in accordance with Chapter 740 of the Codification regarding "taxes on income", and in the matter of 830-740 of the Codification in the matter of "foreign currency issues – taxes on income".

It is required in the letter that the new rules shall be applied as from January 1, 2017. Upon initial application, the provisions of the transitional instructions determined in the US standard are to be applied, including the retroactive restatement of the comparative data, where required. In the financial statements for 2017, the bank is not required to include disclosure regarding non-recognized tax benefits in accordance with items 740-10-50-15d and 740-10-50-15a of the Codification.

On October 13, 2016, a letter was published in the matter of reporting by banks and credit card companies in accordance with US accepted accounting principles. Among other things, the letter includes certain clarifications with respect to the reporting of taxes on income in accordance with the US principles.

The principal amendments to the public reporting instructions are as follows:

- The transitional instructions have been updated, so that temporary timing differences in respect of prior periods, would continue to be treated in accordance with the instructions in force until December 31, 2016;
- It has been clarified that interest income and expenses in respect of taxes on income, should be classified to the item "taxes on income"; also penalties payable to the tax authorities should be classified to the item "taxes on income";
- It has been clarified that that an Act shall be considered as "enacted" only upon its formal publication;
- The disclosure requirements in the public reporting instructions as well as the format of disclosure regarding "provision for taxes in income", have been modified to agree with the requirements of the new instructions;
- The requirement for the presentation of a note providing, for tax purposes, information on the basis of nominal historical data, in accordance with Supplements C1 and C2, as required in the public reporting instructions, has been removed due to the fact that such a note does not provide additional information to users of financial statements;

The new instructions are being applied as from January 1, 2017, and thereafter. Moreover, the comparative data is being reclassified in order to agree with the mode of presentation in accordance with the new instructions.

Following is a review of the principal items of the new instructions for the application of the rules of the US standard in the matter of taxes on income, as adopted by the public reporting instructions:

Investment in domestic subsidiary companies

Deferred tax liabilities are to be recognized, unless the tax laws permit a tax exempt recovery of the investment (such as: by

way of liquidation or by a tax exempt statutory merger) without a significant cost, and the parent company is expected to recover the investment in this way eventually (possibility and intent). In these cases, it should be emphasized that the difference is not considered as temporary.

- Investment in foreign subsidiary companies

Deferred tax liabilities have to be recognized, except where indefinite reversal criteria apply:

- The investor is able to control the reversal date; and
- Non-distributed profits shall be reinvested with no time limit, or may be distributed under a tax exemption;

- Investments, whether domestic or foreign, which are treated by the equity method of accounting

As a general rule, an entity shall recognize deferred tax assets or liabilities in respect of temporary differences stemming from an investment treated by the equity method of accounting.

- Temporary differences created as from the year 2017 and thereafter

The new instructions regarding the implementation of the US accounting standards in respect of taxes on income are applied as from January 1, 2017 onwards. Temporary differences in respect of prior periods are treated in accordance with the rules prevailing until December 31, 2016.

- Changes in deferred taxes arising from items that originally were not recognized in profit and loss

Current taxes and deferred taxes in respect of items, which in the current period were not recognized in profit and loss, shall be recognized outside profit and loss. Specific rules apply to the intra-period allocation of tax expenses between the different components of the financial statements.

Following changes in deferred taxes, arising generally as a result of changes in tax rates, shall be recognized in profit and loss in the current period, even if the deferred taxes had not been originally recognized in profit and loss.

- Uncertain tax positions

A tax benefit should be recognized when it is expected, more probably than not, that the benefit would be utilized. The amount of the tax benefit that shall be recognized is the highest amount expected to be received (over 50%). Exposure risk is not included in computing the benefit. Specific rules apply to various aspects of recognition, measurement and disclosure of uncertain tax positions.

- Tax asset in respect of temporary differences deductible tax wise

A deferred tax asset is recognized in the full amount of the temporary differences that are deductible tax wise, and in parallel, a separate valuation allowance is recognized in respect of the amount included in the deferred tax asset, which, more probably than not, would not be utilized. As a general rule, following changes in the valuation allowance stemming from changes in estimates regarding the possibility of realizing the deferred tax asset, or from changes in tax rates, shall be recognized in profit and loss from continuing operations in the current period, even if the allowance had initially been recognized in other comprehensive profit or in equity.

Changes in tax rates

Current tax assets or liabilities are generally measured using enacted tax rates. Deferred tax assets or liabilities are generally measured according to the tax rate that would prevail in the recovery period. A deferred tax asset should be recognized only if it is apparent that the temporary difference would be reversed in the foreseeable future. Accordingly, a deferred tax asset should not be recognized unless it is apparent that the temporary difference would be reversed in the foreseeable future. Upon the recognition of a deferred tax asset, determination should be made as to whether taxable future profits will exist against which the temporary difference could be deducted, this, in order to decide whether it is required to recognize a valuation allowance.

The Bank has applied the above instructions by way of a retroactive application. The initial application of the provisions of the letter had no material effect on the financial statements.

2. Reporting by banking corporations in Israel in accordance with US accepted accounting principles in the matters of foreign currency issues, accounting policy, changes in accounting assessments and errors, and events subsequent to balance sheet date

A circular letter was published on March 21, 2016, in the matter of the reporting by banking corporations and credit card companies in Israel according to US accepted accounting principles. The letter updates the public reporting instructions and adopts the US accepted accounting principles on the following matters:

- Accounting principles accepted by US banks regarding item 830 of the Codification in the matter of "foreign currency issues".
- Accounting principles accepted by US banks relating to accounting policy, changes in accounting assessments and errors, including item 250 of the Codification regarding "changes in accounting policy and rectification of errors".
- Accounting principles accepted by US banks regarding "events subsequent to balance sheet date", in accordance with item 855-10 of the Codification in the matter of "post balance sheet events".

The provisions of the letter apply as from January 1, 2017 and thereafter. Upon the initial implementation it is required to act in accordance with the transitional instructions relating to these matters in the US standards, with the required modifications, including the retroactive restatement of the comparative data, where requires according to the US standards in these matters. It should be noted that in the implementation of the guidelines regarding item 830 of the Codification regarding "foreign currency" in reported periods until January 1, 2019, banks shall not include exchange differences regarding available-for-sale bonds as part of the adjustments to fair value of these bonds, but should continue to be treated as required in the public reporting instructions in effect before the adoption of this matter.

Furthermore, International Accounting Standard No. 29 regarding "financial reporting in hyper-inflationary economies", as adopted by the public reporting instructions, is not to be applied as from the effective date of the letter. It is clarified, that the date on which the adjustment to inflation of financial statements of banks was discontinued remains unchanged, and the financial statements shall be prepared on the basis of reported amounts, unless the public reporting instructions state otherwise.

Following is a review of the principal new instructions regarding the implementation of the US accounting standard in the matter of foreign currency issues, as adopted in the public reporting instructions:

- Determination of the functional currency

The functional currency of the entity is the currency of the principal economic environment in which the entity operates; generally speaking, the principal environment in which the entity produces and spends cash.

The provisions of the US standard present "a framework" and "considerations", which have to be taken into account, though without unequivocal criteria; the integration of the entity in the economic environment has to be taken into consideration, including its ability to operate as an independent entity. Upon the determination of the functional currency, judgment has to be applied, and no preference should be given to certain indicators over other indicators.

- Foreign currency transactions

Profits or losses from foreign currency transactions reported in profit and loss as profits or losses from translation differences, excluding:

- Exchange differences in respect of items comprising part of the net investment;
- The effective part of profit or loss on a hedge instrument hedging a net investment in a foreign operation, or hedging cash flows;
- Profit or loss items in respect of available-for –sale debt instruments, which are included as part of the other cumulative comprehensive profit, subject to the transitional instructions detailed above.

Adjustments to the reported currency

Financial statements presented in foreign currency are translated using the following procedures:

- Assets and liabilities are translated using the closing exchange rate at date of the financial condition report;
- Income and expenses, profits and losses are translated using the exchange rates prevailing at dates of the transactions, or the average exchange rate proximate to the exchange rate during the reported period;

- Capital items excluding retained earnings are translated using the historical exchange rates at dates of the transactions;
- Retained earnings are translated using the historical exchange rate in accordance with the relevant reporting periods.

All resulting exchange differences are recognized in other comprehensive profit, net after tax, as a separate item of equity (translation differences reserve).

Following is a review of the principal new instructions regarding the implementation of the US accounting standard in the matters of accounting policy, changes in accounting estimates and errors, as adopted in the public reporting instructions:

Comparative data

Material errors in prior reporting periods have to be rectified. Under the instructions of the US standard, no practical relief is provided, according to which a restatement of the comparative data may not be made in cases where the restatement is impractical.

The Bank has studied the effects of the implementation of the new instructions. In the opinion of the Bank, the application of the instructions would have no material effect on the financial statements of the Bank.

3. A new standards update in the matter of the effect of a derivative contract novation on existing accounting hedge relations

In March of 2016, the US Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") published update 2016-05 regarding derivative contract novations on existing hedge relations, comprising an amendment to item 815 of the Codification regarding derivative instruments and hedge (hereinafter – "the Amendment").

In accordance with the Amendment, different reasons may exist for the exchange of counterparty to a derivative designated as hedge instrument, such as: existence of inter-company transactions, regulatory requirements (such as Dodd Frank), confrontation with internal credit limitations, and more.

The Amendment was published because the guidelines of item 815 do not provide a clear-cut answer to everything relating to the effect on hedge relations, if at all, as a result of an exchange of a counterparty to a derivative designated as a hedge instrument.

In accordance with the Amendment, an exchange of the counterparty of a derivative designated as a hedge instrument in accordance with the provisions of item 815, does not impair the designation itself, on condition that all other criteria for hedge accounting continue to exist, including items 815-20-35-14 to 815-20-35-18 of the Codification.

The instructions apply to public entities in the US, starting with the annual and interim financial statements for periods beginning after December 15, 2016.

It is noted that companies may choose to apply the new instructions from now onwards or alternatively by retroactively adjusted application. Early application is possible, including in interim statements.

The Bank has studied the implications of the new instructions. In the opinion of the Bank, the application of the instructions would have no material effect on the financial statements of the Bank.

4. A new standard update in the matter of options contingent upon debt instruments

In March 2016, the US Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") published update 2016-06 regarding CALL and PUT options contingent upon debt instruments, comprising an amendment to item 815 of the Codification regarding derivatives instruments and hedge (hereinafter -"the Amendment").

The Amendment is intended to solve the lack of uniformity in practice with respect to examining the need to separate an embedded derivative in respect of contingent PUT and CALL options embedded with debt instruments.

The Amendment clarifies that it is not required to examine whether the event on which exercise of the option is contingent, is related to the economic characteristics of the host contract.

In accordance with the Amendment, upon examination of the embedded derivative, when an option is contingent upon a debt instrument that might accelerate the payment of the principal amount of the instrument, it should be examined whether the

derivative is closely related to the host contract by way of a model that includes four stages. Under this model it is required to examine whether:

- the Settlement amount is based on changes in a certain index;
- the index is not a rate of interest or credit risk;
- the debt involves a significant premium or discount; and also
- The option is contingently exercisable.

The instructions apply to public entities in the US, starting with the annual and interim financial statements for periods beginning after December 15, 2016.

Early application is possible, including in interim statements. The initial application shall be made in accordance with the transitional instructions included in the update.

The Bank has studied the implications of the new instructions. In the opinion of the Bank, the application of the instructions would have no material effect on the financial statements of the Bank.

E. New accounting standards and new directives of the Supervisor of Banks in the period prior to their implementation

1. Definition of a primary source of repayment when classifying a troubled debt

On February 20, 2017, a revised FAQ file of the Supervisor of Banks was published in the matter of "implementation of the public reporting instructions regarding impaired debts, credit risk and the provision for credit losses".

The said revision relates mostly to the classification of a debt, the definition of a debt as impaired and the measurement of the specific provision for credit losses. Determination of the appropriate classification of a debt, in the period prior to the happening of a default event, or prior to such an event becoming highly probable, is based on the repayment ability of the borrower, namely: the expected reliability of the primary repayment source, this, despite the support of secondary and third repayment sources (such as: collateral, guarantors support, refinancing by a third party).

Among other things, the FAQ file includes a question relating to the primary source of repayment.

A primary source of repayment – a sustainable source of cash that must be under the control of the borrower and must be explicitly or in substance separated for the repayment of the debt. It is clarified in the FAQ file that, as a general rule, in order for the source of repayment to be recognized as a primary source of repayment, the bank has to demonstrate that it is highly probable that the borrower is expected to produce, within a reasonable period of time, an appropriate cash flow from a continuing business operation, which would serve in full all repayment installments on the dates specified in the loan agreement. These changes apply as from July 1, 2017 and thereafter. Implementation of the changes may change the mode of classification of debts and the amount of the provision stated on the books of the Bank. The Bank is studying the possible implications stemming from the implementation of the instruction.

2. Recognition of income from agreements with customers

A circular letter was published on January 11, 2015, in the matter of the adoption of the amendment to the accounting rules relating to "income from agreements with customers".

The letter updates the public reporting rules in view of the publication of ASU 2014-09, which adopts in US accepted accounting principles a new standard in the matter of income recognition. In accordance with the letter of the Supervisor of Banks regarding the transitional instructions for 2016, it is required to implement the amendments to the public reporting instructions in accordance with letter regarding the adoption, as from January 1, 2018, of the accounting principles in the matter of "income from agreements with customers", this following an update of the US standard ASU 2015-14, which postponed the date of the initial application.

The standard contains a single model, which applies to agreements with customers and which includes five stages in order to determine the timing of income recognition and its amount, as follows:

- Identification of the agreement with the customer;
- Identification of separate commitments for execution of the contract;
- Determination of the transaction price;
- Allocation of the transaction price to the separate commitments for execution of the contract;
- Recognition of income upon fulfillment of the execution commitments.

Moreover, the standard states that the income would be recognized in the amount expected to be received in consideration for the delivery of the goods or the rendering of service to the customer.

Upon initial application, it is possible to choose the alternative of a retroactive application while restating the comparative data, or the alternative of application by way of "from now onwards" while recognizing in equity the cumulative effect of the change at date of initial application.

The Bank will adopt the instructions of the new standard as from the first quarter of 2018, while recognizing in the opening balance of retained earnings the cumulative effect of this change at date of initial application.

While the new instructions replace most of the existing instructions regarding the recognition of income, the new standard does not apply, inter alia, to interest income and expenses, as well as to financial instruments and contractual rights and liabilities to which Chapter 310 of the Codification applies, including loans, leases, securities and derivatives. Furthermore, Bank of Israel instructions clarify that, as a general rule, the provisions of the new standard shall not apply to the accounting treatment of interest income and expenses and of non-interest financing income. In view of this, the new instructions would not affect most of the Bank's income.

While the Bank has not yet identified a material change in the timing of income recognition, the review of the said implications is still being continued and the Bank continues the preparations for the implementation of the new instructions, including, inter alia, the mapping of income to which the new standard applies and the review of agreements with customers, the manner of presentation of certain expenses (as an expense or as a reduction in income), and including changes in the disclosure requirements stemming from the new instructions.

3. Reporting by banking corporations and credit card companies in Israel in accordance with US accepted accounting principles

A circular letter was published on October 13, 2016, in the matter of the reporting by banking corporations and credit card companies in Israel in accordance with US accepted accounting principles. The letter includes, inter alia, certain clarifications regarding the reporting of taxes on income in accordance with principles applying in the US. The letter updates also the public reporting instructions and adopts US accepted accounting standards in matters of: non-current assets held for sale and discontinued operations, fixed assets and investment real estate, per share income, cash flows statement, interim period reporting and additional subjects.

The letter updates the public reporting instructions and adopts US accepted accounting standards on the following matters:

- Discontinued operations in accordance with item 205-20 of the Codification regarding "discontinued operations";
- Fixed assets in accordance with item 360 of the Codification regarding "fixed assets";
- Statement of cash flows in accordance with item 230-10 of the Codification regarding "statement of cash flows"
- Interim period reporting in accordance with item 270 of the Codification regarding "interim period reporting";
- Capitalization of interest costs in accordance with item 835-20 of the Codification regarding "capitalization of interest" (it should be clarified in this respect, that in accordance with the public reporting instructions, a bank may not capitalize interest costs, unless it had determined a policy and clear procedures and controls regarding the criteria for the recognition of assets as qualified assets and for the amount of interest cost that may be capitalized);
- Measurement and disclosure of guarantees in accordance with item 460 of the Codification regarding "guarantees".
- Earnings per share in accordance with item 260 of the Codification regarding "earnings per share".

The instructions contained in the letter shall apply as from January 1, 2018. Upon the initial application thereof, the Bank is required to follow the transitional instructions determined in these matters by the US standards, with the required

modifications, including the retroactive restatement of the comparative data, where required, in accordance with the rules of the US standards in these matters.

Following is a review of the principal new instructions regarding the implementation of the US accounting standard in the matters of non-current assets held for sale and discontinued operations, as adopted in the public reporting instructions:

- Definition of a discontinued operation

A discontinued operation is: (1) a component of an entity that had been realized or classified as held for sale, and the transfer of which has a material effect on the operations of the entity and its financial statements; or (2) a business operation or a not-for-profit operation which at date of acquisition has been classified as held for sale.

- Examination of impairment

The amortized cost for the purpose of the examination of impairment, does not include exchange differences in respect of the translation of financial statements, which had been recognized in other comprehensive profit and accumulated as a separate component of capital, to the extent that it is expected that these would be reclassified from capital to profit and loss upon realization.

- Appreciation in value

The profit on the appreciation in value in respect of any following increase in fair value, net of sale costs, but not in excess of the cumulative loss on impairment recognized since the classification of the asset as held for sale (whether it is a single asset or a realization group). At date of sale, the balance of profit or loss not recognized in the past would be recognized.

Following is a review of the principal new instructions regarding the implementation of the US accounting standard in the matter of fixed assets, as adopted in the public reporting instructions:

Recognition and measurement

Fixed assets and real estate items held as an investment are measured at the cost model.

- Significant components

Where significant parts of fixed assets (including costs of significant periodic examinations) have different life span, the entity may, but not required to treat such parts as separate items (significant components) of fixed assets.

Depreciation

Assessments regarding the depreciation method, the useful lives of the assets and their residual value are re-examined only when events occur, which indicate that the present assessments are no longer valid.

Impairment

- Impairment has to be examined when events or changes in circumstances indicate that the depreciated value is not recoverable.
- Impairment of each asset has to be specifically examined as part of a group of assets or at the reporting unit level. A group of assets is the lowest level that produces cash flows, which are basically independent of cash flows of other groups of assets; a reporting unit is a segment of operation, or in certain circumstances, one level below it.
- Examination should be made as to whether the stated value of the asset (or group of assets) is higher than the non-capitalized amount of cash flows expected to be produced by it. If that is so, impairment is to be recognized in the amount of the difference between the stated value in the books and the fair value of the asset (or group of assets).
- Losses on impairment may not be reversed.

Following is a review of the principal new instructions regarding the implementation of the US accounting standard in the matter of the statement of cash flows, as adopted in the public reporting instructions:

- Net cashflow from current operations

For the purpose of computing the cash flows from current operations, the indirect method is to be used, according to which, the starting point is the net profit. Notwithstanding the above, presentation of cash flows from current operations by the direct method is not precluded. Net profit, with the addition or deduction of the required adjustments, amounts to total cash flows from current operations.

Interest and dividends

Interest receipts and payments (after deducting capitalized interest, where relevant) and receipts of dividends are classified to current operations. Also dividend payments are classified as financing operations.

Taxes on income

Tax payments are classified to current operations.

Hedge instrument

Cash flows produced by a derivative serving as hedge instrument may be classified to the operations to which are classified the cash flows from the hedged item, providing disclosure of this policy, if chosen. In cases where hedge accounting had been discontinued, the cash flows arising subsequently to the discontinuation of the hedge shall be classified in accordance with the substance of the instrument.

Discontinued operation

One of the following disclosures should be provided in the financial statements or in the notes thereto: total cash flows attributed to current operations and investment operations of the discontinued operation; or, depreciation, amortizations, capital expenditure, material current operation and material investment operations, which are not cash transactions attributed to the discontinued operation.

Loans extended

Credit extended by a financial institution is generally classified as an investment operation, unless it is created or acquired for the purpose of resale.

Deposits received

Changes in deposits received by a financial institution are classified as a financing operation.

Following is a review of the principal new instructions regarding the implementation of the US accounting standard in the matter of interim period reporting, as adopted in the public reporting instructions:

Recognition and measurement

As a general rule, each interim period should be considered an integral part of the annual period to which it belongs,

Taxes in income

- Tax expenses and tax benefits related to ordinary operations are recognized at the annual effective tax rate (even if the operations are subject to a number of tax authorities or to different tax rates). Tax expenses and benefits relating to the remaining operations are computed separately and recognized in the interim period in which the profit or loss was incurred.
- A change in the estimate of an uncertain tax position recognized in prior years shall be discreetly treated in the period in which the change in estimate was made. In contrast, a change in the estimate of an uncertain tax position recognized in a prior interim period of the same year shall be taken into account in computing the annual effective tax rate.
- In the event that the standard does not instruct a specific allocation of the amount of the tax expense (in whole or in part) to a specific item in the financial statements, the allocation is made by the "with and without" approach (also known as the "supplementary approach"). According to this approach, the amount of the tax expense remaining after allocation to continuing operations, shall be allocated to the other items on a pro-rata basis.
- Tax expenses or benefits stemming from a change in the tax rate are recognized in profit and loss from continuing operations in the interim period in which the change in the tax rate occurred. The effective annual tax rate for following interim periods shall be re-estimated in accordance with the updated tax rate.

- Fourth quarter

In the absence of a separate report for the fourth quarter of the year, or of a disclosure of the fourth quarter results in the annual report, disclosure should be given in the notes to the annual report regarding the realization of a component of the entity; components recognized which do not occur frequently or are not regular in nature; cumulative effect of year-end adjustments that are material for the quarter's results; the effect on the fourth quarter of change in policy or in assessments.

Following is a review of the principal new instructions regarding the implementation of the US accounting standard in the matter of guarantees, as adopted in the public reporting instructions:

- Transactions subject to ASC 460

Agreements (or indemnification agreements), which contingently require the guarantor (or the indemnifying party) to make payments to the beneficiary (or the indemnified party) based on changes in the base asset; and agreements that contingently require the guarantor to make payments to the beneficiary based on default of a third party under a binding agreement (execution guarantees); and indirect guarantees for indebtedness of other parties, even if the payment to the beneficiary may not be based on changes in the base asset. In addition, the standard details a list of transactions to which ASC 460 does not apply, even though they come under the applicability detailed above.

Financial guarantee agreements

Financial guarantee agreements are not subject to derivative instrument rules (and may be subject to the provisions of ASC 460), only if:

- (a) They require payment only in order to indemnify the beneficiary in respect of a default on the part of the debtor to pay his debt in accordance with a contract that is not a derivative instrument, on payment dates fixed in advance, or on payments dates that had been advanced as a result of a credit default event or a notice of advancement of payments sent by the lender to the borrower;
- (b) A payment according to the financial guarantee agreement made only in the event that as a result of the circumstances described in (a) above, the date for the repayment of the debt by the borrower had passed;
- (c) The beneficiary, as a condition precedent to receiving payment in respect of any claim in accordance with the guarantee agreement (or in a back-to-back agreement, where relevant), is exposed to the risk of payment default by the borrower, both at the date of granting the financial guarantee and during its life span, by means of a direct legal ownership of the guaranteed indebtedness or by way of a back-to-back agreement with another party required under the agreement to maintain a direct ownership of the guaranteed indebtedness.

Related companies

The rules regarding recognition and measurement at date of initial recognition of Standard ASC 460 do not apply to guarantees granted between a parent company and its subsidiary, between two sister companies, or between the owner of the company and the company.

Recognition

A guarantee is an obligation to make payments to the beneficiary upon the existence of the binding terms for the realization of the guarantee, so that a liability in respect of a guarantee should be recognized in the books even if it is not expected that payments would be made in the future.

- Measurement at date of initial recognition

- A liability in respect of a guarantee is recorded in the books at fair value at date of initial recognition.
- In cases where at date of initial recognition the guarantor is required to recognize a provision for contingent loss in respect of the guarantee in accordance with ASC 450, the liability in respect of the guaranty shall be measured at date of initial recognition at the higher of the fair value and the amount of the provision according to ASC 450.

Measurement in following periods

- No detailed guidelines exist regarding the reduction in liabilities in following periods. As a general rule, the liability would be removed from the books on the date on which the guarantor is released of the risk. The date of release from risk in respect of the guarantee depends on the substance of the guarantee, when in practice, one of the three

following methods is used: (1) date of settlement of the liability; (2) a rational and systematic reduction method; and (3) according to the change in the fair value of the guarantee. The method of reduction in accordance with the change in fair value may be used only if it is justified in accordance with the rules of the US standard, for example: use of the change in fair value method for guarantees treated as derivative instruments in accordance with ASC 815.

- When the guarantee is measured at date of initial recognition in accordance with ASC450, the following measurement should also be made in accordance with ASC 450.

Disclosure

- Provision for loss:
 - The disclosure requirements in accordance with ASC 460 apply to all guarantees (even where ASC 460 does not apply to them), with the exception of those to which ASC 450 no longer applies.
 - In the case of certain guarantees, disclosure is required even where loss expectation is remote.
 - Disclosure should relate to the substance of the guarantee and its amount; where relevant, disclosure should include the value of the indemnification expected to be received.
- Obligation in respect of a guarantee:

The following disclosure should be given in respect of each guarantee or group of identical guarantees, even if the chances that the guarantor would have to make any payments with respect to the guarantee are remote:

The substance of the guarantee; information regarding the maximum amount of potential payments in respect of the guarantee; the present amount of amortized cost of the liability; substance of the indemnity; substance of the collateral; and if measurable, the estimated coverage rate of the consideration for the collateral to the maximum amount of potential payments in respect of the guarantee.

The Bank has not yet begun to examine the effect of the letter on its financial statements.

4. A new update of the standard regarding other income

In February 2017, the US Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") published update 2017-05, regarding the application of the rules in respect of the disposal of assets and the accounting treatment of part sales of nonfinancial assets, comprising an amendment of item 610-20 of the Codification regarding other income – gains or losses from disposal of nonfinancial assets (hereinafter – "the Amendment").

The Amendment clarifies that a financial asset, which in substance is not a financial asset, enters the applicability of ASC 610-20. The definition of a financial asset which in substance is a nonfinancial asset includes, inter-alia, an asset promised to a counterparty to an agreement, if most of the fair value of this asset stems materially from nonfinancial assets (for example: the transfer of rights in a subsidiary company most of the assets of which are nonfinancial assets). In accordance with the Amendment, the transfer of a business or of a not-for-profit operation, as well as any transfer of an investment treated by the equity method of accounting, are not subject to the ASC 610-20 rules (the exception, according to which certain transfers of investments treated by the equity method of accounting would be treated in accordance with ASC 610-20, has been removed).

Furthermore, entities are required to separately identify each distinct asset which is promised to a counterparty and dispose of the asset once the counterparty obtains control. Allocation of the consideration to each distinct asset shall be treated in accordance with ASC 606.

In addition, the new instructions would affect also the accounting treatment of partial sales of a nonfinancial asset. In accordance with the Amendment, an entity, which transfers its rights in a nonfinancial asset, but remains with noncontrolling rights, shall measure the remaining rights at fair value. As a result thereof, the gains or loss in full shall be recognized upon the sale of the controlling rights in the nonfinancial asset.

The above rules will apply to US public entities as from the annual and quarterly financial statements for periods beginning after December 15, 2017. Earlier application is possible.

5. A new update of the standard regarding receivables

In March 2017, the US Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") published update 2017-08, regarding the reduction in the premium on purchased bonds with an option for premature redemption, comprising an amendment to item 310-20 of the Codification regarding receivables – nonrefundable commissions and other costs (hereinafter – "the Amendment").

In accordance with the Amendment, the period of amortization of the premium on bonds with an premature redemption option by the issuer, shall be shortened in accordance with the earliest redemption date.

The above rules will apply to US public entities as from the annual and quarterly financial statements for periods beginning after December 15, 2018. Earlier application is possible, including in interim financial statements.

NOTE 2 - INTEREST INCOME AND EXPENSES

(NIS million)

		For the three mo	onths ended	For the	six months
			June 30	en	ded June 30
		2017	2016	2017	2016
			(unaudited)		(unaudited)
A.	Interest income (1)				
	From credit to the public	699	624	1,300	1,142
	From deposits with banks	2	2	5	4
	From deposits with Bank of Israel and From cash	7	5	12	11
	From bonds $^{(2)}$	45	39	76	60
	Total interest income	753	670	1,393	1,217
В.	Interest expenses (income) (1)				
	On deposits from the public	86	67	129	82
	On deposits from the Government	1	2	2	3
	On deposits from banks	-	(2)	1	(1)
	On bonds and subordinated capital notes	81	68	113	71
	On other liabilities	2	1	3	2
	Total interest expenses	170	136	248	157
	Total interest income, net	583	534	1,145	1,060
c.	Details on net effect of hedging derivative instruments on interest income and expenses				
	Interest expenses ⁽³⁾	(4)	(7)	(11)	(14)
D.	Details of interest income from bonds on cumulative basis				
	Held to maturity	11	9	19	13
	Available for sale	33	29	54	45
	Held for trading	1	1	3	2
	Total included in interest income	45	39	76	60

⁽¹⁾ Including effective component in hedging relations.

⁽²⁾ Including Interest income on mortgage-backed bond (MBS) in the amount of NIS 1 million and NIS 2 million for the periods of three months and six months ended June 30, 2017, respectively (NIS 1 million for the periods of three months and six months ended June 30, 2016).

⁽³⁾ Details of effect of hedging derivative instruments on subsection A.

NOTE 3 - NON-INTEREST FINANCING INCOME

(NIS million)

		For the three mor	iths ended June 30		six months led June 30
		2017	2016	2017	2016
			(unaudited)		(unaudited)
. Nor	n-interest financing income (expenses) in respect of non-trading activities				
1.	From activity in derivative instruments				
	Non-effective part of hedging ratios (see C below) ⁽¹⁾	-	-	2	1
	Net income (expenses) in respect of ALM derivative instruments ⁽²⁾	(186)	73	(584)	(143)
	Total from activity in derivative instruments	(186)	73	(582)	(142)
2.	From investments in bonds				
	Profits from sale of bonds available for sale ⁽⁴⁾	8	21	14	35
	Losses from sale of bonds available for sale ⁽⁴⁾	-	-	-	(1)
	Total from investment in bonds	8	21	14	34
3.	Net exchange differences	199	(72)	591	152
4.	Gains from investment in shares				
	Gains from sale of shares available for sale ⁽⁴⁾	1	5	2	13
	Losses from sale of shares available for sale ⁽³⁾⁽⁴⁾	(2)	-	(2)	(1)
	Dividend from shares available for sale	5	1	12	6
	Total from investment in shares	4	6	12	18
Tota	al non-interest financing income in respect of non-trading activities	25	28	35	62

- (1) Excluding the effective component of hedging ratios
- (2) Derivative instruments constituting part of the asset and liability management network of the Bank, which are not designated for hedging ratios.
- (3) Including provision for impairment in the amount of NIS 2 million for the three and six months ended June 30, 2017.
- (4) Reclassified from comulative other comprehensive income.

		For the three mo	nths ended	For th	e six months
			June 30	eı	nded June 30
		2017	2016	2017	2016
			(unaudited)		(unaudited)
В.	Net income in respect of non-interest financing activity for trading ⁽³⁾				
	Net income (expenses) in respect of other derivative instruments	(2)	4	3	7
	Net realized and unrealized losses from adjustments to fair value of bonds held for trading ⁽¹⁾	(1)	-	(4)	-
	Net realized and unrealized gains (losses) from adjustments to fair value of shares held for				
	trading ⁽²⁾	(1)	1	(1)	(2)
	Total non-interest financing income (expenses) from trading activities ⁽⁴⁾	(4)	5	(2)	5
	Total non-interest financing income	21	33	33	67
	Details on non-interest financing income (expenses) in respect of trading activities, by risk exposure				
	Interest rate exposure	(5)	4	(5)	3
	Exposure to shares	-	1	2	2
	Foreign currency exposure	1	<u> </u>	1	-
_	Total	(4)	5	(2)	5
c.	Uneffective part in hedging ratios- foreign activity ⁽⁵⁾				
	Uneffectiveness of hedging	-	-	1	-
	Gain element in respect of derivative instruments, excluded for the assessment of the effectiveness of the hedge	-	-	1	1
	Total	-		2	1

- (1) No gains in respect of trading bonds on hand at balance sheet date (for the three months and six months ended June 30, 2016- losses of NIS 1 million).
- (2) No gains/losses exist in respect of trading shares on hand at balance sheet date.
- (3) Including exchange differences arising from trading activity.
- (4) See Note 2 for details on income from investment in trading bonds.
- (5) See Note 2 for disclosure of the net effect of hedge derivative instruments on interest income and expenses.

NOTE 4 - CUMULATIVE OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS)

(NIS million)

A. Changes in cumulative other comprehensive income (loss), net after tax effect

	Other comprehens	sive income (loss)	before attributio	n to minority interests		
	Adjustment in respect of reporting available for sale securities in fair value	Translation adjustments net after the effect of hedges	Adjustments in respect of employee benefits	Total	Other comprehensive income (loss) attributed to minority interests For the three months er	Other comprehensive income (loss) attributed to the Bank's shareholders
Balance as of March 31, 2017 (unaudited)	8	(2)	(158)	(152)	(10)	(142)
Net change during the period	21	-	6	27	1	26
Balance as of June 30, 2017 (unaudited)	29	(2)	(152)	(125)	(9)	(116)
					For the three months en	nded June 30, 2016
Balance as of March 31, 2016 (unaudited)	(9)	(1)	(110)	(120)	(2)	(118)
Net change during the period	10	-	(17)	(7)	1	(8)
Balance as of June 30, 2016 (unaudited)	1	(1)	(127)	(127)	(1)	(126)
					For the six months en	nded June 30, 2017
Balance as of December 31, 2016 (audited)	(13)	(2)	(174)	(189)	(12)	(177)
Net change during the period	42		22	64	3	61
Balance as of June 30, 2017 (unaudited)	29	(2)	(152)	(125)	(9)	(116)
					For the six months en	nded June 30, 2016
Balance as of December 31, 2015 (audited)	(22)	(1)	(84)	(107)	(2)	(105)
Net change during the period	23	_	(43)	(20)	1	(21)
Balance as of June 30, 2016 (unaudited)	1	(1)	(127)	(127)	(1)	(126)
					For the year ended	December 31, 2016
Balance as of December 31, 2015 (audited)	(22)	(1)	(84)	(107)	(2)	(105)
Net change during 2016	9	(1)	(90)	(82)	(10)	(72)
Balance as of December 31, 2016 (audited)	(13)	(2)	(174)	(189)	(12)	(177)

NOTE 4 - CUMULATIVE OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS) (CONT'D)

(NIS million)

B. Changes in the components of cumulative other comprehensive income (loss) before and after tax effect

		Fo	r the three m	onths ende	ed June 30 (u	naudited)
			2017	2016		
	Before tax	Tax effect	After tax	Before tax	Tax effect	After tax
Changes in the components of cumulative other comprehensive income (loss) before attribution to minority interests				-		-
Adjustments in respect of available for sale securities presentation according to fair value						
Unrealized net gains from adjustments to fair value	43	(15)	28	60	(21)	39
Gains in respect of available for sale securities reclassified to income statement ⁽¹⁾	(10)	3	(7)	(44)	15	(29)
Net change during the period	33	(12)	21	16	(6)	10
Translation adjustments*						
Adjustments from translation of financial statements	1	(1)	-	1	-	1
Hedges**	(1)	1	-	(1)	-	(1)
Net change during the period	-	-	-	-	-	-
Employee benefits:					-	
Net actuarial gain (loss) for the period	1	(1)	-	(30)	11	(19)
Net losses reclassified to the statement of profit and loss ⁽²⁾	9	(3)	6	4	(2)	2
Net change during the period	10	(4)	6	(26)	9	(17)
Changes in the components of cumulative other comprehensive income (loss) attributed to minority interests						
Total change during the period	2	(1)	1	2	(1)	1
Changes in the components of cumulative other comprehensive income (loss) attributed to the Bank's shareholders						
Total change during the period	41	(15)	26	(12)	4	(8)

			For the six m	onths ende	d June 30 (u	naudited)
			2017	2016		
	Before			Before		
	tax	Tax effect	After tax	tax	Tax effect	After tax
Changes in the components of cumulative other comprehensive income (loss) before attribution to minority interests						
Adjustments in respect of available for sale securities presentation according to fair value						
Unrealized net gains from adjustments to fair value	80	(28)	52	138	(49)	89
Gains in respect of available for sale securities reclassified to income statement $^{(1)}$	(15)	5	(10)	(102)	36	(66)
Net change during the period	65	(23)	42	36	(13)	23
Translation adjustments*						
Adjustments from translation of financial statements	(7)	2	(5)	1	-	1
Hedges**	7	(2)	5	(1)		(1)
Net change during the period	-	-	-	-	-	-
Employee benefits:						
Net actuarial gain (loss) for the period	18	(7)	11	(74)	26	(48)
Net losses reclassified to the statement of profit and loss ⁽²⁾	16	(5)	11	9	(4)	5
Net change during the period	34	(12)	22	(65)	22	(43)
Changes in the components of cumulative other comprehensive income (loss) attributed to minority						
interests						
Total change during the period	4	(1)	3	2	(1)	1
Changes in the components of cumulative other comprehensive income (loss) attributed to the Bank's shareholders						
Total change during the period	95	(34)	61	(31)	10	(21)

^{*} Adjustments from translation of financial statements of foreign activity for which the operating currency is different from the operating currency of the Bank.

^{**} Net gains (losses) in respect of hedging net investment in foreign currency.

⁽¹⁾ The amount before tax is reported in the statement of income in the item non-interest financing income. For additional details see note 3.

⁽²⁾ The amount before tax is reported in the statement of income in the item employee benefits, see note 7A.

NOTE 4 - CUMULATIVE OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS) (CONT'D)

(NIS million)

	For the	year ended I	December
			31, 2016
			(audited)
	Before		
	tax	Tax effect	After tax
Changes in the components of cumulative other comprehensive income (loss) before attribution to minority interests			
Adjustments in respect of available for sale securities presentation according to fair value			
Unrealized net gains from adjustments to fair value	34	(12)	22
Gains in respect of available for sale securities reclassified to income statement ⁽¹⁾	(20)	7	(13)
Net change during the period	14	(5)	9
Translation adjustments*			
Adjustments from translation of financial statements	(10)	5	(5)
Hedges**	7	(3)	4
Net change during the period	(3)	2	(1)
Employee benefits:			
Net actuarial loss for the period	(163)	53	(110)
Net losses reclassified to the statement of profit and loss ⁽²⁾	32	(12)	20
Net change during the period	(131)	41	(90)
Changes in the components of cumulative other comprehensive loss attributed to minority interests		-	
Total change during the period	(15)	5	(10)
Changes in the components of cumulative other comprehensive loss attributed to the Bank's shareholders	·		·
Total change during the period	(105)	33	(72)

^{*} Adjustments from translation of financial statements of foreign activity for which the operating currency is different from the operating currency of the Bank.

^{**} Net gains (losses) in respect of hedging net investment in foreign currency.

⁽¹⁾ The amount before tax is reported in the statement of income in the item non-interest financing income. For additional details see note 3.

⁽²⁾ The amount before tax is reported in the statement of income in the item employee benefits, see note 7A.

NOTE 5 - SECURITIES

(NIS million)

					June 30, 20	17 (unaudited)
Α.	Debentures held to maturity	Book value	Amortized cost (in shares cost)	Unrealized gains from adjustments to fair value	Unrealized losses from adjustments to fair value	Fair value ⁽¹⁾
	Of Israeli government	1,072	1,072	22	-	1,094
	Of financial institutions in Israel	32	32	4	-	36
	Of foreign financial institutions	26	26	-	-	26
	Of others in Israel	265	265	20	-	285
Tota	l debentures held to maturity	1,395	1,395	46		1,441

			Amortized cost	Cumulative other comprehensive income		
			(in shares	-	meonie	
В.	Securities available for sale	Book value	cost)	Gains	Losses	Fair value (1)
	Debentures and bonds -					
	Of Israeli government	6,262	6,214	52	4	6,262
	Of foreign governments	1,594	1,597	-	3	1,594
	Of financial institutions in Israel	217	218	-	1	217
	Of foreign financial institutions	⁽⁷⁾ 926	927	-	1	926
	Mortgage backed (MBS) securities ⁽⁶⁾	324	327	1	4	324
	Of others in Israel	718	712	7	1	718
	Of foreign others	651	651	-	-	651
Tota	l debentures and bonds available for sale	10,692	10,646	60	14	10,692
	Shares -	(4)(5) 171	171	2	2	171
Tota	l securities available for sale	10,863	10,817	(2)62	(2)16	10,863

C.	Securities held for trading	Book value	Amortized cost (in shares cost)	Unrealized gains from adjustments to fair value	Unrealized losses from adjustments to fair value	Fair value ⁽¹⁾
	Debentures and bonds -					
	Of Israeli government	730	729	1	-	730
	Of foreign financial institutions	18	18	-	-	18
	Of others in Israel	1	1	-	-	1
	Of foreign others	39	39	-	-	39
Total	trading debentures and bonds	 788	787	1		788
	Shares -	 1	1	-		1
Total	trading securities	 789	788	(3) 1	(3)_	789
Total	securities	 13,047	13,000	109	16	13,093

Note: For details of the results of activity in investment in bonds and shares, see notes 2 and 3.

- (1) The fair value of securities is generally based on market price, which does not necessarily reflect the price obtained in the event of sale of securities in large volumes.
- (2) Included in equity in the item "Adjustments in respect of presentation of available-for-sale securities at fair value", except for securities amounting to NIS 4 million, which include an embedded derivative measured according to fair value while reflecting changes in fair value in profit and loss.
- (3) Recorded in the Statement of Income.
- (4) Including investments in private equity funds in the amount of NIS 109 million and perpetual capital notes of NIS 4 million.
- (5) Including investments in shares and private equity funds having no available fair value presented at cost of NIS 121 million.
- (6) Securities guaranteed by GNMA and securities issued by FNMA & FHLMC.
- (7) Including securities owned by more than one government in the amount of NIS 515 million and securities owned and have specified government guarantee of NIS 338 million.

NOTE 5 - SECURITIES (CON'T)

(NIS million)

					June 30, 20	16 (unaudited)
Α.	Debentures held to maturity	 Book value	Amortized cost (in shares cost)	Unrealized gains from adjustments to fair value	Unrealized losses from adjustments to fair value	Fair value ⁽¹⁾
	Of Israeli government	 923	923	33	-	956
	Of financial institutions in Israel	61	61	11	-	72
	Of foreign financial institutions	56	56	-	-	56
	Of others in Israel	259	259	23	-	282
Tota	al debentures held to maturity	 1,299	1,299	67		1,366

		Amortized cost	Cumulative other comp	prehensive income	
B. Securities available for sale	Book value	(in shares cost)	Gains	Losses	Fair value (1)
Debentures and bonds -					
Of Israeli government	7,390	7,384	20	14	7,390
Of foreign governments	*1,837	*1,836	2	1	*1,837
Of financial institutions in Israel	322	323	1	2	322
Of foreign financial institutions	⁽⁷⁾ *1,648	*1,656	1	9	*1,648
Mortgage backed (MBS) securities ⁽⁶⁾	433	431	3	1	433
Of others in Israel	*900	*901	8	9	*900
Of foreign others	23	23	-	-	23
Total debentures and bonds available for sale	12,553	12,554	35	36	12,553
Shares -	(4)(5)200	196	10	6	200
Total securities available for sale	12,753	12,750	(2)45	(2)42	12,753

C. Securities held for trading	Book value	Amortized cost (in shares cost)	Unrealized gains from adjustments to fair value	Unrealized losses from adjustments to fair value	Fair value ⁽¹⁾
Debentures and bonds -					
Of Israeli government	796	794	2	-	796
Of financial institution in Israel	4	4	-	-	4
Of foreign financial institutions	11	11	-	-	11
Of others in Israel	44	44	-	-	44
Of foreign others	8	8	-	-	8
Total trading debentures and bonds	863	861	2	_	863
Shares -		2	-	_	2
Total trading securities	865	863	(3)2	(3)_	865
Total securities	14,917	14,912	114	42	14,984

Reclassified.

Note: For details of the results of activity in investment in bonds and shares, see notes 2 and 3.

- (1) The fair value of securities is generally based on market price, which does not necessarily reflect the price obtained in the event of sale of securities in large
- (2) Included in equity in the item "Adjustments in respect of presentation of available-for-sale securities at fair value", except for securities amounting to NIS 8 million, which include an embedded derivative measured according to fair value while reflecting changes in fair value in profit and loss.
- (3) Recorded in the Statement of Income.
- Including investments in private equity funds in the amount of NIS 115 million, perpetual capital notes of NIS 8 million.
- (5) Including investments in shares and private equity funds having no available fair value presented at cost of NIS 133 million.
- (6) Securities guaranteed by GNMA and securities issued by FNMA & FHLMC.
- (7) Including securities owned by more than one government in the amount of NIS 525 million and securities owned and have specified government guarantee of NIS 77 million.

NOTE 5 - SECURITIES (CON'T)

(NIS million)

					December 31,	2016 (audited)
Α.	Debentures held to maturity	Book value	Amortized cost (in shares cost)	Unrealized gains from adjustments to fair value	Unrealized losses from adjustments to fair value	Fair value ⁽¹⁾
	Of Israeli government	1,079	1,079	18	3	1,094
	Of financial institutions in Israel	61	61	9	-	70
	Of foreign financial institutions	52	52	-	-	52
	Of others in Israel	267	267	18	-	285
Tota	I debentures held to maturity	1,459	1,459	45	3	1,501

			Amortized cost	Cumulative other comprehensive income		
В.	Securities available for sale	Book value	(in shares cost)	Gains	Losses	Fair value ⁽¹⁾
	Debentures and bonds -				<u> </u>	
	Of Israeli government	7,434	7,437	20	23	7,434
	Of foreign governments	*2,160	*2,164	-	*4	*2,160
	Of financial institutions in Israel	259	260	-	1	259
	Of foreign financial institutions	⁽⁷⁾ *1,752	*1,756	-	*4	*1,752
	Mortgage backed (MBS) securities ⁽⁶⁾	409	415	1	7	409
	Of others in Israel	718	719	6	7	718
	Of foreign others	*435	*436	-	*1	*435
Tota	l debentures and bonds available for sale	13,167	13,187	27	47	13,167
	Shares -	(4)(5) ₁₇₅	175	4	4	175
Tota	l securities available for sale	13,342	13,362	⁽²⁾ 31	(2)51	13,342

C. Securities held for trading	Book value	Amortized cost (in shares cost)	Unrealized gains from adjustments to fair value	Unrealized losses from adjustments to fair value	Fair value ⁽¹⁾
Debentures and bonds -					
Of Israeli government	946	945	1	-	946
Of financial institution in Israel	4	4	-	-	4
Of foreign financial institutions	4	4	-	-	4
Of others in Israel	7	7	-	-	7
Of foreign others	11	12		1	11
Total trading debentures and bonds	972	972	1	1	972
Shares -	3	3	-	-	3
Total trading securities	975	975	(3)1	(3)1	975
Total securities	15,776	15,796	77	55	15,818

D. Data regarding impaired bonds	June 30, 2017	June 30, 2016	December 31, 2016
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(audited)
The recorded debt balance of Impaired bonds accruing interest income	5	9	5
Total recorded debt balances	5	9	5

Reclassified.

Note: For details of the results of activity in investment in bonds and shares, see notes 2 and 3.

- (1) The fair value of securities is generally based on market price, which does not necessarily reflect the price obtained in the event of sale of securities in large volumes.
- (2) Included in equity in the item "Adjustments in respect of presentation of available-for-sale securities at fair value", except for securities amounting to NIS 4 million, which include an embedded derivative measured according to fair value while reflecting changes in fair value in profit and loss.
- (3) Recorded in the Statement of Income.
- (4) Including investments in private equity funds in the amount of NIS 111 million and capital hedge funds of NIS 4 million.
- (5) Including investments in shares and private equity funds having no available fair value presented at cost of NIS 123 million.
- (6) Securities guaranteed by GNMA and securities issued by FNMA & FHLMC.
- (7) Including owned by more than one government in the amount of NIS 901 million and securities owned and have specified government guarantee of NIS 423 million.

NOTE 5 - SECURITIES (CON'T)

(NIS million)

E. Fair value and unrealized losses, according to period and rate of impairment of bonds held to maturity and of available-for-sale securities being in an unrealized loss position

	·					Ju	ıne 30, 2017 (un	naudited)		
		Less than 12 months					12 months and above			
	Fair		Unrealized losses		Fair		Unrealiz	ed losses		
	Value	0-20%	20%-40%	Total	Value	0-20%	20%-40%	Total		
Securities available for sale										
Debentures and Bonds										
Of Israeli government	1,009	1	-	1	529	3	-	3		
Of foreign governments	1,595	3	-	3	-	-	-	-		
Of Israeli financial institutions	-	-	-	-	138	1	-	1		
Of foreign financial institutions	871	1	-	1	-	-	-	-		
Mortgage backed (MBS) securities	284	4	-	4	-	-	-	-		
Of others in Israel	-	-	-	-	402	1	-	1		
Shares	-	-	-	-	16	2	-	2		
Total securities available for sale	3,759	9		9	1,085	7		7		

						Ju	ıne 30, 2016 (ur	naudited)	
			Less than 12	2 months		12 months and above			
	Fair		Unrealiz	ed losses	Fair		Unrealiz	ed losses	
	Value	0-20%	20%-40%	Total	Value	0-20%	20%-40%	Total	
Securities available for sale									
Debentures and Bonds									
Of Israeli government	1,639	5	-	5	2,291	9	-	9	
Of foreign government	-	-	-	-	80	1	-	1	
Of Israeli financial institutions	65	1	-	1	121	1	-	1	
Of foreign financial institutions	306	3	-	3	689	6	-	6	
Mortgage backed (MBS) securities	-	-	-	-	31	-	1	1	
Of others in Israel	177	4	-	4	377	5	-	5	
Shares	12	1	-	1	24	5	-	5	
Total securities available for sale	2,199	14	-	14	3,613	27	1	28	

						Dece	mber 31, 2016	(audited)
			Less than 12	2 months	12 months and abov			
	Fair	Unre	alized losses		Fair	Unrealized losses		
	Value	0-20%	20%-40%	Total	Value	0-20%	20%-40%	Total
							1)	NS million)
Held to maturity bonds of Israeli Government ⁽¹⁾	403	3	-	3	-	-	-	-
Securities available for sale								
Debentures and Bonds								
Of Israeli government	3,586	19	-	19	1,536	4	-	4
Of foreign governments	*1,793	*3	-	3	78	1	-	1
Of Israeli financial institutions	-	-	-	-	143	1	-	1
Of foreign financial institutions	*1,259	*2	-	2	277	2	-	2
Mortgage backed (MBS) securities	371	7	-	7	-	-	-	-
Of others in Israel	-	-	-	-	429	7	-	7
Of foreign others	*411	*1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Shares	-	-	-	-	30	2	2	4
Total securities available for sale	7,420	32	-	32	2,493	17	2	19

^{*} Reclassified.

^{(1) 312.12.16 -} The balance of the amortized cost of bonds held to maturity amounts to NIS 406 million.

NOTE 6 - CREDIT RISK, CREDIT TO THE PUBLIC AND PROVISION FOR CREDIT LOSSES

(NIS million)

1. Debts, credit to the public and provision for credit losses

					June 30, 2017 (u	naudited)
			Credit to	the public		
	Commercial	Housing	Other private	Total	Banks and Governments	Total
Recorded balance:						
Debts examined on an individual basis	34,110	-	223	34,333	2,580	36,913
Debts examined on a collective basis	4,926	22,373	18,332	45,631	-	45,631
Of which: according to the extent of arrears	238	22,373	-	22,611	-	22,611
Total	39,036	22,373	18,555	79,964	2,580	82,544
Of which:						
Debts restructuring	403	-	69	472	-	472
Other impaired debts	245	24	11	280		280
Total impaired debts	648	24	80	752	-	752
Debts in arrears of 90 days or more	30	135	39	204	-	204
Other problematic debts	621	15	203	839		839
Total problematic debts	1,299	174	322	1,795		1,795
Provision for credit losses:						
In respect of debts examined on an individual basis	439	-	25	464	-	464
In respect of debts examined on a collective basis	60	114	207	381	-	381
Of which: according to the extent of arrears	1	114	-	115		115
Total	499	114	232	845	-	845
Of which: in respect of impaired debts	141	_	20	161		161

					June 30, 2016 (u	naudited)
			Credit to	the public		
			Other	<u> </u>	Banks and	
	Commercial	Housing	private	Total	Governments	Total
Recorded balance:						
Debts examined on an individual basis	33,781	-	425	34,206	4,131	38,337
Debts examined on a collective basis	4,606	21,092	17,051	42,749	-	42,749
Of which: according to the extent of arrears	328	21,092	-	21,420	-	21,420
Total	38,387	21,092	17,476	76,955	4,131	81,086
Of which:				<u> </u>		
Debts restructuring	155	-	70	225	-	225
Other impaired debts	488	18	12	518	-	518
Total impaired debts	643	18	82	743	-	743
Debts in arrears of 90 days or more	28	*160	34	222	-	222
Other problematic debts	372	*17	168	557	-	557
Total problematic debts	1,043	195	284	1,522		1,522
Provision for credit losses:						
In respect of debts examined on an individual basis	466	-	19	485	-	485
In respect of debts examined on a collective basis	54	125	194	373	-	373
Of which: according to the extent of arrears	1	125	-	126	-	126
Total	520	125	213	858		858
Of which: in respect of impaired debts	229	-	10	239	-	239

^{*} Reclassified.

NOTE 6 - CREDIT RISK, CREDIT TO THE PUBLIC AND PROVISION FOR CREDIT LOSSES (CONT'D)

(NIS million)

					December 31, 2016	(audited)
			Credit to	the public		
			Other		Banks and	
	Commercial	Housing	private	Total	Governments	Total
Recorded balance:						
Debts examined on an individual basis	33,911	-	408	34,319	2,578	36,897
Debts examined on a collective basis	4,586	21,741	17,529	43,856	-	43,856
Of which: according to the extent of arrears	247	21,741	-	21,988	-	21,988
Total	38,497	21,741	17,937	78,175	2,578	80,753
Of which:						
Debts restructuring	126	-	71	197	-	197
Other impaired debts	360	8	12	380	-	380
Total impaired debts	486	8	83	577	-	577
Debts in arrears of 90 days or more	30	*150	41	221	-	221
Other problematic debts	782	*16	195	993	-	993
Total problematic debts	1,298	174	319	1,791		1,791
Provision for credit losses:						
In respect of debts examined on an individual basis	446	-	28	474	-	474
In respect of debts examined on a collective basis	55	115	203	373	-	373
Of which: according to the extent of arrears	1	115	-	116	-	116
Total	501	115	231	847	-	847
Of which: in respect of impaired debts	178	-	22	200	-	200

^{*} Reclassified.

NOTE 6 - CREDIT RISK, CREDIT TO THE PUBLIC AND PROVISION FOR CREDIT LOSSES (CONT'D)

(NIS million)

2. Change in provision for credit losses

		F	or the three	months end	ed June 30, 2017 (ur	naudited)
	_		Credit to t	he public		
			Other		Banks and	
	Commercial	Housing	private	Total	Governments	Total
Change in provision for credit losses - Debts						
Provision for credit losses at beginning of the period	483	113	231	827	-	827
Expenses (income) in respect of credit losses	38	(1)	14	51	-	51
Accounting write-offs	(53)	-	(31)	(84)	-	(84)
Collection of debts written off in accounting in previous years	31	2	18	51	-	51
Net accounting write-offs	(22)	2	(13)	(33)	-	(33)
Provision for credit losses at end of the period	499	114	232	845	-	845
Changes in provision in respect of off-balance sheet credit instruments						
Provision at beginning of the period	53	-	14	67	-	67
Increase in the provision	2	-	-	2	-	2
Provision in respect of off-balance sheet credit instruments at end of the period	55	-	14	69	-	69
Total provision for credit losses - debts and off-balance sheet credit instruments	554	114	246	914	-	914

			For the six	months end	ed June 30, 2017 (ur	naudited)
			Credit to tl	ne public		
					Banks and	
	Commercial	Housing	private	Total	Governments	Total
Change in provision for credit losses - Debts						
Provision for credit losses at beginning of the year	501	115	231	847	-	847
Expenses (income) in respect of credit losses	69	(1)	21	89	-	89
Accounting write-offs	(126)	(2)	(61)	(189)	-	(189)
Collection of debts written off in accounting in previous years	55	2	41	98	<u> </u>	98
Net accounting write-offs	(71)		(20)	(91)	<u> </u>	(91)
Provision for credit losses at end of the period	499	114	232	845		845
Changes in provision in respect of off-balance sheet credit instruments						
Provision at beginning of the year	57	-	14	71	-	71
Decrease in the provision	(2)		-	(2)	<u>-</u> _	(2)
Provision in respect of off-balance sheet credit instruments at end of the period	55		14	69	-	69
Total provision for credit losses - debts and off-balance sheet credit instruments	554	114	246	914	-	914

NOTE 6 - CREDIT RISK, CREDIT TO THE PUBLIC AND PROVISION FOR CREDIT LOSSES (CONT'D)

(NIS million)

	For the three months ended June 30, 2016 (unaudited)					
	Credit to the public					
					Banks and	
	Commercial	Housing	private	Total	Governments	Total
Change in provision for credit losses - Debts						
Provision for credit losses at beginning of the period	450	121	216	787	-	787
Expenses in respect of credit losses	67	4	4	75	-	75
Accounting write-offs	(42)	-	(18)	(60)	-	(60)
Collection of debts written off in accounting in previous years	45		11	56	<u> </u>	56
Net accounting write-offs	3		(7)	(4)	<u> </u>	(4)
Provision for credit losses at end of the period	520	125	213	858		858
Changes in provision in respect of off-balance sheet credit instruments						
Provision at beginning of the year	42	-	14	56	-	56
Increase in the provision	17	-	-	17	-	17
Provision in respect of off-balance sheet credit instruments at end of the period	59	-	14	73	-	73
Total provision for credit losses - debts and off-balance sheet credit instruments	579	125	227	931	-	931

		For the six months ended June 30, 2016 (unaudited)					
			Credit to tl	ne public			
			Other		Banks and		
	Commercial	Housing	private	Total	Governments	Total	
Change in provision for credit losses - Debts							
Provision for credit losses at beginning of the year	498	119	207	824	-	824	
Expenses in respect of credit losses	17	7	13	37	-	37	
Accounting write-offs	(62)	(1)	(54)	(117)	-	(117)	
Collection of debts written off in accounting in previous years	67	-	47	114	-	114	
Net accounting write-offs	5	(1)	(7)	(3)	-	(3)	
Provision for credit losses at end of the period	520	125	213	858	-	858	
Changes in provision in respect of off-balance sheet credit instruments							
Provision at beginning of the year	70	-	15	85	-	85	
Decrease in the provision	(11)	-	(1)	(12)	-	(12)	
Provision in respect of off-balance sheet credit instruments at end of the period	59	-	14	73	-	73	
Total provision for credit losses - debts and off-balance sheet credit instruments	579	125	227	931	-	931	

NOTE 7 - DEPOSITS FROM THE PUBLIC

(NIS million)

A. Classes of deposits by place of origin and type of depositor

		June 30,	December 31,	
	2017	2017 2016	2016	
		(unaudited)	(audited)	
In Israel				
Demand				
- Non- bearing interest	43,036	38,298	43,051	
- Bearing interest	6,506	6,929	5,273	
Total demand	49,542	45,227	48,324	
Fixed-term*	57,738	59,350	57,493	
Total deposits in Israel**	107,280	104,577	105,817	
Outside Israel				
Demand				
- Non- bearing interest	-	739	-	
Total deposits outside Israel	-	739	-	
Total deposits from the public	107,280	105,316	105,817	
* Of which: non-bearing interest deposits	2,401	1,589	1,986	
** Of which:				
Deposits of private individuals	53,552	52,681	54,034	
Deposits of institutional entities	23,410	21,476	19,448	
Deposits of corporates and others	30,318	30,420	32,335	

B. Deposits of the public by size

		June 30,		
	2017	2016	2016	
Maximum amount of deposit		(unaudited)	(audited)	
Up to 1	41,556	40,176	40,864	
From 1 to 10	26,000	25,625	26,400	
From 10 to 100	14,578	14,166	15,627	
From 100 to 500	3,722	5,984	5,802	
Over 500	21,424	19,365	17,124	
Total	107,280	105,316	105,817	

NOTE 7A - EMPLOTYEE RIGHTS

(NIS million)

A. SIGNIFICANT BENEFITS

1. Pension and Severance Pay

A part of the Group's liabilities for severance pay and pensions is covered by current deposits, in the name of the employees, with provident and pension funds or by the purchase of insurance policies. The liability for severance pay and pension included in the balance sheet represents the portion of the liabilities which is not covered by deposits and/or insurance policies, as stated above. This liability is measured on an actuarial basis, using actuarial and other assumptions, including the discounting rate, increase in salaries, increased severance pay, mortality and retirement rates.

2. Staff Long-Service Awards

The employees of consolidated subsidiaries are entitled to Seniority awards, after completing defined employment period. This liability is measured on an actuarial basis using actuarial and other assumptions, including the discounting rate, the rate of increase in salaries, mortality and retirements rates.

3. Benefit in respect of nonutilized sick leave

Employees of the Bank are entitled to a benefit in respect of nonutilized accumulated sick leave. Towards the retirement date, this benefit is convertible into vacation days to be actually utilized, based on a determined convertion formula. This liability is measured on an actuarial basis using actuarial and other assumptions, including the discounting rate, the rate of increase in salaries, mortality and retirements rates.

4. Other post-employment benefits

Employees of consolidated subsidiary are entitled to an award in respect of unutilized sick leave. This liability is measured on an actuarial basis using actuarial and other assumptions, including the discounting rate, the rate of increase in salaries, mortality and retirements rates.

In addition, certain senior officres are entitled to non-competion award upon their retirement.

5. Other post-retirement benefits

Employees of the group are entitled to certain post-retirement benefits, which include: holidays presents, newspapers, vacations, etc. This liability is measured on an actuarial basis using actuarial and other assumptions, including the discounting rate, mortality and retirements rates.

6. Vacation pay

Employees of the Bank are entitled by law and by labor agreements to paid annual vacation. The provision for vacation pay is calculated on the basis of the most recent salary amounts of employees and the vacation days accumulated in their favor, with the addition of the required related expenses.

See note 33.H. to the annual financial statements for 2016 as to the employment agreements of the Bank's CEO and the Chairman of the Board of Directors.

NOTE 7A - EMPLOTYEE RIGHTS (CON'T)

(NIS million)

C. Defined benefits severance pay and pension schemes

(1) Liabilities and financing situation

		For the three months ended June 30,			six months led June 30,	For the year ended December 31,	
		2017	2016	2017	2016	2016	
			(NIS million)		(NIS million)	(NIS million)	
			(unaudited)		(unaudited)	(audited)	
A.	Change in liability regarding anticipated benefits						
	Liability regarding anticipated benefit at beginning of period	1,135	1,081	1,166	1,079	1,079	
	Cost of service	7	7	13	13	24	
	Cost of interest	11	10	21	20	38	
	Actuarial (profit) loss	4	20	(11)	43	**125	
	Benefits paid	(29)	(23)	(61)	(61)	(133)	
	Other, including loss from reduction and structural changes	-	25	-	26	33	
	Liability regarding anticipated benefit at end of period	1,128	1,120	1,128	1,120	1,166	
В.	Change in fair value of assets of the scheme and the financing situation of the scheme						
	Fair value of assets of the scheme at beginning of period	744	775	750	794	794	
	Actual return on assets of the scheme	8	5	14	5	17	
	Deposits in the scheme by the Bank	2	4	5	7	17	
	Benefits paid	(15)	(14)	(30)	(36)	(78)	
	Fair value of assets of the scheme at end of period	739	770	739	770	750	
	Financing situation – net liability recognized at end of period*	389	350	389	350	416	

^{*} Included in the item "other liabilities".

^{**} Of which an actuarial loss in the amount of NIS 172 million in respect of efficiency process for the years 2016 till 2020 and an actuarial profit in the amount of NIS 69 million for the years afterwards.

		30.6.17	30.6.16	31.12.16
			(unaudited)	(audited)
				(NIS million)
C.	Amounts recognized in the consolidated balance sheet			
	Amounts recognized in the item "other liabilities"	389	350	416
	Net liability recognized at end of period	389	350	416
D.	Amounts recognized in other cumulative comprehensive loss, before the tax effect			
	Actuarial loss, net	174	127	200
	Liability net, in respect of transition*	26	41	28
	Closing balance in other cumulative comprehensive profit	200	168	228

^{*} Actuarial loss deriving from the gap between the discounting rates as of January 1, 2013 deducted by actuarial profits deriving from current changes in discounting rates offsetting the said loss.

NOTE 7A - EMPLOTYEE RIGHTS (CON'T)

(NIS million)

(2) Expense for the period

			ree months led June 30,	For the six months ended June 30,		For the year ended December 31,
		2017	2016	2017	2016	2016
			(NIS million)		(NIS million)	(NIS million)
			(unaudited)		(unaudited)	(audited)
A.	Cost components of net benefit recognized in profit and loss					
	Cost of service	7	7	13	13	24
	Cost of interest	11	10	21	20	38
	Anticipated return on assets of the scheme	(6)	(7)	(12)	(15)	(28)
	Amortization of non-recognized amounts:					
	Net actuarial loss	3	2	6	3	8
	Other, including loss from reduction or dismissal and stractural changes	5	28	9	32	57
	Capitalization of software costs	-	-	(1)	(1)	(3)
	Total cost of benefits, net	20	40	36	52	96
В.	Changes in assets of the scheme and in liability for benefits recognized in other comprehensive (profit) loss, before the tax effect					
	Net actuarial loss (profit) for the period	2	22	(13)	53	136
	Amortization of actuarial loss	(3)	(2)	(6)	(3)	(8)
	Dismissal	(5)	(3)	(9)	(6)	(24)
	Total recognized in other comprehensive profit	(6)	17	(28)	44	104
	Total net cost of benefit	20	40	36	52	96
	Total net cost of benefit for the period recognized in other comprehensive profit	14	57	8	96	200

		 (NIS million)
C.	Assessment of amounts included in other cumulative comprehensive profit expected to be amortized from other cumulative comprehensive profit to the statement of profit and loss as an expense in 2017, before the tax effect	
	Net actuarial loss	30
	Total amount expected to be amortized from other cumulative comprehensive profit	30

NOTE 7A - EMPLOTYEE RIGHTS (CON'T)

(NIS million)

(3) Assumptions

A. Assumptions on the basis of weighted average used to determine the liability in respect of the benefits and for the measurement of the net cost of benefits

			June 30,	December 31,
		2017	2016	2016
			(unaudited)	(audited)
				percent
1.	Principal guidelines used to determine the liability for benefits			
	Discounting rate	1.7	1.5	1.7
			-	
		For the six mont	-	For the year ended December 31,
			hs ended June	For the year ended
		For the six mont	hs ended June 30,	For the year ended December 31,
		For the six mont	hs ended June 30, 2016	For the year ended December 31, 2016
2.	Principal guidelines used to measure the net cost of benefits for the period	For the six mont	hs ended June 30, 2016	For the year ended December 31, 2016 (audited)

B. Effect of a one percentage point change on the liability in respect of the anticipated benefit, before the tax effect

		One percent	age point growth		One percent	
	June 30, December 31, June 30,		June 30, December 31,		June 30,	December 31,
	2017	2016	2016	2017	2016	2016
		(unaudited)	(audited)		(unaudited)	(audited)
			(NIS million)			(NIS million)
Discounting rate	(73)	(83)	(74)	86	100	88

C. Cash flows

(1) Deposits

	Forecast					Actual deposits
	<u> </u>	For the three months ended June 30, ended June 30,		For the year ended December 31,		
	*2017	2017	2016	2017	2016	2016
	(NIS million)		(NIS million)		(NIS million)	(NIS million)
	(unaudited)		(unaudited)		(unaudited)	(audited)
Deposits	10	2	4	5	7	17

^{*} Assessment of amounts which the Bank expects to deposit with a defined benefit pension scheme during 2017.

A. CAPITAL ADEQUACY

Starting January 1, 2014 the bank has implemented Proper Banking Management Directives Nos. 201-211 in the matter of measurement and capital adequacy, as updated, in order to modify them to the Basel guidelines.

It is noted that the Basel instructions determine significant changes in the computation of the regulatory capital requirements, among other things, in everything related to:

- Components of the regulatory capital;
- Deductions from capital and regulatory adjustments;
- Treatment of exposure to financial corporations;
- Treatment of exposure to credit risk in respect of impaired debts;
- Allocation of capital in respect of CVA risk.

The instructions were implemented in a gradual manner, in accordance with the transitional instructions stated in Proper Banking Management Directive No, 299 in the matter of measurement and capital adequacy - regulatory capital - transitional instructions, this in order to allow compliance with the new instructions of the regulatory capital within the framework of the implementation of Basel, and determine a transitional period until their implementation in full. Among other things, the transitional instructions relate to the regulatory adjustments and the deductions from capital, as well as to capital instruments that are not qualified for inclusion in the regulatory capital in accordance with the new criteria determined in the Basel instructions. In particular, according to the transitional instructions, the regulatory adjustments and deductions from capital as well as the non-controlling interests that are not qualified to be included in the regulatory capital, shall be gradually deducted from capital at the rate of 20% in each year starting with January 1, 2014 and until January 1, 2018. The capital instruments no longer qualified as regulatory capital shall be recognized up to a maximum of 80% on January 1, 2014, this maximum level being reduced by an additional 10% until January 1, 2022. As of January 1, 2017, the rate of deductions from the regulatory capital amounts to 80% and the maximum level of instruments qualified as supervisory capital amounts to 50%.

(1) Capital adequacy goals

The Group's policy, as approved by the Board of Directors and Management, is to maintain an adequate level of capital, in accordance with the capital target determined by an internal process, and which would not be less than the minimum capital goals required by the Supervisor of Banks. The capital target determined by the Board of Directors and Management reflects in the opinion of the Group, the proper capital level required in accordance with the risk profile and risk appetite of the Group.

As part of the gradual process of adoption of the Basel instructions in Israel, The Supervisor of Banks published on March 28, 2012, a guiding letter in the matter of Basel framework - minimum core capital ratios, requiring banks and credit card companies to attain a Tier I equity capital ratio of 9% and a total capital ratio of 12.5%, and this until January 1, 2015. It has been determined, in addition, that a bank, the total stated assets of which on a consolidated basis amount to at least 20% of the total amount of assets of the banking industry, would have to increase the said ratios by one additional percentage point and to attain a minimum Tier I equity capital ratio of 10% and a minimum total capital ratio of 13.5%, and this until January 1, 2017. In accordance with the above, the minimum ratio of Tier I equity capital ratio that would be required from the Bank is 9% and the minimum total capital ratio that would be required from the Bank is 12.5%. To these relations, as of January 1, 2015 was added capital requirement of 1% of housing loans balance for the reporting date. This demand was implemented gradualy until January 1, 2017. For the balabce of the housing loans see note 12.8.3.

(NIS million)

The internal capital targets as were detrmined by the Board of Directors:

- In the ordinary course of business the capital targets would be the higher of the Tier I equity capital ratio of 9.3% and the comprehensive capital ratio of 12.79%, as determined in accordance with the expected regulatory requirement upon approval of the capital target in the ICAAP process, and the regulatory capital ratios required in practice.
- Under stress tests the Tier I equity capital ratio shall not be lower than 6.50%, and the comprehensive capital ratio shall not be lower than 9.00%.
- (2) Following are details regarding risk assets, the regulatory capital and capital ratios calculated in accordance with Proper Conduct of Banking Business Directives No. 201-211, regarding "measurement and capital adequacy", and in accordance with Directive 299 regarding the "regulatory capital transitional instructions":

		June 30, 2017	June 30, 2016	December 31, 2016
		(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(audited)
a. Co	onsolidated			
1.	Capital for calculation of capital ratio			
	Tier 1 capital, after supervisory adjustments and deductions	7,842	7,580	7,684
	Tier 2 capital after deductions	2,722	2,798	2,819
	Total overall capital	10,564	10,378	10,503
2.	Weighted balances of risk assets			
	Credit risk	69,628	69,017	⁽³⁾ 69,262
	Market risk	858	874	748
	Operational risk	6,002	6,149	6,168
	Total weighted balances of risk assets	76,488	76,040	76,178
				percent
3.	Ratio of capital to risk assets			
	Ratio of tier 1 capital to risk assets	10.25%	9.97%	10.09%
	Total ratio of capital to risk assets	13.81%	13.65%	13.79%
	Minimal ratio of equity capital tier 1 required by the Supervisor of banks	⁽¹⁾ 9.29 %	⁽¹⁾ 9.17%	(1)9.25%
	Minimal ratio of capital required by the Supervisor of Banks	⁽¹⁾ 12.79 %	⁽¹⁾ 12.67%	⁽¹⁾ 12.75%
				percent
	gnificant Subsidiaries			
Banl	k Otsar Hahayal Ltd.	40.000/	10.000/	10.53%
	Ratio of tier 1 capital to risk assets	10.90%	10.90%	10.63%
	Total ratio of capital to risk assets	13.50%	14.08%	13.39%
	Minimal ratio of equity capital tier 1 required by the Supervisor of banks	(1)9.02%	(1)9.01%	(1)9.02%
	Minimal ratio of capital required by the Supervisor of Banks	(1) 12.52%	⁽¹⁾ 12.51%	(1) _{12.52%}
Banl	k Massad Ltd.			
	Ratio of tier 1 capital to risk assets	11.91%	13.62%	13.17%
	Total ratio of capital to risk assets	13.00%	14.83%	14.31%
	Minimal ratio of equity capital tier 1 required by the Supervisor of banks	9.00%	9.00%	9.00%
	Minimal ratio of capital required by the Supervisor of Banks	12.50%	12.50%	12.50%

(NIS million)

(3) Capital components for computation of capital ratio (consolidated)

	June 30, 2017	June 30, 2016	December 31, 2016
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(audited)
1. Equity capital tier 1			
Capital attributed to shareholders	7,563	7,339	7,321
Differences between capital attributed to shareholders and equity capital tier 1			
Minority interests	(2)442	(2)450	(2)458
Application of the transitional instructions in respect of the adoption of accepted accounting principles in the matter of employee rights	13	55	29
Total equity capital tier 1 before regulatory adjustments and deductions	8,018	7,844	7,808
Regulatory adjustments and deductions:			
Intangible assets	(109)	(127)	(114)
Commitment to invest in shares	⁽²⁾ (171)	⁽²⁾ (133)	⁽²⁾ (128)
Regulatory adjustments and other deductions- equity capital tier 1	(8)	(4)	(5)
Total regulatory adjustments and deductions before adjustments in respect of efficiency measures - equity capital tier 1	(288)	(264)	(247)
Total adjustments in respect of efficiency measures- Tier 1 equity capital	112	-	123
Total equity capital tier 1 after regulatory adjustments and deductions	7,842	7,580	7,684
2. Tier 2 capital			
Tier 2 capital: instruments before deductions	1,971	2,109	2,105
Tier 2 capital: provisions before deductions	751	689	714
Total tier 2 capital before deductions	2,722	2,798	2,819
Deductions:			
Total deductions- tier 2 capital	-	-	-
Total tier 2 capital	2,722	2,798	2,819

	June 30, 2017	June 30, 2016	December 31, 2016
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(audited)
(4) Effect of transitional instructions on equity capital tier 1			
Ratio of capital to risk assets			
Ratio of equity capital tier 1 to risk assets before implementation of transitional instructions in directive 299 and before effect of adjustments in respect of efficiency measures	9.97%	9.69%	9.67%
Effect of transitional instructions	0.11%	0.28%	0.23%
Ratio of tier 1 equity capital to risk assets before effect of adjustments in respect of efficiency	·		
measures	10.08%	9.97%	9.90%
Effect of adjustments in respect of efficiency measures	0.17%	-	0.19%
Ratio of tier 1 equity capital to risk assets	10.25%	9.97%	10.09%

⁽¹⁾ Minimal capital tier 1 ratio and minimal total capital ratio requested according to the Supervisor of Banks' directives effective from January 1, 2015 until December 31, 2016 were 9.0% and 12.5%, respectively. To these relations, as of January 1, 2015 was added capital requirement of 1% of housing loans balance for the reporting date. This requirement was applied gradualy until January 1, 2017.

⁽²⁾ As for the amount of NIS 56 million, with coordination of the Supervisor of Banks, the Bank implemented the transition instructions of Basel regarding the PUT option granted to noncontrolling interests (30.6.16 - NIS 107 million, 31.12.16 - NIS 110 million).

⁽³⁾ An amount of NIS 158 million were deducted from the average balances of risk assets in respect of adjustments regarding the efficiency measures.

(5) Factors that might materially affect the capital adequacy of the Bank and of its significant subsidiaries (5a.) Capital components subject to fluctuations

The Bank manages the capital adequacy ratio with the aim of adhering to the minimal capital requirements of the Supervisor of Banks. The capital of the Bank is subject to changes, inter alia, in respect of the factors detailed below:

- Changes in the volume of risk assets of the Bank and in deductions from capital;
- Actuarial changes due to changes in the interest rate used to compute the liabilities of the Bank or in other actuarial assumptions, such as: mortality rates, retirement etc.

Following is an analysis of the impact of such changes on the Tier I equity capital of the Bank as of June 30, 2017:

	Effect of a change of NIS 100 million in Tier I equity capital	Effect of a change of NIS 1 billion in total risk assets
		percent
The Bank (consolidated data)	0.13%	0.13%
Otsar Hahayal Bank	0.85%	0.86%
Massad Bank	2.15%	2.11%

(5b.) Capital requirements in respect of exposure to central counterparties

The Supervisor of Banks published on October 22, 2015, a final letter in the matter of "Capital requirements in respect of exposure to central counterparties" (hereinafter - "the letter"). The letter amends Proper Conduct of Banking Business Directives 203 and 204, in order to match them to the Basel Committee recommendations in everything relating to the capital requirements with respect to exposure of banking corporations to central counterparties. The letter details the new guidelines applying to exposure to central counterparties arising from OTC derivatives, marketable derivative transactions and transactions financing securities. The guidelines differentiate between an unqualified central counterparty and a qualified central counterparty; where in respect of the latter, lower capital requirements have been established.

The guidelines regularize, inter-alia, the following exposures:

- The exposures of banking corporation which is a member of a clearing house to central counterparty. As a general rule, these exposures should be weighted at risk rate of 2% (in contrast to 0% before the amendment).
- Exposures of a banking corporation to customer who is active in the stock exchange. According to the amendment, the required capital to these exposures is to be calculated as if this is a bilateral transaction, including capital alocation in respect of CVA risk. The calculation method used until now according to the directive- calculation in accordance to the Stock Exchange rules- is to be cancelled.
- Exposure of customer corporation active by a clearing house member.
- Transfers of a banking corporation which is a clearing house member, to the risk fund.
- Collateral deposited by banking corporation with a clearing house member or with a central counterparty.
- Exposures to unqualified central counterparty will be weighted according to the relevant risk weight of the counterparty while transfers to the risk fund will be weighted in 1,250%.

The contents of the amendment directive apply as from January 1, 2017.

On December 28, 2016 a letter from the Bank of Israel was received approving to continue to compute the amount of exposure in respect of the activity of customers in the MAOF exchange according to the scenarios method.

On July 2, 2017, the Supervisor of Banks published a letter in the matter of "Capital requirements in respect of exposure to central counterparties". In the letter the Supervisor of Banks notified that the condition in appendix C to Directive no. 203 to classify the Stock Exchange clearing house and the Maof clearing house as qualified central counterparties, exist. This, following various amendments in legislation and the declaration of the securities authority in the matter, and after the ending of the transitional directives, according to which the Tel Aviv Stock Exchange was considered as a qualified central counterparty, up to June 30, 2017.

(5c.) Raising of regulatory capital by debt notes including loss absorbing mechanism

On June 26, 2016 and on December 27, 2016, the First International Issuance Ltd. (hereinafter – "International Issuance"), a wholly owned subsidiary of the Bank, issued to the public deferred debt notes (Series 22), having a debt absorption mechanism, in a total amount of NIS 580 million and of NIS 261 million, respectively. On February 8, 2017, the First International Issuing issued by way of a private placement, additional subordinate debt notes having a loss absorption mechanism, in consideration for NIS 52 million. The proceeds of issue of the said subordinate debt notes were deposited with the Bank. The said deferred debt notes are compatible with the qualification terms of the Basel III Rules and are recognized as Tier II capital.

The deferred debt notes include a loss absorption mechanism in the event that the Tier I equity capital of the Bank falls below a rate of 5%, or upon the occurrence of a constitutive event concerning the existence of the Bank, this in accordance with a decision of the Supervisor of Banks. In such cases, the deferred debt notes may be erased in part or in full.

In the event that the Tier I equity capital ratio of the Bank rises over the minimum capital ratio determined for the Bank by the Supervisor of Banks, the Bank would be entitled, at its own discretion, to announce the partial or full cancellation of the erasure of the principal amount of the debt until June 26, 2031.

After five years since the date of issue, the Bank is entitled to a one-time only premature redemption of the debt. In the event that no such premature redemption is made by the Bank, the annual interest rate would be revised in accordance with the difference between the basic interest rate at that date and the basic interest rate at the original date of issue of the deferred debt notes.

B. Leverage ratio in accordance with instructions of the Supervisor of Banks

As from April 1, 2015, the Bank implements Proper Banking Management Directive No. 218 in the matter of leverage ratio. The Directive states a simple and transparent leverage ratio that is not risk based, which would serve as a supplementary and reliable measurement of the risk based capital requirements, and which is intended to restrict the accumulation of leverage at a banking corporation.

The leverage ratio is expressed in percentages, and is defined as the ratio between the measurement of capital and the measurement of exposure. Capital for the purpose of measuring leverage is the Tier I capital as defined in Proper Banking Management Directive No. 202, taking into consideration the determined transitional arrangements. The total measurement of exposure of the Bank is the total of the balance sheet exposures, exposure to derivatives and to transactions financing the purchase of securities and off-balance sheet items. As a general rule, measurement is consistent with accounting values and risk weights are not taken into consideration. Furthermore, the Bank is not permitted to use physical or financial collateral, guarantees or other credit risk reducing techniques, in order to reduce exposure measurement, unless this is specifically permitted by the Directive. Balance sheet assets, deducted from Tier I capital (in accordance with Directive No. 202) are deducted from exposure measurement. In accordance with the Directive, the Bank computes exposure in respect of derivatives in accordance with the provisions of Appendix "C" of Proper Banking Management Directive No. 203, and exposure in respect of off-balance sheet items by converting the imputed amount of the items by the conversion coefficients for credit, as determined in Proper Banking Management Directive No. 203.

In accordance with the Directive, a banking corporation shall maintain a leverage ratio of not less than 5% on a consolidated basis. A banking corporation, the total stated consolidated assets of which comprises 20% or more of the total stated assets of the banking industry, shall maintain a leverage ratio of not less than 6%. In accordance with the above, the minimum leverage ratio required from the Bank is 5%.

NOTE 8 - CAPITAL ADEQUACY, LEVERAGE AND LIQUIDITY ACCORDING TO DIRECTIVE OF THE SUPERVISOR OF BANKS (CONT'D)

	June 30, 2017 (unaudited)	June 30, 2016 (unaudited)	December 31, 2016 (audited)
	NIS million		
A. Consolidated			
Tier 1 capital*	7,842	7,580	7,684
Total exposures	139,364	138,089	139,207
			percent
Leverage ratio	5.63%	5.49%	5.52%
3. Significant Subsidiaries			
Bank Otsar Hahayal Ltd.			
Leverage ratio	5.66%	5.59%	5.56%
Bank Massad Ltd.			
Leverage ratio	6.99%	7.39%	7.39%
Minimal Leverage ratio required by the Supervisor of banks	5.00%	5.00%	5.00%

^{*} For the effect of the transition directive and the effective in respect of the efficiency program, see note (4) above.

A banking corporation is required to maintain the minimum leverage ratio as from January 1, 2018. A banking corporation, which at date of publication of the Directive maintains already the minimum leverage ratio applying to it, shall not reduce the ratio below the minimum determined by the Directive. A banking corporation, which at date of publication of the Directive did not attain the minimum leverage ratio requirement applying to it, is required to increase the leverage ratio by fixed quarterly installments until January 1, 2018.

C. Reporting the liquidity coverage ratio in accordance with instructions of the Supervisor of Banks

As from April 1, 2015 the Bank implements Proper Conduct of Banking Business Directive No. 221 in the matter of "liquidity coverage ratio". The Directive adopts the recommendations of the Basel Committee in the matter of liquidity coverage ratio as regards the banking industry in Israel. The liquidity coverage ratio examines a range of thirty days in a stress test, and is intended to ensure that a banking corporation shall have an inventory of high quality liquid assets serving the liquidity needs of the corporation within that period of time. The Directive specifies the manner of computation of the liquidity coverage ratio, including the definitions of characteristics and operational requirements for the "inventory of high quality liquid assets" (numerator) and security coefficients in its respect, as well as the anticipated cash outflows in the stress test, as defined in the Directive for the thirty calendar days (denominator).

The stress test stated in the Directive includes a stress situation that combines a specific stress to the corporation with a system stress, within the framework of which, standard withdrawal rates have been defined for cash outflows and cash deposit rates for cash inflows, in accordance with the different categories of outstanding balances.

As from January 1, 2017 the minimum required ratio is 100%.

NOTE 8 - CAPITAL ADEQUACY, LEVERAGE AND LIQUIDITY ACCORDING TO DIRECTIVE OF THE SUPERVISOR OF BANKS (CONT'D)

		For the th	hree months ended
	June 30,	June 30,	December 31
	2017	2016	2016
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(audited)
	_		percent
A. Consolidated*			
Liquidity coverage ratio	125%	109%	123%
B. The bank**			
Liquidity coverage ratio	125%	106%	120%
Significant Subsidiaries**			
Bank Otsar Hahayal Ltd.			
Liquidity coverage ratio	307%	402%	352%
Bank Massad Ltd.			
Liquidity coverage ratio	224%	334%	270%
Minimal liquidity coverage ratio required by the Supervisor of banks***	100%	80%	80%

^{*} Until January 1, 2017 in terms of simple averages of monthly observations during the reported quarter. As from January 1, 2017 the consolidated liquidity coverage ratio is computed in terms of simple averages of daily observations during the reported quarter.

D. Dividends

On March 15, 2017, the Board of Directors of the Bank resolved on a cash dividend distribution to the shareholders of the Bank in a total amount of NIS 70 million. The determining date for the payment of the dividend was March 23, 2017, and the payment date was April 2, 2017.

On May 23, 2017, the Board of Directors of the Bank resolved on a cash dividend distribution to the shareholders of the Bank in a total amount of NIS 70 million. The determining date for the payment of the dividend is June 6, 2017, and the payment date is June 14, 2017.

After balance sheet date, on August 14, 2017, the Board of Directors of the Bank resolved on a cash dividend distribution to the shareholders of the Bank in a total amount of NIS 70 million. The determining date for the payment of the dividend is August 23, 2017, and the payment date will be August 31, 2017. The dividend amount is before taxes, including deduction at source which the Bank has to deduct according to the law.

	For	the three months ended June 30,	ſ	or the six months ended June 30,	For the year ended December 31,
	2017	2016	2017	2016	2016
				(unaudited)	(audited)
					NIS million
Dividend declared by the Bank	70	-	140	-	200

 $[\]begin{tabular}{ll} ** & In terms of simple averages of daily observations during the reported quarter. \\ \end{tabular}$

^{***} The liquidity coverage ratio increased gradually from 60% on April1, 2015, to 80% on January 1, 2016 and 100% on January 1, 2017.

NOTE 9 - COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

(NIS million)

Other contingent liabilities and special commitments

		30.6.17	30.6.16	31.12.16
		 (unaudited)	(unaudited)	(audited)
A.	Improvements to premises and acquisition of new premises, equipment and software	5	8	11
	Commitments to invest in private investment funds	61	65	58

B. The Bank and its investees have leased premises and equipment on a long term basis. The rentals payable in the future subject to linkage terms (partly to the CPI and partly to foreign currency), are as follows:

	30.6.17	30.6.16	31.12.16
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(audited)
First year	*37	*39	73
Second year	70	72	63
Third year	66	65	61
Fourth year	62	63	59
Fifth year	56	60	54
Sixth year and thereafter	340	357	325
Total	631	656	635

^{*} For the period until the end of the calendar year

C. In the ordinary course of business, legal actions have been filed against the Bank and certain of its subsidiaries, including pleas for approval of class actions. In the opinion of the Management of the Bank and the Managements of its subsidiaries, based on legal opinions, as to the prospects of these actions, including the pleas for approval of class actions as detailed in this section, adequate provisions have been included in the financial statements, where required, to cover losses which might be sustained as a result of these actions.

As regards the legal actions, including pleas for approval of class action see Note 25G to the financial statements for 2016. Following is a detail of legal action which was filed in the past against a consolidated company, and a change has occurred relating to the presentation in the annual financial statements for 2016:

On January 1, 2015, a consolidated subsidiary was served with a motion for approval of a lawsuit as a class action suit against fifteen Defendants, being nine managers of mutual funds and six trust companies.

The claim is in respect of alleged excessive payments of brokerage fees, while violating fiduciary duties and other duties towards holders of mutual funds units.

It is further alleged that the fund managers had conducted transactions on behalf of the funds being managed by them without making any effort to reduce the brokerage fees paid by investors in the funds, and that the Defendants had collaborated with the factor providing brokerage services, so that he would receive higher consideration for services paid for by the unit holders, while on the other hand, he would provide at no cost services, the price for which, if charged, would have to be paid by the fund managers. It is also alleged that the consolidated subsidiary charged trustee fees at a much higher rate than the fees charged by the other Defendants, this in order to compensate the consolidated subsidiary for operating services provided at no cost to managers of the funds.

The claim relates to whoever owned participation units in whatever mutual fund being managed by one or more of the defendant fund managers in the period ended on December 27, 2011, or during a part thereof, and which had been charged with brokerage commissions and/or charged, directly or indirectly, with payments for operating services.

On February 13, 2017, a motion for withdrawal of was filed in the lawsuit and the approval as a class action suit against the trust companies, except for the consolidated company. On February 28, 2017, the withdrawal motion was approved without expenses order (the trustee affidavit and opinions in their matter were removed from the court file).

On July 28, 2017, a motion for withdrawal of was filed in the lawsuit and the approval as a class action suit against the six funds managers. On August 2, 2017, the withdrawal motion was approved without expenses order.

The amount of the claim is assessed at NIS 220 million in nominal terms, of which, the share of the consolidated subsidiary amounts to NIS 54 million.

The additional exposure of the Bank and of the subsidiary companies as of June 30, 2017, to pending claims, which in the opinion of Management of the Bank the probability of their realization, in full or in part, is not remote, and in respect of which no provisions have been included, amounts to NIS 94 million.

- D. Moreover, pending against the Bank is a motion for approval of a class action, as detailed below. In the opinion of the Managements of the Bank, based on Counsel's opinion, it is not possible at this stage to assess the prospects of this actions and no provision has been included in respect thereof:
 - On February 19, 2017, the Bank received notice of an action filed against the Bank, Bank Leumi le'Israel Ltd., Hapoalim Bank Ltd., Mizrahi-Tfachot Bank Ltd. and Israel Discount Bank Ltd. (hereinafter together "the banks") together with a motion for approval of the action as a class action. The Appellants assesses the amount of the claim at approximately NIS 50 million. The action refers to the disclosure provided by the banks regarding the service of depositing funds in foreign currency accounts or the withdrawal of funds from foreign currency accounts, as required by Part 5, Item 2 of the full pricelist (hereinafter "the commission"). As alleged by the Appellant, details of the commission presented in the full pricelist may be stated either as an amount or as a percentage, because this matter remains open in the full pricelist. In practice, as alleged by the Appellant, the banks do not provide details of the commission in the full pricelist, as required (neither in amount nor as a percentage) and as a result thereof, customers have no knowledge of the cost of this service nor the ability to compare it, in order to choose the most beneficial supplier of this service.
- E. 1. Following are details of a claim against an affiliated company, Israel Credit Cards Ltd. ("ICC"), the amounts claimed therein is material:
 - (a) A lawsuit and a motion for its approval and conduct as a class action suit under the Class Actions Act, 2006, were filed on January 30, 2014, with the Tel Aviv Yaffo Distruct Court, against ICC and against Israel Discount Bank Ltd. (hereinafter "the claim and the motion"). The subject of the motion is a credit card named "Active", which grants revolving credit. The Appellant argues that ICC, at its discretion, charges the account of the holder of an "Active" credit card with only a minimal amount out of the amounts accumulated to the debit of the credit card, the remaining balance turning into a loan carrying interest at especially high rates. It is further argued that upon the marketing of this scheme, ICC refrained from emphasizing to the customers that cancellation of the credit requires an explicit request by the customer, and also refrained from providing information as to the cost of the credit granted. Encumbering the customers with a revolving credit mechanism and charging them with interest, has been done with no valid contractual basis while impairing the autonomy of customer.

The causes of action in this case are violations of the provisions of the Banking Act (Service to customers), 1981 and the Uniform Contracts Act, 1982.

The group which the Appellant wishes to represent has been defined as anyone whom ICC had marketed to a credit card serving as a customer club card of the marketing chains, which had cooperated and are cooperating with ICC in the marketing of the said cards, in which was integrated a revolving credit scheme operated as the default option according to the "Active" plan, or any of their alternatives, including the "CAL Choice" plan.

The Appellant stated the amount of the claim in respect of all class members at NIS 2,225 million.

The District Court decided to postpone the hearing of the motion until after the Supreme Court decides in the Appeal submitted by the Appellant against the decision of the lower Court for the dismissal *in limine* of the motion for approval of the class action against Israel Discount Bank Ltd. A memorandum hearing of the case was held on December 2, 2015, and interrogation of the attesters in the motion took place on April 13, 2016.

On June 14, 2016, The Appellant submitted his summing-up brief and ICC submitted its summing-up brief on September 25, 2016.

On December 8, 2016 the Court dismissed the lawsuit. On January 22, 2017 the Plaintiff appealed to the Supreme Court against the verdict.

The Appellant submitted his summing-up brief on May 17, 2017. ICC submitted its summing-up briefs on August 6, 2017. Response on behalf of the Appellant is to be submitted by October 15, 2017. A hearing by the Court is fixed for February 5, 2018.

(b). On April 28, 2014, ICC received notice of an action and a motion for approval and conduct of the action as a class action under the Class Actions Act, 2006, filed with the District Court, Central District against ICC and other credit card companies (hereinafter - "the claim and motion").

The motion refers to two binding arrangements with respect to immediate debit cards ("debit cards") and to "prepaid" cards, which, as alleged by the Appellants, amount to systematic and continuous deception of customers of credit card companies. The first binding arrangement, as argued by the Appellants, is the arrangement for the charging of a cross commission in respect of transactions made by debit cards and prepaid cards. The second binding arrangement, as argued by the Appellants, is the unlawful withholding of funds due to trading houses for periods of approximately twenty days after the credit card companies had received the money. The class of those directly affected which the Appellants wish to represent was defined as "all trading houses in the State of Israel that accept debit cards". The class of those indirectly affected, which the Appellants seek to represent is defined as "whoever purchased goods or services at trading houses that accept debit cards, including the Appellants".

The Appellants stated the amount of the claim in respect of all class members and regarding all the Defendants, at NIS 1,736 million.

On February 24, 2015, the Appellants, with the consent of the Responders, filed a motion for withdrawal from the claim and from the request for approval of a class action, with no order for expenses.

On April 19, 2015, a motion was filed with the Court, requesting the Court to order the replacement of the Appellants who had filed for withdrawal, as above, and their representatives, by the new Appellant and his representative, and to instruct the continuation of the proceedings through the new Appellant.

It is alleged in this motion, that the request for withdrawal does not state the reasons meriting the request for withdrawal, and that it relies only on future action to be taken by the Regulator (Bank of Israel) with no compensation in respect of the past.

On July 1, 2015 the Court approved the withdrawal. Concurrently, the Court instructed that a replacement of the Appellant and its representative be found, who would take upon themselves the management of the proceedings in the name of the group.

Following the decision of the Court of July 1, 2015, the representatives for the Appellants presented on July 6, 2015, the text of a newspaper advertisement regarding the withdrawal from the claim which had been approved by the Court.

On June 8, 2016, an amended motion for approval of the class action was filed ("the amended motion"). In this motion for approval, three credit card companies are being sued under the allegation that they had entered into binding arrangements regarding the immediate debit card and prepaid card markets.

The amended motion does not state explicitly the amount of the claim, but makes reference to an economic opinion appended to the amended motion. A review of the economic opinion shows that the amount of the claim is composed of the following main types of damage: an amount of NIS 13.5 million per year for the years 2007-2015 in respect of the damage stemming from the existence of an alleged binding arrangement regarding the amount of the cross commission payable in immediate debit card transactions; an amount of NIS 5.3 million per year, for the years 2007-2015, in respect of the damage stemming from the existence of an alleged binding arrangement regarding the date for the transfer of funds to trading houses in respect of immediate debit card transactions; an amount of between NIS 418 million and NIS 683 million per year for the years 2007-2015, in respect of the damage stemming from underuse of immediate debit cards due to the alleged two binding arrangements, as above.

ICC responded to the amended motion for approval on December 22, 2016. The Appellant submitted his response to the response of ICC on February 22, 2017. On March 12, 2017, a preliminary hearing of the motion was held. In its decision, the Court stated that the matter of the cross-commission in respect of the "debit" and the "pre-paid" cards, is apparently included in a verdict given by the Antitrust Tribunal, and therefore any claim raised against the determination of the cross-commission, should be raised using procedures relating to the said verdict. In view of this, the Court deferred the hearing of the motion for a class action until after the matter is settled by the Antitrust Tribunal. An additional preliminary hearing is fixed for October 29, 2017.

- 2. The amount of exposure due to claims submitted against ICC, the prospect of materialization of all or part of these claims is reasonably possible, totals NIS 1,266 million.
- 3. As detailed to ICC by Israel Discount Bank Ltd. (hereinafter "Discount"), Discount received notice on May 7, 2015, of a lawsuit and a motion for its approval as a multi-party derivative action, filed with the Tel Aviv-Yafo District Court. The Court is being asked to approve a derivative action against sixteen officers and other executives who officiated in the relevant period at ICC and at ICC international Ltd. (including former officers in Discount and the Bank), which on December 31, 2009 was merged into ICC and struck-off the Companies Register and the damage expected to be caused to it, as alleged, in connection with the international clearing activity of ICC and of ICC International in the years 2006-2009.

The Appellant claims that the responded officers and other executives have, among other things violated their duties and caused the alleged damage, which is assessed by him at NIS 100 million. The Appellant further refers to a potential risk of forfeiture of funds to the tune of NIS billions, within the framework of criminal proceedings, if these are instituted, and to reputation and other damage, not yet assessed, all as alleged by the Appellant.

In accordance with a procedural arrangement reached by the parties, an action and a motion for approval of the action as a multi-party derivative action was filed on May 8, 2017, with the Tel Aviv Yaffo District Court. The amended motion included two major changes: (1) a cause of action relating to the conditional arrangement that had been signed between ICC and the State Prosecutor Office and the payment in respect of that arrangement as additional damage to ICC; (2) ommitance of the cause in respect of violation of the AML law and the monetary sanction imposed by the Bank of Israel.

According the court decision dated May 10, 2017, ICC and the rest of the respondents have to submit their answer to the amended approval request by September 24, 2017. It was also decided that a copy of the approval request will be forwarded to the Government legal counsel (including the Supervision of Banks) which will notify if he is going to join the procedure.

On the background of the signing of the conditional arrangement in lieu of the criminal procedure, between ICC and the economic department in the State Prosecutor Office, the discussions in Ad-Hoc committees established in ICC and the Bank were renewed in respect of the demand letters in accordance to article 194 to the Companies Law and the motion to approve a derivative action suit, and this in order to estimate the effects of the arrangement on the motion to approve a derivative action suit.

On September 28, 2016, the Bank received a letter sent by a shareholder of the Bank, in which the Board of Directors of the Bank is requested to do their utmost to exploit a cause of action against two former senior officers of ICC (the former managing director of ICC and the former general manager of CAL International) prior to the submission to the Court of a motion for approval of a multiple derivative action on the part of the Bank, and a motion for disclosure of documents. To the best understanding of the Bank, the request relates to events in respect of which an action and a motion for approval of a derivative action had been filed against Discount Bank and against ICC, as discussed above. The Board of Directors of the Bank discussed the said request on November 1, 2016, and decided to reject it.

(NIS million)

A. Volume of activity

						June 30, 2017 (unaudited)
		Interest	Contracts	Foreign		Commodity	
		Shekel-CPI	Other	currency contracts	Contracts of shares	and other contracts	Total
1.	Face value of derivative instruments	·					
A.	Hedging derivatives ⁽¹⁾						
	Forward contracts	-	-	207	-	-	207
	SWAPS	-	2,782	-	-	-	2,782
	Total		2,782	207		-	2,989
	Of which swaps interest rate contracts in which the banking corporation						
	has agreed to pay a fixed interest rate	-	2,782	-	-	-	2,782
В.	ALM derivatives ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾						
	Futures contracts	-	40	-	-	-	40
	Forward contracts	251	500	38,466	-	-	39,217
	Option contracts traded on an exchange:						
	- Options written	-	-	87	-	-	87
	- Purchased options	-	-	87	-	-	87
	Other option contracts:						
	- Options written	-	-	2,885	-	-	2,885
	- Purchased options	-	-	2,863	-	-	2,863
	SWAPS	75	9,570	311	-	-	9,956
	Total	326	10,110	44,699	-	-	55,135
	Of which swaps interest rate contracts in which the banking corporation		,				
	has agreed to pay a fixed interest rate	75	5,540	-	-	-	5,615
c.	Other derivatives ⁽¹⁾						
	Futures contracts	-	2,029	512	7,722	144	10,407
	Option contracts traded on an exchange:						
	- Options written	-	-	6,924	23,348	-	30,272
	- Purchased options	-	-	6,924	23,348	-	30,272
	Other option contracts:						
	- Options written	-	-	337	1,064	-	1,401
	- Purchased options	-	-	322	740	-	1,062
	SWAPS		980	121		<u> </u>	1,101
	Total		3,009	15,140	56,222	144	74,515
	Of which swaps interest rate contracts in which the banking corporation has agreed to pay a fixed interest rate		490				490
D.	Credit derivatives and spot swap foreign currency contacts						
	Credit derivatives for which the Banking corporation is guarantor	-	_	_	_	35	35
	Foreign currency spot swap contracts	_		1,298	_		1,298

⁽¹⁾ Except for credit derivatives and foreign currency spot swap contracts

⁽²⁾ Derivatives constituting part of the bank's assets and liabilities management, that have not been designated for hedging relationships.

(NIS million)

						June 30, 2016 (u	mauunteuj
		Interest	Contracts	Foreign		Commodity	
		Shekel-CPI	Other	currency contracts	Contracts of shares	and other contracts	Total
1.	Face value of derivative instruments	<u> </u>					
Α.	Hedging derivatives ⁽¹⁾						
	Forward contracts	-	_	402	-	-	402
	SWAPS	-	2,794	-	-	-	2,794
	Total		2,794	402	-	-	3,196
	Of which swaps interest rate contracts in which the banking corporation has agreed to pay a fixed interest rate	-	2,794	-	-	-	2,794
В.	ALM derivatives ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾						
	Futures contracts	-	577	-	1	20	598
	Forward contracts	678	1,800	45,730	-	-	48,208
	Option contracts traded on an exchange:						
	- Options written	-	-	257	-	-	25
	- Purchased options	-	-	379	-	-	379
	Other option contracts:						
	- Options written	-	-	3,895	-	-	3,89
	- Purchased options	-	-	4,865	-	-	4,86
	SWAPS	75	10,113	405			10,593
	Total	753	12,490	55,531	1	20	68,795
	Of which swaps interest rate contracts in which the banking corporation has agreed to pay a fixed interest rate	75	5,651	-	-	-	5,726
c.	Other derivatives ⁽¹⁾						
	Futures contracts	-	4,470	547	15,309	2,291	22,617
	Forward contracts	-	-	-	-	-	
	Option contracts traded on an exchange:						
	- Options written	-	-	7,489	28,152	-	35,64
	- Purchased options	-	-	7,489	28,152	-	35,643
	Other option contracts:						
	- Options written	-	-	326	995	-	1,32
	- Purchased options	-	-	303	699	-	1,00
	SWAPS	<u> </u>	700	143			843
	Total	<u> </u>	5,170	16,297	73,307	2,291	97,065
	Of which swaps interest rate contracts in which the banking corporation has agreed to pay a fixed interest rate	-	350	-	-	-	350
D.	Credit derivatives and spot swap foreign currency contacts						
	Credit derivatives for which the Banking corporation is guarantor	-	-	-	-	38	38
	Foreign currency spot swap contracts	-	-	1,956	-	-	1,956

⁽¹⁾ Except for credit derivatives and foreign currency spot swap contracts

⁽²⁾ Derivatives constituting part of the bank's assets and liabilities management, that have not been designated for hedging relationships.

(NIS million)

					D	ecember 31, 2016	(audited)
		Interest	Contracts	Foreign		Commodity	
		Shekel-CPI	Other	currency contracts	Contracts of shares	and other contracts	Total
1.	Face value of derivative instruments						
Α.	Hedging derivatives ⁽¹⁾						
	Forward contracts	-	-	241	-	-	241
	SWAPS	-	2,943	-	-	-	2,943
	Total	-	2,943	241	-	-	3,184
	Of which swaps interest rate contracts in which the banking corporation has agreed to pay a fixed interest rate		2,943		_		2,943
В.	ALM derivatives ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾						
	Futures contracts	-	21	-	-	-	21
	Forward contracts	489	100	41,390	-	-	41,979
	Option contracts traded on an exchange:						
	- Options written	-	-	136	-	-	136
	- Purchased options	-	-	223	-	-	223
	Other option contracts:						
	- Options written	-	-	2,121	-	-	2,121
	- Purchased options	-	-	2,467	-	-	2,467
	SWAPS	75	9,885	340			10,300
	Total	564	10,006	46,677			57,247
C.	Of which swaps interest rate contracts in which the banking corporation has agreed to pay a fixed interest rate Other derivatives ⁽¹⁾	75	5,325	-	-	-	5,400
	Futures contracts	_	4,111	6,251	9,146	68	19,576
	Option contracts traded on an exchange:						
	- Options written	-	_	6,112	25,843	-	31,955
	- Purchased options	-	_	6,112	25,843	-	31,955
	Other option contracts:						
	- Options written	-	-	343	1,210	-	1,553
	- Purchased options	-	-	316	872	-	1,188
	SWAPS	-	840	135	-	-	975
	Total	-	4,951	19,269	62,914	68	87,202
	Of which swaps interest rate contracts in which the banking corporation has agreed to pay a fixed interest rate		420	-	-	-	420
D.	Credit derivatives and spot swap foreign currency contacts						
	Credit derivatives for which the Banking corporation is guarantor	-	-	-	-	38	38
	Foreign currency spot swap contracts	-	-	1,225	-	-	1,225

⁽¹⁾ Except for credit derivatives and foreign currency spot swap contracts

⁽²⁾ Derivatives constituting part of the bank's assets and liabilities management, that have not been designated for hedging relationships.

(NIS million)

						June 30, 2017 (u	naudited)
		Interest	Contracts	Foreign		Commodity	
		Shekel-CPI	Other	currency contracts	Contracts of shares	and other contracts	Total
2. G	ross fair value of derivative instruments						
A.	Hedging derivatives ⁽¹⁾						
	Gross positive fair value	-	24	-	-	-	24
	Gross negative fair value	-	21	1	-	-	22
В.	ALM derivatives ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾						
	Gross positive fair value	20	176	514	-	-	710
	Gross negative fair value	1	219	552	-	-	772
c.	Other derivatives ⁽¹⁾						
	Gross positive fair value	-	13	162	384	1	560
	Gross negative fair value	-	13	162	384	1	560
D.	Credit derivatives						
	Credit derivatives for which the bank is guarantor:						
	Gross positive fair value	-	_	-	-	1	1
E.	Total						
	Gross positive fair value	20	213	676	384	2	1,295
	Fair value amounts that were offset in the balance sheet	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Balance sheet balance of assets in respect of derivative instruments*	20	213	676	384	2	1,295
	* Of which: balance sheet balance of assets in respect of derivative instruments which are not subject to a netting agreement or similar arrangements	_	_	_	-	-	-
	Gross negative fair value (3)	1	253	715	384	1	1,354
	Fair value amounts that were offset in the balance sheet	-	_	-	_	-	
	Balance sheet balance of liabilities in respect of derivative instruments*(3)	1	253	715	384	1	1,354
	* Of which: balance sheet balance of assets in respect of derivative instruments which are not subject to a netting agreement or similar arrangements	_	-	-	-	-	-

⁽¹⁾ Except for credit derivatives.

⁽²⁾ Derivatives constituting part of the bank's assets and liabilities management, that have not been designated for hedging relationships.

⁽³⁾ Of which gross negative fair value in respect of embedded derivative instruments of NIS 13 million.

(NIS million)

						June 30, 2016 (u	naudited)
		Interest	Contracts	Foreign		Commodity	
		Shekel-CPI	Other	currency contracts	Contracts of shares	and other contracts	Total
2. G	ross fair value of derivative instruments						
A.	Hedging derivatives ⁽¹⁾						
	Gross positive fair value	-	-	8	-	-	8
	Gross negative fair value	-	102	-	-	-	102
В.	ALM derivatives ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾						
	Gross positive fair value	30	254	431	-	-	715
	Gross negative fair value	8	333	379	-	-	720
C.	Other derivatives ⁽¹⁾						
	Gross positive fair value	-	18	121	596	22	757
	Gross negative fair value	-	18	120	596	22	756
D.	Credit derivatives						
	Credit derivatives for which the bank is guarantor:						
	Gross positive fair value	-	-	-	-	-	
E.	Total						
	Gross positive fair value	30	272	560	596	22	1,480
	Fair value amounts that were offset in the balance sheet	-	-	-	-	-	
	Balance sheet balance of assets in respect of derivative instruments*	30	272	560	596	22	1,480
	* Of which: balance sheet balance of assets in respect of derivative instruments which are not subject to a netting agreement or similar arrangements		_				
	Gross negative fair value ⁽³⁾	8	453	499	596	22	1,578
	Fair value amounts that were offset in the balance sheet	-			-		1,370
	Balance sheet balance of liabilities in respect of derivative instruments*(3)	8	453	499	596	22	1,578
	Of which: balance sheet balance of assets in respect of derivative instruments which are not subject to a netting agreement or similar arrangements	-	-	-	-	-	1,376

⁽¹⁾ Except for credit derivatives.

⁽²⁾ Derivatives constituting part of the bank's assets and liabilities management, that have not been designated for hedging relationships.

⁽³⁾ Of which gross negative fair value in respect of embedded derivative instruments of NIS 14 million.

(NIS million)

					D	ecember 31, 2016	(audited)
		Interest	Contracts	Foreign		Commodity	
				currency	Contracts of	and other	
		Shekel-CPI	Other	contracts	shares	contracts	Total
2. G	ross fair value of derivative instruments						
A.	Hedging derivatives ⁽¹⁾						
	Gross positive fair value	-	31	6	-	-	37
	Gross negative fair value	-	30	-	-	-	30
В.	ALM derivatives ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾						
	Gross positive fair value	23	188	346	-	-	557
	Gross negative fair value	3	230	372	-	-	605
C.	Other derivatives ⁽¹⁾						
	Gross positive fair value	-	19	93	625	1	738
	Gross negative fair value	-	19	92	625	1	737
D.	Credit derivatives						
	Credit derivatives for which the bank is guarantor:						
	Gross positive fair value	-	-	-	-	-	-
E.	Total						
	Gross positive fair value	23	238	445	625	1	1,332
	Fair value amounts that were offset in the balance sheet	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Balance sheet balance of assets in respect of derivative instruments*	23	238	445	625	1	1,332
	* Of which: balance sheet balance of assets in respect of derivative instruments which are not subject to a netting agreement or similar arrangements	_	_	_	_	_	_
	Gross negative fair value (3)	3	279	464	625	1	1,372
	Fair value amounts that were offset in the balance sheet	-			-	-	-,572
	Balance sheet balance of liabilities in respect of derivative instruments*(3)	3	279	464	625	1	1,372
	Of which: balance sheet balance of assets in respect of derivative instruments which are not subject to a netting agreement or similar arrangements		273	404	023	_	1,372

⁽¹⁾ Except for credit derivatives.

⁽²⁾ Derivatives constituting part of the bank's assets and liabilities management, that have not been designated for hedging relationships.

⁽³⁾ Of which gross negative fair value in respect of embedded derivative instruments of NIS 16 million.

(NIS million)

B. Credit risk in respect of derivatives instruments, according to transaction counterparty

				June	e 30, 2017 (ur	naudited)	
	Evehanges	Banks	Dealers/ brokers	Government and central banks	Others	Total	
Delance shoot belongs of assets in respect of derivative instruments	Exchanges 112	369	83	Danks	731	1,295	
Balance sheet balance of assets in respect of derivative instruments Gross amounts not offset in the balance sheet:	112	309	63	-	/31	1,295	
Credit risk mitigation in respect of financial instruments	-	(251)	(37)	-	(19)	(307)	
Credit risk mitigation in respect of cash collateral received	-	(69)	(7)	-	-	(76)	
Net amount of assets in respect of derivative instruments	112	49	39	-	712	912	
Off balance sheet credit risk in respect of derivative instruments (2)	<u> </u>	335	-	-	812	1,147	
Off balance sheet credit risk mitigation	-	(144)	-	-	(84)	(228)	
Net off balance sheet credit risk in respect of derivative instruments	-	191	-	-	728	919	
Total credit risk in respect of derivative instruments	112	240	39	-	1,440	1,831	
Balance sheet balance of liabilities in respect of derivative instruments (1)	112	568	202	-	472	1,354	
Gross amounts not offset in the balance sheet:							
Financial instruments	-	(250)	(37)	-	(19)	(306)	
Cash collateral which was attached by a lien		(213)		<u>-</u>	-	(213)	
Net amount of liabilities in respect of derivative instruments	112	105	165	-	453	835	

⁽¹⁾ Of which negative gross value of embedded derivative instruments is NIS 13 million (30.6.16 - NIS 14 million 31.12.16 - NIS 16 million).

C. Maturity dates (stated value amounts): period-end balance

			Ju	ıne 30, 2017 (unaudited)
	Up to 3 months	from 3 months to 1 year	From 1 to 5 years	Over 5 years	Total
nterest rate contracts -					
- NIS - CPI	25	13	288	-	326
- Other	2,394	2,094	6,916	4,497	15,901
Foreign currency contracts	42,381	18,541	376	46	61,344
Contracts of shares	52,259	3,244	719	-	56,222
Commodities and other contracts	144	-	35	-	179
Total	97,203	23,892	8,334	4,543	133,972

⁽²⁾ The difference, if positive, between total amounts in respect of derivative instruments (including in respect of derivative instruments having a negative fair value) as computed for the purpose of limitations on indebtedness of a single borrower, according to credit risk mitigation, to the total balance of assets in respect of derivative instrument of the borrower.

			June	e 30, 201 6 (ur	naudited)				Decem	ber 31, 2016	(audited)
Exchanges	Banks	Dealers/ brokers	Government and central banks	Others	Total	Exchanges	Banks	Dealers/ brokers	Government and central banks	Others	Total
 155	444	138	-	743	1,480	191	380	115	-	646	1,332
-	(305) (47)	(8)	-	-	(313) (47)	-	(234) (61)	(18) (13)	-	-	(252) (74)
 155	92	130	_	743	1,120	191	85	84	-	646	1,006
 -	397	14	-	574	985		355	26	3	555	939
-	(169)	(9)	-	(1)	(179)	-	(141)	(6)	-	(1)	(148)
 -	228	5	-	573	806		214	20	3	554	791
 155	320	135	_	1,316	1,926	191	299	104	3	1,200	1,797
 145	572	330	-	531	1,578	173	404	206	8	581	1,372
-	(305)	(9)	-	-	(314)	-	(234)	(18)	-	-	(252)
 <u> </u>	(141)	(31)	-	-	(172)		(46)		-	-	(46)
145	126	290	-	531	1,092	173	124	188	8	581	1,074

		Ju	ine 30, 2016 (unaudited)			Dece	mber 31, 201	6 (audited)
Up to 3 months	from 3 months to 1 year	From 1 to 5 years	Over 5 years	Total	Up to 3 months	from 3 months to 1 year	From 1 to 5 years	Over 5 years	Total
210	238	305	-	753	183	81	300	-	564
3,296	5,088	7,453	4,617	20,454	4,423	1,282	6,976	5,219	17,900
54,576	18,948	599	63	74,186	46,626	20,289	442	55	67,412
68,995	2,809	1,504	-	73,308	59,659	2,022	1,233	-	62,914
2,044	245	60	-	2,349	25	43	38	-	106
 129,121	27,328	9,921	4,680	171,050	110,916	23,717	8,989	5,274	148,896

(NIS million)

A. Definitions

- **Private individuals** individuals including those conducting a joint account, who at the reporting date have no indebtedness to the bank, or where their indebtedness has been classified to the "Private individuals housing and other loans" segment.
- **Private banking segment** private individuals the balance of their financial asset portfolio, on a consolidated basis, held with the bank (including monetary deposits, securities portfolios and other financial assets) exceeds NIS 3 million.
- Households private individuals, excluding customers included in the private banking segment.
- **Business** a customer not included in the "private individual" definition and who is not an instructional body or a banking corporation.
- **Business turnover** annual sales turnover or volume of annual income.
- Minute business a business the annual turnover of which is less than NIS 10 million.
- **Small business** a business the annual turnover of which is higher than or equal to NIS 10 million and is lower than NIS 50 million.
- **Middle-market business** a business the annual turnover of which is higher than or equal to NIS 50 million and is lower than NIS 250 million.
- Large business a business the annual turnover of which is higher than or equal to NIS 250 million.
- **Institutional entities** as defined in the Regulation of Engagement in Investment Consulting activity, Investment Marketing and Investment Portfolio Management Act, including provident funds, pension funds, further education funds, mutual trust funds, ETF's, insurance companies and stock exchange members managing customers funds.

Where the income turnover of business customer does not represents its volume of activity, the activity of the business customer was classified according to the said below: where the total indebtness of the business customer is equal to or exceeds NIS 100 million, the customer was classified to large business segment. In addition, in business accounts operating in the capital market the classification to customers segments is in accordance to the value of the assets in the balance sheet or average value of the assets in the Bank and in business account in the real estate area the classification is in accordance to the value of the assets in the balance sheet or the volume of the credit lines.

According to the transition directive set in the FAQ file of the Bank of Israel, it was determined that business customer, which is indebtness to the bank is up to NIS 80 thousands (including credit facilities etc.) and the bank does not have information regarding its activity turnover, will be classified to the relevant supervisory segment of activity according to the total financial assets at the bank (including financial deposits, securities portfolio and other financial assets), after multiplying them by 10.

- **Financial management segment** - includes trading and asset and liability management operations as defined in the Directives of the Supervisor of Banks. The segment includes the Bank's share in the earning of ICC.

(NIS million)

			Households					
		of which:			Small and			
		Housing	of which:	Private	minute	Medium	Large	
	Total	loans	credit cards	banking	businesses	business	business	
Interest income from external	406	193	13	-	168	41	85	-
Interest expense from external	74	-	10	9	34	10	22	
Net interest income								
- From external	332	193	3	(9)	134	31	63	
- Inter - segment	(82)	(135)	-	15	9	5	15	
Total net interest income	250	58	3	6	143	36	78	
Non-interest income	137	4	20	14	77	16	31	
Total income	387	62	23	20	220	52	109	
Expenses (Income) in respect of credit losses	14	(1)		-	19	21	(2)	-
Operating and other expenses	344	20	16	13	157	27	52	
Operating profit before taxes	29	43	7	7	44	4	59	
Provision for taxes on operating profit	11	15	2	3	16	2	22	
Operating profit after taxes	18	28	5	4	28	2	37	
Bank's share in operating profit of investee company after tax effect							_	
Net profit		<u>-</u>					<u>-</u>	-
Before attribution to noncontrolling interests	18	28	5	4	28	2	37	
Attributed to noncontrolling interests	(5)	- 20	(1)	(1)	(2)	_	-	
Net profit attributed to shareholders of the Bank	13	28	4	3	26	2	37	
Average balance of assets ⁽¹⁾	40,186	22,261	2,480	45	15,237	4,833	17,414	-
of which: Investee Company ⁽¹⁾	40,180	22,201	2,480	43	13,237	4,633	17,414	
of which: Average balance of credit to the public ⁽¹⁾	40,186	22,261	2,480	45	15,237	4,833	17,414	
Balance of credit to the public	41,111	22,373	3,102	55	15,349	4,809	17,940	
Balance of impaired debts	104	24	3,102	-	221	103	96	
Balance in arrears over 90 days	174	135	_	_	29	1	-	
Average balance of liabilities ⁽¹⁾	45,923			7,079	16,431	5,399	8,933	
of which: Average balance of deposits from the public ⁽¹⁾	45,923	_	_	7,079	16,431	5,399	8,933	
Balance of deposits from the public	45,876	_		7,676	16,003	5,242	9,073	
Average balance of risk assets ⁽¹⁾ (2)	28,622	12,204	1,355	163	14,722	5,957	17,729	
Balance of risk assets ⁽²⁾	28,152	11,725	3,210	163	15,074	5,881	17,812	
Average balance of assets under management ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾	35,184	,	-	14,823	11,267	4,580	8,145	
Segmentation of net interest income:	33,104			1-,023	11,207	4,500	0,1-13	-
- Earnings from credit - granting activity	224	62	3	_	136	34	79	
- Earnings from deposits - taking activity	31	-		6	10	3	4	
- Other	(5)	(4)	_	-	(3)	(1)	(5)	
Total net interest income	250	58	3		143	36	78	-

Average balances computed on the basis of balances at the beginning of the quarter or as at the beginning of the month.
 Risk assets – as computed for the purpose of capital adequacy.
 Managed assets – including assets of provident funds, further education funds, mutual funds and securities of customers.

	Activity			
	abroad	ctivity in Israel	<u> </u>	
	Total activity	Total activity	Financial	Institutional
Total	abroad	in Israel	Management	entities
(NIS million)				-
753	1	752	51	1
170	-	170	9	12
583	1	582	42	(11)
-	-	-	18	20
583	1	582	60	9
351	15	336	15	46
934	16	918	75	55
53	(4)	57	-	5
650	7	643	13	37
231	13	218	62	13
86	3	83	24	5
145	10	135	38	8
16	<u>-</u>	16	16	<u>-</u>
161	10	151	54	8
(10	-	(10)	(2)	-
151	10	141	52	8
129,592	270	129,322	51,040	567
532	-	532	532	-
78,282	-	78,282	_	567
79,964	-	79,964	_	700
752	-	752	_	228
204	-	204	-	-
121,507		121,507	15,027	22,715
106,480	-	106,480	, -	22,715
107,280	_	107,280	_	23,410
76,166	437	75,729	7,339	1,197
76,488	66	76,422	8,181	1,159
286,630		286,630		212,631
474	-	474	-	1
62	1	61	-	7
47	-	47	60	1
583	1	582	60	9

(NIS million)

			Households					
		of which:	·		Small and			
	Total	Housing Ioans	of which: credit cards	Private banking	minute businesses	Medium business	Large business	
Interest income from external	325	150	9	(1)	158	33	89	
Interest expense from external	30	-	7	8	11	4	5	
Net interest income								
- From external	295	150	2	(9)	147	29	84	
- Inter - segment	(76)	(105)	-	13	(16)	4	(10)	
Total net interest income	219	45	2	4	131	33	74	
Non-interest income	142	4	21	12	79	20	32	
Total income	361	49	23	16	210	53	106	
Expenses in respect of credit losses	7	4	-	_	33	17	34	-
Operating and other expenses	341	16	10	13	143	26	48	
Operating profit (loss) before taxes	13	29	13	3	34	10	24	
Provision for taxes (tax savings) on operating profit (loss)	4	10	5	2	16	6	14	
Operating profit (loss) after taxes	9	19	8	1	18	4	10	
Bank's share in operating profit of investee companies after tax effect	-	-	-	-	-	-	_	
Net profit (loss)			· -					
Before attribution to noncontrolling interests	9	19	8	1	18	4	10	
Attributed to noncontrolling interests	(5)	-	(1)	-	(2)	-	-	
Net profit (loss) attributed to shareholders of the Bank	4	19	7	1	16	4	10	
Average balance of assets ⁽¹⁾	37,777	20,720	2,753	47	14,805	4,461	18,530	
of which: Investee Company ⁽¹⁾	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
of which: Average balance of credit to the public ⁽¹⁾	37,777	20,720	2,753	47	14,805	4,461	18,530	
Balance of credit to the public	38,804	21,092	2,929	46	15,001	4,495	17,516	
Balance of impaired debts	100	18	-	-	274	126	243	
Balance in arrears over 90 days	194	160	-	-	27	1	-	
Average balance of liabilities ⁽¹⁾	43,979	-	-	6,338	16,161	4,900	9,301	
of which: Average balance of deposits from the public ⁽¹⁾	43,979	-	-	6,338	16,161	4,900	9,301	
Balance of deposits from the public	45,437	-	-	7,244	16,209	5,203	9,008	
Average balance of risk assets ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾	27,699	11,286	1,820	137	14,224	6,353	17,800	
Balance of risk assets ⁽²⁾	26,930	11,217	2,400	144	14,499	6,337	18,472	
Average balance of assets under management ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾	35,635	-	-	12,439	11,365	3,702	9,235	
Segmentation of net interest income:								-
Earnings from credit - granting activity	198	50	2	-	127	32	76	
Earnings from deposits - taking activity	28	-	-	4	8	3	3	
- Other	(7)	(5)	-	-	(4)	(2)	(5)	
Total net interest income	219	45	2	4	131	33	74	

Reclassified.
 Average balances computed on the basis of balances at the beginning of the quarter or as at the beginning of the month.
 Risk assets – as computed for the purpose of capital adequacy.
 Managed assets – including assets of provident funds, further education funds, mutual funds and securities of customers.

	Activity abroad	ctivity in Israel	А	
	Total activity	Total activity	Financial	Institutional
Total	abroad	in Israel	Management	entities
(NIS million)	2			
670	2	668	58	6 9
136	-	136	69	9
534	2	532	(11)	(3)
334	_	- 332	72	13
534		532	61	10
404	7	397	62	50
938	9	929	123	60
92		92		1
658	10	648	10	67
188	(1)	189	113	(8)
94	-	94	56	(4)
94	(1)	95	57	(4)
	. ,			` ,
49		49	49	
143	(1)	144	106	(4)
(9)	-	(9)	(2)	-
134	(1)	135	104	(4)
126,606	384	126,222	49,916	686
477	-	477	477	-
76,690	384	76,306	-	686
76,955	400	76,555	-	693
743	-	743	-	-
222	-	222	-	-
118,778	826	117,952	14,831	22,442
103,947	826	103,121	-	22,442
105,316	739	104,577	-	21,476
75,607	678	74,929	7,548	1,168
76,040	668	75,372	7,815	1,175
281,111		281,111		208,735
437	-	437	-	4
54	2	52	-	6
43		43	61	
534	2	532	61	10

(NIS million)

			Households					
		of which:			Small and			
		Housing	of which:	Private	minute	Medium	Large	
	Total	loans	credit cards	banking	businesses	business	business	
Interest income from external	703	315	24	1	327	80	185	
Interest expense from external	99	-	17	16	44	15	37	
Net interest income								
- From external	604	315	7	(15)	283	65	148	
- Inter - segment	(114)	(202)	(1)	27	5	6	4	
Total net interest income	490	113	6	12	288	71	152	
Non-interest income	280	8	41	28	157	32	68	
Total income	770	121	47	40	445	103	220	
Expenses (Income) in respect of credit losses	25	(1)	-	-	40	33	(12)	
Operating and other expenses	689	52	32	27	318	53	100	
Operating profit before taxes	56	70	15	13	87	17	132	
Provision for taxes on operating profit	20	25	5	5	33	7	50	
Operating profit after taxes	36	45	10	8	54	10	82	
Bank's share in operating profit of investee companies after tax effect	-	_	_		-	-	_	
Net profit								
Before attribution to noncontrolling interests	36	45	10	8	54	10	82	
Attributed to noncontrolling interests	(10)	-	(1)	(1)	(3)	(1)	(1)	
Net profit attributed to shareholders of the Bank	26	45	9	7	51	9	81	
Average balance of assets ⁽¹⁾	39,899	22,068	2,599	47	15,315	4,636	17,371	
of which: Investee Company ⁽¹⁾	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
of which: Average balance of credit to the public ⁽¹⁾	39,899	22,068	2,599	47	15,315	4,636	17,371	
Balance of credit to the public	41,111	22,373	3,102	55	15,349	4,809	17,940	
Balance of impaired debts	104	24	-	-	221	103	96	
Balance in arrears over 90 days	174	135	-	-	29	1	-	
Average balance of liabilities ⁽¹⁾	45,851	-	-	7,574	16,217	5,409	9,446	
of which: Average balance of deposits from the public ⁽¹⁾	45,851	-	-	7,574	16,217	5,409	9,446	
Balance of deposits from the public	45,876	-	-	7,676	16,003	5,242	9,073	
Average balance of risk assets ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾	27,887	11,826	2,128	167	14,935	5,886	17,944	
Balance of risk assets ⁽²⁾	28,152	11,725	3,210	163	15,074	5,881	17,812	
Average balance of assets under management ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾	34,931	-	-	14,555	11,861	3,921	16,057	
Segmentation of net interest income:								
- Earnings from credit - granting activity	441	120	6	-	276	68	155	
- Earnings from deposits - taking activity	60	-	-	12	19	6	7	
- Other	(11)	(7)	-	-	(7)	(3)	(10)	
Total net interest income	490	113	6	12	288	71	152	

Average balances computed on the basis of balances at the beginning of the quarter or as at the beginning of the month.
 Risk assets – as computed for the purpose of capital adequacy.
 Managed assets – including assets of provident funds, further education funds, mutual funds and securities of customers.

	Activity			
	abroad	ctivity in Israel	A	
	Total activity	Total activity	Financial	Institutional
Total	abroad	in Israel	Management	entities
(NIS million)				
1,393	3	1,390	89	5
248	-	248	17	20
1,145	3	1,142	72	(15)
	-	-	40	32
1,145	3	1,142	112	17
739	18	721	64	92
1,884	21	1,863	176	109
87	(4)	91	-	5
1,304	11	1,293	27	79
493	14	479	149	25
183	3	180	55	10
310	11	299	94	15
26		26	26	
336	11	325	120	15
(19	-	(19)	(3)	-
317		306	117	15
128,742	269	128,473	50,604	601
524	-	524	524	-
77,869	_	77,869	_	601
79,964	-	79,964	_	700
752	-	752	_	228
204	-	204	-	-
120,712		120,712	14,611	21,604
106,101	-	106,101	-	21,604
107,280	-	107,280	_	23,410
76,333	443	75,890	8,015	1,056
76,488	66	76,422	8,181	1,159
286,550		286,550		205,225
944	-	944	-	4
120	3	117	-	13
81	-	81	112	-
1,145	3	1,142	112	17

(NIS million)

			Households					
	Total	of which: Housing loans	of which: credit cards	Private banking	Small and minute businesses	Medium business	Large business	
Interest income from external	586	201	17	-	296	67	168	
Interest expense from external	37	-	11	10	14	5	7	
Net interest income								
- From external	549	201	6	(10)	282	62	161	
- Inter - segment	(71)	(115)	(1)	19	(22)	4	(18)	
Total net interest income	478	86	5	9	260	66	143	
Non-interest income	288	8	42	25	154	37	64	
Total income	766	94	47	34	414	103	207	·
Expenses (Income) in respect of credit losses	20	7	-	(1)	12	9	(15)	
Operating and other expenses	720	53	27	27	300	54	97	
Operating profit (loss) before taxes	26	34	20	8	102	40	125	-
Provision for taxes on operating profit	8	12	7	4	47	19	60	
Operating profit (loss) after taxes	18	22	13	4	55	21	65	
Bank's share in operating profit of investee companies after tax effect	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Net profit (loss)						·		
Before attribution to noncontrolling interests	18	22	13	4	55	21	65	
Attributed to noncontrolling interests	(13)	-	(1)	-	(4)	(1)	(1)	
Net profit (loss) attributed to shareholders of the Bank	5	22	12	4	51	20	64	
Average balance of assets ⁽¹⁾	37,400	20,424	2,807	47	14,568	4,375	18,127	
of which: Investee Company ⁽¹⁾	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
of which: Average balance of credit to the public ⁽¹⁾	37,400	20,424	2,807	47	14,568	4,375	18,127	
Balance of credit to the public	38,804	21,092	2,929	46	15,001	4,495	17,516	
Balance of impaired debts	100	18	-	-	274	126	243	
Balance in arrears over 90 days	194	160	-	-	27	1	-	
Average balance of liabilities ⁽¹⁾	43,759	-		6,817	16,097	4,938	9,393	·
of which: Average balance of deposits from the public ⁽¹⁾	43,759	-	-	6,817	16,097	4,938	9,393	
Balance of deposits from the public	45,437	-	-	7,244	16,209	5,203	9,008	
Average balance of risk assets ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾	26,961	11,049	2,369	142	14,299	6,162	17,827	
Balance of risk assets ⁽²⁾	26,930	11,217	2,400	144	14,499	6,337	18,472	
Average balance of assets under management ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾	35,440	-	-	12,616	12,005	3,583	15,792	
Segmentation of net interest income:								
- Earnings from credit - granting activity	436	94	5	-	253	64	148	
- Earnings from deposits - taking activity	55	-	-	9	16	5	6	
- Other	(13)	(8)	-	-	(9)	(3)	(11)	
Total net interest income	478	86	5	9	260	66	143	-

Reclassified.
 Average balances computed on the basis of balances at the beginning of the quarter or as at the beginning of the month.
 Risk assets – as computed for the purpose of capital adequacy.
 Managed assets – including assets of provident funds, further education funds, mutual funds and securities of customers.

16 (unaudited)*	hs ended June 30, 201	For the six month		
	Activity abroad	ctivity in Israel	ļ	
Total	Total activity abroad	Total activity in Israel	Financial Management	Institutional entities
(NIS million)				
1,217	5	1,212	86	9
157	-	157	72	12
-		-		
1,060	5	1,055	14	(3)
, -	-	· -	66	22
1,060	5	1,055	80	19
777	12	765	96	101
1,837	17	1,820	176	120
25	-	25		
1,356	18	1,338	23	117
456	(1)	457	153	3
212	-	212	73	1
244	(1)	245	80	2
59		59	59	
303	(1)	304	139	2
(22)	-	(22)	(3)	-
281	(1)	282	136	2
126,855	374	126,481	51,276	688
455	-	455	455	-
75,579	374	75,205	-	688
76,955	400	76,555	-	693
743	-	743	-	-
222	-	222	-	-
119,108	828	118,280	14,269	23,007
104,839	828	104,011	-	23,007
105,316	739	104,577	-	21,476
75,166	668	74,498	7,975	1,132
76,040	668	75,372	7,815	1,175
281,631		281,631		202,195
909	_	909	_	8
108	5	103	-	12
43	-	43	80	(1)
1,060		1,055	80	19
1,000	J	1,033	80	19

(NIS million)

			Households					
	Total	of which: Housing loans	of which: credit cards	Private banking	Small and minute businesses	Medium business	Large business	
Interest income from external	1,205	486	44	1	614	141	380	
Interest expense from external	139	-	29	22	61	21	54	
Net interest income								
- From external	1,066	486	15	(21)	553	120	326	
- Inter - segment	(129)	(299)	(2)	41	(15)	14	(33)	
Total net interest income	937	187	13	20	538	134	293	
Non-interest income	569	15	90	52	308	69	131	
Total income	1,506	202	103	72	846	203	424	
Expenses (Income) in respect of credit losses	52	2		(1)	24	14	(16)	
Operating and other expenses	1,419	132	67	55	610	99	196	
Operating profit (loss) before taxes	35	68	36	18	212	90	244	
Provision for taxes on operating profit	11	25	13	8	94	40	110	
Operating profit (loss) after taxes	24	43	23	10	118	50	134	-
Bank's share in operating profit of investee companies after tax effect	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Net profit (loss)								
Before attribution to noncontrolling interests	24	43	23	10	118	50	134	
Attributed to noncontrolling interests	(19)	-	(2)	(1)	(7)	(2)	(2)	
Net profit (loss) attributed to shareholders of the Bank	5	43	21	9	111	48	132	
Average balance of assets ⁽¹⁾	38,257	20,884	2,950	49	14,787	4,396	18,182	
of which: Investee Company ⁽¹⁾	-	-	-	-	_	-	-	
of which: Average balance of credit to the public ⁽¹⁾	38,257	_	2,950	49	14,787	4,396	18,182	
Balance of credit to the public	39,608	21,741	2,933	47	15,133	4,517	18,186	
Balance of impaired debts	91	8	-	-	194	96	196	
Balance in arrears over 90 days	191	150	-	-	29	1		
Average balance of liabilities ⁽¹⁾	44,620			7,431	16,167	5,103	9,535	
of which: Average balance of deposits from the public ⁽¹⁾	44,620	_	_	7,431	16,167	5,103	9,535	
Balance of deposits from the public	45,709	_	_	8,325	16,359	5,584	10,392	
Average balance of risk assets ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾	26,471	11,371	2,899	148	14,918	6,061	18,313	
Balance of risk assets ⁽²⁾	26,853	11,605	3,071	150	14,934	5,949	18,266	
Average balance of assets under management ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾	34,962		-	13,337	12,828	3,430	22,110	
Segmentation of net interest income:	3 1,302			20,007	12,020	3,730		
- Earnings from credit - granting activity	853	202	13	1	524	130	302	
- Earnings from deposits - taking activity	110	202	-	20	30	10	13	
- Other	(26)	(15)	_	(1)	(16)	(6)	(22)	
Total net interest income	937	187	13	20	538	134	293	

^{*} Reclassified
(1) Average balances computed on the basis of balances at the beginning of the quarter or as at the beginning of the month.
(2) Risk assets – as computed for the purpose of capital adequacy.
(3) Managed assets – including assets of provident funds, further education funds, mutual funds and securities of customers.

	Activity		_	
	abroad	ctivity in Israel	Α	
Total	Private individuals	Total activity in Israel	Financial Management	Institutional entities
(NIS million)	- Individuals		Management	Citation
2,526	9	2,517	159	17
357	-	357	31	29
2,169	9	2,160	128	(12)
-	-	-	75	47
2,169	9	2,160	203	35
1,480	21	1,459	151	179
3,649	30	3,619	354	214
80		80		7
2,683	51	2,632	61	192
886	(21)	907	293	15
398	-	398	128	7
488	(21)	509	165	8
72		72	72	
560	(21)	581	237	8
(39)	-	(39)	(8)	-
521	(21)	542	229	8
127,312	350	126,962	50,651	640
493	-	493	493	-
76,661	350	76,311		640
78,175	-	78,175	-	684
577	-	577	-	-
221	-	221	-	-
119,422	768	118,654	14,162	21,636
105,260	768	104,492	-	21,636
105,817	-	105,817	-	19,448
76,120	578	75,542	8,587	1,044
76,178	578	75,600	8,417	1,031
286,265	-	286,265	0	199,598
1,824	-	1,824	-	14
214	9	205	-	22
131	-	131	203	(1)
2,169	9	2,160	203	35

NOTE 11A - ACTIVITY SEGMENTS BASED ON MANAGEMENT'S APROACH

A. General

- Instructions of the Supervisor of Banks state that a banking corporation, the operating segments of which per Management's 1 approach, materially differ from the regulatory segments of activity, shall, in addition, provide disclosure regarding operating segments according to Management's approach ("administrative operating segments"), in accordance with accounting principles accepted by US banks in the matter of segments of operation (ASC 280-10).
- The distribution to segments of operation in accordance with Management's approach is made according to criteria 2 detailed in item 3 below. This distribution is used by the chief operational decision maker at the Bank for the purpose of determining the work plan, taking decisions and analyzing the business results of the Group. Management of the Bank and the Board of Directors are considered as the chief operational decision maker at the Bank.
- The Bank has identified the following administrative operating segments:
 - Banking Division housing loans the segment is responsible for providing housing credit services to customers in this
 - Banking Division other the segment includes all activities of private banking customers, households, small businesses and commercial customers of the Banking Division branches. In addition the segment includes the customers of Pagi sub-division, with similar characteristics.
 - Corporate Division corporate customers The corporate department of the Division coordinates all activities of large and international corporate customers, having a credit facility of NIS 40 million and over, or an income turnover of NIS 200 million and over, as well as the activity of borrower in complex credit areas, such as: communication, diamonds, closed construction projects and such like.
 - Corporate Division commercial customers The commercial department handles customers having a credit facility of between NIS 5 million and up to NIS 40 million, and an income turnover of between NIS 25 million and up to NIS 200 million and the customers of the branches which are not under authority of the branches' managers. In addition the segment includes the customers of Pagi sub-division, with similar characteristics.
 - Corporate Division other Bank customers in the business branches subordinated to the corporate division up to the authority of the branches' managers.
 - Customer Assets Division The Division is responsible for the Bank's activity with all customers in operations involving the capital market, foreign currency and deposits.
 - Financial Management The segment includes the results of operations concerning the asset and liability management of the Bank, including management of market and liquidity risk management in general, the results of management of the "nostro" securities portfolio of the Bank, including activity with other banks and with Bank of Israel. The segment includes also the Bank's share in the earnings of Israel Credit Cards Ltd.
 - Subsidiary companies The segment includes the results of operation of its subsidiaries, including the banking subsidiaries Otzar Hachayal Bank and Massad Bank.

NOTE 11A - ACTIVITY SEGMENTS BASED ON MANAGEMENT'S APROACH (CON'T)

Adjustments:

A part of the results of operations with customers of the Bank is recorded in more than one operating segment, as detailed below:

- The results of operation in the capital market product, which includes securities activity of customers, the distribution of pension products and deposits from the public, as well as the foreign currency product, are included both in the Customer Assets Division segment and in the Banking Division-other segment or in any one of the Corporate Division segments.
- The results of operation of certain commercial customers under the responsibility of the Corporate Division are included both in the Corporate Division-commercial customers segment and in the Banking Division-other segment.
- The results of operation of certain small business customers under the responsibility of the Banking Division are included both in the Banking Division-other segment and in the Corporate Division-small business segment.
- The results of operation of certain commercial customers under the responsibility of the Customer Assets Division are included both in the Customer Assets Division segment and in the Banking Division-other segment or in any one of the Corporate Division segments.

The duplicity in the recording of the results of operation as described above is eliminated in the adjustments column.

The adjustments column includes also the elimination of inter-company balances.

NOTE 11A - ACTIVITY SEGMENTS BASED ON MANAGEMENT'S APROACH (CON'T)

							For the three	months ended	June 30, 2017 (ui	naudited)
	Banking	g Division		Corporate	Division					
	Housing loans	Other	Corporate customers	Commercial customers	Other	Customer Asset Division	Financial management	Subsidiary companies	Adjustments	Total
Net interest income	61	187	95	54	6	53	50	160	(83)	583
Non-interest income	4	155	54	19	7	155	15	93	(151)	351
Total income	65	342	149	73	13	208	65	253	(234)	934
Expenses in respect of credit losses	-	24	7	10	3	7	-	14	(12)	53
Operating and other expenses	29	320	76	35	7	171	5	179	(172)	650
Operating profit (loss) before taxes	36	(2)	66	28	3	30	60	60	(50)	231
Provision for taxes on operating profit	14		26	11	1	12	24	17	(19)	86
Operating profit (loss) after taxes	22	(2)	40	17	2	18	36	43	(31)	145
Bank's share in operating profit of investee company	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	-	-	16
Net profit (loss)										
Before attribution to noncontrolling interests	22	(2)	40	17	2	18	52	43	(31)	161
Attributed to noncontrolling interests	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(10)	-	(10)
Attributed to shareholders of the Bank	22	(2)	40	17	2	18	52	33	(31)	151
Average balance of assets	22,342	14,996	20,570	6,944	469	4,773	43,324	25,092	(8,918)	129,592
Balance of net credit to the public at the end of the reported period	22,371	15,488	21,079	7,067	438	5,318	-	16,936	(9,578)	79,119
Balance of deposits from the public at the end of the reported period	-	49,893	23,086	4,872	2,522	85,418	-	23,422	(81,933)	107,280

NOTE 11A - ACTIVITY SEGMENTS BASED ON MANAGEMENT'S APROACH (CON'T)

							For the three	months ended	June 30, 2016 (u	naudited)
	Banking	Division		Corporate	Division		Tor the three	months chaca	June 30, 2010 (un	ladalteaj
	Housing	Other	Corporate customers	Commercial customers	Other	Customer Asset Division	Financial management	Subsidiary companies	Adjustments	Total
Net interest income	48	167	95	48	6	48	53	145	(76)	534
Non-interest income	4	157	58	20	8	163	114	87	(207)	404
Total income	52	324	153	68	14	211	167	232	(283)	938
Expenses in respect of credit losses	8	23	43	14	1	3	-	15	(15)	92
Operating and other expenses	26	299	75	30	8	198	8	181	(167)	658
Operating profit before taxes	18	2	35	24	5	10	159	36	(101)	188
Provision for taxes on operating profit	9	-	22	12	2	5	75	11	(42)	94
Operating profit (loss) after taxes	9	2	13	12	3	5	84	25	(59)	94
Bank's share in operating profit of investee company	-	-	-	-	-	-	49	-	-	49
Net profit										
Before attribution to noncontrolling interests	9	2	13	12	3	5	133	25	(59)	143
Attributed to noncontrolling interests						<u>-</u>		(9)		(9)
Attributed to shareholders of the Bank	9	2	13	12	3	5	133	16	(59)	134
Average balance of assets	20,947	13,490	22,659	6,212	496	5,390	42,424	24,127	(9,139)	126,606
Balance of net credit to the public at the end of the reported period	21,147	13,832	21,896	6,452	487	4,736	-	16,305	(8,758)	76,097
Balance of deposits from the public at the end of the reported period		49,776	22,432	4,301	2,893	84,169	-	22,759	(81,014)	105,316

NOTE 11A - ACTIVITY SEGMENTS BASED ON MANAGEMENT'S APROACH (CON'T)

							For the six	months ended	June 30, 2017 (u	naudited)
	Banking	g Division		Corporate	Division					
	Housing loans	Other	Corporate customers	Commercial customers	Other	Customer Asset Division	Financial management	Subsidiary companies	Adjustments	Total
Net interest income	119	370	194	108	13	102	88	317	(166)	1,145
Non-interest income	8	315	114	39	15	318	67	172	(309)	739
Total income	127	685	308	147	28	420	155	489	(475)	1,884
Expenses (income) in respect of credit losses	(3)	43	-	26	4	9	-	27	(19)	87
Operating and other expenses	56	634	154	75	16	349	22	358	(360)	1,304
Operating profit before taxes	74	8	154	46	8	62	133	104	(96)	493
Provision for taxes on operating profit	28	3	58	17	3	24	51	33	(34)	183
Operating profit after taxes	46	5	96	29	5	38	82	71	(62)	310
Bank's share in operating profit of investee company	-	_		-	-	-	26	-	-	26
Net profit										
Before attribution to noncontrolling interests	46	5	96	29	5	38	108	71	(62)	336
Attributed to noncontrolling interests					-			(19)	-	(19)
Attributed to shareholders of the Bank	46	5	96	29	5	38	108	52	(62)	317
Average balance of assets	22,218	15,003	20,690	6,907	478	4,884	42,838	24,912	(9,188)	128,742
Balance of net credit to the public at the end of the reported period	22,371	15,488	21,079	7,067	438	5,318	-	16,936	(9,578)	79,119
Balance of deposits from the public at the end of the reported period	_	49,893	23,086	4,872	2,522	85,418	-	23,422	(81,933)	107,280

NOTE 11A - ACTIVITY SEGMENTS BASED ON MANAGEMENT'S APROACH (CON'T)

							For the six	months ended	June 30, 2016 (u	naudited)
	Banking	Division		Corporate	Division					
	Housing loans	Other	Corporate customers	Commercial customers	Other	Customer Asset Division	Financial management	Subsidiary companies	Adjustments	Total
Net interest income	91	333	189	94	13	96	67	333	(156)	1,060
Non-interest income	8	313	113	37	16	324	164	167	(365)	777
Total income	99	646	302	131	29	420	231	500	(521)	1,837
Expenses (income) in respect of credit losses	7	18	(11)	5	(1)	4	-	12	(9)	25
Operating and other expenses	57	641	159	72	17	388	24	368	(370)	1,356
Operating profit (loss) before taxes	35	(13)	154	54	13	28	207	120	(142)	456
Provision for taxes (tax saving) on operating profit (loss)	16	(6)	72	25	6	13	96	46	(56)	212
Operating profit (loss) after taxes	19	(7)	82	29	7	15	111	74	(86)	244
Bank's share in operating profit of investee company	-	-	-	-	-	-	59	-	-	59
Net profit (loss)										
Before attribution to noncontrolling interests	19	(7)	82	29	7	15	170	74	(86)	303
Attributed to noncontrolling interests		-	-	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>		(22)	-	(22)
Attributed to shareholders of the Bank	19	(7)	82	29	7	15	170	52	(86)	281
Average balance of assets	20,642	13,428	22,189	6,053	516	5,310	43,968	23,863	(9,114)	126,855
Balance of net credit to the public at the end of the reported period	21,147	13,832	21,896	6,452	487	4,736	-	16,305	(8,758)	76,097
Balance of deposits from the public at the end of the reported period	-	49,776	22,432	4,301	2,893	84,169	-	22,759	(81,014)	105,316

NOTE 11A - ACTIVITY SEGMENTS BASED ON MANAGEMENT'S APROACH (CON'T)

							For the	year ended De	cember 31, 2016	(audited)
	Banking	Division		Corporate	Division					
	Housing loans	Other	Corporate customers	Commercial customers	Other	Customer Asset Division	Financial management	Subsidiary companies	Adjustments	Total
Net interest income	177	686	376	195	26	190	190	638	(309)	2,169
Non-interest income	15	628	229	79	31	628	139	339	(608)	1,480
Total income	192	1,314	605	274	57	818	329	977	(917)	3,649
Expenses (income) in respect of credit losses	1	56	(24)	20	2	12	-	35	(22)	80
Operating and other expenses	110	1,285	300	157	47	725	47	753	(741)	2,683
Operating profit (loss) before taxes	81	(27)	329	97	8	81	282	189	(154)	886
Provision for taxes (tax saving) on operating profit (loss)	35	(11)	142	42	3	35	122	84	(54)	398
Operating profit (loss) after taxes	46	(16)	187	55	5	46	160	105	(100)	488
Bank's share in operating profit of investee company	-	-	-	-	-	-	72	-	-	72
Net profit (loss)										
Before attribution to noncontrolling interests	46	(16)	187	55	5	46	232	105	(100)	560
Attributed to noncontrolling interests	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(39)	-	(39)
Attributed to shareholders of the Bank	46	(16)	187	55	5	46	232	66	(100)	521
Average balance of assets	20,518	14,845	21,766	6,321	496	5,484	43,110	24,295	(9,523)	127,312
Balance of net credit to the public at the end of the reported period	21,732	14,858	21,269	6,851	502	5,449	-	16,235	(9,568)	77,328
Balance of deposits from the public at the end of the reported period	_	51,652	21,951	5,193	2,381	82,604	-	22,989	(80,953)	105,817

(NIS million)

A. Debts(1) and off-balance sheet credit instruments

Provision for credit losses

1. Change in provision for credit losses

	For the three months ended June 30, 2017 (unaudi									
			Credit to t	he public						
			Other		Banks and					
	Commercial	Housing	private	Total	Governments	Total				
Change in provision for credit losses - Debts										
Provision for credit losses at beginning of the year	483	113	231	827	-	827				
Expenses (income) in respect of credit losses	38	(1)	14	51	-	51				
Accounting write-offs	(53)	-	(31)	(84)	-	(84)				
Collection of debts written off in accounting in previous years	31	2	18	51		51				
Net accounting write-offs	(22)	2	(13)	(33)	-	(33)				
Provision for credit losses at end of the period	499	114	232	845		845				
Changes in provision in respect of off-balance sheet credit instruments										
Provision at beginning of the year	53	-	14	67	-	67				
Increase in the provision	2	-	-	2	-	2				
Provision in respect of off-balance sheet credit instruments at end of the period	55	-	14	69	-	69				
Total provision for credit losses - debts and off-balance sheet credit instruments	554	114	246	914		914				

			For the	six months e	nded June 30, 2017 (ur	naudited)
			Credit to t	he public		
			Other		Banks and	
	Commercial	Housing	private	Total	Governments	Total
Change in provision for credit losses - Debts						
Provision for credit losses at beginning of the year	501	115	231	847	-	847
Expenses (income) in respect of credit losses	69	(1)	21	89	-	89
Accounting write-offs	(126)	(2)	(61)	(189)	-	(189)
Collection of debts written off in accounting in previous years	55	2	41	98		98
Net accounting write-offs	(71)		(20)	(91)		(91)
Provision for credit losses at end of the period	499	114	232	845	<u>-</u>	845
Changes in provision in respect of off-balance sheet credit instruments						
Provision at beginning of the year	57	-	14	71	-	71
Decrease in the provision	(2)	-	-	(2)	-	(2)
Provision in respect of off-balance sheet credit instruments at end of the period	55	-	14	69	-	69
Total provision for credit losses - debts and off-balance sheet credit instruments	554	114	246	914	-	914

(NIS million)

A. Debts* and off-balance sheet credit instruments (cont'd)

Provision for credit losses (Cont'd)

1. Change in provision for credit losses (Cont'd)

			For the th	ree months e	nded June 30, 2016 (u	naudited)
			Credit to 1	the public		
	Commercial	Housing	Other private	Total	Banks and Governments	Total
Change in provision for credit losses - Debts						
Provision for credit losses at beginning of the year	450	121	216	787	-	787
Expenses in respect of credit losses	67	4	4	75	-	75
Accounting write-offs	(42)	-	(18)	(60)	-	(60)
Collection of debts written off in accounting in previous years	45	-	11	56	-	56
Net accounting write-offs	3	-	(7)	(4)	-	(4)
Provision for credit losses at end of the period	520	125	213	858		858
Changes in provision in respect of off-balance sheet credit instruments						
Provision at beginning of the year	42	-	14	56	-	56
Increase in the provision	17	-	-	17	-	17
Provision in respect of off-balance sheet credit instruments at end of the period	59		14	73	-	73
Total provision for credit losses - debts and off-balance sheet credit instruments	579	125	227	931	-	931

			For the	six months e	nded June 30, 2016 (u	naudited)
			Credit to 1	the public		
			Other		Banks and	
	Commercial	Housing	private	Total	Governments	Total
Change in provision for credit losses - Debts						
Provision for credit losses at beginning of the year	498	119	207	824	-	824
Expenses in respect of credit losses	17	7	13	37	-	37
Accounting write-offs	(62)	(1)	(54)	(117)	-	(117)
Collection of debts written off in accounting in previous years	67	-	47	114	-	114
Net accounting write-offs	5	(1)	(7)	(3)	-	(3)
Provision for credit losses at end of the period	520	125	213	858		858
Changes in provision in respect of off-balance sheet credit instruments						
Provision at beginning of the year	70	-	15	85	-	85
Decrease in the provision	(11)	-	(1)	(12)	-	(12)
Provision in respect of off-balance sheet credit instruments at end of the period	59	-	14	73	-	73
Total provision for credit losses - debts and off-balance sheet credit instruments	579	125	227	931		931

⁽¹⁾ Credit to the public, credit to governments, deposits with banks and other debts, excluding bonds and securities borrowed.

(NIS million)

A. Debts* and off-balance sheet credit instruments (Cont'd)

2. Additional information regarding the method of calculating the provision for credit losses in respect of debts⁽¹⁾ and the underlying debts⁽¹⁾

					June 30, 2017 (u	ınaudited)
			Credit to	the public		
	Commercial (3)	Housing	Other private	Total	Banks and Governments	Total
Recorded debt balance of debts ⁽¹⁾						
Examined on an individual basis	34,110	-	223	34,333	2,580	36,913
Examined on a collective basis	4,926	22,373	18,332	45,631	-	45,631
Of which: provision for which was calculated according to the extent of arrears	238	22,373		22,611		22,611
Total debts	39,036	22,373	18,555	79,964	2,580	82,544
Provision for credit losses in respect of debts ⁽¹⁾						
Examined on an individual basis	439	-	25	464	-	464
Examined on a collective basis	60	114	207	381	-	381
Of which: provision for which was calculated according to the extent of arrears	1	(2) 114	-	115	-	115
Total provision for credit losses	499	114	232	845	-	845

					June 30, 2016 (ເ	ınaudited)
			Credit to	the public		
	Commercial		Other		Banks and	
	(3)	Housing	private	Total	Governments	Total
Recorded debt balance of debts ⁽¹⁾				<u> </u>		
Examined on an individual basis	33,781	-	425	34,206	4,131	38,337
Examined on a collective basis	4,606	21,092	17,051	42,749	-	42,749
Of which: provision for which was calculated according to the extent of arrears	328	21,092	-	21,420	-	21,420
Total debts	38,387	21,092	17,476	76,955	4,131	81,086
Provision for credit losses in respect of debts ⁽¹⁾						
Examined on an individual basis	466	-	19	485	-	485
Examined on a collective basis	54	125	194	373	-	373
Of which: provision for which was calculated according to the extent of arrears	1	⁽²⁾ 125	-	126	-	126
Total provision for credit losses	520	125	213	858	-	858

					December 31, 2016	(audited)
			Credit to	the public		
	Commercial (3)	Housing	Other private	Total	Banks and Governments	Total
Recorded debt balance of debts ⁽¹⁾	 -				·	
Examined on an individual basis	33,911	-	408	34,319	2,578	36,897
Examined on a collective basis	4,586	21,741	17,529	43,856	-	43,856
Of which: provision for which was calculated according to the extent of arrears	247	21,741	-	21,988	-	21,988
Total debts	38,497	21,741	17,937	78,175	2,578	80,753
Provision for credit losses in respect of debts ⁽¹⁾						
Examined on an individual basis	446	-	28	474	-	474
Examined on a collective basis	55	115	203	373	-	373
Of which: provision for which was calculated according to the extent of arrears	1	⁽²⁾ 115	-	116	-	116
Total provision for credit losses	501	115	231	847	-	847

⁽¹⁾ Credit to the public, credit to governments, deposits with banks and other debts, excluding bonds and securities borrowed.

⁽²⁾ Includes the provision exceeding the amount required according to the method of the extent of arrears, calculated on an collective basis in the amount of approximately NIS 80 million (30.6.16 - NIS 79 million, 31.12.16 - NIS 78 million).

⁽³⁾ The balance of commercial debts includes housing loans in the amount of NIS 2,317 million, combined in the framework of transaction and collateral of the commercial borrowers or that have been granted to purchase groups at construction stages (30.6.16 - NIS 2,101 million, 31.12.16 - NIS 2,058 million).

(NIS million)

B.Debts(1)

1. Credit quality and arrears

						2017 (unaudited	
			Problematic ⁽²⁾		additional information		
	Non-				In arrears of 90	In arrears of 30	
	problematic	Unimpaired	Impaired (3)	Total	days or more ⁽⁴⁾	to 89 days ⁽⁵	
Borrower activity in Israel							
Public - commercial							
Construction and real estate - construction	3,763	29	40	3,832	3	\$	
Construction and real estate - real estate activities	4,548	10	37	4,595	1	1	
Financial services	7,194	37	228	7,459	-	4	
Commercial - other	21,357	575	335	22,267	26	53	
Total commercial	36,862	651	640	38,153	30	61	
Private individuals - housing loans	22,199	⁽⁶⁾ 150	24	22,373	135	209	
Private individuals - others	18,233	242	80	18,555	39	44	
Total public - activity in Israel	77,294	1,043	744	79,081	204	314	
Banks in Israel	721	-	-	721	-		
Israeli government	646	-	-	646	-		
Total activity in Israel	78,661	1,043	744	80,448	204	314	
Borrower activity abroad							
Public - commercial							
Construction and real estate	54	-	-	54	-		
Other commercial	821	-	8	829	-		
Total commercial	875		8	883			
Private individuals	-	-	-	-	-		
Total public - activity abroad	875	-	8	883	-		
Banks abroad	1,213	-	-	1,213	-		
Governments abroad	-	-	-	-	-		
Total activity abroad	2,088	-	8	2,096			
Total public	78,169	1,043	752	79,964	204	314	
Total banks	1,934	-	-	1,934	-		
Total governments	646	-	-	646	-		
Total	80,749	1,043	752	82,544	204	314	

^{*} Reclassified

⁽¹⁾ Credit to the public, credit to government, deposits with banks and other debts, excluding bonds and securities borrowed.

⁽²⁾ Credit risk that is impaired, substandard, or under special supervision, including in respect of housing loans for which a provision based on the extent of arrears exists, and housing loans for which a provision based on the extent of arrears does not exist, which are in arrears of 90 days or more.

⁽³⁾ In general, impaired debts do not accrue interest income. For information regarding certain impaired debts restructured in troubled debt restructuring, see Note 12.B.2.c. below.

⁽⁴⁾ Classified as unimpaired problematic debts, accruing interest income.

⁽⁵⁾ Accruing interest income Debts in arrears of 30 to 89 days, in the amount of approximately NIS 105 million (30.6.16 - NIS 82 million) were classified as unimpaired problematic debts.

⁽⁶⁾ Includes a balance of housing loans, in the amount of approximately NIS 4 million (30.6.16 - NIS 5 million) with provision based on the extent of arrears, for which an arrangement has been signed for the borrower's repayment of the amounts in arrears, where a change has been made in the repayment, schedule with regard to the balance of the loan not yet due for repayment.

(NIS million)

B.Debts(1) (Cont'd)

1. Credit quality and arrears (Cont'd)

					·	2016 (unaudited)
			Problematic ⁽²⁾			nimpaired debts tional informatior
	Non- problematic	Unimpaired	Impaired (3)	Total	In arrears of 90 days or more ⁽⁴⁾	In arrears of 30 to 89 days ⁽⁵
Borrower activity in Israel						
Public - commercial						
Construction and real estate - construction	3,572	26	71	3,669	2	2
Construction and real estate - real estate activities	4,613	19	31	4,663	-	2
Financial services	6,549	5	2	6,556	1	1
Commercial - other	21,623	350	522	22,495	25	39
Total commercial	36,357	400	626	37,383	28	44
Private individuals - housing loans	20,897	⁽⁶⁾ 177	18	21,092	*160	*149
Private individuals - others	17,146	202	82	17,430	34	38
Total public - activity in Israel	74,400	779	726	75,905	222	231
Banks in Israel	1,185	-	-	1,185	-	
Israeli government	647	-	-	647	-	
Total activity in Israel	76,232	779	726	77,737	222	231
Borrower activity abroad						
Public - commercial						
Construction and real estate	226	-	9	235	-	
Other commercial	761	-	8	769	-	
Total commercial	987		17	1,004	-	
Private individuals	46	-	-	46	-	
Total public - activity abroad	1,033		17	1,050	-	
Banks abroad	2,299	-	-	2,299	-	
Governments abroad	-	-	-	-	-	
Total activity abroad	3,332		17	3,349		
Total public	75,433	779	743	76,955	222	231
Total banks	3,484	-	-	3,484	-	
Total governments	647			647		
Total	79,564	779	743	81,086	222	231

(NIS million)

B.Debts(1) (Cont'd)

1. Credit quality and arrears (Cont'd)

						31, 2016 (audited)
			Problematic ⁽²⁾			tional information
	Non-		(3)	T	In arrears of 90	In arrears of 30
	problematic	Unimpaired	Impaired (3)	Total	days or more ⁽⁴⁾	to 89 days ⁽⁵
Borrower activity in Israel						
Public - commercial						
Construction and real estate - construction	3,337	36	66	3,439	4	6
Construction and real estate - real estate activities	4,775	12	30	4,817	1	6
Financial services	6,980	239	2	7,221	-	1
Commercial - other	21,638	525	380	22,543	25	61
Total commercial	36,730	812	478	38,020	30	74
Private individuals - housing loans	21,567	⁽⁶⁾ 166	8	21,741	*150	*237
Private individuals - others	17,618	236	83	17,937	41	53
Total public - activity in Israel	75,915	1,214	569	77,698	221	364
Banks in Israel	481	-	-	481	-	
Israeli government	654			654		
Total activity in Israel	77,050	1,214	569	78,833	221	364
Borrower activity abroad						
Public - commercial						
Construction and real estate	51	-	-	51	-	
Other commercial	418	-	8	426	-	
Total commercial	469		8	477		
Private individuals	-	-	-	-	-	
Total public - activity abroad	469		8	477		
Banks abroad	1,443	-	-	1,443	-	
Governments abroad	-	-	-	-	-	
Total activity abroad	1,912		8	1,920		
Total public	76,384	1,214	577	78,175	221	364
Total banks	1,924	-	-	1,924	-	
Total governments	654	-	-	654	-	
Total	78,962	1,214	577	80,753	221	364

^{*} Reclassified

⁽¹⁾ Credit to the public, credit to government, deposits with banks and other debts, excluding bonds and securities borrowed or purchased under agreements to resell.

⁽²⁾ Credit risk that is impaired, substandard, or under special supervision, including in respect of housing loans for which a provision based on the extent of arrears exists, and housing loans for which a provision based on the extent of arrears does not exist, which are in arrears of 90 days or more.

⁽³⁾ In general, impaired debts do not accrue interest income. For information regarding certain impaired debts restructured in troubled debt restructuring, see Note 12.B.2.c. below.

⁽⁴⁾ Classified as unimpaired problematic debts, accruing interest income.

⁽⁵⁾ Accruing interest income Debts in arrears of 30 to 89 days, in the amount of approximately NIS 127 million were classified as unimpaired problematic debts.

⁽⁶⁾ Includes a balance of housing loans, in the amount of approximately NIS 6 million with provision based on the extent of arrears, for which an arrangement has been signed for the borrower's repayment of the amounts in arrears, where a change has been made in the repayment, schedule with regard to the balance of the loan not yet due for repayment.

(NIS million)

Credit quailty - the status of debts in arrears

The credit risk policy of the Bank defines principal indicators for the examination of credit quality, among which are the default situation, rating of the customer, status of the collateral etc. The status of debts in arrears is monitored routinely, and serves as one of the key indicators of credit quality. The status of debts in arrears is determined based on actual days of arrears. Debts are treated as nonperforming debts (debts not accruing interest income) after 90 days of arrears. With regard to debts evaluated on a collective basis, the status of arrears effects the classification of the debt (the classification is more severe for more extensive arrears) and mostly after 150 days of arrears, the Bank performs an accounting write-off of the debt up to the extent of the collateral. With regard to housing loans, with the exception of loans without quarterly or monthly payments, the Bank establishes an allowance according to the method of the extent of arrears. The Bank also uses additional indications such as customer rating and status of collateral managed by computer systems in accordance with the credit risk management policy determined by the Board of Directors.

(NIS million)

B. Debts (1)(Cont'd)

				June 30,	2017 (unaudited
	Balance ⁽²⁾ of				
	impaired debts				
	for which		Balance ⁽²⁾ of	Total	Balance o
	an individual		impaired debts for	Balance ⁽²⁾ of	contractua
To a start I have a left at a first of the start of the s	provision exists ⁽³⁾	Individual provision ⁽³⁾	which no individual	impaired	principal o
Impaired debts and the individual provision	exists(o)	provision(°)	provision exists ⁽³⁾	debts	impaired debt
Borrower activity in Israel					
Public - commercial			_		
Construction and real estate - construction	36	23	4	40	85
Construction and real estate - real estate activities	13	2	24	37	57
Financial services	228	14	-	228	94
Commercial - other	253	102	82	335	1,96
Total commercial	530	141	110	640	4,34
Private individuals - housing loans	-	-	24	24	2
Private individuals - others	71	20	9	80	16
Total public - activity in Israel	601	161	143	744	4,53
Banks in Israel	-	-	-	-	
Israeli government	-	-	-	-	
Total activity in Israel	601	161	143	744	4,53
Parameter I and					
Borrower activity abroad					
Public - commercial					
Construction and real estate	-	-	-	-	_
Other commercial			8	8	8
Total commercial	-	-	8	8	8
Private individuals	<u> </u>				
Total public - activity abroad	-	-	8	8	8
Banks abroad	-	-	-	-	
Government abroad	<u> </u>				-
Total activity abroad	<u> </u>		8	8	8
Total public	601	161	151	752	4,61
Total banks	-	-	-	-	
Total governments	-	-	-	-	
Total(*)	601	161	151	752	4,61
(*) Of which:					
Measured at the present value of cash flows	601	161	97	698	
•			69	472	

⁽¹⁾ Credit to the public, credit to governments, deposits with banks, and other debts, excluding bonds and securities borrowed.

⁽²⁾ Recorded debt balance.

⁽³⁾ Individual provision for credit losses.

(NIS million)

B. Debts(1) (Cont'd)

					June 30,	2016 (unaudited
١.	Impaired debts and the individual provision	Balance ⁽²⁾ of impaired debts for which an individual provision exists ⁽³⁾	Individual provision ⁽³⁾	Balance ⁽²⁾ of impaired debts for which no individual provision exists ⁽³⁾	Total Balance ⁽²⁾ of impaired debts	Balance o contractua principal o impaired debt
	Borrower activity in Israel					
	Public - commercial					
	Construction and real estate - construction	24	19	47	71	81
	Construction and real estate - real estate activities	-	-	31	31	48
	Financial services	1	-	1	2	32
	Commercial - other	416	207	106	522	2,42
	Total commercial	441	226	185	626	4,05
	Private individuals - housing loans	-	-	18	18	1
	Private individuals - others	13	10	69	82	15
	Total public - activity in Israel	454	236	272	726	4,22
	Banks in Israel	-	-	-	-	
	Israeli government	-	-	-	-	
	Total activity in Israel	454	236	272	726	4,22
	Borrower activity abroad					
	Public - commercial					
	Construction and real estate	9	3	-	9	
	Other commercial	8			8	7
	Total commercial	17	3	-	17	8
	Private individuals	<u> </u>				
	Total public - activity abroad	17	3	-	17	8
	Banks abroad	-	-	-	-	
	Government abroad					
	Total activity abroad	17	3		17	8
	Total public	471	239	272	743	4,31
	Total banks	-	-	-	-	
	Total governments					
	Total(*)	471	239	272	743	4,31
	(*) Of which:					
	Measured at the present value of cash flows	471	239	210	681	
	Debts in troubled debt restructuring	19	11	206	225	

(NIS million)

B. Debts(1) (Cont'd)

					December 3	31, 2016 (audited
		Balance ⁽²⁾ of				
		impaired debts				
		for which		Balance ⁽²⁾ of	Total	Balance o
		an individual		impaired debts for	Balance ⁽²⁾ of	contractua
	Impaired debts and the individual provision	provision exists ⁽³⁾	Individual provision ⁽³⁾	which no individual provision exists ⁽³⁾	impaired debts	principal o impaired debt
•	Borrower activity in Israel		provision.	provision exists		pan ca acoa
	Public - commercial					
	Construction and real estate - construction	38	28	28	66	829
	Construction and real estate - real estate activities	14	3	16	30	52
	Financial services	2	-	-	2	669
	Commercial - other	328	147	52	380	1,97
	Total commercial	382	178	96	478	3,99
	Private individuals - housing loans	-	-	8	8	:
	Private individuals - others	67	22	16	83	16
	Total public - activity in Israel	449	200	120	569	4,16
	Banks in Israel	-	-	-	-	
	Israeli government	-	-	-	-	
	Total activity in Israel	449	200	120	569	4,163
	Borrower activity abroad					
	Public - commercial					
	Construction and real estate	_	_	_	_	
	Other commercial	-	_	8	8	7
	Total commercial			8	8	7
	Private individuals	-	-	-	-	
	Total public - activity abroad		-	8	8	7
	Banks abroad	-	-	-	-	
	Government abroad	-	-	-	-	
	Total activity abroad	-	-	8	8	7
	Total public	449	200	128	577	4,24
	Total banks	-	200	120	5//	7,27
	Total governments	_	_	_	_	
	Total(*)	449	200	128	577	4,24
	(*) Of which:					.,
	Measured at the present value of cash flows	449	200	63	512	
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⁽¹⁾ Credit to the public, credit to governments, deposits with banks, and other debts, excluding bonds and securities borrowed.

⁽²⁾ Recorded debt balance.

⁽³⁾ Individual provision for credit losses.

(NIS million)

B. Debts(1) (Cont'd)

					For th	e three months	ended June 30
				2017			2016
				(unaudited)			(unaudited)
В.	Average balance and interest income	Average balance of impaired debts ⁽²⁾	Interest income recorded ⁽³⁾	Of which: recorded on a cash basis	Average balance of impaired debts ⁽²⁾	Interest income recorded ⁽³⁾	Of which: recorded on a cash basis
	Borrower activity in Israel						
	Public - commercial						
	Construction and real estate - construction	47	-	-	67	-	-
	Construction and real estate - real estate activities	34	-	-	35	-	-
	Financial services	191		-	7	-	-
	Commercial - other	330	-	-	544	-	-
	Total commercial	602	-	-	653		-
	Private individuals - housing loans	19		-	17	-	-
	Private individuals - others	80	1	-	76	-	-
	Total public - activity in Israel	701	1	-	746	-	-
	Banks in Israel	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Israeli government	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total activity in Israel	701	1		746		-
	Borrower activity abroad						
	Public - commercial						
	Construction and real estate	-	-	-	10	-	-
	Other commercial	8			8		
	Total commercial	8	-	-	18	-	-
	Private individuals	<u> </u>					
	Total public - activity abroad	8	-	-	18	-	-
	Banks abroad	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Government abroad	<u> </u>					
	Total activity abroad	8			18		
	Total public	709	1	-	764	-	-
	Total banks	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total governments						
	Total	709	(4)1		764	(4)_	

⁽¹⁾ Credit to the public, credit to governments, deposits with banks and other debts, excluding bonds and securities borrowed.

⁽²⁾ Average recorded debt balance of impaired debts to the public in the reported period

⁽³⁾ Interest income recognized in the reported period in respect of the average balance of impaired debts, during the period of time in which the debts have been classified as impaired.

⁽⁴⁾ If the impaired debts were accruing interest in respect of the original terms, an interest income in the amount of NIS 15 million was recorded in three months ended June 30, 2017 (for three months ended June 30, 2016 - NIS 17 million).

(NIS million)

B. Debts(1) (Cont'd)

				FOI	the six months	
			2017			2016
	_		(unaudited)	-		(unaudited)
Average balance and interest income	Average balance of impaired debts ⁽²⁾	Interest income recorded ⁽³⁾	Of which: recorded on a cash basis	Average balance of impaired debts ⁽²⁾	Interest income recorded ⁽³⁾	Of which: recorded on a cash basis
Borrower activity in Israel						
Public - commercial						
Construction and real estate - construction	55	-	-	61	-	
Construction and real estate - real estate activities	31	-	-	39	-	
Financial services	153	-	-	12	-	
Commercial - other	342	1	-	518	-	
Total commercial	581	1	-	630	-	
Private individuals - housing loans	14	-	-	16	-	
Private individuals - others	82	1	-	70	1	
Total public - activity in Israel	677	2	-	716	1	
Banks in Israel	-	-	-	-	-	
Israeli government	<u> </u>			<u> </u>		
Total activity in Israel	677	2		716	1	
Borrower activity abroad						
Public - commercial						
Construction and real estate	-	-	-	12	-	
Other commercial	8			8		
Total commercial	8	-	-	20	-	
Private individuals	<u> </u>					-
Total public - activity abroad	8	-	-	20	-	
Banks abroad	-	-	-	-	-	
Government abroad						
Total activity abroad	8			20		
Total public	685	2	-	736	1	
Total banks	-	-	-	-	-	
Total governments	<u>-</u>					
Total	685	(4) 2		736	(4)1	

⁽¹⁾ Credit to the public, credit to governments, deposits with banks and other debts, excluding bonds and securities borrowed.

⁽²⁾ Average recorded debt balance of impaired debts to the public in the reported period

⁽³⁾ Interest income recognized in the reported period in respect of the average balance of impaired debts, during the period of time in which the debts have been classified as impaired.

⁽⁴⁾ If the impaired debts were accruing interest in respect of the original terms, an interest income in the amount of NIS 30 million was recorded in three months ended June 30, 2017 (for three months ended June 30, 2016 - NIS 33 million).

(NIS million)

B. Debts(1) (Cont'd)

		June 30, 2017 (unaudited)							
						(unaudited) debt balance			
С.	Troubled debt restructuring	Not accruing interest income	accruing ⁽²⁾ in arrears of 90 days or more	accruing ⁽²⁾ in arrears of 30 to 89 days	Accruing ⁽²⁾ , not in arrears	Total ⁽³⁾			
	Borrower activity in Israel								
	Public - commercial								
	Construction and real estate - construction	11	-	-	1	12			
	Construction and real estate - real estate activities	7	-	-	4	11			
	Financial services	228	-	-	-	228			
	Commercial - other	119	-	-	25	144			
	Total commercial	365	-	-	30	395			
	Private individuals - housing loans	-	-	-	-	-			
	Private individuals - others	48	-	-	21	69			
	Total public - activity in Israel	413	-	-	51	464			
	Banks in Israel	-	-	-	-	-			
	Israeli government	<u> </u>				-			
	Total activity in Israel	413			51	464			
	Borrower activity abroad								
	Public - commercial								
	Construction and real estate	-	-	-	-	-			
	Other commercial	8				8			
	Total commercial	8	-	-	-	8			
	Private individuals					-			
	Total public - activity abroad	8	-	-	-	8			
	Banks abroad	-	-	-	-	-			
	Governments abroad					-			
	Total activity abroad	8				8			
	Total public	421	-	-	51	472			
	Total banks	-	-	-	-	-			
	Total governments	<u> </u>				-			
	Total	421	-	-	51	472			

⁽¹⁾ Credit to the public, credit to governments, deposits with banks, and other debts, excluding bonds and securities borrowed.

⁽²⁾ Accruing interest income.

⁽³⁾ Included in impaired debts.

(NIS million)

B. Debts(1) (Cont'd)

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						6 (unaudited)
					Recorded	debt balance
c.	Troubled debt restructuring	Not accruing interest income	accruing ⁽²⁾ in arrears of 90 days or more	accruing ⁽²⁾ in arrears of 30 to 89 days	Accruing ⁽²⁾ , not in arrears	Total ⁽³⁾
	Borrower activity in Israel					
	Public - commercial					
	Construction and real estate - construction	16	-	-	1	17
	Construction and real estate - real estate activities	10	-	-	1	11
	Financial services	1	-	-	-	1
	Commercial - other	105	-	-	13	118
	Total commercial	132	-	-	15	147
	Private individuals - housing loans	-	-	-	-	-
	Private individuals - others	57			13	70
	Total public - activity in Israel	189	-	-	28	217
	Banks in Israel	-	-	-	-	-
	Israeli government					-
	Total activity in Israel	189			28	217
	Borrower activity abroad					
	Public - commercial					
	Construction and real estate	-	-	-	-	-
	Other commercial	8				8
	Total commercial	8	-	-	-	8
	Private individuals					
	Total public - activity abroad	8	-	-	-	8
	Banks abroad	-	-	-	-	-
	Governments abroad	<u> </u>				-
	Total activity abroad	8				8
	Total public	197	-	-	28	225
	Total banks	-	-	-	-	-
	Total governments					-
	Total	197			28	225

⁽¹⁾ Credit to the public, credit to governments, deposits with banks, and other debts, excluding bonds and securities borrowed.

⁽²⁾ Accruing interest income.

⁽³⁾ Included in impaired debts.

(NIS million)

B. Debts(1) (Cont'd)

_					December 31, 20	116 (audited)
						debt balance
c.	Troubled debt restructuring (Cont'd)	Not accruing interest income	accruing ⁽²⁾ in arrears of 90 days or more	accruing ⁽²⁾ in arrears of 30 to 89 days	Accruing ⁽²⁾ , not in arrears	Total ⁽³⁾
	Borrower activity in Israel					
	Public - commercial					
	Construction and real estate - construction	14	-	-	1	15
	Construction and real estate - real estate activities	8	-	-	1	9
	Financial services	1	-	-	-	1
	Commercial - other	74	-	-	19	93
	Total commercial	97	-	-	21	118
	Private individuals - housing loans	-	-	-	-	-
	Private individuals - others	56	-		15	71
	Total public - activity in Israel	153	-	-	36	189
	Banks in Israel	-	-	-	-	-
	Israeli government	<u> </u>	-	<u> </u>		-
	Total activity in Israel	153	-		36	189
	Borrower activity abroad					
	Public - commercial					
	Construction and real estate	-	-	-	-	-
	Other commercial	8	-			8
	Total commercial	8	-	-	-	8
	Private individuals	<u> </u>	-			-
	Total public - activity abroad	8	-	-	-	8
	Banks abroad	-	-	-	-	-
	Governments abroad	<u> </u>	-	<u> </u>		-
	Total activity abroad	8	-			8
	Total public	161	-	-	36	197
	Total banks	-	-	-	-	-
	Total governments	<u> </u>				
	Total	161	-	-	36	197

⁽¹⁾ Credit to the public, credit to governments, deposits with banks, and other debts, excluding bonds and securities borrowed.

⁽²⁾ Accruing interest income.

⁽³⁾ Included in impaired debts.

(NIS million)

B. Debts(1) (Cont'd)

					F	the three month	ructuring made
				2017	FUI	the three month	2016
				2017	-		(unaudited)
c.	Troubled debt restructuring (Cont'd)	Number of contracts	Debt balance before restructuring	Debt balance after restructuring	Number of contracts	Debt balance before restructuring	Debt balance after restructuring
	Borrower activity in Israel						
	Public - commercial						
	Construction and real estate - construction	7	9	9	9	1	1
	Construction and real estate - real estate activities	3	1	1	-	-	
	Financial services	2	1	1	-	-	-
	Commercial - other	46	39	36	46	7	7
	Total commercial	58	50	47	55	8	8
	Private individuals - housing loans	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Private individuals - others	221	10	10	210	13	12
	Total public - activity in Israel	279	60	57	265	21	20
	Banks in Israel	-	-	-	-	-	
	Israeli government	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total activity in Israel	279	60	57	265	21	20
	Borrower activity abroad						
	Public - commercial						
	Construction and real estate	-	-	-	-	-	
	Other commercial	-	-	-	-	-	
	Total commercial			-	-		
	Private individuals	-	-	-	-	-	
	Total public - activity abroad	-	-	-			
	Banks abroad	-	-	-	-	-	
	Governments abroad	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total activity abroad		-	-		-	
	Total public	279	60	57	265	21	20
	Total banks	-	-	-	-	-	
	Total governments	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total	279	60	57	265	21	20

⁽¹⁾ Credit to the public, credit to governments, deposits with banks and other debts, excluding bonds and securities that were borrowed.

(NIS million)

B. Debts(1) (Cont'd)

						Rest	ructuring made
						For the six month	s ended June 30
				2017			2016
							(unaudited)
c.	Troubled debt restructuring (Cont'd)	Number of contracts	Debt balance before restructuring	Debt balance after restructuring	Number of contracts	Debt balance before restructuring	Debt balance after restructuring
	Borrower activity in Israel	 -					
	Public - commercial						
	Construction and real estate - construction	13	9	9	14	6	6
	Construction and real estate - real estate activities	3	1	1	-	-	-
	Financial services	4	228	228	2	1	1
	Commercial - other	119	53	48	121	18	17
	Total commercial	139	291	286	137	25	24
	Private individuals - housing loans	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Private individuals - others	480	20	20	493	25	24
	Total public - activity in Israel	619	311	306	630	50	48
	Banks in Israel	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Israeli government	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total activity in Israel	619	311	306	630	50	48
	Borrower activity abroad						
	Public - commercial	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Construction and real estate	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Other commercial	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total commercial	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Private individuals	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total public - activity abroad		-	-	-	-	-
	Banks abroad	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Governments abroad	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total activity abroad					-	-
	Total public	619	311	306	630	50	48
	Total banks	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total governments						
	Total	619	311	306	630	50	48

⁽¹⁾ Credit to the public, credit to governments, deposits with banks and other debts, excluding bonds and securities that were borrowed.

(NIS million)

B. Debts(1) (Cont'd)

			Restructuring made and failed (
			For the three months ended Jun				
			2017		*2016		
					(unaudited)		
: .	Troubled debt restructuring (Cont'd)	Number of contracts	Balance of debt recorded	Number of contracts	Balance of debt recorded		
	Borrower activity in Israel						
	Public - commercial						
	Construction and real estate - construction	3	-	2			
	Construction and real estate - real estate activities	-	-	-			
	Financial services	2	-	1	1		
	Commercial - other	25	2	22	1		
	Total commercial	30	2	25	2		
	Private individuals - housing loans	-	-	-			
	Private individuals - others	125	2	67	1		
	Total public - activity in Israel	155	4	92	3		
	Banks in Israel	-	-	-			
	Israeli government	-	-	-			
	Total activity in Israel	155	4	92	3		
	Borrower activity abroad						
	Public - commercial						
	Construction and real estate	-	-	-			
	Other commercial		<u>-</u>				
	Total commercial	-	-	-			
	Private individuals		<u>-</u>				
	Total public - activity abroad	-	-	-			
	Banks abroad	-	-	-			
	Governments abroad		<u>-</u>				
	Total activity abroad						
	Total public	155	4	92	3		
	Total banks	-	-	-			
	Total governments	<u> </u>	-				
	Total	155	4	92	3		

⁽¹⁾ Credit to the public, credit to governments, deposits with banks and other debts, excluding bonds and securities that were borrowed.

⁽²⁾ Debts that became debts in arrears of 30 days or more during the reported period which were restructured as a problematic debts during the 12 months that preceded the date in which they became debts in arrears.

(NIS million)

B. Debts(1) (Cont'd)

			Restructuring made and failed					
			For the six months ended Ju					
			2017		*2016			
					(unaudited)			
с.	Troubled debt restructuring (Cont'd)	Number of contracts	Balance of debt recorded	Number of contracts	Balance of debt recorded			
	Borrower activity in Israel							
	Public - commercial							
	Construction and real estate - construction	6	-	7	1			
	Construction and real estate - real estate activities	-	-	2	1			
	Financial services	2		1	1			
	Commercial - other	45	3	48	12			
	Total commercial	53	3	58	15			
	Private individuals - housing loans	-		-				
	Private individuals - others	221	5	177	4			
	Total public - activity in Israel	274	8	235	19			
	Banks in Israel	-	-	-				
	Israeli government	-	-	-				
	Total activity in Israel	274	8	235	19			
	Borrower activity abroad							
	Public - commercial							
	Construction and real estate	-	-	-	-			
	Other commercial	<u> </u>	<u>-</u>					
	Total commercial	-	-	-	-			
	Private individuals		-		-			
	Total public - activity abroad	-	-	-				
	Banks abroad	-	-	-				
	Governments abroad		-		-			
	Total activity abroad		<u>-</u>		-			
	Total public	274	8	235	19			
	Total banks	-	-	-	-			
	Total governments	<u> </u>	-		-			
	Total	274	8	235	19			

^{*} Reclassified.

⁽¹⁾ Credit to the public, credit to governments, deposits with banks and other debts, excluding bonds and securities that were borrowed.

⁽²⁾ Debts that became debts in arrears of 30 days or more during the reported period which were restructured as a problematic debts during the 12 months that preceded the date in which they became debts in arrears.

(NIS million)

B. Debts(1) (Cont'd)

3. Additional information regarding housing loans

Year-end balances by financing ratio (LTV)(*), repayment type, and interest type

		June 30, 2					
		Balance of housing loans					
	Total	Of which: bullet and balloon	OF which: floating interest rate	Total Off-balance sheet credit risk			
First lien financing rate							
- Up to 60%	16,015	400	9,771	879			
- Over 60%	6,320	105	4,163	364			
Secondary lien or no lien	38	-	23	9			
Total	22,373	505	13,957	1,252			

		June 30,					
		Balance of housing loans					
	Total	Of which: bullet and balloon	OF which: floating interest rate	Total Off-balance sheet credit risk			
First lien financing rate							
- Up to 60%	14,767	423	9,125	935			
- Over 60%	6,157	116	4,086	401			
Secondary lien or no lien	168	4	92	15			
Total	21,092	543	13,303	1,351			

		December :					
		Balance of housing loans					
	Total	Of which: bullet and balloon	OF which: floating interest rate	Total Off-balance sheet credit risk			
First lien financing rate			_				
- Up to 60%	15,381	391	9,445	827			
- Over 60%	6,319	100	4,179	313			
Secondary lien or no lien	41	-	24	12			
Total	21,741	491	13,648	1,152			

Ratio of the approved credit facility, when the facility was provided, to the value of the asset, as approved by the Bank when the facility was provided.

(NIS million)

C. Off-balance sheet financial instruments

		Balance o	f contracts ⁽¹⁾	Balanc	e of provision for	credit losses
	30.6.17	30.6.16	31.12.16	30.6.17	30.6.16	31.12.16
	(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(audited)	(unaudited)	(unaudited)	(audited)
Transactions the balance of which represents credit risk:						
Documentary credit	120	181	119	-	-	1
Guarantees securing credit	944	1,029	1,022	9	11	10
Guarantees to home purchasers	2,701	3,055	2,859	10	11	11
Guarantees and other liabilities	3,806	3,620	3,833	18	17	17
Unutilized credit lines for derivatives instruments	2,658	*3,018	2,857	-	-	-
Unutilized revolving credit and other on-call credit facilities	9,562	10,921	10,806	17	18	17
Irrevocable commitments to grant credit, not yet executed	4,453	5,153	4,658	4	3	4
Unutilized credit lines for credit card facilities	6,810	6,183	6,361	5	5	4
Facilities for the lending of securities	210	167	190	-	-	-
Required guarantees and collateral in respect of the Stock Exchange and						
Maof Clearing Houses	184	176	139	-	-	-
Commitments to issue guarantees	1,474	1,416	1,978	6	8	7
Transactions the stated amount of which does not represents credit risk:						
Guarantees (including guarantees to the courts for claims which may arise upon the occurrence of certain events) and letters of indemnity ⁽²⁾	99	124	107	-	-	

Restated. As of December 31, 2016 the balance of the forex facilities which have not been utilized are multiplied by the pothential future exposure coeficients, in accordance with the Proper Conduct of Banking Business Management Directive No. 203. The comparative data for June 30, 2016 were restated.

⁽¹⁾ Balance of contracts or their stated amounts at the end of the period, before provision for credit losses.

⁽²⁾ In addition, the Bank provided the courts with letters of self undertaking unlimited in amounts, given in connection with legal proceedings, in order to secure compensation for the damage to the defendants in the event that the action against them is dismissed or the legal proceedings terminated because of any other reason.

NOTE 13 - ASSETS AND LIABILITIES ACCORDING TO LINKAGE BASES

						June 30, 2017	(unaudited
	Is	raeli currency		Foreign	currency ⁽¹⁾		
	Non-linked	Linked to the consumer price index	U.S. dollar	Euro	Other	Non- monetary items ⁽²⁾	Tota
Assets							
Cash and deposits with banks	29,274	75	1,172	196	252	-	30,96
Securities	5,226	1,459	4,676	1,488	26	172	13,04
Securities which were borrowed	903	-	-	-	-	-	90:
Credit to the public, net ⁽³⁾	63,925	9,917	3,434	937	288	618	79,11
Credit to the government	28	618	-	-	-	-	64
Investee company	-	-	-	-	-	535	53!
Premises and equipment	-	-	-	-	-	1,105	1,10
Intangible assets and goodwill	-	-	-	-	-	232	232
Assets in respect of derivative instruments	546	57	183	101	22	386	1,29
Other assets	583	4	6	2	10	363	968
Assets held for sale	-	-	15	-	-	2	17
Total assets	100,485	12,130	9,486	2,724	598	3,413	128,830
Liabilities							
Deposits from the public	81,373	6,258	14,908	2,976	1,137	628	107,280
Deposits from banks	429	52	236	21	8	-	746
Deposits from the Government	702	271	62	2	1	-	1,03
Bonds and subordinated capital notes	707	4,363	-	-	-	-	5,07
Liabilities in respect of derivative instruments	617	46	182	101	22	373	1,34
Other liabilities	4,582	125	40	13	30	380	5,17
Liabilities held for sale	1	-	13	2	-	-	10
Total liabilities	88,411	11,115	15,441	3,115	1,198	1,381	120,66
Difference	12,074	1,015	(5,955)	(391)	(600)	2,032	8,17
Hedging financial instruments							
Derivative instruments (not including options)	207	-	-	-	(207)	-	
Non-hedging derivatives							
Derivative instruments (not including options)	(7,068)	(260)	6,221	235	872	-	
Options in the money, net (in terms of underlying asset)	184	-	(260)	76	-	-	
Options out of the money, net (in terms of underlying asset)	(103)		21	83	(1)		
Total	5,294	755	27	3	64	2,032	8,17
Options in the money, net (present value of stated amount)	12	-	(138)	126	-	-	
Options out of the money, net (present value of stated amount)	(475)	-	168	327	(20)	-	

⁽¹⁾ Including linked to foreign currency.

⁽²⁾ Including derivatives instruments which their underlying assets represent non-monetary item.

⁽³⁾ After deduction of provisions for credit losses attributed to the linkage base.

NOTE 13 - ASSETS AND LIABILITIES ACCORDING TO LINKAGE BASES (CONT'D)

						June 30, 2016	(unaudited)
	l:	sraeli currency		Foreign	currency ⁽¹⁾		
	Non-linked	Linked to the consumer price index	U.S. dollar	Euro	Other	Non- monetary items ⁽²⁾	Tota
Assets							
Cash and deposits with banks	27,126	98	2,656	427	328	-	30,635
Securities	6,487	1,618	5,793	695	122	202	14,917
Securities which were borrowed	602	-	-	-	-	-	602
Credit to the public, net ⁽³⁾	58,834	10,964	4,290	1,106	446	457	76,097
Credit to the government	29	618	-	-	-	-	647
Investee company	-	-	-	-	-	505	505
Premises and equipment	-	-	-	-	-	1,200	1,200
Intangible assets and goodwill	-	-	-	-	-	237	237
Assets in respect of derivative instruments	376	41	308	44	92	619	1,480
Other assets	613	33	58	-	10	273	987
Total assets	94,067	13,372	13,105	2,272	998	3,493	127,307
Liabilities							
Deposits from the public	73,638	6,851	19,306	3,595	1,457	469	105,316
Deposits from banks	899	-	222	51	35	-	1,207
Deposits from the Government	377	382	78	3	1	-	841
Bonds and subordinated capital notes	708	4,985	-	-	-	-	5,693
Liabilities in respect of derivative instruments	427	35	345	78	74	605	1,564
Other liabilities	4,282	92	65	7	12	288	4,746
Total liabilities	80,331	12,345	20,016	3,734	1,579	1,362	119,367
Difference	13,736	1,027	(6,911)	(1,462)	(581)	2,131	7,940
Hedging financial instruments							
Derivative instruments (not including options)	394	-	-	-	(394)	-	
Non-hedging derivatives							
Derivative instruments (not including options)	(8,896)	(416)	6,911	1,535	866	-	
Options in the money, net (in terms of underlying asset)	307	-	(106)	(198)	(3)	-	
Options out of the money, net (in terms of underlying asset)	(301)		227	71	3		<u> </u>
Total	5,240	611	121	(54)	(109)	2,131	7,940
Options in the money, net (present value of stated amount)	405	-	(155)	(245)	(5)	-	
Options out of the money, net (present value of stated amount)	(1,012)	-	677	323	12	-	

⁽¹⁾ Including linked to foreign currency.

 ⁽²⁾ Including derivatives instruments which their underlying assets represent non-monetary item.
 (3) After deduction of provisions for credit losses attributed to the linkage base.

NOTE 13 - ASSETS AND LIABILITIES ACCORDING TO LINKAGE BASES (CONT'D)

					D	ecember 31, 20	16 (audited)
	Is	raeli currency		Foreign o	currency(1)		
		Linked to the				Non-	
	Non linked	consumer	II.C dallar	Fure	Othor	monetary	Total
	Non-linked	price index	U.S. dollar	Euro	Other	items(2)	Total
Assets	27.245	00	1 100	404	216		20.450
Cash and deposits with banks	27,245	80	1,108	401	316	470	29,150
Securities	6,966	1,667	6,112	775	78	178	15,776
Securities which were borrowed	414	-	-	-	-	-	414
Credit to the public, net ⁽³⁾	62,356	10,142	3,069	980	332	449	77,328
Credit to the government	36	618	-	-	-		654
Investee company	-	-	-	-	-	514	514
Premises and equipment	-	-	-	-	-	1,133	1,133
Intangible assets and goodwill	-	-	-	-	-	243	243
Assets in respect of derivative instruments	266	50	339	29	22	626	1,332
Other assets	610	37	104	2	10	257	1,020
Assets held for sale	17		104	48	129	45	343
Total assets	97,910	12,594	10,836	2,235	887	3,445	127,907
Liabilities							
Deposits from the public	77,324	6,125	16,230	4,454	1,222	462	105,817
Deposits from banks	467	-	242	30	16	-	755
Deposits from the Government	266	172	67	64	1	-	570
Bonds and subordinated capital notes	716	5,085	-	-	-	-	5,801
Liabilities in respect of derivative instruments	345	39	290	50	22	610	1,356
Other liabilities	4,449	120	56	6	24	274	4,929
Liabilities held for sale	50		469	171	55		745
Total liabilities	83,617	11,541	17,354	4,775	1,340	1,346	119,973
Difference	14,293	1,053	(6,518)	(2,540)	(453)	2,099	7,934
Hedging financial instruments							
Derivative instruments (not including options)	234	-	-	-	(234)	-	-
Non-hedging derivatives							
Derivative instruments (not including options)	(9,841)	(239)	6,564	2,805	711	-	-
Options in the money, net (in terms of underlying asset)	337	-	(72)	(277)	12	-	-
Options out of the money, net (in terms of underlying asset)	(80)	-	147	(58)	(9)	-	-
Total	4,943	814	121	(70)	27	2,099	7,934
Options in the money, net (present value of stated amount)	333		(62)	(293)	22	-	
Options out of the money, net (present value of stated amount)	(454)	_	650	(173)	(23)	_	

⁽¹⁾ Including linked to foreign currency.

⁽²⁾ Including derivatives instruments which their underlying assets represent non-monetary item.

⁽³⁾ After deduction of provisions for credit losses attributed to the linkage base.

NOTE 14A - BALANCES AND FAIR VALUE ESTIMATES OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

				June 30, 201	7 (unaudited)
	Stated in the				Fair value ⁽¹⁾
	Balance Sheet	(1)	(2)	(3)	Total
Financial assets					
Cash and deposits with banks	30,969	580	30,331	66	30,977
Securities ⁽²⁾	13,047	6,564	6,408	121	13,093
Securities which were borrowed	903	-	903	-	903
Credit to the public, net	79,119	3,153	1,401	74,147	78,701
Credit to the government	646	-	27	614	641
Assets in respect of derivative instruments	1,295	519	395	381	1,295
Other financial assets	469	341	-	128	469
Assets held for sale	15	-	-	15	15
Total financial assets	(3)126,463	11,157	39,465	75,472	126,094
Financial liabilities					
Deposits from the public	107,280	2,394	88,376	16,655	107,425
Deposits from Banks	746	-	683	75	758
Deposits from the Government	1,038	627	344	81	1,052
Bonds and non-convertible subordinated capital notes	5,070	4,481	-	776	5,257
Liabilities in respect of derivative instruments	1,341	519	775	47	1,341
Other financing liabilities	4,128	577	1,401	2,149	4,127
Liabilities held for sale	16	-	-	16	16
Total financial liabilities	⁽³⁾ 119,619	8,598	91,579	19,799	119,976
				1	
Off balance sheet financial instruments					
Transaction were the balance represents credit risk	33	-	-	33	33
In addition, the liability in respect of employee rights, gross - pension and					
severance pay ⁽⁴⁾	1,128	-	-	1,128	1,128

⁽¹⁾ Level 1 - fair value measurements using prices quoted in an active market.

Level 2 - fair value measurements using other significant observable data.

Level 3 - fair value measurements using significant unobservable data.

⁽²⁾ For further details of the stated balance and the fair value of securities, see Note 5, "Securities".

⁽³⁾ Of which: assets of NIS 16,320 million and liabilities of NIS 4,952 million, the stated balance of which is identical to their fair value (instruments reflected in the balance sheet at fair value). For further information regarding instruments measured at fair value on a recurring basis and on a non-recurring basis, see note 14B-

⁽⁴⁾ The liability in shown gross, without taking into account the plan assets managed against it.

NOTE 14A -**BALANCES AND FAIR VALUE ESTIMATES OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS** (CONT'D)

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,	2 326		-	602
647	2,320	1,007	*72,710	76,043
	-	29	606	635
1,480	718	455	307	1,480
498	253	-	245	498
124,876	11,795	38,916	74,162	124,873
105,316	1,599	87,777	16,158	105,534
1,207	-	1,109	102	1,211
841	455	306	101	862
5,693	5,049	-	888	5,937
1,564	715	807	42	1,564
3,822	429	1,007	2,384	3,820
118,443	8,247	91,006	19,675	118,928
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⁽¹⁾ Level 1 - fair value measurements using prices quoted in an active market. Level 2 - fair value measurements using other significant observable data.

Level 3 - fair value measurements using significant unobservable data.

⁽²⁾ For further details of the stated balance and the fair value of securities, see Note 5, "Securities".

⁽³⁾ Of which: assets of NIS 17,544 million and liabilities of NIS 4,061 million, the stated balance of which is identical to their fair value (instruments reflected in the balance sheet at fair value). For further information regarding instruments measured at fair value on a recurring basis and on a non-recurring basis, see note 14B-

NOTE 14A - BALANCES AND FAIR VALUE ESTIMATES OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONT'D)

		December 31, 20				
	Stated in the				Fair value ⁽¹⁾	
	Balance Sheet	(1)	(2)	(3)	Total	
Financial assets						
Cash and deposits with banks	29,150	582	28,480	84	29,146	
Securities ⁽²⁾	15,776	8,421	7,274	123	15,818	
Securities which were borrowed	414	-	414	-	414	
Credit to the public, net	77,328	2,845	1,030	73,038	76,913	
Credit to the government	654	-	36	608	644	
Assets in respect of derivative instruments	1,332	698	386	248	1,332	
Other financial assets	484	238	-	246	484	
Assets held for sale	298	-	-	298	298	
Total financial assets	⁽³⁾ 125,436	12,784	37,620	74,645	125,049	
Financial liabilities						
Deposits from the public	105,817	1,984	87,690	16,248	105,922	
Deposits from Banks	755	-	729	28	757	
Deposits from the Government	570	173	323	90	586	
Bonds and non-convertible subordinated capital notes	5,801	5,165	-	848	6,013	
Liabilities in respect of derivative instruments	1,356	698	616	42	1,356	
Other financing liabilities	3,906	491	1,030	2,383	3,904	
Liabilities held for sale	745	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	745	745	
Total financial liabilities	⁽³⁾ 118,950	8,511	90,388	20,384	119,283	
Off balance sheet financial instruments						
Transaction were the balance represents credit risk	33	-	-	33	33	
In addition, the liability in respect of employee rights, gross - pension and						
severance pay ⁽⁴⁾	1,166	-	-	1,166	1,166	

⁽¹⁾ Level 1 - fair value measurements using prices quoted in an active market.

Level 2 - fair value measurements using other significant observable data.

Level 3 - fair value measurements using significant unobservable data.

⁽²⁾ For further details of the stated balance and the fair value of securities, see Note 5, "Securities".

⁽³⁾ Of which: assets of NIS 18,609 million and liabilities of NIS 4,020 million, the stated balance of which is identical to their fair value (instruments reflected in the balance sheet at fair value). For further information regarding instruments measured at fair value on a recurring basis and on a non-recurring basis, see note 14B-

⁽⁴⁾ The liability in shown gross, without taking into account the plan assets managed against it.

NOTE 14A - BALANCES AND FAIR VALUE ESTIMATES OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONT'D)

(NIS million)

A. Fair value of financial instruments.

The Note includes information regarding the fair value of financial instruments. There is no quotable "market value" for most of the financial instruments of the Bank since they are not traded in an active market. Therefore, the fair value is derived by accepted pricing models, such as discounting future cash flows at interest rates reflecting the credit risk inherent in the financial instrument.

Determination of fair value, estimated by discounting future cash flows and determining the relative interest rates is subjective. Furthermore, the fair value estimations for most of the financial instruments does not necessarily indicate the realizable value on the reporting date. The estimated fair value was calculated according to interest rates prevailing on balance sheet date and does not consider interest rate fluctuations. Given other interest rate assumptions fair value estimates may differ materially. This is mainly the case where financial instruments have fixed interest rates or do not bear interest.

In addition, in determining fair value, commissions to be received or paid as a result of the said transactions and tax effects, in respect of the gap between the fair value and the balances at the balance sheet, were not taken into consideration.

Furthermore, the difference between the balance sheet and the fair value amounts may not be realized as the Bank may hold the instruments until maturity. As a result of all of these it is necessary to emphasize that the data included in this note does not reflect the net worth of the Bank as a going concern. Also, as a result of the wide range of possible estimation techniques and methods, care should be taken when comparing fair value of different banks.

NOTE 14A - BALANCES AND FAIR VALUE ESTIMATES OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONT'D)

(NIS million)

B. Principal methods and assumptions used for the calculation of the fair value estimates of financial instruments

Deposits with banks, bonds and non-marketable securities and credit to the Government - By discounting future cash flows according to interest rates used by the Bank in similar transactions close to the reporting date.

Marketable securities - According to their value in the principal market. Where there are several markets on which the instrument is traded, the assessment is made according to the most beneficial market.

Credit to the public - The fair value of the credit to the public balance was estimated according to discounting the future cash flows in an appropriate discount rate. The balance was separated into homogenous categories. The receipts in each category were discounted at a discount rate which reflects the risk inherent in the category. In general, this discount rate is determined according to the interest at which the Bank transacts similar business at the reporting date.

The fair value of impaired debts is assessed using discount rates that reflect the high credit risk inherent in such debts. In any event, such discount rates are not lower than the highest interest rate used by the Bank in transacting business at the reporting date.

Anticipated future cash flows in respect of impaired debts and other debts have been assessed after deducting the effect of accounting write-offs and of provisions for credit losses in respect of the debts.

Accounting write-offs and provisions for credit losses are attributed, where possible, to periods in which these debts had been classified (example: where the provision was assessed on a specific basis, by the present value of future cash flows). In the absence of such data, accounting write-offs and provisions for credit losses are attributed proportionally to the outstanding balance of credit according to maturity periods at end of the period.

Deposits and subordinate capital notes - By discounting future cash flows according to interest rates used by the Group in raising similar deposits (if a quoted price on an active market is not available), or issuing similar capital notes, at reporting date. As regards bonds and subordinate debt notes that are traded as an asset on an active market, fair value is based upon quoted market prices.

Derivative financial instruments - Derivative financial instruments for which an active market exists have been estimated at market value, and where several active markets exist, have been estimated according to the most beneficial market.

Derivative financial instruments for which no active market exists have been calculated according to models which are used by the Group in current activity and take into account the inherent risks of the financial instrument (market risk, credit risk, etc.).

Off-balance sheet financial instruments and transactions the balance of which represents credit risk - the fair value has been assessed in accordance with commission earned in similar transactions at the reporting date, adjusted in respect of the remaining period of the transaction and the credit quality of the counterparty.

NOTE 14B - ITEMS MEASURED AT FAIR VALUE

(NIS million)

A. Items measured at fair value on a recurrent basis

		June 30, 2017 (unaudited)					
	Fair-value measurements using -						
	Prices quoted in an active market (level 1)	Other significant observable inputs (level 2)	Significant unobservable inputs (level 3)	Effect of netting agreements	Balance sheet balance		
Assets	(1000.2)	(1000.2)	puts (ierei o)		24.4		
Securities available for sale:							
Government bonds - Israeli government	3,889	2,373	-	_	6,262		
Government bonds - Foreign governments	-	1,594	-	-	1,594		
Bonds of financial institutions in Israel	217	· -	-	-	217		
Bonds of foreign financial institutions	-	926	-	-	926		
Mortgage backed (MBS)	-	324	-	-	324		
Bonds of others in Israel	555	163	-	_	718		
Bonds of foreign others	-	651	-	_	651		
Shares of others	46	4	-	_	50		
Total available for sale securities	4,707	6,035			10,742		
Trading Securities:	= <u></u>				•		
Government bonds -Israeli Government	730	_	-	_	730		
Bonds of foreign financial institutions		18	-	-	18		
Bonds of others in Israel	1	_	-	_	1		
Bonds of foreign others	-	39	-	_	39		
Shares of others	1	-	-	-	1		
Total trading securities	732	57			789		
Credit in respect of security borrowing	3,153		-		3,153		
Assets in respect of derivative instruments:	,				,		
Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI		_	20	_	20		
Interest rate contract: other	7	196	10	_	213		
Foreign currency contracts	140	185	351	-	676		
Shares contracts	371	13	-	-	384		
Commodities and other contracts	1	1	-	-	2		
Total assets in respect of derivative instruments	519	395	381		1,295		
Assets in respect of MAOF activity	341				341		
Total assets	9,452	6,487	381		16,320		
Liabilities	= <u></u>				•		
Deposits in respect of borrowing between customers	2,394	_	-	_	2,394		
Deposits from the Government	627	-	-	-	627		
Liabilities in respect of derivative instruments:							
Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI	-	_	1	_	1		
Interest rate contract: other	7	246	-	_	253		
Foreign currency contracts	140	529	46	_	715		
Shares contracts	371	13	-	_	384		
Commodities and other contracts	1	_	-	_	1		
Total liabilities in respect of derivative instruments	519	788	47		1,354		
Other liabilities	<u> </u>				•		
Liabilities in respect of activity in the maof market	341	_	_	-	341		
Short selling of securities	236	_	_	-	236		
Total other liabilities	577				577		
Total liabilities	4,117	788	47		4,952		

NOTE 14B - ITEMS MEASURED AT FAIR VALUE (CONT'D)

(NIS million)

A. Items measured at fair value on a recurrent basis (CONT'D)

					June 30, 2016 (unaudited	
		Fair-value me	asurements using -		Balance sheet	
	Prices quoted in an active market	Other significant observable inputs	Significant unobservable	Effect of netting		
	(level 1)	(level 2)	inputs (level 3)	agreements	balance	
Assets						
Securities available for sale:						
Government bonds - Israeli government	5,148	2,242	-	-	7,390	
Government bonds - Foreign governments	-	*1,837	-	-	1,837	
Bonds of financial institutions in Israel	322	-	-	-	322	
Bonds of foreign financial institutions	-	*1,648	-	-	1,648	
Mortgage backed (MBS)	-	433	-	-	433	
Bonds of others in Israel	533	*367	-	-	900	
Bonds of foreign others	-	23	-	-	23	
Shares of others	59	8	-	-	67	
Total available for sale securities	6,062	6,558	-	-	12,620	
Trading Securities:		-		·		
Government bonds -Israeli Government	796	-	-	-	796	
Bonds of financial institutions in Israel	4	-	-	-	4	
Bonds of foreign financial institutions	-	11	-	-	11	
Bonds of others in Israel	44	-	-	-	44	
Bonds of foreign others	-	8	-	-	8	
Shares of others	2	-	-	-	2	
Total trading securities	846	19	-	-	865	
Credit in respect of security borrowing	2,326	-	-	-	2,326	
Assets in respect of derivative instruments:						
Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI	-	_	30	-	30	
Interest rate contract: other	12	248	12	-	272	
Foreign currency contracts	101	194	265	-	560	
Shares contracts	583	13	-	-	596	
Commodities and other contracts	22	-	-	-	22	
Total assets in respect of derivative instruments	718	455	307	-	1,480	
Assets in respect of MAOF activity	253				253	
Total assets	10,205	7,032	307		17,544	
Liabilities				· -		
Deposits in respect of borrowing between customers	1,599	_	_	_	1,599	
Deposits from the Government	455	_	_	_	455	
Liabilities in respect of derivative instruments:						
Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI	-	_	8	_	8	
Interest rate contract: other	12	441	-	-	453	
Foreign currency contracts	98	367	34	-	499	
Shares contracts	583	13	-	-	596	
Commodities and other contracts	22	-	-	-	22	
Total liabilities in respect of derivative instruments	715	821	42		1,578	
Other liabilities			<u> </u>		,	
Liabilities in respect of activity in the maof market	253	_	-	-	253	
Short selling of securities	176	_	_	_	176	
Total other liabilities	429				429	
Total liabilities	3,198	821	42		4,061	

^{*} Reclassified

NOTE 14B - ITEMS MEASURED AT FAIR VALUE (CONT'D)

(NIS million)

A. Items measured at fair value on a recurrent basis (CONT'D)

	 -	Fair value mee		December 31, 201	o (uuunteu)
	Prices quoted in an active market (level 1)	Other significant observable inputs (level 2)	Significant unobservable inputs (level 3)	Effect of netting agreements	Balance sheet balance
Assets					
Securities available for sale:					
Government bonds - Israeli government	5,504	1,930	-	-	7,434
Government bonds - Foreign governments	-	*2,160	-	-	2,160
Bonds of financial institutions in Israel	259	-	-	-	259
Bonds of foreign financial institutions	-	*1,752	-	-	1,752
Mortgage backed (MBS)	-	409	-	-	409
Bonds of others in Israel	524	194	-	-	718
Bonds of foreign others	-	*435	-	-	435
Shares of others	48	4	-	-	52
Total available for sale securities	6,335	6,884	-		13,219
Trading Securities:		-			
Government bonds -Israeli Government	946	-	_	-	946
Bonds of financial institutions in Israel	4	-	_	-	4
Bonds of foreign financial institutions	-	4	_	-	4
Bonds of others in Israel	7	-	_	-	7
Bonds of foreign others	-	11	_	-	11
Shares of others	3	_	_	_	3
Total trading securities	960	15			975
Credit in respect of security borrowing	2,845				2,845
Assets in respect of derivative instruments:	_,,_				_,
Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI	_	_	23	_	23
Interest rate contract: other	15	213	10	_	238
Foreign currency contracts	73	157	215	_	445
Shares contracts	609	16	-	_	625
Commodities and other contracts	1	-	_	_	1
Total assets in respect of derivative instruments	698	386	248		1,332
Assets in respect of MAOF activity	238				238
Total assets	11,076	7,285	248		18,609
Liabilities	11,070	7,283	240		18,003
Deposits in respect of borrowing between customers	1,984				1,984
Deposits from the Government	173	_			173
Liabilities in respect of derivative instruments:	1/3				1/3
Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI			3		3
	15	264	3	-	279
Interest rate contract: other	73	352	39	-	464
Foreign currency contracts			39	_	
Shares contracts	609	16	-	-	625
Commodities and other contracts	1				1 272
Total liabilities in respect of derivative instruments	698	632	42	-	1,372
Other liabilities					
Liabilities in respect of activity in the maof market	238	-	-	-	238
Short selling of securities	253	<u> </u>	-		253
Total other liabilities	491		-		491
Total liabilities	3,346	632	42	-	4,020

^{*} Reclassified.

NOTE 14B - ITEMS MEASURED AT FAIR VALUE (CONT'D)

(NIS million)

B. Items measured at fair value on a non-recurrent basis

					June 30, 2017 (unaudited)
					Gains (losses) in respect of changes in value
				Total fair	for the six months
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	value	ended June 30, 2017
Impaired credit the collection of which is contingent on collateral	-	-	54	54	(11)
					June 30, 2016 (unaudited)
					Gains (losses) in respect of changes in value
				Total fair	for the six months
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	value	ended June 30, 2016
Impaired credit the collection of which is contingent on collateral	-	-	62	62	16
				De	cember 31, 2016 (audited)
					Gains (losses) in respect
					of changes in value
				Total fair	for the year ended
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	value	December 31, 2016
Impaired credit the collection of which is contingent on collateral	-	-	65	65	19

NOTE 14C - CHANGES IN ITEMS MEASURED AT FAIR VALUE ON A RECURRENT BASIS INCLUDED IN LEVEL 3

(NIS million)

					For th	e three mo	nths ended June	e 30, 2017 (unaudited)
	Fair value as of March 31, 2017	Profits (losses) realized and unrealized Included in the profit and loss statement (1)	Purchases	Payments	Transfers to level 3, gross	Transfer from level 3, gross	Fair value as of June 30, 2017	Unrealized profits (losses) in respect of instruments held as of June 30, 2017
Assets	·							
Assets in respect of derivative instruments:								
Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI	22	(2)	-	-	-	-	20	(2)
Interest rate contracts: Other	9	2	-	(1)	-	-	10	1
Foreign currency contracts	265	330	15	(259)			351	176
Total assets	296	330	15	(260)			381	175
Liabilities								
Liabilities in respect of derivative instruments:								
Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Foreign currency contracts	48	1	-	(1)			46	1
Total liabilities	49	1	-	(1)	-	-	47	1

For the three months ended June 30, 2016 (unaudited)								
	Fair value as of March 31, 2016	Profits (losses) realized and unrealized Included in the profit and loss statement (1)	Purchases	Payments	Transfers to level 3, gross	Transfer from level 3, gross	Fair value as of June 30, 2016	Unrealized profits (losses) in respect of instruments held as of June 30, 2016
Assets								
Assets in respect of derivative instruments:								
Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI	31	(1)	-	-	-	-	30	(2)
Interest rate contracts: Other	10	3	-	(1)	-	-	12	3
Foreign currency contracts	319	543	12	(609)		-	265	76
Total assets	360	545	12	(610)	-	-	307	77
Liabilities								
Liabilities in respect of derivative instruments:								
Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI	8	-	-	-	-	-	8	-
Foreign currency contracts	36	1		(1)			34	
Total liabilities	44	1	-	(1)	-	-	42	-

⁽¹⁾ Realized profits (losses) are included in the profit and loss statement in the item non interest financing income.

NOTE 14C - CHANGES IN ITEMS MEASURED AT FAIR VALUE
ON A RECURRENT BASIS INCLUDED IN LEVEL 3 (CONT'D)

(NIS million)

					Foi	the six mo	nths ended June	30, 2017 (unaudited)
	Fair value as of December 31, 2016	Profits (losses) realized and unrealized Included in the profit and loss statement (1)	Purchases	Payments	Transfers to level 3, gross	Transfer from level 3, gross	Fair value as of June 30, 2017	Unrealized profits (losses) in respect of instruments held as of June 30, 2017
Assets								
Assets in respect of derivative instruments:								
Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI	23	-		(3)	-	-	20	-
Interest rate contracts: Other	10	3	-	(3)	-	-	10	2
Foreign currency contracts	215	700	28	(592)	-	-	351	252
Total assets	248	703	28	(598)	-	-	381	254
Liabilities								
Liabilities in respect of derivative instruments:								
Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI	3	-	-	(2)	-	-	1	-
Foreign currency contracts	39	(7)	-				46	(7)
Total liabilities	42	(7)	-	(2)	-	-	47	(7)

					For	the six mo	nths ended June	30, 2016 (unaudited)
	Fair value as of December 31, 2015	Profits (losses) realized and unrealized Included in the profit and loss statement (1)	Purchases	Payments	Transfers to level 3, gross	Transfer from level 3, gross	Fair value as of June 30, 2016	Unrealized profits (losses) in respect of instruments held as of June 30, 2016
Assets								
Assets in respect of derivative instruments:								
Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI	27	3	-	-	-	-	30	3
Interest rate contracts: Other	10	6	-	(4)	-	-	12	6
Foreign currency contracts	241	1,217	37	(1,230)			265	145
Total assets	278	1,226	37	(1,234)	-	-	307	154
Liabilities								
Liabilities in respect of derivative instruments:								
Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI	8	(1)	-	(1)	-	-	8	-
Foreign currency contracts	60	-	-	(26)			34	<u> </u>
Total liabilities	68	(1)	-	(27)	-	-	42	-

						For the year	r ended 31, Ded	ember 2016 (audited)
	Fair value as of December 31, 2015	Profits (losses) realized and unrealized Included in the profit and loss statement (1)	Purchases	Payments	Transfers to level 3, gross	Transfer from level 3, gross	Fair value as of December 31, 2016	Unrealized profits (losses) in respect of instruments held as of December 31, 2016
Assets								
Assets in respect of derivative instruments:								
Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI	27	4	-	(8)	-	-	23	3
Interest rate contracts: Other	10	5	-	(5)	-	-	10	5
Foreign currency contracts	241	2,017	62	(2,105)	-	-	215	95
Total assets	278	2,026	62	(2,118)	-	-	248	103
Liabilities								
Liabilities in respect of derivative instruments:								
Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI	8	-	-	(5)	-	-	3	-
Foreign currency contracts	60	(6)	-	(27)	-	-	39	(6)
Total liabilities	68	(6)	-	(32)	-	-	42	(6)

⁽¹⁾ Realized profits (losses) are included in the profit and loss statement in the item non interest financing income.

NOTE 14D - QUANTITATIVE INFORMATION ON ITEMS MEASURED AT FAIR VALUE INCLUDED IN LEVEL 3

				As	of June 30, 20	17 (unaudited)
		Value Assessment		Fair		
		technique	Unobservable inputs	value	Average	Range
			(N	IIS million)		in %
A.	Items measured at fair value on a recurrent basis					
	Assets					
	Assets in respect of derivative instruments:					
	Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI	Discounted cash flow	CPI linked interest	20	0.29	(0.27)-0.31
	Interest rate contract: other	Discounted cash flow	Counter-party credit risk	10	1.89	1.30-1.95
	Foreign currency contracts	Discounted cash flow	1. CPI-linked interest	61	(0.10)	(0.47)-2.25
			2. Counter-party credit risk	290	1.61	1.05-5.01
	Liabilities					
	Liabilities in respect of derivative instruments:					
	Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI	Discounted cash flow	CPI-linked interest	1	(0.55)	(0.76)- (0.19)
	Foreign currency contracts	Discounted cash flow	CPI-linked interest	46	0.34	(0.47)-1.98
в.	Items measured at fair value on a non-recurrent basis					
	Impaired credit the collection of which is contingent on collateral	Collaterals value		54		

				As	of June 30, 20	16 (unaudited)
		Value Assessment		Fair		
		technique	Unobservable inputs	value	Average	Range
			(N	IS million)		in %
A.	Items measured at fair value on a recurrent basis					
	Assets					
	Assets in respect of derivative instruments:					
	Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI	Discounted cash flow	CPI linked interest	30	0.16	(0.69)-2.10
	Interest rate contract: other	Discounted cash flow	Counter-party credit risk	12	1.87	1.30-1.95
	Foreign currency contracts	Discounted cash flow	1. CPI-linked interest	44	(0.81)	(3.89)-(0.52)
			2. Counter-party credit risk	221	1.44	1.05-5.06
	Liabilities					
	Liabilities in respect of derivative instruments:					
	Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI	Discounted cash flow	CPI-linked interest	8	0.29	(0.79)-2.30
	Foreign currency contracts	Discounted cash flow	CPI-linked interest	34	(0.66)	(3.25)-(0.16)
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В.	Items measured at fair value on a non-recurrent basis					
	Impaired credit the collection of which is contingent on collateral	Collaterals value		62		

NOTE 14D - QUANTITATIVE INFORMATION ON ITEMS MEASURED AT FAIR VALUE INCLUDED IN LEVEL 3 (CONT'D)

				As of I	December 31,	2016 (audited)
		Value Assessment		Fair		
		technique	Unobservable inputs	value	Average	Range
			(1)	IIS million)		in %
A.	Items measured at fair value on a recurrent basis					
	Assets					
	Assets in respect of derivative instruments:					
	Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI	Discounted cash flow	CPI linked interest	23	0.12	(0.04)-0.31
	Interest rate contract: other	Discounted cash flow	Counter-party credit risk	10	1.90	1.30-5.01
	Foreign currency contracts	Discounted cash flow	1. CPI-linked interest	52	(0.58)	(0.98)-0.59
			2. Counter-party credit risk	163	1.48	1.05-5.01
	Liabilities		-			
	Liabilities in respect of derivative instruments:					
	Interest rate contract: NIS-CPI	Discounted cash flow	CPI-linked interest	3	(0.35)	(0.40)-(0.79)
	Foreign currency contracts	Discounted cash flow	CPI-linked interest	39	(0.50)	(0.17)-(0.75)
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В.	Items measured at fair value on a non-recurrent basis					
	Impaired credit the collection of which is contingent on collateral	Collaterals value		65		

Qualitative information in respect of items measured at fair value included in level 3

- Interest linked to the CPI- a change in the forecasted inflation rate will affect the fair value of CPI transaction, so an Increase (decrease) in the forecasted inflation rate will lead to an increase (decrease) in the fair value in accordance to the Bank's CPI position.
- Counter-party credit risk- a change in the credit risk of the counter-party to the transaction, so when the credit risk of the counter-party will be high/low, the value of the transaction will be high/low.

NOTE 15 -EVENTS AFTER BALANCE-SHEET DATE

In continouance to the reported in Note 8 to the annual financial statements for 2016, after the settelement of the disagreement between the Bank and the Tax Authority, the Bank has received durong the month of July 2017 final tax assessments for the years 2011-2013.

Due to that the Bank is expected to record an income from taxes in respect of previous years in the amount of NIS 32 million.

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DISCLOSURE OF THE INTERNAL AUDITOR

Details regarding the Internal Auditor of the Bank (which also serves as the Internal Auditor in the Banking subsidiaries in the Bank's group), including the working plan of the internal auditor department, conduct of the audit and the internal audit reports, were published in the annual financial statements for 2016.

The report of the internal audit for the year 2016 was discussed in the audit committee of the Bank on April 4, 2017.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETINGS AND COMMITTEES

During January-June 2017, the Bank's Board of Directors held 11 meetings in plenary session and 30 meetings of its various Board Committees.

APPOINTMENTS

On June 4, 2017 Mr. Ron Grisaro was appointed as the CEO of MATAF and in charge of the onformation technology in the Bank.

TRANSACTIONS WITH INTERESTED PARTIES

Reports on transactions with controlling shareholders

From time to time the Bank concludes or is likely to conclude transactions in the normal course of business with controlling shareholders or their relatives or with corporations in which controlling shareholders at the Bank are likely to be regarded as having a personal interest (hereinafter: "controlling shareholders").

Under the Amendment to the Securities Regulations (Periodic and Immediate Reports), 1970, of 2008 (hereinafter: "the Securities Regulations"), a reporting corporation must publish an immediate report on details of a transaction with a controlling shareholder or in which a controlling shareholder has a personal interest in its approval, including the main elements of the transaction or the contractual engagement, details of the competent organ that approved the transaction and a summary of its reasons for doing so, except in connection with transactions of a type which in the most recent financial reports were determined as negligible as implied by the term in Regulation 41(a)(6)(a) of the Securities Regulations (Annual financial statements), 2010. A similar instruction is applicable on reporting such transaction in the periodic report.

Since the Supervisor's directives concerning the compilation of annual financial reports apply to the banks, and not the said regulations, the Association of Banks approached the Securities Authority regarding the matter of applying the directive concerning a "negligible transaction" with respect to the banks and the disclosure format. As agreed between the Association of Banks and the Securities Authority, the banks received an exemption from immediate reporting with respect to banking transactions that are not exceptional, providing that the banks have determined criteria for exceptional and negligible transactions.

As a result of this approach to the Securities Authority and the meetings that were subsequently held as a result, the Authority instructed the Bank to provide disclosure in the Bank's prospectus and thereafter in the annual reports, in the format detailed below:

- Regarding banking transactions with controlling shareholders that are not exceptional transactions, the Bank will report within the framework of the prospectus and periodic reporting on balances of credit and balances of deposits, in accordance with the format appearing in the table at the end of this section.
- In the credit table, the disclosure will be split between the controlling shareholder's credit balance and the credit balance of the controlling shareholder's relatives (on a cumulative basis). Credit to any reporting corporation connected with the controlling shareholder will be reported at the level of the reporting corporation in the consolidated report.

In view of the aforementioned, the Bank's Audit Committee determined criteria regarding the nature of the said transactions as exceptional or as unexceptional or as negligible, in connection with transactions with controlling shareholders or in which controlling shareholders have a personal interest.

The criteria will also be applied to transactions conducted in the ordinary course of business by companies that are controlled by the Bank, such as banking corporations that are controlled by the Bank.

It should be noted that the criteria are likely to be examined from time to time by the Audit Committee inter alia as the result of changes in the Bank's policy and business activities and in market conditions, and that the Audit Committee is likely to change them from time to time and/or add to them additional types of transactions and/or various criteria.

According to additional amendment of the securities regulation from 2015 (applicable from January 2016) the duty to publish an immediate report on such transaction was abolished and the requirement to report these transaction on the periodocal report remained.

Accordingly and with respect to banking transactions, the Bank published the report detailed at the end of this section.

In the matter of a non-banking transaction, the Bank has specified that a "negligible transaction" is a transaction that is conducted in the ordinary course of business at market conditions, which conforms to the criteria detailed below:

A one-time transaction for the purchase of services or products from a controlling shareholder, or a transaction as stated in which a controlling shareholder has a personal interest and whose amount does not exceed a minimum amount (as defined below) or a continuing transaction as stated (a number of essentially identical transactions with the same company) whose cumulative amount in the course of the calendar year does not exceed 0.75% of total operating and other expenses as reported in the most recent financial statements of the Bank. It is clarified that the aforementioned are not to be applied to a contractual engagement with a controlling shareholder or his relative regarding the terms of his service and employment. In this respect, the definition of the term "minimum amount" will be as defined in Proper Conduct of Banking Business Regulation 312 "Transactions of banking corporation with related persons".

Transactions involving the rental of premises from a controlling shareholder or transactions as said in which a controlling shareholder has a personal interest, which were approved in a single calendar year, providing that the overall amount of the transactions does not exceed the minimum amount.

Transactions involving the rental of property to a controlling shareholder or transactions as said in which a controlling shareholder has a personal interest, which were approved in a single calendar year, providing that the overall amount of the transactions does not exceed the minimum amount.

Any other transaction the amount of which does not exceed the minimum amount, or the total amount of transactions of its type for the calendar year which do not exceed the minimum amount.

In the matter of a banking transaction, the Bank has specified that a "negligible transaction" is a transaction that is conducted in the normal course of business at market conditions, which conforms to the criteria detailed below:

- 1. A transaction for which or as a result of which the indebtness amount does not exceed the minimum amount (as defined above).
- 2. Any other transaction for which its amount does not exceed the minimum amount.

An immediate report inasmuch as required under the Securities Regulations will be issued in respect of transactions as said that are not banking transactions and that are not negligible transactions.

In addition to the aforementioned, with respect to an indebtedness transaction to which Proper Conduct of Banking Business Regulation 312 does not apply, if the Bank is informed of the said transaction, the Bank undertakes to submit any such transaction for approval in accordance with Proper Conduct of Banking Business Regulation 312, and to provide disclosure on it in the Bank's annual report. The definitions "negligible transaction" and "exceptional transaction" with respect to these transactions will be the same as the above-mentioned definitions specified by the Bank with respect to the Securities Regulations.

b. Determination of criteria for the purpose of the Bank's transactions with interested parties

Under Paragraph 117 (1a) of the Companies Law, 1999 (hereinafter: "the Companies Law") which was amended as part of Amendment No. 16 to the Companies Law, the Audit Committee was charged with responsibility for deciding on the causative basis for the specification of the Bank's transactions with office-holders in it or for transactions in which office-holders have a personal interest and the Bank's transactions with controlling owners or transactions in which a controlling owner has a personal interest, whether these are exceptional or non-exceptional transactions. Paragraph 117 (1a) also stipulates that the Audit Committee may decide as said regarding a type of operation or transaction, on the basis of standards which it will determine once a year in advance.

Accordingly the Audit Committee of the Bank specified standards, and stipulated that once a year a discussion will be held for the purpose of determining or re-approving the standards.

The standards were determined on the basis of quantitative criteria, and it was stipulated that a transaction that is not exceptional is a transaction executed during the normal course of business at the Bank and at market terms. The audit committee determined standards regarding examination of market terms.

The said criteria will also apply to transactions during the normal course of business which are conducted by companies controlled by the Bank, such as banking corporations controlled by the Bank. The said criteria will not apply in connection with the Bank's transactions with corporations under its control. In addition, it is clarified that the criteria do not concern approval of terms of employment and service at the Bank.

It should be noted that the criteria are likely to be examined from time to time by the Audit Committee inter alia in view of changes in the Bank's policy and business activity or in market conditions, and that the Audit Committee is likely to change from time to time and/or add to the criteria additional types of transaction and/or criteria.

On January 2014, Paragraphs 117(1b) and 117(2a) of the Companies Law went into effect within the framework of an indirect amendment to the Companies Law, which was included in the Law for Increasing Competition and Reducing Concentration, 2013. Pursuant to the said paragraphs, the Audit Committee is required to stipulate a requirement to fulfill a competitive process with respect to transactions with controlling owners or in which a controlling owner has an interest, even if these are not extraordinary transactions, under the supervision of the committee or the person deciding in this matter and in accordance with standards that will be prescribed, or to stipulate that other process determined by the Audit Committee are to fulfilled before engagement in the said transactions, all this in accordance with the type of transaction, and is entitled to specify standards once a year in advance. In addition, pursuant to the said paragraphs, the Audit Committee is required to determine the manner in which non-negligible transactions are to be approved, and including in this respect to determine types of transactions as said which will require the Audit Committee's approval.

The Audit Committee approved standards concerning the obligation to perform competitive process according to paragraph 117(1b) to the Companies Act (they will be submitted for approval at least once a year) and the manner of approval of non-negligible transactions in accordance with paragraph 117(2a) to the Companies Act.

- c. Transactions approved in accordance with Paragraph 270(4) and/or 267A of the Companies Law (including framework transactions still valid at the report date and transactions approved in accordance with the Companies Regulations (Relief regading Transactions with Interested Parties), 2000 (hereinafter: "the Relaxation Regulations"):
- 1. Following approvals of the Audit Committee, the Compensation Committee and the Board of Directors, the general meeting of shareholders of the Bank approved on June 29, 2014, the following resolutions concerning insurance for directors and officers:
 - Renewal of "directors and officers" insurance policy for a period of eighteen months beginning on July 1, 2014 ("the insurance period") issued by Clal Insurance Co. Ltd. for the Bank and for the Bank Group, including subsidiaries of the Bank and the controlling owner, FIBI Holdings Ltd. (hereinafter "Group companies"), which will apply to officers serving at the Bank and at Group companies from time to time, including the President and CEO, as well as officers who have a controlling interest in the Bank and/or their next of kin and/or persons the inclusion of whom in the insurance policy, might be the interest of holders of a controlling interest.
 - Prior approval, for the purchase by the Bank of an insurance policy, as stated above, covering the Bank and Group companies for a period of five years following the termination of the insurance period, including by way of extension of the original policies and/or by way of the purchase of new policies, which will apply with respect to officers who may serve at the Bank and at Group companies from time to time, including the President and CEO, as well as officers who have a controlling interest in the Bank and/or their next of kin and/or persons the inclusion of whom in the insurance policy, might be the interest of holders of a controlling interest.
 - The said resolution comprises also a resolution for the approval of a framework transaction, as defined in item 1(3) of the Relief Regulations, as well as a resolution under Section 267A of the Companies Act, as part of the compensation policy of the Bank (as long as this policy remains in effect), as stated in item 1B(1) of the Relief Regulations.
 - Approval of the manner in which the said insurance fees are to be allocated among FIBI Holdings Ltd., the Bank and Group's companies which elect to join the insurance policy as from July 1, 2014 and for the period of five years. The above mentioned decision is a decision for the approval of framework transaction as determined in regulation 1(3) to the relief regulation.

The terms for the renewal of the policy following the termination of the insurance period within the framework transaction, the compensation policy and the manner of allocation of the insurance fees between FIBI Holdings Ltd., the Bank and the Bank's subsidiaries, are described in an immediate report of the Bank dated May 22, 2014 (Ref. No. 071067-01-2014). In addition, on February 23, 2017 the general meeting of the Bank approved a new compensation policy to office holders of

the Bank in accordance to section 267A of the companies law which include principles of insurance settlement for directors and office holders according to regulation 1B1 of the relief regulations, which its details are detailed in section 8 to apendix A of the immediate report of the Bank (reference no. 2017-01-006415) presented here by way of reference.

According to the above, on June 13, 2017 the Bank's Board of Directors passed a resolution, after obtaining the approval of the Audit Committee and the Remuneration Committee dated May 9, 2017 and June 6, 2017, respectively, and in accordance to regulations 1(3), 1a1, 1b(5) and 1b1 to the relief regulations, to approve the renewal of the policy for an 18 months period starting July 1, 2017 till December 31, 2018 ("The current insurance period") through Menora-Mivtachim Insurance Ltd. for the companies in the group, as defined above. The policy include the President and CEO, as well as officers who have a controlling interest in the Bank and/or their next of kin and/or persons the inclusion of whom in the insurance policy, might be the interest of holders of a controlling interest. The terms of the policy for the current insurance period are detailed in the immediate report of the Bank dated June 14, 2017 (reference no. 2017-01-049999) and the contents of this report are presented here by way of reference.

- 2. On October 30, 2014, after obtaining the authorizations from the Compensation Committee and the Board of Directors of the Bank, the general meeting of shareholders approved the continued employment of Mrs. Yehudit Dagan, who is "a relative of a controlling shareholder" in the Bank, as a clerk in the Banking Operations Division at MATAF Computing and Financial Operation Ltd. (hereinafter: "MATAF"), a wholly owned and wholly controlled subsidiary of the Bank, for a period of up to three additional years beginning on November 15, 2014 (date of expiry of three years since date of the general meeting's approval in 2011 of her continued employment) or until her retirement, whichever is earlier, at the existing terms of Mrs. Dagan's employment which are based on collective labor agreements. Also approved were certain potential changes in the terms of her employment, as is accepted and reasonable in the employment of an employee at the Bank and at MATAF of Mrs. Dagan's seniority and grade, all this as specified in the approval of her employment.
- 3. On September 23, 2014, after receipt of the approval of the Compensation Committee and in accordance with Regulation 1b. of the Companies Regulations (Reliefs in Transactions with Interested Parties), 2000, the Board of Directors of the Bank reapproved the continued payment of remuneration to directors from among the controlling shareholders of the Bank on the basis of the remuneration which was approved for all the directors (excluding the Chairman of the Board of Directors) at the general meeting of the Bank's shareholders of September 14, 2008. The amounts of remuneration approved are in accordance with the policy for the compensation for officers of the Bank, the details of which as regards directors' remuneration are specified in section 7 to the immediate report of January 5, 2014, and to the corrective report of that date (reference nos. 003511-01-2014 and 004648-01-2014, respectively), the contents thereof is presented herewith by way of reference. The approved amount of remuneration and the reasons for its approval are stated in an immediate report of the Bank dated September 23, 2014 (reference no. 163920-01-2014), the contents of which is presented herewith by way of reference. On February 23, 2017 the general meeting of the Bank approved a new compensation policy to office holders of the Bank which its details as for remuneration of directors (except the Chairperson of the Board) are with no change compared with the former compensation policy, which its details are detailed in section 7 to apendix A of the immediate report of the Bank (reference no. 2017-01-006415) presented here by way of reference.
- 4. The provision of indemnification obligations to directors and office-holders at the Bank (including directors from among the controlling shareholders in the Bank) and its revision in 2011, and the provision of indemnification obligation to directors among the controlling shareholders was reapproved by the general meeting of shareholders on October 30, 2014, as detailed in Note 25.c to the financial statements for 2016.

d. Additional information on transactions with interested parties

- 1. The Group, including FIBI Holdings, jointly purchases various insurance policies, including liability insurance for directors and officers (including directors who are controlling owners and their relatives).
- 2. In addition, the Bank and its subsidiaries conduct transactions with interested parties in the Bank from time to time in the ordinary course of business and at market terms.

3. Set out below is a collation of data concerning banking transactions that were conducted by the Bank and companies under its control with the controlling owners at the Bank (including their relatives and companies in which controlling owners at the Bank are interested parties), including data concerning transactions conforming to the criteria that were determined with respect to negligible transactions (NIS thousand):

Indebtedness	Credit	Investment in bonds	Fair value of derivatives	Total balance- sheet monetary indebtedness	Unutilized credit balance	Guarantees granted by Bank for securing credit to a controlling owner or to a party related thereto	Guarantees granted to Bank by controlling owner in favor of third party	Indebtedness of controlling owner in respect of transactions in derivatives	Total
				·		·	·		NIS thousand
June 30, 2017									
Others ⁽²⁾	89	-	-	89	217	-	-	-	306
Total	89		-	89	217				306
December 31, 2016									
Paz group ⁽¹⁾	47,582	-	-	47,582	2,648	174	-	_	50,404
Others ⁽²⁾	42	-	-	42	162	-	90	-	294
Total	47,624	-	-	47,624	2,810	174	90		50,698

Deposits		June 30, 2017	June 30, 2016		
	Balance on balance-sheet date	Highest balance during period ⁽³⁾	Balance on balance-sheet date	Highest balance during period ⁽³⁾	
		NIS thousand		NIS thousand	
Paz group ⁽¹⁾	-	-	5,449	21,635	
Others ⁽²⁾	6,686	7,359	2,104	3,487	
Total	6,686	7,359	7,553	25,127	

⁽¹⁾ Paz Oil Co. Ltd. and its subsidiaries and affiliated companies. Controlling shareholders of the Bank held more than 5% of controlling means in Paz until March 31, 2017.

⁽²⁾ Relatives of controlling shareholders of the Bank. As the term relative is defined in the Banking Law (licensing)-1981.

⁽³⁾ On the basis of balances at the end of each day.

DETAILS OF THE OWNERS OF CONTROL IN THE BANK

FIBI Holdings Ltd. owns 48.34% of the issued share capital and voting rights in the Bank (a rate comprising the control core in accordance with the control permit granted by Bank of Israel). The controlling shareholders of FIBI are Mr. Zadik Bino and his children, Nessrs. Gil Bino, Hadar Bino-Shmueli and Daphna Bino-Or (hereinafter – "the Bino Family), Messrs. Michael and Helen Abeles and Messrs. Barry Lieberman, Casey Lieberman-Harris, Lee Lieberman and Joshua Lieberman (each of the said groups through corporations under their full control: Binohon Ltd., Instanz No. 2 Ltd. and Dolphin Energies Ltd.). The controlling shareholders are party to various arrangements concerning their holdings in FIBI, and indirectly, at the Bank, as detailed in the Chapter "Details regarding the stakeholders in the Bank" in the financial report for 2016.

In accordance with FIBI's reports as of date of this financial report, the holdings of the controlling stakeholders in FIBI (in equity and voting) are as follows: Binohon – 38.29%, Instanz No. 2 Ltd. – 15.66% and Dolphin Energies Ltd – 11.68%.

It is noted that in accordance with the provisions of the Promotion of Competition and Reduction in Centralization Act, 2013, and the list of centralized factors in the market that was published by the Committee for the Reduction in Centralization, the Bank has been defined as a significant financial institution and PAZ Oil Company Ltd. ("PAZ") has been defined as a significant non-financial corporation. In view of the above, and in accordance with the existing situation until March 31, 2017, at the end of a transitional period of six years from date of publication of the Centralization Act, the controlling shareholders of the Bank would not be pernmitted to control both the Bank and PAZ at the same time or control the Bank and hold more than 5% of controlling means in Paz.

According to the publication of Paz, following the sale of shares from time to time by the controlling shareholders of Paz, as from March 31, 2017 Bino Holdings Ltd., Dolphine Energies Ltd and Instanz Holdings Ltd. ceased to be interested parties in Paz. In these circumstances, there is no prevention as from the Concentration Act for the controlling holders to continue and control the Bank.

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LABOR RELATIONS AT THE BANK

Two labor organizations exist at the Bank: the union of managers and signatories numbering approximately 800 employees and the clerks union numbring approximately 1,900 employees. Collective labor agreement are in effect at the Bank, which link to a certain extent, the employment terms of the clerks and managers to those agreed upon by the Management of Bank Leumi Le'Israel Limited (hereinafter – "Bank Leumi") and the unions of its employees.

- A. The managers and signatories of the Bank filed on September 28, 2016, a party motion regarding the dispute concerning the collective employment agreement. It is argued in the motion that under the linkage to Bank Leumi employment terms agreement, the managers and signatories are entitled to an award equal to one month's salary per person, following such a payment made by Bank Leumi to its employees on June 2, 2016.

 The Bank submmitted a response to the party motion and the hearing of the party motion took place in Labor Tribunal on February 19, 2017. In the hearing it was concluded on submmitting written conclusions, after which a verdict will be given.
 - Due to the suming up of the managers and signatories, the Bank requested the delete of new facts appearing in them, and the Tribunal decided that the parties will submit additional evidences relating to the facts. The hearing was set to October 30, 2017.

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- B. The clercks of the Bank also filed on November 17, 2016, a party motion regarding the dispute concerning the collective employment agreement. It is argued in the motion that under the linkage to Bank Leumi employment terms agreement, the clercks are entitled to an award equal to one month's salary per person, following such a payment made by Bank Leumi to its employees on June 2, 2016.
 - The Bank submmited a response to the party motion and the hearing of the party motion took place in labor court on February 23, 2017. In the hearing, the clercks asked and were granted permission to submmit evidence as to the essence of the award paid by Bank Leumi, and have also submitted a supplementary response brief in the matter. The Bank has submited a response brief and hearing of evidence took place on June 15, 2017. A timetable was set for submiting the suming up, in which the latest will be submited om November 15, 2017.
- C. On March 23, 2017, the Regional Labor Tribunal in Tel Aviv admitted the claim of the clerks in the party motion served by them regarding the collective dispute, stating that they are entitled to the conversion of unutilized sick leave days to vacation days for actual utilization upon retirement on grounds of age, following an agreement made at Bank Leumi in January 2015. The Bank appealed the above decision. The hearing of the appeal is not yet fixed.
- D. The managers and signatories submitted on March 14, 2017, a party motion in the collective dispute, in which they request temporary and permanent relief against the continuing efficiency measures at the Bank, while requesting the Tribunal to instruct the Bank to enter into negotiations with them towards the signing of a collective agreement as regards everything relating to the implications of the efficiency measures on the managers and signatories. The parties exchanged claimes briefs. The hearing of the motion was held by the Tribunal on May 16, 2017 and the parties negotiated. The negotiations did not lead to an agreement. The hearing was fixed to August 10, 2017.
- E. A notice from the New Federation of Labor (hereinafter "the Federation") was received on March 8, 2017, according to which, over one third of the employees of MATAF Computer and Financial Operations Ltd. (hereinafter "MATAF") had joined the Federation, and that as from that date, the Federation serves as the representative organization for MATAF employees. Management of MATAF has begun negotiations with the employees for the signing of an initial labor agreement, after informing the Federation of Labor of its agreement to do so. On July 13, 2017 the Federation passed a draft of the sections of the future collective agreement. MATAF passed its remarks on the draft to the Federation.

LIMITATIONS REGARDING LEGISLATION, STANDARDS AND SPECIAL CONSTRAINTS AFFECTING THE BANK GROUP

Set out below are brief details of legislative changes and legislative initiatives relevant to the period of the report, which have an effect on or are likely to have a material effect on the Bank's activity.

BANKING

Amendment to the Banking Rules (Customer service) (Commission fees), 2008

On April 3, 2017, Bank of Israel distributed to members of the Forum of bank- customer a final draft amendment of the Banking Rules (Customer service) (Commission fees) (Amendment), 2008, as was passed to the Justice Department with explanations. The draft states, among other things, that fees charged in respect of services provided online, would be lower than those charged for the same service provided by a bank employee.

This Amendment is expected to increase competition between banks in providing online services, which, on the one hand may lead to an increase in the volume of activity, and on the other hand to a possible erosion in fees. At this stage it is not possible to quantify the effect of the change on the Bank's Group.

ONLINE BANKING

Proper Conduct of Banking Business Directive No. 367 regarding online banking

The Directive was published on July 21, 2016, with a view of encouraging the development of digital banking, thus increasing competition in the banking segment. The Directive removes existing obstractions and allows expansion of the scope of banking services provided by technological means, as well as providing means for the remote conduct of various banking operations. At the same time, the Directive imposes on banking corporations increased responsibility for the management of the singular risks inherent in such operations, among which are data protection and cyber risks as well as risk of damage to privacy. The Directive also requires the reinforement of the risk management framework and its adaptation to the environment of advanced technological operations, including the addition of controls, the monitoring of irregular operations, delivery of warning notices to customers and guidance provided to customers.

The Directive constitutes a reform in banking rules and is expected to lead to far reaching changes in a variety of banking services and their scope, that would be provided online to customers, this according to the technological developments in the fintech field and intenational trends. A special department for holistic treatment in the area of inovation and digital. At this stage, it is not possible to quantify the effect of the Directive on the Bank Group.

CREDIT AND COLLATERAL

The Bills discussed below offer a significant reform in collateral and insolvency laws, and includes, inter alia, possible impairment in the rights of secured creditors and in the ability to collect debts.

The Insolvency and Economic Recovery Bill, 2016

The Bill passed its first reading on March 9, 2016. It includes a comprehensive reform of insolvency legislation, while determining one legislative framework that includes the two classes of debtors – corporations and individuals, as well as reference to the unique aspects relating to each. Among other things, the Bill includes the following new premises:

The definition of insolvency would be based on the cash flow test, this, instead of the assets test in practice today;

A future creditor would not be entitled to request the opening of insolvency proceedings, otherwise than in the case where the debtor is acting with intention of deceiving his credirors;

As regards corporations, the District Court shall decide on the appropriate manner for dealing with insolvency of a corporation – economic recovery proceedings or liquidation proceedings;

As regards individuals, proceedings shall be conducted before a Magistrate Court or before administrative authorities, depending on the scope of debts of the debtor. During an examination period, the economic condition and conduct of the debtor will be examined and a stay of proceedings will apply. At the end of the examination period, a recovery plan would be formed for the debtor, whereupon the conclusion thereof, the individual would be exempted from his debts. Where the individual has no ability to repay his debts, he would be immediately exempted;

The majority of preferential debts would be cancelled;

A creditor secured by a floating pledge, would be entitled to an amount of up to 75% of the value of the assets subject to the floating pledge, unless the floating pledge had been registered prior to the publication of the Act, subject to terms detailed in the Bill; A secured creditor would be entitled to receive interest in arrears on the secured debt, payable out of the proceeds of realization of the pledged assets, only after the debts of the ordinary creditors have been repaid in full.

The Pledge Bill, 2015

On July 17, 2015, the Knesset passed, in first reading, the Pledge Bill.

The Bill proposes to establish a comprehensive reform of the pledge laws and to replace the provisions of the existing Pledge Act and of the Companies Ordinance in this matter.

Among the central changes of the Bill are: the right of an individual to pledge an asset not yet in his possession or even an asset that has not yet come into existence; revocation of the concept of a "floating pledge" – the borrower company would be able to create a fixed pledge upon its future assets, and the status of such pledge would not be automatically inferior to specific pledges; cancellation of the possibility of a creditor to limit the power of the debtor to effect transactions regarding the pledged asset, and more.

COMPETITION

Increase in Competition and Reduction in Concentration in the Banking Market in Israel Act (Legislation amendments), 2017.

Following the recommendations of the committee for the increase in competition regarding prevalent banking and financial services, headed by Adv. Dror Strom ("the Committee"), the Increase in Competition and Reduction in Concentration in the Banking Market in Israel Act, 2017 ("the Act") was published on January 31, 2017, the principal provisions thereof are detailed below.

Further steps are being taken by Bank of Israel for the implementation of the recommendations of the Committee, among which are increasing the number of participants in the retail credit market, removal of obstructions for the establishment of new banks in Israel, including mitigation for credit card companies and opening the payment layout to competition.

Among the main items of the Act are: a bank having a wide scope of operations, the value of its assets, as stated in its most recent financial statements prepared on a consolidated basis ("balance sheet assets") exceeds 20% of the said assets of all banks in Israel ("a bank having a large volume of activity") shall not engage in the issue of debit cards and in the clearing of transactions made by debit cards, shall not control and shall not hold means of control in a corporation engaged in the issue and clearing as stated above (a bank shall be entitled to operate the issue of debit cards through another entity or to engage with a clearing agents). The said restrictions on a bank having a large volume of activity (if it controlled or held means of control immediately prior to the date of publication of the Act) would apply three years from date of publication of the Act, and under certain conditions – four years from date of publication of the Act.

It is further stated that as from the end of four years from date of publication of the Act and until six years from that date, The Minister of Finance will have the authority to determine that the said restrictions would apply also to a banking corporation which is not a bank having a large volume of activity, provided that the value of its balance sheet assets would be no less than 10% of the total balance sheet assets of all banks in Israel.

As of date of publication of this report, the value of the balance sheet assets of the Bank is less than 10% of total balance sheet assets of all banks in Israel.

In addition, a transitional period of five years since date of publication of the Act has been determined, and in respect of a bank having a large volume of activity – three years from date of separation of ownership ("the transitional period"), within the

framework of which restrictions would be imposed on banks that issue debit cards and prior to date of publication of the Act controlled or held means of control in a debit card company (including the Bank). It is, inter alia, stated that as from the end of one year from date of publication of the Act and until the end of the transitional period, banks, as stated, are required to perform the debit card issue operation through at least one debit card company, and with respect to a bank having a large volume of activity and to any other bank not engaged in issueance operations (including the Bank), by means of at least two companies, provided that at least one of which is not controlled by that bank and it does not hold means of control in that company. It is further stated that as from the end of two years from date of publication of the Act and until the end of the transitional period, a bank, as stated, shall not perform through one debit card company the operation and issue of over 52% of the total number of new debit cards which it issues to its customers. The Minister of Finance, with the consent of the Governor and with the approval of the Economic Committee of the Knesset, may, at any time, change during the transitional period, by an Order issued to all banks or to a certain class thereof, the rate stated in this Section, if he finds the matter justified in order to enhance competition in the credit market. Additional restrictions apply during the transitional period to a bank having a large volume of activity in respect of the division of income between such bank and the credit card company, of the reduction in credit facilities and of setting limits to the date on which it is entitled to approach its customers regarding an offer for the issue/renewal of a card.

During the transitional period, credit cards companies are entitled to make use of the name of the customer and the details of engagment with him, if legally obtained while performing the issue of a debit card, for the purpose of approaching the customer offering him a debit card or the granting of credit, this even without obtaining the consent of the customer (so long as the customer has not requested that use would not be made of the said information).

The Act includes further instructions, the aim of which is to increase competition as well as the negotiating ability of customers, imposing a duty on a bank to issue credit cards of issuers engaged with that bank in an issue agreement and presentation of data to the customer, at his request, also regarding transactions made by credit card that had not been issued by the bank and payments therefore were made by charging the account of the customer with that bank, prohibiting the changing to the worse of engagement terms and prohibiting the prevention of competition and access to information of financial bodies. It is further stated that a financial body shall enable the customer or a provider of a cost comparison service (acting on behalf of the customer) to view online financial information relating to the customer and make use of such information for the purpose of providing services stated in the Act.

The Act further prohibits the unreasonable refusal of a request by the customer for the registration of an additional subordinate pledge on an asset, in favor of another creditor, as well as for the realization of such a pledge. A draft amendment of Proper Conduct of Banking business Directive No. 311 in the matter of "the management of credit risk", published on July 3, 2017, requires a banking corporation to take into consideration in its credit collateral policy, both the implications resulting from the right of the debtor to create an additional subordinate pledge on the pledged asset, and in particular, the implications of such a pledge being realized by the other creditor.

The Act further prohibits the holding of over 10% of a certain class of means of control in Automatic Bank Services Ltd., which operates an interface between issuers and clearing agents for the approval of debit card transactions, and a transitional period in this respect has been determined in respect of existing stakeholders.

The Act instructs the establishment of a technological infrastructure providing computer services. If at the end of eighteen months since the effective date of the Act, the Minister of Finance finds that no adequate alternative technologies are available and that the matter is essential for the increase in competition, then he could require a bank, whose share in balance sheet assets exceeds 10%, to sell and operate computer services or lease out properties used for this purpose, under terms determined in the Act.

The measures involved in this legislation are expected to increase the level of competition in the banking sector in Israel, whether by way of inteasing the negotiating power of the consumer, or by way of encouraging the entry of new participants. This result creates on the one hand a competitive threat to the First International Bank Group, though, on the other hand, contains opportunities, in particular for the Bank, which does not have a large volume of activity. The Bank plans to utilize to the fullest the business opportunities inherent in the enhanced competition in this field.

Regulation of Off-banking Loans Bill (Amendment No. 3), 2015

On July 18, 2017, the Constitution, Law and Justice Committee of the Knesset passed the Bill for a second and third reading.

The Bill had been submitted on background of the recommendations of the team examining the increase of competition in the banking sector, with the aim of equalizing the norms applying to non-institutional lenders to those applying to institutional lenders, including banks. According to the proposed Amendment, maximum rates of interest would apply to credit and credit in arrears, and in addition, all the provisions of the Regulation of Off-banking Loans Bill, including instructions relating to the granting and collection of credit, shall also apply to the institutional bodies including the banks. At the present stage, the Bill is intended to apply to individual borrowers only, though the Minister of Finance has the authority to expand its application also to corporations of a class to be determined. The Amendment is to take effect at the end of fifteen months from date of publication thereof.

THE CAPITAL MARKET

A. Provident funds

The Ministry of Finance published on December 19, 2016, a draft of the Supervision over Financial Services Regulations (Provident funds) (Purchase, sale and holding of securities) (Amendment), 2016, which amends prior drafts in the same matter. The draft amendment states that an institutional investor being a member of a group of investors, where one of them has an agreement with a corporation for the provision of management or operating services ("the Operator"), may purchase of sell securities by means of the Operator, or by means of a related party thereof, provided that the rate of the purchase or sale commission shall not exceed 20% of the total purchase or sale commissions paid by the institutional investor during the year. Furthermore, conditions were stated, under which an institutional investor may purchase or sell securities by means of parties related to the institutional investor. The Draft amendment also adds a requirement for a competitive process, at least once in every three years, with respect to the holding of securities and states that an institutional investor who had engaged in a direct agreement with a global custodian (excluding a bank, a mortgage bank or a foreign bank holding a license from Bank of Israel) for the holding of securities, shall be exempted from the duty to hold a competitive process for obtaining holding services. It is impossible at this stage to estimate the effect of the regulation on the Bank's income from this segment.

B. Securities Law (Amendment No. 63), 2017

The Securities Act (Amendment 63), 2017, ("the Amendment") was published On April 6, 2017. The Amendment took effect on July 6, 2017, except for specific issues for which other effective dates has been set. The aim of the amendment is to regulate a change in the ownership structure of the Stock Exchange and the clearing houses, while severing the link between the ownership of the Stock Exchange and of the clearing houses and the membership therein, turning them into profit-earning companies. Following the structural change, access to trading and/or clearing would no longer be dependent on ownership rights in the Stock Exchange and/or the clearing houses, but would be based upon a contractual engagement between the Stock Exchange and/or the clearing houses and the potential members.

Following are the principal provisions of the amendment:

The amendment regulates the licensing, holding and manner of management of the Stock Exchange and/or the clearing houses following the change.

The amendment states that a Stock Exchange member or a banking corporation shall not be permitted to obtain a holding permit of over 5% or a control permit in the Stock Exchange and in the clearing houses following the change in the structure of ownership.

Moreover, the amendment proposes that the proceeds from the sale of the means of control by existing Stock Exchange members, which are in excess of their proportionate part in the equity of the Stock Exchange, in accordance with its financial statements for 2015, shall be paid over to the Stock Exchange and used exclusively for the reduction in commission fees and for investment in technological infrastructure. In accordance with the amendment, within four months from the date of publication of the Act, the Stock Exchange shall submit a request for the approval of the arrangement program. In the event that the Stock

Exchange shall not submit to the Court such a request within the stated period, or if such a request is not approved within two months from date of submission, the Securities Authority will be entitled to take measures for the approval by the Court of the arrangement for the allocation of rights, taking into consideration the recommendations of an expert appointed by it and resolutions taken within the framework of the arrangement program.

Upon termination of the period of five years since date of approval of the arrangement program by the Court, or until the date of issue to the public of shares in the Stock Exchange and their listing for trade, if at all, whichever is earlier, the present members of the Stock Exchange shall not be permitted to hold means of control in the Stock Exchange at a rate exceeding 5%. During this period, they shall not purchase means of control that exceed the rate permitted by the Act, as well as any rights attached to such holdings.

In addition, the amendment contains special corporate governance principles in accordance with the holdings of Stock Exchange members in the Stock Exchange. Likewise, reporting duties to the Finance Committee were determined with respect to different issues.

On July 18, 2017, the Court approved the Stock Exchange request of the convening of General Meetings for the purpose of approval of an arrangement plan within the framework of proceedings in terms of Section 350 of the Companies Act, for the implementation of the change in structure of the Stock Exchabge and the turning of it into a profit earning corporation, having only one class of share capital. According to the arrangement plan, shares in the Stock Exchange would be allotted to the present members of the Stock Exchange, the share of the Bank Group (following allottment of shares to employees and officers of the Stock Exchange) amounting to 20.3%.

Following the approval of the Court, the Stock Exchange summoned a general meeting for August 10, 2017.

On May 11, 2017, Knesset members filed a petition with the High Court of Justice, requesting the abolishment the Amendment to the Act on grounds of it being unconstitutional and detrimental to basic constitutional rights, among which, public ownership rights. The motion was rejected by the Court on June 22, 2017.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE AND COMPANIES

Draft amendment of Proper Conduct of Banking Business Directive No. 301 - Board of Directors

On July 5, 2017, Bank of Israel published an amendment of Proper Conduct of Banking Business Directive No. 301. The aim of the amendment is to increase effectiveness of discussions by the Board of Directors and the modification of the structure of the Board to the activity of the Bank, thus assissting the Board to focus in a better fashion on strategic issues and central risks. Among the principal amendments are included the following amendments: a requirement has been added for a policy determining the period of office of the Chairman of the Board; additional terms have been added for the qualification of a Director; the maximum number of Directors has been reduced from fifteen to ten; the need for the ratification by the full Board of any resolution taken by a committee of the Board has been abolished, and matters which may not be delegated to a committee of the Board have been changed. The amendment took immediate effect, except for the change in the number of Directors and in the terms of qualification required of a Director, which would take effect on July 1, 2020.

CROSS BORDER ACTIVITY BY CUSTOMERS

The Income Tax Ordinance Amendment Act (No. 227), 2016

In order to be able to implement the bilateral agreement between the United States and Israel with respect to the implementation of FATCA ("the FATCA agreement") and agreements for the automatic exchange of information for tax purposes relating to financial accounts (CRS – Common Reporting Standard) to be signed by the competent authorities in Israel and the competent authorities in countries with which an agreement for the exchange of information had been signed, in the format determined by the OECD, the Income Tax Ordinance Amendment Act (No. 227), 2016 was published on July 14, 2016. The Act requires reporting Israeli financial institutions to collect and deliver information, as defined in the Act, everything as will be

determined by the Minister of Finance in regulations to be published in this respect. In terms of the Act, a monetary sanction may be imposed on reporting Israeli financial institutions in respect of unidentified details, or due to deficiencies in transmitting them, and this without derogating from the criminal responsibility of a person stemming from violation of an instruction, as stated, comprising an offence.

The Income Tax Regulations (Implementation of the FATCA Agreement), 2016

These Regulations, published on August 4, 2016, state the duties applying to financial institutions for the purpose of implementation of the FATCA Agreement, and regularize the various procedures that financial institutions have to apply in respect of a due diligence examination of financial accounts for the identification of the account holders and the classification thereof as accounts that should be reported under the agreement. The Regulations include also the duty of informing the customer regarding information provided to the Tax Authorities, the duty of reporting and withholding of tax imposed on financial institutions which are not participating in the implementation of the FATCA Agreement, and transitional instructions applying to the terms of recognition of an entity as a "public institution" by a reporting Israeli financial institution.

Circular letter of Bank of Israel regarding the management of risks associated with cross-border activity by customers

In accordance with the circular, published on March 16, 2015, in view of the growing risks involved in the activity regarding foreign residents, a banking corporation has to review and update its policy, procedures and controls with respect to operations of foreign residents. It is further stated in the circular that refusal to open a new account for a customer who does not cooperate with the banking corporation in the manner required for the implementation of the policy and procedures of that banking corporation with respect to the cross-border risks, and refusal to provide banking services with respect to an existing account, which expose the banking corporation to the risk of being considered a collaborator of the customer in evading the foreign legislation applying to the customer, shall be considered "reasonable refusal" in terms of the Banking Act (Customer service), 1981.

The Bank is aware of the risks involved in the operations of foreign residents and of the intensified regulation and enforcement exercised by the foreign tax authorities, including risks regarding possible tax evasion by customers subject to US tax laws ("American customers"). The Bank has a singular policy in this respect and employs measures for the facing of risks involved in the activity with foreign residents being part of the different procedures of the Bank, alongside the preparations for the implementation of the FATCA rules, as required.

Prohibition on money laundering and compliance with Israeli tax laws

Proper Conduct of Banking Business Directive No. 411 in the matter of the management of Money laundering and the finance of terror risks

The regulation, published on March 6, 2017, is intended to expand and re-edit Proper Conduct of Banking Business Directive No. 411 as a risk management Directive, as well as determine operational measures for the reduction of risk.

An additional Chapter was added within the framework of these amendments relating to the assessment of risk, which states that a bank has to perform an extensive risk assessment for the identification and analysis of money laundering and finance of terror risks, which would constitute the infrastructure for the implementation of a risk based approach, and , inter alia, wouls assist in the adequate allocation of resources for the reduction in identified risks.

Also added is a Chapter dealing with risk reduction, which states that the policy and procedures, the measures and controls for the reduction of risk, should be consistent with the risk assessment of the bank.

The amendment of the directive will take effect on January 1, 2018.

The amendment to the Directive, reqires a change in the methodological and mechanized preparations for money laundering risk, which the Bank has to implement.

LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

Note 9 to the financial statements includes details of material claims pending against the Bank and its subsidiary companies.

THE RATING OF THE BANK BY RATING AGENCIES

Set out below is the Bank's rating as determined by rating agencies in Israel and by an international rating agency:

- S&P Maalot rated the Bank ilAA+/Stable and its subordinated notes at ilAA and its subordinated notes with loss absorption mechanism iIA+.
- Midrug rated the Bank's internal finance resolution at Aa3.il/Stable, the Bank's short-term deposits P-1.il, its long-term deposits and senior debt Aa1.il/Stable and its subordinated notes Aa2.il/Stable.
 - On July 11, 2017, Midrug upgraded the rating forecast of the long-term deposits, the senior debt of the Bank and its subordinated notes from Stable to Positive.
- Moody's rates the Bank as follows: long and short-term foreign-currency and local currency deposits A3/Prime-2. The rating forecast is Stable.

EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION POLICY

In accordance with Proper Conduct of Banking Business Directive No. 301A regarding "compensation policy of a banking corporation" (hereinafter - "the Directive"), and following the end of three years from date of approval of the policy, the Bank approved in April 2017, an updated compensation policy to all Bank employees, including central employees, as well as principles for a collective compensation policy, and the compensation policy for officers, approved by the general meeting of shareholders of the Bank on February 23, 2017, which comprises a part thereof.

Within the framework of the employee compensation policy, the Bank updated the provisions regarding the compensation of employees and central employees, including in accordance with the amendments contained in the Directive, as from date of its initial publication. Also updated were the instructions regarding the division of responsibility among the different factors engaged in the compensation mechanism. Moreover, within the framework of the collective compensation policy, the Bank updated the principles regarding the fixed compensation and the variable compensation payable to officers of controlled corporations, taking into consideration the principles set in the compensation policy for officers of the Bank.

CONTRIBUTION TO THE COMMUNITY

"Believing in You" - the long running community project of the Bank, in operation already for ten years, in cooperation with MATAN- investing in the community. In its first years the project focused on young persons that were emmited from different frameworks with the aim of giving these young persons the oportunity to change their lives and leave a normative life within the Israeli society. Within the framework of the program the young persons were combined in business enterpenuers and different programs combining studies with work and grooming business enterpenuership by development of skills.

In continuance and in recent years the Bank approached additional populations, within the new project "believing in you", in order to expand the voluntiring activity among its employees, while creating social involvement with additional value such as "fathers and sons on the field" and cooperations with childrens at risk populations.

In 2017 the Bank continues these projects in the framework of "believing in you" with a focus on children and youth in risk situations concentrating on enriching and providing tools in various subjects, such as: financial awarness, enterprenuership, management and exelence skills, and with personal support, tutoring and adoption of groups in various frames.

In addition, other activities of volunteering and aid to weak population take place, such as packaging food baskets for the holidays.

The Bank encourages and supports the volunteers from among employees of the Bank, that are interested in taking part in the project and in contributing their time, experience and skills in favor of these young persons.

In addition to these projects, the Bank and its subsidiaries donate to various foundations and organizations.

PRINCIPAL DEVELOPMENTS IN ISRAEL AND GLOBALLY

Nonfinancial developments

Nonfinancial economic activity indicators, published in 2017, continue to be positive indicating that the economy continued growing also at the beginning of 2017 (Bank of Israel's Composite State-of-the-Economy Index rose in the first half of 2017 by 1.9%) and the labour market continues to show strength with unemployment rates relatively low, although moderation in the growth is still visible, according to the estimate of the Central Bureau of Statistics ("CBS") during the month of July, the economy grew by 1.4% annualized in the first quarter of 2017, following a grow of 4.7% in the forth quarter of 2016 and a grow of 4.1% in the third quarter of 2017. The increase in the GDP in the first quarter of 2017 reflects increase in export of commodities and services (except for diamonds and strat-up companies) and in public consumption expense and a decrease in private consumption expenses and in investment in fixed assets.

The review dated July 2017, issued by the Research Division of Bank of Israel, increased the product growth forecast for 2017 to 3.4% (from 2.8%) on the background of better priliminary activity indicators in the second quarter in the investment and export areas. The growth forecast for 2018 remained stable at 3.3%. The forecast reflects graduate transitionto growth based less on private consumption and more on export.

The State budget

A deficit in the amount of NIS 9.0 billion was measured in the first half of 2017, in the budgetary operations of the Government, compared to deficit of NIS 3.1 billion in the corresponding period last year. The planed deficit for 2017 amounts to NIS 36.6 billion (2.9% of GDP), while in the last twelve months (July 2016- June 2017) the deficit was 2.5% of GDP.

The tax collection in the months of Januar- June 2017 amounted to NIS 148.7 billion, a nominal increase of 4.5% compared to the same period last year.

During April 2017, Fitch rating company, ratified the credit rating forecast of the State of Israel on its foreign currency debt, at a level of A+.

During August 2017, S&P grading company updated the forecast of the credit grading of the State of Israel concerning the foreign currency debt from "Neutral" to "positive" and ratified it at a level of A+. The meaning of the anouncement the the upgrading of the credit rating of Israel is expected in the range of six months to two years, as long that in the interim period no change for the worst in one of the central criteria upon which the rating is based, will occure.

Inflation

The inflationary environment continues to be very low, and this following no change in the Consumer Price Index (CPI for the month) in the first six months of 2017. The "known CPI" rose by 0.7%. Bank of Israel estimates state that in 2017 the rate of inflation will reach 0.5%, under the lower limit of the price stability target of the Government (1%-3%), and that in 2018 the inflation rate will reach 1.5%. As of June 2017, the inflationary expectations for the coming twelve months, derived from the capital market, indicate an inflation rate of 0.5%.

The housing market

Moderation in the rise of housing prices was noted in recent months. According to the Central Bureau of Statistics, a moderate increase of 0.1% was recorded in prices of housing units in the months of April and May 2017, in comparison to the months of March and April 2017. The prices of transactions in March and April 2017 increased by 4.7% in comparison to the corresponding months last year.

According to the trend data in the months of October 2016- March 2017 a decline of 3.3% on average per quarter occurred in the number of apartments which their construction have started. In the number of apartment which their construction was finished during the first quarter of 2017, a decline of 0.6% was recorded.

A decline in the volume of new apartments sold, that in the months March- May 2017 6,120 new apartments were sold, a decline of 7.7% compared with the number of new apartments sold in the months of December 2016- February 2017. The number of new appartment sold during the first five months of 2017 was lower by 23% compared to the same period last year (the data excluding seasonal effect).

Labor market

Unemployment data continues to be positive and stable. The rate of unemployment in May 2017 was 4.5% (among the ages 15 and above), compared to 4.4% on April 2017. Among the main working ages (25-64) the rate of unemployed was 3.9% on May 2017, compared to 3.8% on April 2017.

Exchange rate

The exchanged rate of the shekel as against the US dollar fell sharply by 9.1% in the first half of 2017, and as against the Euro the exchange rate weakened by 1.2%. During the first half of 2017, Bank of Israel purchased USD 5.9 billion (of which USD 0.9 billion purchased in order to offset the effect of the Gas production in Israel on the exchange rate)

		Exch	ange rate as of	Rate o		
	30.6.17	31.12.16	30.6.16	First half 2017	First half 2016	
US dollar	3.50	3.85	3.85	(9.1%)	(1.3%)	
Euro	3.99	4.04	4.28	(1.2%)	0.7%	

Bank of Israel interest rate

Since the month of February 2015, in which the monetary committee of the Bank of Israel decided to lower the interest rate to the month of March to a rate of 0.1%, the interest rate remained stable. The committee then estimated that the monetary policy will remain expending as long as it will take, in order to establish the inflation within the target range.

The reaserch division of the Bank of Israel estimated at the beginning of July 2017 that the interest rate is expected to remain at its present level until the first quarter of 2018, rising in the second quarter of 2018 to 0.25%, after several quarters in which the inflation rate is expected to exceed 1% and when the expectations of the inflation for a year forward will be closer to the center of the target. Following that, the reaserch division of the Bank of Israel expects that the interest rate will reach a level of 0.5% in the fourth quarter of 2018.

The global environment

The Global Economy continues to improve moderately and an increase in the growth rate of the global trading. The OECD organization increased in June 2017 its global growth forecast for 2017 to 3.5%, from 3.3% in the previous forecast, in March 2017. The improvement includes most of the main economies except for the USA, for which the forecast in respect of 2017 was decreased from 2.4% in the previous forecast, to 2.1% in the current forecast. The International Currency Fund decreased in June 2017 its forecast for the growth rate in the USA for 2017 from 2.3% in the previous forecast from April 2017 to 2.1%.

In the USA the estimate is that during the second quarter of 2017 in improvement in the rate of growth occurred after a low growth in the first quarter and that the labor market is near full employment, but still the wage increase is moderate and does not translated to inflationary pressures.

In Europe the assessments are that during the second quarter of 2017 the growth continued at a relatively high pace, the political risk was reduced, which affected, among other things, the decline in the difference in the rate of returns between Germany and other countries in Europe. In Britain on the other hand, a slowdown is appearing due to the uncertainty of the brexit. In Japan, the central bank estimates that the GDP growth pace is in accordance to the forecasts but the inflation remains low. The economic data published in China show relatively moderate growth.

The capital markets

The principal equities indices in the local capital market in the first half of 2017 recorded mixed trend: the TA-125 Index fell by 0.2% and the TA-35 Index fell by 3.2% and the TA-90 rose by 12%. The general bond Index rose by 1.7%.

The trade turnovers recorded improvement in the local stock exchange. The average daily turnovers of the TA 35 shares recorded a raise of 14.3% and in the TA 125 shares recorded a raise of 20.6%. In the trade turnover of the bonds continued to be weak, as it recorded a decline of 3.9%.

		Rate of change		Average daily trade turnover		
		%	NIS millions			
		January - June	J:	anuary - March		
	2017	2016	2017	2016		
TA 35 Index*	(3.2%)	(8.6%)	798	698		
TA 125 Index*	(0.2%)	(7.9%)	1,073	890		
General bond Index	1.7%	2.7%	3,801	3,956		

The names of the indices were changed as from February 9, 2017, as follows: TA 25 was changed to TA 35, and TA 100 was changed to TA 125.

The total amount of capital raised during the first half of 2017 recorded an increase of 14%, in comparison with the corresponding period last year. This increase was due mainly to the increase in corporate bond issues and due to the increase in the issue of shares and convertibles.

	Ar	nount of capital raised		
		NIS millions		
		January - June		
	2017	2016	Rate of change	
Shares and convertibles	4,851	4,019	20.7%	
Government bonds	26,518	25,416	4.3%	
Corporate bonds (incl. institutional)	37,775	31,367	20.4%	
Total	69,144	60,802	13.7%	

The S&P-500 Index rose by 8.2% during the first half of 2017. In Europe, the Eurostocks-600 Index rose by 6.1% and the developing countries Index (the EM-MSCI Index) rose by 17.2%.

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Appendix 1 - Consolidated Rates of Interest Income and Expenses	213

A. Average balances and interest rates - assets

		For the three months ended June 30, 2017					
	Average balance ⁽¹⁾	Interest income	Rate of income	Average balance ⁽¹⁾	Interest income (expense)	Rate of income (expense)	
		NIS million	%		NIS million	%	
Assets bearing interest							
Credit to the public $^{(2)(5)}$							
- In Israel	72,058	699	3.94	70,432	622	3.58	
- Outside Israel		<u> </u>		384	2	2.10	
Total	72,058	(5)699	3.94	70,816	⁽⁵⁾ 624	3.57	
Credit to the Government							
- In Israel	635			636			
Total	635		-	636			
Deposits with banks							
- In Israel	3,235	2	0.25	2,579	2	0.31	
- Outside Israel	290		-	376			
Total	3,525	2	0.23	2,955	2	0.27	
Deposits with central banks							
- In Israel	24,033	7	0.10	20,706	5	0.10	
Total	24,033	7	0.10	20,706	5	0.10	
Securities borrowed	_						
- In Israel	657	-	-	689	-	-	
Total	657		-	689		-	
Held to maturity or available for sale bonds ⁽³⁾							
- In Israel	13,138	43	1.32	14,853	37	1.00	
- Outside Israel	82	1	4.97	112	1	3.62	
Total	13,220	44	1.34	14,965	38	1.02	
Trading bonds	<u> </u>						
- In Israel	799	1	0.50	887	1	0.45	
- Outside Israel	-	-	-	3	-	-	
Total	799	1	0.50	890	1	0.45	
Assets held for sale	<u> </u>						
- Outside Israel	270	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	270	-	-			-	
Total assets bearing interest	115,197	753	2.64	111,657	670	2.42	
Debtors regarding credit cards non-bearing interest	2,463			3,074			
Other assets non-bearing interest ⁽⁴⁾	11,907			11,879			
Total assets	129,567			126,610			
Total assets bearing interest attributed to activity outside Israel	642	1	0.62	875	3	1.38	

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B. Average balances and interest rates - liabilities and capital

		For the three months ended June 30, 2017			For the three ended June 3		
	Average balance (1)	Interest expense	Rate of expense	Average balance (1)	Interest expense (income)	Rate of expense (income)	
		NIS million	%		NIS million	%	
Liabilities bearing interest							
Deposits from the public							
- In Israel							
Demand	5,670	-	-	6,321	-	-	
Fixed-term	56,495	86	0.61	57,649	67	0.47	
Total	62,165	86	0.55	63,970	67	0.42	
Deposits from the Government							
- In Israel	259	1	1.55	287	2	2.82	
Total	259	1	1.55	287	2	2.82	
Deposits from banks							
- In Israel	2,280	-	-	1,645	(2)	(0.49)	
Total	2,280	-	-	1,645	(2)	(0.49)	
Bonds				·	· •		
- In Israel	5,746	81	5.76	5,631	68	4.92	
Total	5,746	81	5.76	5,631	68	4.92	
Other liabilities	<u></u>			·			
- In Israel	293	2	2.76	207	1	1.95	
Total	293	2	2.76	207	1	1.95	
Total liabilities bearing interest	70,743	170	0.96	71,740	136	0.76	
Deposits from the public non-bearing interest	44,315			39,977			
Creditors in respect of credit cards non-bearing interest	2,463			3,074			
Other liabilities non-bearing interest (6)	3,986			3,987			
Total liabilities	121,507			118,778			
Total capital resources	8,060			7,832			
Total liabilities and capital resources	129,567			126,610			
Interest spread			1.68			1.66	
Net return on assets bearing interest (7)							
- In Israel	114,555	582	2.05	110,782	531	1.93	
- Outside Israel	642	1	0.62	875	3	1.38	
Total	115,197	583	2.04	111,657	534	1.93	
Total liabilities bearing interest attributed to activity outside Israel	-	-	-		-	-	

See notes in page 218.

APPENDIX 1 -RATES OF INTEREST INCOME AND EXPENSES AND ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN INTEREST INCOME AND EXPENSES (CONT'D)

A. Average balances and interest rates - assets

		For the six months ended June 30, 2017			For the s ended June		
	Average balance ⁽¹⁾	Interest income	Rate of income	Average balance ⁽¹⁾	Interest income	Rate of income	
	<u></u>	NIS million	%		NIS million	%	
Assets bearing interest	<u></u>	·					
Credit to the public ⁽²⁾							
- In Israel	72,277	1,298	3.62	69,646	1,138	3.29	
- Outside Israel	-	-	-	374	4	2.15	
Total	72,277	⁽⁵⁾ 1,298	3.62	70,020	(5)1,142	3.29	
Credit to the Government	<u> </u>	·					
- In Israel	638	-	-	641	-	-	
Total	638	-	-	641	-	-	
Deposits with banks							
- In Israel	3,348	5	0.30	3,146	4	0.25	
- Outside Israel	324	-	-	359	-	-	
Total	3,672	5	0.27	3,505	4	0.23	
Deposits with central banks							
- In Israel	22,770	12	0.10	21,702	11	0.10	
Total	22,770	12	0.10	21,702	11	0.10	
Securities borrowed or repurchased		 -					
- In Israel	553		-	594	-	_	
Total	553			594			
Held to maturity or available for sale bonds ⁽³⁾							
- In Israel	13,883	72	1.04	14,871	57	0.77	
- Outside Israel	81	1	2.48	112	1	1.79	
Total	13,964	73	1.05	14,983	58	0.78	
Trading bonds	<u> </u>						
- In Israel	858	3	0.70	894	2	0.45	
- Outside Israel	-	-	-	2	_	-	
Total	858	3	0.70	896	2	0.45	
Other assets							
- In Israel	17	-	-	26	-	-	
Total		-	-	26	-	-	
Assets held for sale		 -					
- Outside Israel	269	2	1.49	-	_	-	
Total	269	2	1.49			-	
Total assets bearing interest	115,018	1,393	2.44	112,367	1,217	2.18	
Debtors regarding credit cards non-bearing interest	2,427	•		3,062	•		
Other assets non-bearing interest ⁽⁴⁾	11,289			11,450			
Total assets	128,734			126,879			
Total assets bearing interest attributed to activity outside Israel	674	3	0.89	847	5	1.18	

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B. Average balances and interest rates - liabilities and capital

		For the six months ended June 30, 2017			For the six ended June		
	Average balance (1)	Interest expense	Rate of expense	Average balance (1)	Interest expense (income)	Rate of expense (income)	
		NIS million	%		NIS million	%	
Liabilities bearing interest							
Deposits from the public							
- In Israel							
Demand	5,703	-	-	6,629	-	-	
Fixed-term	56,520	129	0.46	58,416	82	0.28	
Total	62,223	129	0.42	65,045	82	0.25	
Deposits from the Government							
- In Israel	275	2	1.46	274	3	2.20	
Total	275	2	1.46	274	3	2.20	
Deposits from banks							
- In Israel	2,165	1	0.09	1,396	(1)	(0.14)	
Total	2,165	1	0.09	1,396	(1)	(0.14)	
Bonds	<u> </u>				· •		
- In Israel	5,704	113	4.00	5,716	71	2.50	
Total	5,704	113	4.00	5,716	71	2.50	
Other liabilities	<u> </u>						
- In Israel	280	3	2.15	196	2	2.05	
Total	280	3	2.15	196	2	2.05	
Total liabilities bearing interest	70,647	248	0.70	72,627	157	0.43	
Deposits from the public non-bearing interest	43,878			39,794			
Creditors in respect of credit cards non-bearing interest	2,427			3,062			
Other liabilities non-bearing interest (6)	3,760			3,625			
Total liabilities	120,712			119,108			
Total capital resources	8,022			7,771			
Total liabilities and capital resources	128,734			126,879			
Interest spread			1.74			1.75	
Net return on assets bearing interest (7)							
- In Israel	114,344	1,142	2.01	111,520	1,055	1.90	
- Outside Israel	674	3	0.89	847	5	1.18	
Total	115,018	1,145	2.00	112,367	1,060	1.90	
Total liabilities bearing interest attributed to activity outside Israel		-	-		-	-	

See notes in page 218.

C. Average balances and income rates - additional information on interest bearing assets and liabilities attributed to activity in Israel

		For the three months ended June 30, 2017				For the three months ended June 30, 2016	
	Average balance ⁽¹⁾	Income (expense) interest	Income (expense) ratio	Average balance (1)	Income (expense) interest	Income (expense) ratio	
		NIS million	%		NIS million	%	
Non-linked Israeli currency							
Total assets bearing interest	90,885	529	2.35	84,111	474	2.27	
Total liabilities bearing interest	51,814	(25)	(0.19)	49,792	(21)	(0.17)	
Interest spread			2.16			2.10	
Israeli currency linked to the CPI							
Total assets bearing interest	11,534	169	5.99	12,410	139	4.56	
Total liabilities bearing interest	10,894	(133)	(4.97)	10,503	(103)	(3.98)	
Interest spread			1.02			0.58	
Foreign currency (including linked to f-c)							
Total assets bearing interest	12,136	54	1.79	14,261	54	1.52	
Total liabilities bearing interest	8,035	(12)	(0.60)	11,445	(12)	(0.42)	
Interest spread			1.19			1.10	
Total activity in Israel							
Total assets bearing interest	114,555	752	2.65	110,782	667	2.43	
Total liabilities bearing interest	70,743	(170)	(0.96)	71,740	(136)	(0.76)	
Interest spread			1.69			1.67	

		For the six months ended June 30, 2017			For the six months ended June 30, 2016		
	Average balance ⁽¹⁾	Income (expense) interest	Income (expense) ratio	Average balance (1)	Income (expense) interest	Income (expense) ratio	
	<u> </u>	NIS million	%		NIS million	%	
Non-linked Israeli currency							
Total assets bearing interest	89,977	1,046	2.34	83,961	980	2.35	
Total liabilities bearing interest	51,413	(48)	(0.19)	49,234	(39)	(0.16)	
Interest spread	<u></u>		2.15			2.19	
Israeli currency linked to the CPI							
Total assets bearing interest	11,849	235	4.01	12,546	122	1.95	
Total liabilities bearing interest	10,876	(174)	(3.23)	11,075	(89)	(1.61)	
Interest spread			0.78			0.34	
Foreign currency (including linked to f-c)							
Total assets bearing interest	12,518	109	1.75	15,013	110	1.47	
Total liabilities bearing interest	8,358	(26)	(0.62)	12,318	(29)	(0.47)	
Interest spread			1.13			1.00	
Total activity in Israel							
Total assets bearing interest	114,344	1,390	2.45	111,520	1,212	2.19	
Total liabilities bearing interest	70,647	(248)	(0.70)	72,627	(157)	(0.43)	
Interest spread			1.75			1.76	

See notes in page 218.

D. Analyasis of changes in interest income and expenses

		For the three months ended June 30, 2017 compared with the same period last year			For the six months ended June 30, 2017 compared with the same period last year			
		Increase (decrease) due to the change		Increase (decrease) due to the change				
	Quantity	Price	Net change	Quantity	Price	Net change		
			NIS million			NIS million		
Interest bearing assets								
Credit to the public								
In Israel	16	61	77	47	113	160		
Outside Israel	(1)	(1)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(4)		
Total	15	60	75	45	111	156		
Other interest bearing assets								
In Israel	3	5	8	-	18	18		
Outside Israel	-	-	-	1	1	2		
Total	3	5	8	1	19	20		
Total interest income	18	65	83	46	130	176		
Interest bearing liabilities								
Deposits from the public								
In Israel								
Fixed-term	(2)	21	19	(4)	51	47		
Total	(2)	21	19	(4)	51	47		
Other interest bearing liabilities								
In Israel	8	7	15	12	32	44		
Total	8	7	15	12	32	44		
Total interest expenses	6	28	34	8	83	91		
Total interest income less interest expenses		37	49	38	47	85		

NOTES:

- (1) On the basis of monthly opening balances, excluding the non-linked Shekel segment in which calculated on daily balances.
- (2) Before deduction of the average balance of provisions for credit losses including impaired debts which are non-bearing interest income.
- (3) From the average balance of available for sale bonds was deducted the average balance of unrealized gains from adjustments to fair value of bonds, included in other comprehensive profit in the item "adjustments to fair value of available for sale securities" for the three and six months ended on June 30, 2017 in the amount of NIS 25 million and NIS 8 million, respectively (for the three and six months ended June 30, 2016 balance of NIS 4 million and NIS 24 million, respectively
- (4) Including derivative instruments, other non-bearing interest assets and after deduction of provision for credit losses.
- (5) Fees in the amount of NIS 27 million and NIS 25 million were included in interest income for the three months ended June 30, 2017 and June 30, 2016, respectively and amount of NIS 59 million and NIS 50 million were included in interest income for the six months ended June 30, 2017 and June 30, 2016, respectively
- (6) Including derivative instruments.
- (7) Net return net interest income to total interest bearing assets.
- (8) Change attributed to quantity was calculated by multiplying the price in the reported period by the change in the quantity in the compared periods. Change attributed to price was calculated by multiplying the quantity in the previous period by the change in the price in the compared periods.