



RHB Banking Group

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Highlights of Q1 2018 Performance (1/2)

Profitability

Year-on-year:

- Net profit rose 18.1% to RM590.8 million, pre-tax profit up 20.3% to RM791.9 million, mainly due to higher net fund based and non-fund based income, and lower allowance for expected credit losses
- Positive jaws maintained, though operating expenses rose 13.4% to RM863.0 million driven by a rise in personnel costs and IT-related expenses. Cost-to-income ratio (CIR) improved to 48.8%
- ROE of 10.4% compared to 8.7% for FY 2017

Quarter-on-quarter:

 Net profit grew 28.4%, primarily due to higher net fund based and non-fund based income, and from lower allowance for expected credit losses

Assets and Liabilities

- Gross loans and financing grew 4.3% Y-o-Y and 0.7% year-to-date to RM161.2 billion driven by housing loans/financing
 - Domestic loans grew 6.7% Y-o-Y, faster than industry which grew 4.4%
- Total customer deposits rose 2.6% Y-o-Y to RM169.8 billion and 2.2% for the quarter
 - Total CASA grew 14.3% Y-o-Y but declined 1.5% from December 2017
 - CASA composition at 29.3% from 26.3% a year ago and 30.4% in December 2017
- Slight uptick in gross impaired loans (GIL) ratio 2.29% from 2.23% in December 2017



Highlights of Q1 2018 Performance (2/2)

Group Wholesale Banking:

- **Group Corporate & Investment Banking** recorded 11.3% higher pre-tax profit at RM173.8 million on the back of higher non-fund based and net fund based income
- **Group Treasury and Global Markets** achieved 12.9% increase in pre-tax profit to RM342.0 **million** due to higher foreign exchange gain and higher investment and trading gain
- **Retail Banking** loans and financing grew 11.4% Y-o-Y, driven by mortgages and personal financing. However, pre-tax profit declined Y-o-Y from higher operating expenses and higher allowance for expected credit losses for loans and financing

Business Banking - increase in pre-tax profit by 1.5% to RM89.4 million due to higher net fund based income and lower expected credit losses for loans and financing. Loans grew 8.7% Y-o-Y driven by Retail SME

- Singapore recorded a pre-tax profit of SGD11.4 million compared with a pre-tax loss of SGD9.1 million a year ago primarily due to significant reduction in allowance for expected credit losses
- Islamic Banking business:
 - Pre-tax profit increased by 49.8% Y-o-Y to RM148.9 million
 - Islamic Financing represents 31.5% of the Group's total domestic gross loans and financing, vs
 29.7% as at December 2017

Capital and Liquidity

Business

Performance

- Capital position of RHB Bank Group as at 31 March 2018 (post MFRS 9) remained strong
- CET I ratio at 13.5%, Tier I ratio at 13.7% and total capital ratio at 16.7%
 - Bank entity CET I ratio at 11.4%, Tier I ratio at 11.6% and total capital ratio at 14.9%
- Loan loss coverage ratio (including regulatory reserve) improved to 107.4% as at end March 2018

RHB Banking Group Scorecard for 2018

Top Level Indicators	Target 2018	Actual Q1 2018
ROE	9.0% - 10.0%	10.4% ^{N1}
Loans Growth	6%	4.3% ^{N2}
CASA Growth	10%	14.3% ^{N2}
Gross Impaired Loans Ratio	<2.2%	2.29%
Cost to Income Ratio	<50%	48.8%
Overseas Profit Contribution	+ve	5.0%

N1: Annualised

N2 : Year-on-year growth

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Improved profitability Y-o-Y arising from higher net fund based & non-fund based income and lower allowances for loan and asset impairment; CIR and loan loss coverage ratio improved

Financial Position Financial Results Key Financial Ratios Operating Non Interest **Total** Gross Total **Profit Before ROE** Income / Assets Loans Income **Total Income** Allowances +0.7% +13.8% +0.5% +1.9% +14.1% +1.3% Q1 2018: RM906.4 mil 01 2018: 10.4% Mar 2018: RM234.6 bil Mar 2018: RM161.2 bil O1 2018: RM1.77 bil Q1 2018: 30.2% O1 2017: RM794.2 mil Dec 2017: RM230.2 bil Dec 2017: RM160.1 bil O1 2017: RM1.56 bil Q1 2017: 9.1% Q1 2017: 29.7% **Profit Net Profit to** Cost to Income **Gross Impaired** Customer **CASA Deposits Before Tax Shareholders Ratio Loans Ratio** -1.5% -0.1% +2.2% +20.3% +18.1% +0.06% O1 2018: RM791.9 mil Mar 2018: RM169.8 bil Mar 2018: RM49.7 bil Q1 2018: RM590.8 mil 01 2018: 48.8% Mar 2017: 2.29% 01 2017: 48.9% Dec 2017: RM166.2 bil Dec 2017: RM50.5 bil Q1 2017: RM658.3 mil Q1 2017: RM500.3 mil Dec 2017: 2.23% **Loan Loss Credit Charge** Shareholders' **Net Assets** Coverage Equity Per Share Ratio Ratio N1 -3.5% -3.4% +5.8% -0.09% Mar 2018: RM22.4 bil Mar 2018: RM5.57 Q1 2018: 0.26% Mar 2018: 107.4%^{N2} N1 Including Regulatory Reserve Dec 2017: RM23.1 bil Dec 2017: RM5.77 Q1 2017: 0.35% Dec 2017: 101.6% N2 After MFRS 9 adoption

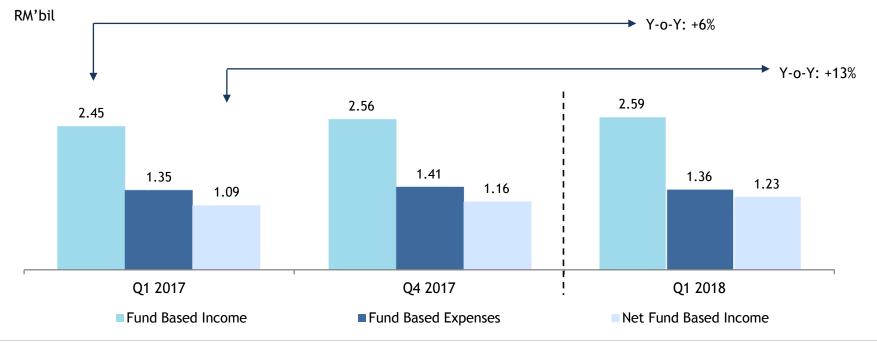


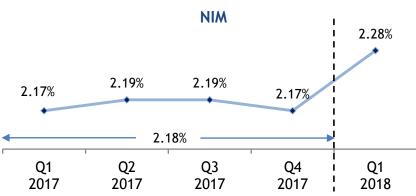
Strong operating performance continued Y-o-Y and Q-o-Q, on the back of robust topline growth and further supported by lower allowances for loans and other assets

RM' mil	Q1 2018	Q1 2017	Q4 2017	Y-o-Y Change %	Q-o-Q Change %
Net Interest Income	929	851	892	9	4
Net Islamic Fund Base Income	306	242	264	26	16
Total Net Fund Based Income (A)	1,235	1,093	1,156	13	7
Other Operating Income	566	454	520	25	9
Islamic Non-Fund Based Income	-32	8	-9	>-100	>-100
Total Non-Fund Based Income (B)	534	462	511	16	5
Total Income (A+B)	1,769	1,555	1,667	14	6
Operating Expenses	-863	-761	-847	13	2
Operating Profit Before Allowances	906	794	820	14	10
Allowances for Loan Impairment	-104	-133	-114	-22	-9
Impairment Losses (Made)/ Written Back on Other Assets	-11	-3	-104	>-100	-89
Profit Before Taxation	792	658	602	20	32
Net Profit	591	500	460	18	28



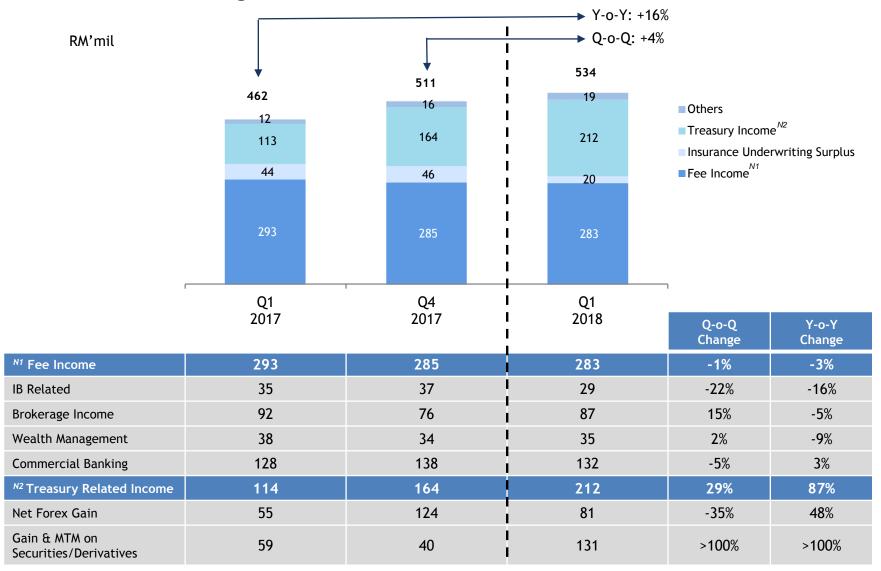
Sound growth in net fund based income from continuous funding and liquidity management; Positive impact of rate hike reflected in higher NIM



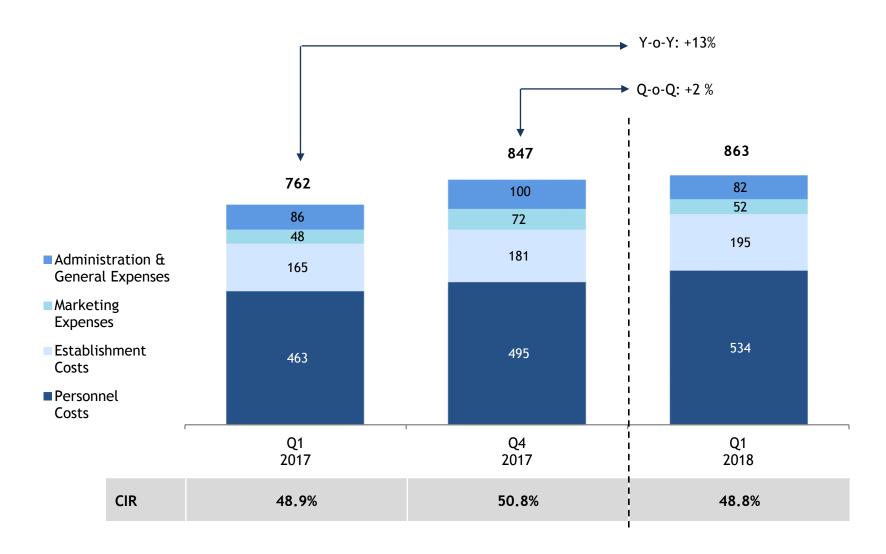




Non-fund based income grew strongly Y-o-Y contributed largely by higher net forex gain and trading & investment income; Q-o-Q growth mainly from higher brokerage fee income and trading & investment income



Operating expenses grew 13.4% Y-o-Y mainly due to higher personnel costs and IT-related expenses; Positive jaws maintained hence CIR improved further to 48.8%



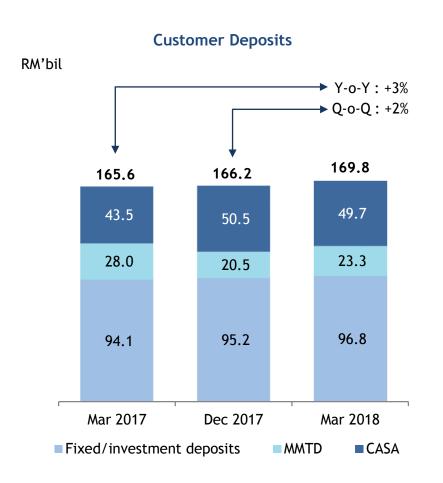


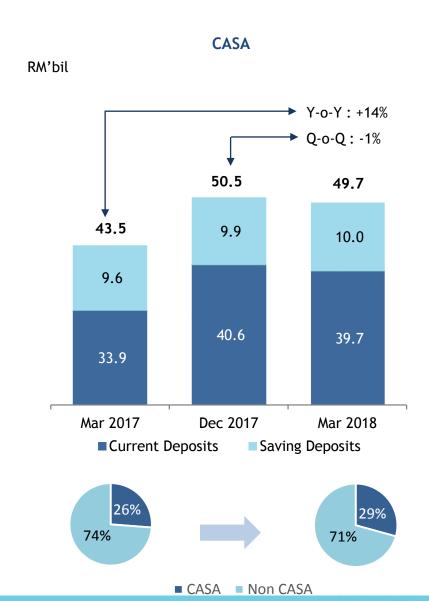
Loans growth continued to be driven by mortgage and SME partially offset by large corporate repayments and impact of stronger RM in Singapore

						Compo	sition
RM'mil	Mar 2018	Dec 2017	Q-o-Q Growth %	Mar 2017	Y-o-Y Growth %	Mar 2018 %	Dec 2017 %
GROUP RETAIL	78,486	76,266	2.9	70,480	11.4	48.7	47.6
Mortgage	48,912	46,920	4.2	41,989	16.5	30.3	29.3
Commercial Property Financing	4,764	4,694	1.5	4,585	3.9	3.0	2.9
Securities	7,710	7,882	-2.2	8,018	-3.8	4.8	4.9
Auto Finance	8,129	8,066	0.8	8,245	-1.4	5.0	5.0
Unsecured Business	8,219	7,932	3.6	6,834	20.3	5.1	5.0
Others	752	772	-2.6	809	-7.0	0.5	0.5
GROUP BUSINESS BANKING	24,339	23,906	1.8	22,391	8.7	15.1	14.9
SME	22,446	22,146	1.4	20,473	9.6	13.9	13.8
Commercial	1,893	1,760	7.6	1,918	-1.3	1.2	1.1
GROUP WHOLESALE BANKING	43,597	44,634	-2.3	44,393	-1.8	27.0	27.9
TOTAL RHB DOMESTIC	146,422	144,806	1.1	137,264	6.7	90.8	90.4
OVERSEAS OPERATIONS	14,784	15,318	-3.5	17,228	-14.2	9.2	9.6
Singapore	11,063	11,456	-3.4	13,165	-16.0	6.9	7.2
Others	3,721	3,862	-3.7	4,063	-8.4	2.3	2.4
TOTAL RHB GROUP	161,206	160,124	0.7	154,492	4.3	100.0	100.0



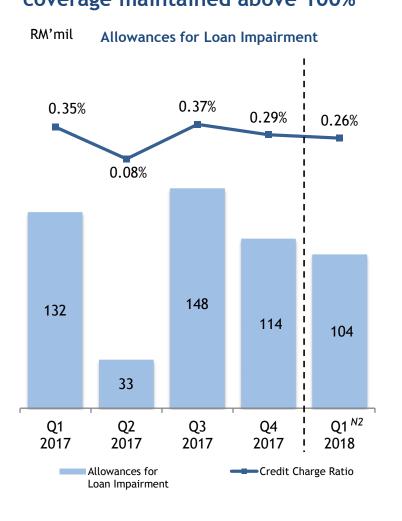
Total deposits growth Y-o-Y led by higher current account, Q-o-Q growth was mainly driven by fixed deposits and MMTD; CASA ratio remained healthy at 29.3%







Allowances for loan impairment moderated further and credit charge ratio improved; Gross impaired loans ratio improved Y-o-Y but ticked up marginally Q-o-Q; Loan loss coverage maintained above 100%*N1





N1: Inclusive of 1.0% regulatory reserve

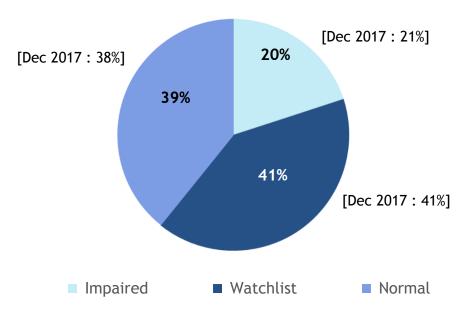
N2: Post MFRS9 adoption



O&G Exposure (Loans + Bonds) declined with lower Impaired amount

	Oil and Gas Related Industry					
	Upstream Downstream			Total		
Loans + Bonds Outstanding	RM' bil	% to Gross Loans	RM' bil	% to Gross Loans	RM' bil	% to Gross Loans
Mar 2018	3.3	2.05%	1.7	1.07%	5.0	3.12%
Dec 2017	3.4	2.12%	1.8	1.09%	5.2	3.21%

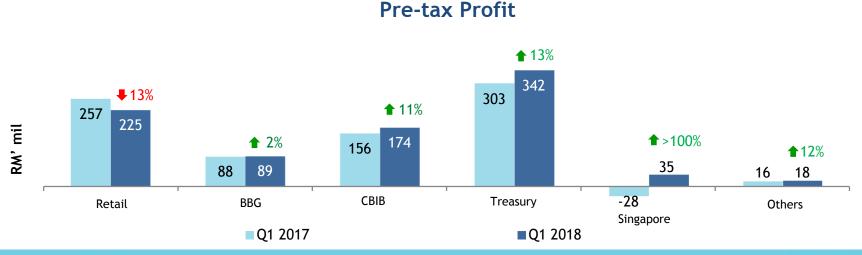
Oil & Gas Exposure



Country	% of Loans Outstanding
Malaysia	78%
Singapore	21%
Thailand	1%

Revenue increased across all domestic segments and Singapore; Higher profit from CBIB's net fund based & non-fund based income and Treasury's foreign exchange gain and investment & trading gain; Singapore improved from lower impairment losses and higher non fund based income





MFRS 9 Day 1 adjustment impact on capital within expectations; LLC excluding RR improved significantly with LLC including RR maintained above 100%

(RM million)	31 Dec 2017 (MFRS 139) A	Day 1 Adjustment B	1 Jan 2018 (MFRS 9) C=A+B	31 Mar 2018
Allowance for impaired loans and other assets:				
Loans	1,826	+1,361	3,187	3,147
Securities	745	+160	905	828
Regulatory reserves	1,798	(1,124)	674	664
Retained earnings	13,429	(123)	13,306	13,906

1 Jan 2018	Gro	oup	Bank		
Impact on Capital	Before MFRS 9	After MFRS 9	Before MFRS 9	After MFRS 9	
CET1 Capital Ratio	13.9%	13.7%	13.1%	12.8%	
CET1 Capital Ratio (fully loaded)	13.9%	13.7%	12.2%	11.9%	
Tier 1 Capital Ratio	14.2%	14.0%	13.4%	13.1%	
Total Capital Ratio	17.2%	17.0%	15.9%	15.5%	
Impact on Loan Loss Coverage	,	,			
Loan Loss Coverage (without RR)	51.2%	91.5%			
Loan Loss Coverage with RR	101.6%	106.7%			



Capital position at end March 2018 remained robust for Group and key banking subsidiaries





■ Total Capital

Ratios are after FY2017 proposed final dividend, but excluding Q1 2018 profits

■Tier 1 Capital



41.9%

14.9%

N1 11.4%

11.6%

Mar 2018

■ CET 1 Capital

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Economic Outlook

- Malaysia is expected to register a moderate GDP expansion of 5.2% in 2018, against 5.9% growth registered in 2017, supported by resilient domestic demand, as exports continue to expand and create positive spillover effects into consumer spending and private investments
- Market and industry players will be keenly awaiting the economic policies of the new government, which are expected to boost private sector demand and consumption. This in turn is expected to positively impact the banking sector
- Overall, the banking sector is likely to ride on continued economic growth supported by healthy asset quality, strong capital position and ample liquidity
- Possibility of another OPR hike of 25 basis points by end of 2018



Concluding Remarks

- The Group delivered best ever quarterly profit performance in Q1 2018
- Loans and financing continued to be driven by strong growth in mortgages and retail SME
- Prudent management of funding cost and impact of OPR hike in January 2018 resulted in uptick in net interest margin
- Our fundamentals have improved following the increase in LLC to more than 100%, robust capital level of 11.4% (CET 1 at Bank level), healthy liquidity position with LCR of 116.6% and moderation of credit charge ratio at 0.26% as at end-March 2018
- The Group remains committed to the new strategy which focuses on establishing market leadership in our core segments; strengthen Malaysia as our base, position overseas business to focus on our strengths & niche; and build a winning operating model that prioritises customer journeys, agility, analytics and digital enablement
- Digital enablement through AGILE@Scale will be a core component of FIT22, with objective of better productivity and efficiency, enhanced customer journeys and improved workplace for employees
- Barring unforeseen circumstances, the Group expects to achieve better performance this year.



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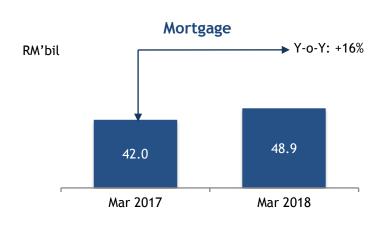
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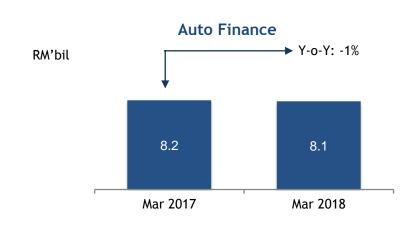
Key Business Highlights

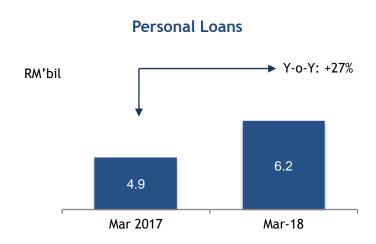


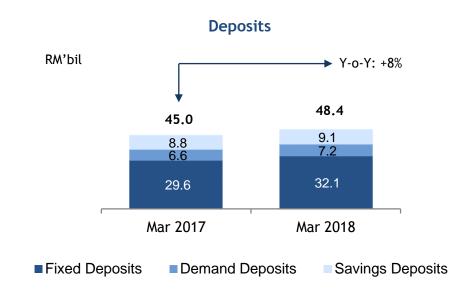


Retail Banking





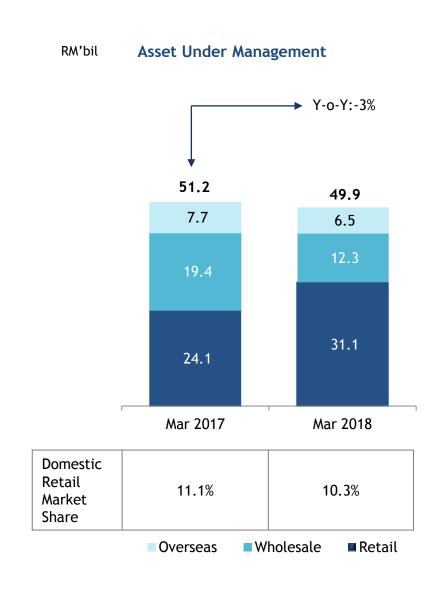






Investment Banking - Market Positions & Asset Management (1/2)

	YTD Ma	ar 2018
	Market Share	Ranking
Equity: - By value - By volume	7.8% 11.8%	5 th 3 rd
Debt Capital Markets: - MYR sukuk - Total MYR bonds (Conventional & Islamic bonds)	28.6% 26.9%	1 2
Mergers & Acquisitions: - by value - by deal count	67.3% 6 deals	1 1
Equity Capital Markets	27.6%	2





Investment Banking - Market Position (2/2)

Sdn Bhd and proposed call & put option of remaining 40%

equity interest in Trackwork (in progress)

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YTD March 20	018	Ranking	Market Share		DCM
- MYR sukuk			28.6%	EDRA	Edra Energy Sdn Bhd RM5.085 bil issuance out of RM5.28 bil Sukuk Wakalah Programme Joint Lead Manager
- Total MYR b (Conventional	onds l & Islamic bonds)	2	26.9%	KHAZANAH NASIONAL	Danga Capital Berhad RM2.0 bil issuance out of RM20.0 bil Ringgit
Mergers & Acc - by value	quisitions:	1	67.3%	NASIONAL	Islamic Securities Programme Joint Lead Manager
- by deal count		1	6 deals	₹ MMC	MMC Corporation Bhd RM1.0 bil issuance out of RM2.5 bil Sukuk Murabahah Programme
Equity Capital Markets		2	27.6%		Sole Principal Adviser, Sole Lead Arranger & Sole Lead Manager
	M&	A			ECM
Air Asia	Air Asia Group Berhad ("AAGB") RM4,647.0 mil Disposal of AAGB's aircraft leasing operations Principal Adviser and Joint Financial Adviser		SERBA DINAMIK	Serba Dinamik Holdings Berhad RM427.2 mil Primary Placement Sole Principal Adviser & Sole Placement Agent	
UMW	UMW Holdings Bhd RM501.0 mil Acquisition of shares in Med-Bumikar Mara Sdn Bhd and Central Shore Sdn Bhd held by MBM Resources Adviser to Med-Bumikar Mara Sdn Bhd		WEGMANS	Wegmans Holdings Berhad RM43.50 mil Listing on ACE Market of Bursa Securities Sole Principal Adviser, Sponsor, Sole Underwriter & Sole Placement Agent	
AWC GROUP					Hibiscus Petroleum Berhad RM40.76 mil

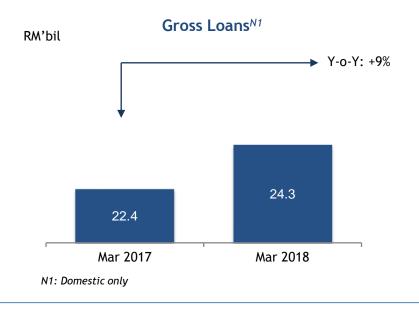


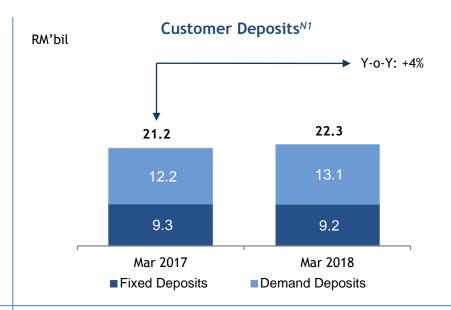
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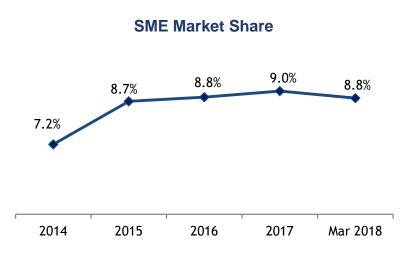
Sole Principal Adviser & Sole Placement Agent

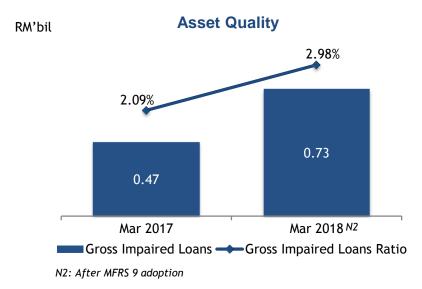
Principal Adviser

Business Banking



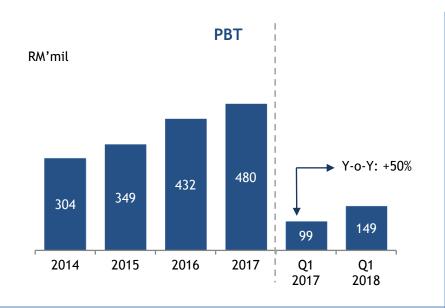


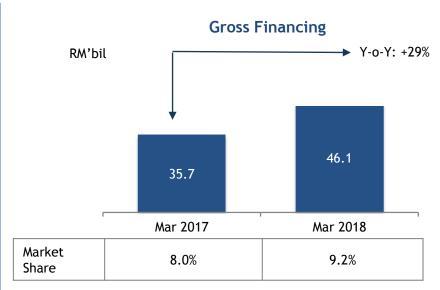


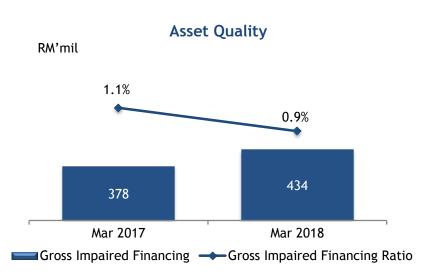


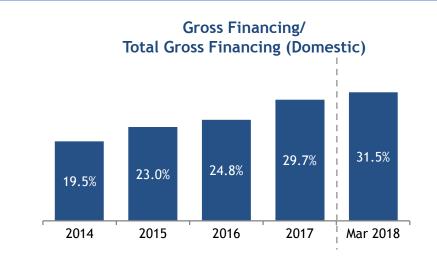


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