BANK III ALKHAIR

Bank Alkhair B.S.C. (c)

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CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE SUMMARY

Bank Al-Khair B.S.C (c)

5-Year Consolidated Performance Summary

(Amounts in US \$ thousands)	H1 2018	2017	2016	2015 (restated)	2014 (restated)	2013 (restated)
(Loss) / profit for the year before Zakah and impairment	(1,212)	(10,205)	(26,605)	(14,974)	(8,740)	1,114
(Loss) / profit for the year	(2,149)	(9,839)	(33,034)	(2,500)	(16,921)	(1,048)
Total assets	477,749	482,242	489,693	582,118	566,911	619,808
Placements with financial institutions	23,566	6,588	8,402	9,648	42,250	74,390
Financing receivables	3,333	8,956	16,075	66,713	9,151	52,309
Investment securities	48,385	70,644	61,603	64,930	85,323	79,186
Total liabilities	290,604	292,284	291,617	360,229	337,538	380,004
Due to financial institutions	56,631	71,342	87,566	123,252	106,987	130,763
Due to customers	179,620	167,372	151,034	208,250	197,552	217,594
Equity attributable to the shareholders of the Bank	81,918	88,247	103,830	131,704	142,629	161,343
Total equity	187,145	189,958	198,076	221,889	229,373	239,804
Return on average assets (percent)	-0.4%	-0.4%	-6.2%	-0.4%	-2.9%	-0.2%
Return on average shareholders' equity (percent)	-1.1%	-1.1%	-15.7%	-1.1%	-7.2%	-0.5%
Cost to income ratio (percent)*	104.4%	122.3%	188.1%	129.5%	119.0%	96.7%
Financial leverage (percent)	288.4%	288.4%	229.8%	251.7%	213.5%	215.9%
Capital adequacy ratio (percent)	0.1%	1.9%	2.6%	5.2%	8.4%	15.2%

Note:

Figures of previous years have been reclassified for comparative purposes.

* Cost excludes impairment and provision for zakah

CAPITAL MANAGEMENT AND ALLOCATION

Bank Alkhair B.S.C. (c) ("the Bank") is a closed, unlisted company incorporated in the Kingdom of Bahrain and licensed as a Wholesale Islamic Bank by the Central Bank of Bahrain (CBB). It has subsidiaries in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Malaysia, Jordan, United Arab Emirates and Turkey and associated undertakings in United Arab Emirates and Bahrain. The Bank along with its subsidiaries are together referred to as ("the Group").

Bank Alkhair is required to comply with the regulatory capital adequacy guidelines promulgated by the CBB, based on the standards established by the Basel Committee on Banking Supervision (the Basel Committee) of the Bank for International Settlements (BIS). In accordance with CBB guidelines, Bank Alkhair must maintain a minimum target capital adequacy ratio of 12.5% on a consolidated basis.

Basis of Consolidation for Accounting and Regulatory Purposes

For the purpose of preparation of consolidated financial statements, the Bank consolidates all subsidiaries which are fully owned or exercises significant control over them. These subsidiaries are consolidated from date of acquisition being the date on which the group obtains control and continues until the control ceases. Control exists when the Group has the power, directly or indirectly, to govern the financial and operating policies of an enterprise so as to obtain benefits from its activities. For regulatory purposes the Bank should consolidate all banking and other financial entities which are considered to be subsidiaries of the Bank.

The list of the legal entities that are included within the accounting scope of consolidation but excluded from the regulatory scope of consolidation are as follows:

Entity Name	Total Assets US\$ 000's	Total Liabilities US\$ 000's	Entity principle activities
Al-Tajamouat for Touristic Projects Co Plc	206,832	63,455	The main activities are in real estate property investment & development and ownership and operation of a shopping mall in Amman.

Tintoria International Limited	10,036	/ 831	General trading and investing in UAE and foreign
	10,050	4,831	companies.

Composition of capital disclosure

a. Statement of financial position under the regulatory scope of consolidation

The table below shows the reconciliation between the statement of financial position in the published financial statements (accounting statement of financial position) and the regulatory statement of financial position.

		30 June 2018	
	Statement of Financial Position as in published Financial Statements	Statement of Financial Position as per regulatory reporting	Reference
	US\$ 000's	US\$ 000's	
ASSETS			
Cash and balances with banks	5,512	3,081	
Placements with financial institutions	23,566	23,566	
Financing receivables	3,333	5,990	
Investment securities	48,385	105,760	
Equity-accounted investees	125,077	125,076	
Of which related to significant investments in financial entities under CET1	-	125,076	G
Investment property	224,882	38,521	
Other assets	37,976	21,963	
Equipment	9,018	1,277	
TOTAL ASSETS	477,749	325,234	
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY			
LIABILITIES			
Due to financial institutions	56,631	10,069	
Due to customers	179,620	179,620	
Other liabilities	54,353	35,868	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	290,604	225,557	
EQUITY			
Share capital	207,962	207,962	А
Statutory reserve	664	664	D
Investments fair value reserve	244	244	E
Foreign currency translation reserve	(5,600)	(5,600)	F

Accumulated losses	(121,352)	(137,383)	
Retained earnings	-	(129,440)	В
Current interim cumulative net income / losses	-	(7,943)	С
Equity attributable to shareholders of the Bank	81,918	65,887	
Non-controlling interests	105,227	33,790	
TOTAL EQUITY	187,145	99,677	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	477,749	325,234	

b. Composition of regulatory capital

The table below provides a detailed breakdown of the bank's regulatory capital components including all regulatory adjustments. The table also provides reference to the comparison displayed in section a between accounting and regulatory statement of financial positions.

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	Components of regulatory Capital	Amount Subject to pre-2015 treatment	Reference
Common Faulty Tigs 1 conital instruments and records	US\$ 000's	US\$ 000's	
Common Equity Tier 1 capital: instruments and reserves			
Directly issued qualifying common share capital (and equivalent for non-joint stock companies) plus related stock surplus	207,962		А
Retained earnings	(129,440)		В
Current interim cumulative net income / losses	(7,943)		С
Accumulated other comprehensive income (and other reserves)	(4,692)		D+E+F
Common Equity Tier 1 capital before minority interest	65,887		
Total minority interest in banking subsidiaries given recognition in CET1 capital	21,137		
Common Equity Tier 1 capital before regulatory adjustments	87,024		
Common Equity Tier 1 capital: regulatory adjustments			
Goodwill (net of related tax liability)	(32,047)	32,047	
Intangibles other than mortgage servicing rights	(230)		
Significant investments in the common stock of banking, financial and insurance entities that are outside the scope of regulatory consolidation, net of eligible short positions (amount above	(
10% threshold)	(91,676)	120,070	
Amount exceeding the 15% threshold	(4,393)		
Total regulatory adjustments to Common equity Tier 1	(128,346)	152,117	G
Common Equity Tier 1 capital (CET1)	(41,322)		
Additional Tier 1 capital (AT1)	36,533		

Tier 1 capital (T1 = CET1 + AT1)	(4,791)
Tier 2 capital	
Provisions	34
Instruments issued by banking subsidiaries to third parties	6,759
Tier 2 capital (T2)	6,793
Total capital (TC = T1 + T2)	2,001
Total risk weighted assets	2,435,513
Capital ratios and buffers	
Common Equity Tier 1 (as a percentage of risk weighted assets)	-1.70%
Tier 1 (as a percentage of risk weighted assets)	-0.20%
Total capital (as a percentage of risk weighted assets)	0.08%
National minima including CCB (if different from Basel 3)	
	C 50%

CBB Common Equity Tier 1 minimum ratio	6.50%
CBB Tier 1 minimum ratio	8.00%
CBB total capital minimum ratio	10.00%

c. Statement of financial position under the regulatory scope of consolidation

	Main features of regulatory capital instruments	
1	Issuer	Bank Alkhair B.S.C. (c)
2	Unique identifier (e.g. CUSIP, ISIN or Bloomberg identifier for private placement)	NA
3	Governing law(s) of the instrument	Kingdom Of Bahrain
-	Regulatory treatment	
4	Transitional CBB rules	Common Equity Tier 1
5	Post-transitional CBB rules	Common Equity Tier 1
6	Eligible at solo/group/group & solo	Group & solo
7	Instrument type (types to be specified by each jurisdiction)	Equity shares
8	Amount recognised in regulatory capital (Currency in mil, as of most recent reporting date)	USD 207 millions
9	Par value of instrument	USD 1.00
10	Accounting classification	Shareholder's equity
11	Original date of issuance	2004
12	Perpetual or dated	Perpetual
13	Original maturity date	No Maturity
14	Issuer call subject to prior supervisory approval	NA
15	Optional call date, contingent call dates and redemption amount	NA
16	Subsequent call dates, if applicable	NA
	Coupons / dividends	NA
17	Fixed or floating dividend/coupon	NA
18	Coupon rate and any related index	NA
19	Existence of a dividend stopper	NA
20	Fully discretionary, partially discretionary or mandatory	Partially discretionary
21	Existence of step up or other incentive to redeem	NA
22	Noncumulative or cumulative	NA
23	Convertible or non-convertible	NA
24	If convertible, conversion trigger (s)	NA
25	If convertible, fully or partially	NA
26	If convertible, conversion rate	NA
27	If convertible, mandatory or optional conversion	NA
28	If convertible, specify instrument type convertible into	NA
29	If convertible, specify issuer of instrument it converts into	NA
30	Write-down feature	NA
31	If write-down, write-down trigger(s)	NA
32	If write-down, full or partial	NA
33	If write-down, permanent or temporary	NA
34	If temporary write-down, description of write-up mechanism	NA
35	Position in subordination hierarchy in liquidation (specify instrument type immediately senior to instrument)	NA
36	Non-compliant transitioned features	NA
37	If yes, specify non-compliant features	NA

Capital Management

Bank Alkhair's capital adequacy policy is to maintain a strong capital base to support the Bank's financial position. Current and future capital requirements are determined on the basis of business growth expectations for each business line; future sources and uses of funds, including seed capital requirements; and expected sell-down and placement targets, and the Bank's future dividend policy.

The following tables detail the risk-weighted exposures, regulatory capital requirements and regulatory capital ratios for the Bank Alkhair B.S.C. (c) (Group) as at 30 June 2018, 31 December 2017 and 31 December 2016. The figures for the period ending 30 June 2018 are based on the standardised approach for credit risk and market risk, and the basic indicator approach for operational risk. The Bank considers Standard & Poor's, Fitch and Moody's to be External Credit Assessment Institutions (ECAIs) for the risk weighting of balance with banks, placement with financial institutions, financing receivables and investment in Sukuk. If there are two assessments available by eligible ECAIs chosen by the Bank which map into different risk weights, the higher risk weight will be applied. If there are three assessments available by eligible ECAIs chosen by the greater to, and the higher of those two risk weights will be selected.

The Bank uses the Standardised Approach for allocating capital for credit risk and consequently uses the same approach for allocating capital for counterparty credit risk. The Bank does not deal with, finance or hold securities on behalf of Highly Leveraged Institutions (HLIs) as defined by the Basel Committee on Banking Supervision (BCBS). The Bank's methodology and approach for establishing and approving counterparty and credit limits is based on an extensive review and analysis of a counterparty's financial condition and performance, trading history, due diligence covering licensing, regulatory oversight and anti-money laundering compliance review tools which are all designed to exclude HLIs.

Bank Alkhair's treasury counterparts are fully licensed and regulated financial institutions. Before establishing limits, all counterparties undergo a thorough credit risk assessment and due diligence review before approval by the Risk Committee.

As part of its collateral management policy, the Bank only accepts collateral in line with Shari'ah requirements, and with a view to minimising risk exposure. The Bank also manages its collateral to minimise collateral concentration risk either by specific issuer, market or instrument.

The Bank's credit policy defines the approach to be used when determining provisions, depending on the number of days outstanding and the credit risk rating. Facilities where repayments of principal and/or profit charges have been outstanding for more than 90 days are classified as non-performing. All facilities graded as non-performing have been provided for. General provisions are assessed and calculated on a portfolio basis if it is determined that a portfolio of facilities is affected by common risk factors that are likely to increase the collective probability of default on those facilities. Specific provisions are calculated on a facility-by-facility basis after incorporating the value of realisable collateral net of any disposal costs.

The Group Risk Management policies and objectives disclosed in the notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements have been effective throughout the reporting period.

Credit Risk-Weighted Exposures

Under the CBB standardised approach, credit risk exposures are assigned to one of fourteen standard portfolios as shown below, risk weighted accordingly.

	Risk-weighted equivalents			Basel III risk- weightings	
(US\$ millions)	<u>H1 2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>		
	BASEL III	BASEL III	BASEL III		
Claims on sovereigns	-	-	-	20%-100%	
Claims on international organisations	-	-	-	n/a	
Claims on non-central government public sector entities	-	-	-	20%	
Claims on multilateral development banks	-	-	-	n/a	
Claims on banks	13.4	5.2	9.1	20%-100%	
Claims on investment firms	-	-	-	50%	
Claims on corporates	135.9	80.2	41.6	20%-800%	
Regulatory retail portfolios	-	-	-	n/a	
Residential property	-	-	-	n/a	
Past due exposures	-	1.2	7.0	100%-150%	
Investments in equities and funds:					
Investments in listed equities	-	10.4	-	100%	
Investments in unlisted equities	-	0.6	13.1	150%	
Significant investment in the common shares of financial entities > 10%	-	22.3	26.7	250%	
Significant investment in the common shares of commercial entities	269.1	343.4	56.0	800%	
Other investment with excess amount over 15%	1,917.1	1,041.4	1,224.3	800%	
Investments in unrated funds	-	0.3	24.6	100%-150%	
Real estate holdings	-	6.9	44.2	200%	
Other assets	-	17.0	18.2	100%	
Underwriting assets	-	-	-	n/a	
Credit risk-weighted assets	2,335.5	1,528.9	1,464.8		

Minimum Capital Requirements for Islamic Financing Contracts

(US\$ millions)	30 Jun	ie 2018	31 December 2017		
	Risk- weighted equivalents	Minimum capital requirements	Risk- weighted equivalents	Minimum capital requirements	
Murabaha	19.2	2.4	18.2	2.3	
Sukuks	132.0	16.5	86.3	10.8	
Quoted Equity Securities	-	-	18.5	2.3	
Unquoted Equity Securities	17.8	2.2	25.5	3.2	
Quoted Funds	42.6	5.3	43.7	5.5	
Unquoted Funds	4.6	0.6	4.2	0.5	

Market Risk-Weighted Exposures

Market risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of financial instruments will fluctuate due to adverse changes in profit rates, foreign exchange rates, and equity and commodity prices. Under the CBB standardised approach, market risk exposures are calculated for the five categories shown in the table below. Apart from limited foreign exchange, which is mainly transaction-driven, and long-term foreign currency exposure on private equity investments, the Bank has limited exposure to short-term market risks.

The details of the group's market risk capital charges and the equivalent market risk-weighted exposures as at 30 June 2018, 31 December 2017 and 31 December 2016 are:

(US\$ millions)	<u>30 June</u> 2018	<u>31</u> December 2017	<u>31</u> December 2016
Price risk	-	-	-
Equities position risk	-	-	-
Sukuk risk	-	-	-
Foreign exchange risk	3.1	3.6	4.4
Commodities risk	-		
Total capital requirement for market risk	3.3	3.6	4.4
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Multiplier	12.5	12.5	12.5
Total Market risk-weighted exposures	38.8	45.0	55.0

The details of the Group's maximum and minimum value for each category of the market risk during the periods ended 30 June 2018 and 31 December 2017 are:

	<u>30 June</u>	<u>e 2018</u>	31 Decem	<u>ber 2017</u>
	<u>Maximum</u>	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>	<u>Minimum</u>
	<u>Capital</u>	<u>Capital</u>	<u>Capital</u>	<u>Capital</u>
(US\$ millions)	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Charge</u>
Price risk	-	-	-	-
Equities position risk	-	-	-	-
Sukuk risk	-	-	-	-
Foreign exchange risk	3.6	3.1	4.4	3.3
Commodities risk				
Total capital requirement for market risk	3.3	3.2	4.4	3.3
Multiplier	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5
Total Market risk-weighted exposures	45.3	38.8	55.0	41.3

Operational Risk

Operational risk is the risk of unexpected losses resulting from inadequate or failed internal controls or procedures, systems failures, fraud, business interruption, compliance breaches, human error, management failure and or inadequate staffing. The Bank has a policy in place which outlines the Bank's approach in the management of operational risk, including the appointment of departmental Risk Champions, the mapping of key processes; and establishment of Key Risk Indicators (KRI's) used for monitoring operational risks through Risk and Control Self Assessments (RCSAs).

To support a robust internal control environment, the Risk Management function is actively involved in oversight of key control processes including exposure and limit monitoring. In addition, it also independently reviews payment authorisation and control arrangements, Nostro account reconciliations, new product proposals, new counterparty limit proposals, new commodity broker proposals, and key changes in internal processes.

For selected material operational risks where the Bank's capacity to fully mitigate risk is limited, Takaful insurance contracts are used to transfer such risks to third parties. Key risks where Takaful insurance contracts are used include professional indemnity liability, property risks and third party liability.

Operational Risk-Weighted Exposures

For the purposes of calculating regulatory capital for operational risk under CBB capital adequacy regulation, the Bank uses the Basic Indicator Approach where gross income (weighted by an alpha of 15%) is used as a proxy for operational risk capital. The details of Bank Alkhair's operational risk capital charge, and the equivalent operational risk-weighted exposures as at the end of 30 June 2018 is shown below:

(US\$ millions)	<u>30</u> June 2018	<u>31</u> <u>December</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>31</u> December 2016
Gross income	33.3	33.3	28.1
Average gross income for three years Alpha Capital charge for operational risk	32.7 15% 4.9	32.7 15% 4.9	32.2 15% 4.8
Multiplier	12.5	12.5	12.5
Total operational risk-weighted exposures	61.3	61.3	60.4

Non-Shari'ah income

The bank charged late fees on some repayments from an investment, these fees have been pooled in an account to be used for charity purposes, and the bank charged these fees on 24 transactions incurred between 2009 till 2012. As at 30 June 2018, the outstanding balance of non-Shari'ah income is US\$ 490,265 which the Shari'ah Supervisory Board advised the Bank to donate to registered charities, and submit the list of beneficiaries to the Board.

Risk-Weighted Exposures

Risk-weighted exposures increased by US\$ 806.5 million (52.8%) in H1 2018, from US\$ 1,528.9 million as at 31 December 2018 to US\$ 2,335.4 million as at 30 June 2018, as detailed below:

(US\$ millions)	<u>30</u> June 2018	<u>31</u> December 2017	<u>31</u> December <u>2016</u>
Credit risk-weighted exposures	2,335.4	1,528.9	1,464.8
Market risk-weighted exposures	61.3	61.3	55
Operational risk-weighted exposures	38.8	45.0	53.6
Total risk-weighted exposures	2,435.5	1,635.2	1,573.4

Equity price risk

Equity price risk is the risk that the fair value of equities decreases as the result of adverse changes in the levels of equity prices and the value of individual stocks. Equity price risk arises from the Group's investment portfolio. The Group conducts significant investment activity in private equity, mainly in unquoted entities. The Group manages this risk through diversification of its investments in terms of geographical distribution and industry concentration by arranging representation on the Board of Directors within the investee company, wherever possible. Investments are managed within maximum concentration risk limits, approved by the Board of Directors of the Bank.

Currency risk

Currency risk is the risk that the value of a financial instrument will fluctuate due to adverse changes in foreign exchange rates, for further details, please refer to the financial statements notes.

Group Structure

The Group's financial statements are prepared on a full consolidation basis, with all subsidiaries being consolidated in accordance with the Financial Accounting Standards issued by the Accounting and Auditing Organisation for Islamic Financial Institutions (AAOIFI). For capital adequacy purposes, all subsidiaries are included within the Group structure. However, the CBB's capital adequacy methodology accommodates both full consolidation, risk weighting as well as regulatory adjustment (deductions).

The principal subsidiaries and associates, as well as the treatment for capital adequacy purposes, are as follows:

	Domicile	Ownership	Regulatory treatment
Subsidiaries		-	
Alkhair International Islamic Bank Malaysia Berhad	Malaysia	100%	Full Consolidation
Alkhair Capital Menkul Degerler A.S.	Turkey	95.8%	Full Consolidation
Alkhair Portföy Yönetimi A.Ş.	Turkey	99.6%	Full Consolidation
Alkhair Capital Saudi Arabia	Kingdom of Saudi Arabia	53.3%	Full Consolidation
Al-Tajamouat for Touristic Projects Co Plc	Jordan	50.6%	Risk Weighting
Tintoria international Limited	United Arab Emirates	52.1%	Risk Weighting
Associates			
BFC Group Holdings Ltd.	United Arab Emirates	43.36%	Regulatory Adjustment & Risk weighting
T'azur Company B.S.C. (c)	Kingdom of Bahrain	25.86%	Regulatory Adjustment & Risk weighting

Capital Adequacy Ratio

Capital Ratios - Consolidated & Subsidiaries above 5% of Group Regulatory Capital.

(Percent)	30 June 2018		31 December 2017		31 December 201	
	Tier 1 Capital Ratio	Total Capital Ratio	Tier 1 Capital Ratio	Total Capital Ratio	Tier 1 Capital Ratio	Total Capital Ratio
Bank Alkhair Group	-1.7	0.1	1.1	1.8	1.1	5.1
Alkhair International Islamic Bank Berhad	9.9	9.9	18.6	18.6	18.6	32.6
Alkhair Capital Saudi Arabia	8.5	8.5	10.8	10.8	10.8	55.3
Alkhair Capital Menkul Degerler A.S.	19.9	19.9	19.9	19.9	19.9	35.8

Based on the planned asset sales program and operating cash flow projections, the Group expects to improve its risk weighted assets profile and capital adequacy ratio. The Bank's Board of Directors and senior management are actively looking for other long-term options to enhance the capital position of the Bank to meet the amended capital requirements set by the CBB.

The minimum consolidated capital required by Bank Alkhair to maintain compliance at 12.5% is shown in the table below.

(US\$ millions)	<u>30</u> June 2018	<u>31</u> <u>December</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>31</u> <u>December</u> <u>2016</u>
Credit risk	291.9	191.1	183.1
Market risk	7.7	5.6	6.8
Operational risk	4.9	7.7	6.7
Total capital requirements	304.5	204.4	196.6

The minimum capital requirements for equity investments of the Group, broken down by appropriate equity groupings, consistent with the methodology, as well as the aggregate amounts and type of equity investments subject to any supervisory transition or grandfathering provisions regarding regulatory capital requirements is shown in the table below:

	<u>30</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>31</u>
	<u>June</u>	December	December
(US\$ millions)	<u>2018</u>	2017	2016
Investments in listed equities	-	1.3	-
Investments in unlisted equities	-	0.1	1.6
Significant investment in the common shares of			
financial entities > 10%	-	2.8	3.3
Significant investment in the common shares of			
commercial entities	33.6	42.9	7.0
Other investment with excess amount over 15%	239.6	130.2	153.0
Investments in unlisted real estate companies	-	-	2.3
Investments in unrated funds	-		3.1
Total capital requirements	273.3	177.3	170.3

RISK MANAGEMENT

Credit Risk

Gross and average credit risk

The table below shows the average gross credit risk exposure of the Bank as at 30 June 2018, classified as per the disclosure in the consolidated financial statements:

Balance sheet items	Funded exposure	Unfunded exposure	Total gross credit exposure	Average gross credit exposure*
(US\$ thousands)				
Balances with banks	5,512	-	5,512	11,895
Placements with financial institutions	23,566	-	23,566	17,034
Financing Receivables	3,333	-	3,333	7,296
Investment securities - Sukuk	10,944	-	10,944	8,284
Other assets	10,944	-	10,944	10,222
-	54,299	-	54,299	54,730
Commitment to invest	-	10,030	10,030	10,030
Guarantees	-	5,042	5,084	5,125
Total credit risk exposure	54,299	15,072	69,413	60,885

* Average gross credit exposures have been calculated based on the average of balances outstanding on the period ended 30 June 2018.

Residual maturity breakdown of the whole credit portfolio disclosed in the notes to the consolidated financial statements for the period ended 30 June 2018. Total of US\$ 48.2 million due to financial institutions which residual maturity from 5-10 years.

CREDIT RISK MITIGATION

Credit risk mitigation is defined as the utilization of a number of techniques, such as collaterals and guarantees to mitigate the credit risks that the Group is exposed to. The Group's first priority when establishing Islamic financing is to determine the borrower's capacity to repay and not to rely principally on security or collateral.

The credit exposure information presented above represents gross exposures prior to the application of any credit risk mitigation techniques, the Bank's credit risk mainly arises from its investment transactions.

As of 30 June 2018, the Bank eligible credit risk mitigation consist of collateral in form of cash and deposits in Malaysia of US\$ 2.7 million against US\$ 8.8 million financing receivables which maintained by the subsidiary of the Bank.

Risk concentration of the maximum exposure to credit risk

Risk Exposure Concentration

Risk concentration arises when a number of counterparties are engaged in similar business activities, or activities in the same geographic region, or have similar economic features that would cause their ability to meet contractual obligations to be similarly affected by changes in economic, political or other conditions. Concentrations indicate the relative sensitivity of the Group's performance to developments affecting a particular industry or geographical location.

In order to avoid excessive concentrations of risk, the Group's policies and procedures include guidelines to focus on maintaining a diversified portfolio. In line with regulatory requirements, the bank has a group level Large Exposure Policy which details the Bank's approach in managing concentration risk to sectors, asset classes, single obligors and countries including defining specific limits.

Concentration of risks is managed by counterparty, by geographical region and by industry sector. The maximum credit exposure to any client, or counterparty, or group of closely related counterparties as of 30 June 2018 was US\$ 10.5 million, relating to "investment in sukuks" (2017: US\$ 6.8 million).

Counterparty Credit Risk

A counterparty is defined as an obligor (individual, company, other legal entity), a guarantor of an obligor, or person receiving funds from the Group. It also includes the issuer of a security in case of a security held by the Group, or a party with whom a contract is made by the Group for financial transactions. The measure of exposure reflects the maximum loss that the Group may suffer in case the counterparty fails to fulfil its commitments. Group exposure is defined as the total exposure to all counterparties closely related or connected to each other. Large exposure is any exposure whether direct, indirect or funded by restricted investment accounts to a counterparty or a group of closely related counterparties which is greater than or equal to 10% of the Group's Capital Base. The Group has adopted Standardized Approach to allocate capital for counterparty credit risk.

Connected counterparties includes companies or persons connected with the bank, including, in particular, subsidiaries and associated companies (whether such association is due to control or shareholding or otherwise), Directors and their associates (whether such association is due to control or family links or otherwise), members of the Shari'a Supervisory Board, management and other staff, and shareholders holding 10% or more of the voting power of the bank.

As a strategy, exposure to connected counterparties may be undertaken only when negotiated and agreed on an arm's length basis. The Bank shall not assume any exposure to its external auditors or members of Shari'a Supervisory Board. The disclosure relating to related party transactions has been made in the consolidated financial statements. All related party transactions have been executed at arm's length basis.

Exposures in excess of the 15% limit for the period ended 30 June 2018 are as follows:

Counterparties	Amount of exposures In US\$ '000	% of exposure To capital	Type of Exposures
Counterparty # 1	116,364	8499.94%	Investment and Receivable
Counterparty # 2	51,160	3737.03%	Investment and Receivable
Counterparty # 3	38,521	2813.78%	Investment
Counterparty # 4	27,400	2001.46%	Investment and Receivable.
Counterparty # 5	19,315	1410.88%	Bank Balance.
Counterparty # 6	18,923	1382.25%	Investment, Guarantee and Receivable.
Counterparty # 7	15,024	1097.44%	Investment and Receivable
Counterparty # 8	10,596	774.00%	Investment, placement and Receivable
Counterparty # 9	5,000	365.23%	Investment and Receivable
Counterparty # 10	1,855	135.5%	Bank Balance.

Geographical Exposure Distribution

	30 June 2018						
Type of Assets/Region	Bahrain	Middle East	North America	Asia	Europe	Grand Total	
Balances with banks	401	4,054	-	1,053	-	5,508	
Placement with financial institutions	-	-	-	4,201	441	4,642	
Financing Receivables	-	-	-	3,333	-	3,333	
Investment securities - Sukuk	-	10,542	-	402	-	10,944	
Other Assets	12,117	19,475	(14)	320	2,430	34,328	
Off Balance sheet	42	-	5,000	-	-	5,042	
Grand Total	12,560	34,071	4,986	9,309	2,871	63,797	

	31 December 2017						
Type of Assets/Region	Bahrain	Middle East	North America	Asia	Europe	Grand Total	
Balances with banks	796	4,600	-	2,745	-	8,141	
Placement with financial institutions	5,009	-	-	850	729	6,588	
Financing Receivables	-	-	-	7,970	986	8,956	
Investment securities - Sukuk	-	6,805	-	2,510	-	9,315	
Other Assets	2,506	18,497	(21)	390	4,298	25,670	
Off Balance sheet	-	-	5,000	-	103	5,103	
Grand Total	8,311	29,902	4,979	14,465	6,116	63,773	

Industry Sector Exposure

		30 June 2018						
Type of Assets/Industry	Banking and Finance	Industrial	Real Estate and Construction	Technology	Funds	Trade	Government	Total
Funded:								
Balances with banks	5,508	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,508
Placement with financial institutions	4,642	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,642
Financing Receivables	(34)	1,177	-	2,190	-	-	-	3,333
Investment securities – Sukuk	402	-	10,542	-	-	-	-	10,944
Other Assets UnFunded:	16,968	56	15,130	(16)	368	1,822	-	34,328
Guarantees	42	-	-	5,000	-	-	-	5,042
Grand Total	27,528	1,233	25,672	7,174	368	1,822	-	63,797

	31 December 2017							
Type of Assets/Industry	Banking and Finance	Industrial	Real Estate and Construction	Technology	Funds	Trade	Government	Total
Funded:								
Balances with banks	8,141	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,141
Placement with financial institutions	6,588	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,588
Financing Recivables	-	2,813	986	3,155		2,002	-	8,956
Investment securities - Sukuk	2,510	-	6,805		-	-	-	9,315
Other Assets UnFunded:	11,019	54	12,438	(23)	731	1,451	-	25,670
Guarantees	103	-	-	5,000	-	-	-	5,103
Grand Total	28,361	2,867	20,229	8,132	731	3,453	-	63,773

Credit quality per class of financial assets

The Group did not apply a standard credit rating to its investment business, as the Group assessed credit quality according to the policies of the respective business areas. Management considers the credit quality of the Group's financial assets to be of standard quality as of 30 June 2017. Following is an analysis of credit quality by class of financial assets:

	30 June 2018					
	Neither past due nor impaired	Past due but not impaired	Individually impaired	Impairment/ provision	Total	
Balances with banks	5,508	-	-	-	5,508	
Placements with financial institutions	4,642	-	-	-	4,642	
Financing receivables	2,190	-	1,177	(34)	3,333	
Investment securities – Sukuk	10,944	-	-	-	10,944	
Other assets	36,597	-	-	(2,269)	34,328	
Guarantees	5,042	-	-	-	5,042	
Total	64,923	-	1,177	(2,303)	63,797	

Exposures that are past due but not impaired are either past due for less than 90 days and the financial condition of the customer is sound, or has adequate unimpaired collateral coverage. Provisioning is driven by the performance of the customer against laid down terms and conditions of the facility, internal credit grading and classification system calculated on net exposure after deducting the discounted value of recoverable collateral and any disposal costs.

	31 December 2017					
	Neither past due nor impaired	Past due but not impaired	Individually impaired	Impairment/ provision	Total	
Balances with banks	8,141	-	-	-	8,141	
Placements with financial institutions	6,588	-	-	-	6,588	
Financing receivables	6,890	-	11,219	(9,153)	8,956	
Investment securities – Sukuk	9,315	-	-	-	9,315	
Other assets	25,670	-	2,269	(2,269)	25,670	
Guarantees	5,103	-			5,103	
Total	61,707	-	13,488	(11,422)	63,773	

Ageing analysis of past due but not impaired by class of financial assets:

	30 June 2018				
	Less than 120 days	Less than 365 days	More than 365 days	Total	
Impaired Islamic Financing Receivable	1,536	-	7,710	9,246	

	31 December 2017				
	Less than 120 days	Less than 365 days	More than 365 days	Total	
Impaired Islamic Financing Receivable	1,523	-	9,696	11,219	

Past due and non-performing facilities

Past due represents repayments that are not received on the contractual repayment dates. The Group defines non-performing facilities as the facilities that are overdue for period of 90 days or more. These exposures are placed on a non-accrual status with income being recognised to the extent that it is actually received/distributed.

Past due Islamic financing contracts as at 30 June 2018 amounted to US\$1.14 million, and the breakdown by industry and geographic region is shown below:

Industry Classification	Amount as at 30 June 2018 (in US\$ millions)	Amount as at 31 December 2017 (in US\$ millions)	Geographical classification
Industrial	9.24	9.23	Asia
Real Estate and Construction	1.99	1.99	Europe
Collective provision	(0.03)	(0.08)	Middle East & Asia
Specific provision	(10.06)	(9.07)	Middle East & Asia
Total	1.14	2.07	

Past due and fully impaired Islamic financing contracts as at 30 June 2018 amounted to US\$ 7.71 million, which was due from companies in industrial sector located in the Southeast Asian region.

Specific provisions

	Specific Provision against					
(US\$ thousands)	Financing	Other Assets	Equity-	Total		
	Receivable		accounted			
			investees			
At the beginning of the year	9,069	2,268	4,500	15,837		
New Provision made	-	-	-	-		
Write off	-	-	-	-		
Recoveries / Write backs	(986)	-	-	(986)		
Balance at the end of the year	8,083	2,268	4,500	14,851		

Collective provisions

	Collective Provision against					
(US\$ thousands)	Financing	Other Assets	Equity-	Total		
	Receivable		accounted			
			investees			
At the beginning of the year	82	-	-	82		
New Provision made	-	-	-	-		
Write off	-	-	-	-		
Recoveries / Write backs	(48)	-	-	-		
Balance at the end of the year	34	_	-	814		

LIQUIDITY RISK MANAGEMENT

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Group will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with its financial liabilities that are settled by delivering cash or another financial assets. The key features of the Group's liquidity methodology are:

 The Group Asset and Liability Committee ("ALCO") is responsible for liquidity monitoring, cash flow planning and general asset liability management. In accordance with the Basel recommendations on liquidity management, the Group measures liquidity according to two criteria: "normal business", reflecting day-to-day expectations regarding the funding of the Group; and "crisis scenario", reflecting simulated extreme business circumstances in which the Group's survival may be threatened.

The Group's liquidity policy is to hold sufficient liquid assets to cover its committed statement of financial position requirements, plus its budgeted expenses for the liquidity horizon and its forecast investment commitments over the liquidity horizon

The following are the indicators of the Group's exposure to liquidity risk.

Short term assets (in US\$ millions) Short term liabilities (in US\$ millions) <i>Liquidity ratios (in %)</i>	<u>30</u> <u>June</u> <u>2018</u> 73,506 18,664	<u>31</u> <u>December</u> <u>2017</u> 70,196 55,828
Liquid assets : Total assets	9.3%	9.7%
Liquid assets : Total deposits	18.9%	19.6%
Liquid assets : Total liabilities	15.3%	16.0%
Short term assets: Short term liabilities	393.8%	125.7%

Analysis of Financial liabilities

	Γ				
Gro	Carrying				
Less than 3 months	3 to 12 months	Over 1 year	Total	value	
5,476	12,818	48,585	66,879	56,631	
32,965	151,212	-	184,177	179,620	
14,311	36,967	3,075	54,353	54,353	
52,752	200,997	51,660	305,409	290,604	

Total financial liabilities

Due to financial institutions

Due to customers Other liabilities

	At 31 December 2017					
	Gross undiscounted cash flows				Carrying	
	Less than 3 months	3 to 12 months	Over 1 year	Total	value	
Due to financial institutions	12,502	17,543	48,585	78,630	71,342	
Due to customers	25,173	145,609	-	170,782	167,372	
Other liabilities	15,047	35,504	3,019	53,570	53,570	
Total financial liabilities	52,722	198,656	51,604	302,982	292,284	

The table below shows the contractual expiry by maturity of the Group's commitments.

	30 June 2018				
	On demand	3 to 12 months	Over 1 year		
Investment-related Commitments	10,030	-	-		
Lease Commitments	-	286	-		
Guarantees	5,042	-	-		
Total	15,161	242	-		

	31 December 2017					
	On demand	3 to 12 months	Over 1 year			
Investment-related Commitments	10,030	-	-			
Lease Commitments	-	81	-			
Guarantees	5,103	-				
Total	15,161	323	81			

		30 June 2018						
	Up to 1	1 to 3	3 to 6	6 to 12	Total up to	Over	Undated	
	month US\$ '000	monts US\$ '000	months US\$ '000	months US\$ '000	1 year US\$ '000	1 year US\$ '000	US\$ '000	Total US\$ '000
ASSETS								
Cash and balances with banks	5,512	-	-	-	5,512	-	-	5,512
Placements with financial institutions	23,566	-	-	-	23,566	-	-	23,566
Financing receivables	3,333	-	-	-	3,333	-	-	3,333
Investments	602	4,373	1,385	42,026	48,386	-	-	48,386
Investment in associates	-	-	-	-	-	-	125,077	125,077
Investment in real estate	-	-	-	-	-	-	224,882	224,882
Other assets	4	36,117	1,855	-	37,976	-	-	37,976
Equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-	9,018	9,018
Total assets	33,016	40,490	3,240	42,026	118,772	-	358,976	477,749
LIABILITIES								
Due to financial institutions	_	_	10,069	_	10,069	46,562	_	56,631
Due to customers	2,139	2,213	175,268	-	179,620	-	_	179,620
Other liabilities	185	14,127	36,966	-	51,279	3,075	-	54,353
Total liabilities	2,324	16,340	222,304	-	240,967	49,637	-	290,604
Commitments	-	-	-	286	286	-	15,072	15,401
Net liquidity gap	30,693	24,150	(219,064)	41,740	(122,481)	(49,637)	343,904	171,787
Net cumulative gap	10,414	34,564	(184,499)	(142,759)	(122,481)	(172,118)	171,787	

The maturity for the financial assets and liabilities were determined based on their residual maturity period and for the remaining assets and liabilities the maturity profile was determined based on expected timeline to recover or settle.

		31 December 2017						
	Up to 1	1 to 3	3 to 6	6 to 12	Total up to	Over	Undated	
	month US\$ '000	monts US\$ '000	months US\$ '000	months US\$ '000	1 year US\$ '000	1 year US\$ '000	US\$ '000	Total US\$ '000
ASSETS								
Cash and balances with banks	8,172	-	-	-	8,172	-	-	8,172
Placements with financial institutions	6,588	-	-	-	6,588	-	-	6,588
Financing receivables	5,515	3,441	-	-	8,956	-	-	8,956
Investments	18,797	3,006	34,250	14,591	70,644	-	-	70,644
Investment in associates	-	-	-	-	-	-	125,035	125,035
Investment in real estate	-	-	-	-	-	-	224,873	224,873
Other assets	756	23,921	3,806	-	28,483	-	-	28,483
Equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-	9,491	9,491
Total assets	39,828	30,368	38,056	14,591	122,843	-	359,399	482,242
LIABILITIES								
Due to financial institutions	6,620	9,027	6,115	8,838	30,600	40,742	-	71,342
Due to customers	22,442	2,692	142,238	-	167,372	-	_	167,372
Other liabilities	352	14,695	35,504	-	50,551	3,019	-	53,570
Total liabilities	29,414	26,414	183,857	8,838	248,523	43,761	-	292,284
Commitments	-	81	-	-	81	-	15,133	15,214
Net liquidity gap	10,414	3,873	(145,801)	5,753	(125,761)	(43,761)	344,266	174,744
Net cumulative gap	10,414	14,287	(131,514)	(125,761)	(125,761)	(169,522)	174,744	

The maturity for the financial assets and liabilities were determined based on their residual maturity period and for the remaining assets and liabilities the maturity profile was determined based on expected timeline to recover or settle.

MARKET RISK MANAGEMENT

Market risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of financial instruments will fluctuate due to adverse changes in market variables such as profit rates, foreign exchange rates, equity prices and commodities. The Group classifies exposures to market risk into either trading or non-trading portfolios. The Group does not currently engage in trading activity. Non-trading positions are managed and monitored using sensitivity analysis.

Market Risk: Non-trading

Profit rate risk

Profit rate risk arises from the possibility that changes in profit rates will affect future cash flows or the fair values of the financial instruments. The Board has set limits on profit rate positions by maturity. The Group currently has limited exposure to profit rate risk. The Group's assets and liabilities that are exposed to profit rate risk include: placements with financial institutions, financing receivables, investments in sukuk and due to financial and non-financial institutions.

The following table demonstrates the sensitivity to a reasonable possible change in profit rates by 200 bps, with all other variables held constant. The effect of decreases in profit rate is expected to be equal and opposite to the effect of the increases shown.

(Amounts in US\$ thousands)

	30 June 2018			31	31 December 2017			
		Change in			Change in			
		profit	Effect on		profit	Effect on		
		rate bps	net profit		rate bps	net profit		
	Balance	(+/-)	(+/-)	Balance	(+/-)	(+/-)		
Assets								
Placements with financial institutions	23,566	200	47	6,588	200	13		
Financing receivables	3,333	200	7	8,956	200	18		
Investments	10,943	200	22	9,315	200	19		
Liabilities								
Due to financial institutions	(56,631)	200	(113)	(71,342)	200	(143)		
Due to customers	(179,620)	200	(359)	(167,372)	200	(335)		
		-			-			
Total		=	(397)		_	(428)		

Currency risk

Currency risk is the risk that the value of a financial instrument will fluctuate due to adverse changes in foreign exchange rates.

The table below indicates the currencies to which the Group has significant exposure. The analysis shows the impact of a 20% movement in the currency rate against the United States Dollar, with all other variables held constant on the consolidated statement of income and equity. The effect of decreases in the currency rates is expected to be equal and opposite to the effect of the increases shown.

	30 June 2018			31 December 2017			
	Exposure	Effect on	Effect on	Exposure	Effect on	Effect on	
	(USD)	net profit	equity	(USD)	net profit	equity	
Currency	equivalent)	(+/-)	(+/-)	equivalent)	(+/-)	(+/-)	
Kuwaiti Dinar	9	2	-	(4,166)	(833)	-	
Turkish Lira	1,011	202.20	-	1,097	95.40	124	
Malaysian Ringgit	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Euro	-	-	-	14	2.80	-	
Jordanian Dinar •	35,880	7,176	-	71,666	29	14,304	
Sterling Pounds	1,740	348	-	3,691	738	-	

* Jordanian Dinar is officially pegged to International Monetary Fund (IMP) special drawing rights (SDR's). In practice this is fixed at 1US\$=0.706 JOD most of the times.

PREPAYMENT RISK

Prepayment risk is the risk that the Group will incur a financial loss because its customers and counterparties prepay or request repayment earlier than expected. The Group is not exposed to any significant prepayment risk.

Displaced Commercial Risk

The Bank does not have Profit Sharing Investment Accounts (PSIAs) and is not exposed to displaced commercial risk.

Capital Restrictions and income mobility

Distributing profits by subsidiary to the parent is subject to compliance with applicable local laws and regulations. Such distribution should go through the legal and regulatory channels applicable in relevant jurisdiction. Mobilisation of capital, reserves and equivalent funds out of the subsidiary to the parent is subject to the local rules and regulations. The approval is obtained from CBB by the parent for increasing investment in subsidiaries.

Segregation of duties

The Board is responsible for the adequacy and effectiveness of system of internal controls of the bank which is supported by segregation of duties, enhanced system of internal controls across all aspects of the business as well as strong support functions covering legal, regulatory, governance, reputation, finance, information technology, human resources and strategy.

Risk Management governance originates at Board level, and cascades through to the CEO and businesses, via policies and delegated authorities which ensures Board-level oversight and a clear segregation of duties between those who originate and those who approve risk exposures.