

**Abu Dhabi Commercial Bank PJSC**  
**Review report and condensed consolidated interim financial**  
**information for the six month period ended June 30, 2017**

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## Report on review of condensed consolidated interim financial information

To the Board of Directors of  
Abu Dhabi Commercial Bank PJSC  
Abu Dhabi  
United Arab Emirates

### *Introduction*

We have reviewed the accompanying condensed consolidated interim statement of financial position of Abu Dhabi Commercial Bank PJSC as at 30 June 2017 and the related condensed consolidated interim statements of income, comprehensive income, changes in equity and cash flows for the six-month period then ended. Management is responsible for the preparation and presentation of this interim financial information in accordance with IAS 34, "Interim Financial Reporting". Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on this interim financial information based on our review.

### *Scope of review*

We conducted our review in accordance with International Standard on Review Engagements 2410, "Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity." 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 International Standards on Auditing 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 interim financial information is not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with IAS 34, "Interim Financial Reporting".

Deloitte & Touche (M.E.)




Signed by:  
Mohammad Khamees Al Tah  
Registration No. 717  
20 July 2017  
Abu Dhabi  
United Arab Emirates

**Abu Dhabi Commercial Bank PJSC****Condensed consolidated interim statement of financial position**

As at June 30, 2017

	Notes	As at June 30 2017 unaudited AED'000	As at December 31 2016 audited AED'000
<b>Assets</b>			
Cash and balances with central banks	3	19,534,698	19,261,902
Deposits and balances due from banks, net	4	16,592,764	24,663,615
Reverse-repo placements	5	550,493	1,524,806
Trading securities	6	549,171	418,758
Derivative financial instruments	7	5,748,135	3,971,789
Investment securities	8	40,904,993	33,059,466
Loans and advances to customers, net	9	164,251,326	158,457,695
Investment in associate		200,481	204,977
Investment properties	10	662,168	659,776
Other assets	11	9,279,190	15,120,988
Property and equipment, net		946,726	926,685
Intangible assets		18,800	18,800
<b>Total assets</b>		<b>259,238,945</b>	<b>258,289,257</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>			
Due to banks	12	6,158,545	3,842,714
Derivative financial instruments	7	6,256,667	4,792,529
Deposits from customers	13	161,778,656	155,442,207
Euro commercial paper	14	7,312,407	8,728,533
Borrowings	15	36,302,203	38,015,030
Other liabilities	16	10,926,983	17,117,359
<b>Total liabilities</b>		<b>228,735,461</b>	<b>227,938,372</b>
<b>Equity</b>			
Share capital	17	5,198,231	5,198,231
Share premium		2,419,999	2,419,999
Other reserves	18	7,630,092	7,437,283
Retained earnings		11,255,162	11,295,372
Capital notes	19	4,000,000	4,000,000
<b>Total equity</b>		<b>30,503,484</b>	<b>30,350,885</b>
<b>Total liabilities and equity</b>		<b>259,238,945</b>	<b>258,289,257</b>

This condensed consolidated interim financial information was approved by the Board of Directors and authorised for issue on July 20, 2017 and signed on its behalf by:

  
**Eissa Al Suwaidi**  
Chairman  
**Ala'a Eraiqat**  
Group Chief Executive Officer  
**Deepak Khullar**  
Group Chief Financial Officer

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this condensed consolidated interim financial information.

## Abu Dhabi Commercial Bank PJSC

### Condensed consolidated interim income statement (unaudited)

For the six month period ended June 30, 2017

	Notes	3 months ended June 30		6 months ended June 30	
		2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000
Interest income	20	2,199,031	1,924,999	4,342,774	3,839,371
Interest expense	21	(753,271)	(569,381)	(1,487,528)	(1,061,282)
<b>Net interest income</b>		<b>1,445,760</b>	<b>1,355,618</b>	<b>2,855,246</b>	<b>2,778,089</b>
Income from Islamic financing		259,585	205,403	505,958	388,823
Islamic profit distribution		(30,814)	(34,588)	(55,785)	(67,544)
<b>Net income from Islamic financing</b>		<b>228,771</b>	<b>170,815</b>	<b>450,173</b>	<b>321,279</b>
<b>Total net interest and Islamic financing income</b>		<b>1,674,531</b>	<b>1,526,433</b>	<b>3,305,419</b>	<b>3,099,368</b>
Net fees and commission income	22	381,433	375,542	754,693	733,973
Net trading (loss)/income	23	(28,772)	179,695	137,278	301,538
Other operating income	24	81,627	61,457	140,386	119,937
<b>Operating income</b>		<b>2,108,819</b>	<b>2,143,127</b>	<b>4,337,776</b>	<b>4,254,816</b>
Operating expenses	25	(671,255)	(666,058)	(1,411,394)	(1,404,061)
<b>Operating profit before impairment allowances</b>		<b>1,437,564</b>	<b>1,477,069</b>	<b>2,926,382</b>	<b>2,850,755</b>
Impairment allowances	26	(427,420)	(350,848)	(813,804)	(703,029)
Share in profit of associate		1,479	1,975	4,954	3,692
<b>Profit before taxation</b>		<b>1,011,623</b>	<b>1,128,196</b>	<b>2,117,532</b>	<b>2,151,418</b>
Overseas income tax expense		(3,152)	(2,365)	(3,749)	(4,543)
<b>Net profit for the period</b>		<b>1,008,471</b>	<b>1,125,831</b>	<b>2,113,783</b>	<b>2,146,875</b>
<b>Attributed to:</b>					
Equity holders of the Bank		1,008,471	1,124,843	2,113,783	2,145,118
Non-controlling interests		-	988	-	1,757
<b>Net profit for the period</b>		<b>1,008,471</b>	<b>1,125,831</b>	<b>2,113,783</b>	<b>2,146,875</b>
<b>Basic and diluted earnings per share (AED)</b>	27	<b>0.19</b>	<b>0.22</b>	<b>0.39</b>	<b>0.40</b>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this condensed consolidated interim financial information.

**Abu Dhabi Commercial Bank PJSC****Condensed consolidated interim statement of comprehensive income (unaudited)**

For the six month period ended June 30, 2017

	3 months ended June 30		6 months ended June 30	
	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000
<b>Net profit for the period</b>	<b>1,008,471</b>	1,125,831	<b>2,113,783</b>	2,146,875
<b>Items that may be re-classified subsequently to the condensed consolidated interim income statement</b>				
Exchange difference arising on translation of foreign operations (Note 18)	943	(3,777)	10,752	(4,048)
Net movement in cash flow hedge reserve (Note 18)	22,485	(32,509)	6,432	(52,801)
Net movement in fair value of available-for-sale investments (Note 18)	(77,542)	115,194	159,318	133,362
<b>Other comprehensive (loss)/ income for the period</b>	<b>(54,114)</b>	78,908	<b>176,502</b>	76,513
<b>Total comprehensive income for the period</b>	<b>954,357</b>	1,204,739	<b>2,290,285</b>	2,223,388
<b>Attributed to:</b>				
Equity holders of the Bank	954,357	1,203,751	2,290,285	2,221,631
Non-controlling interests	-	988	-	1,757
<b>Total comprehensive income for the period</b>	<b>954,357</b>	1,204,739	<b>2,290,285</b>	2,223,388

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## Abu Dhabi Commercial Bank PJSC

### Condensed consolidated interim statement of changes in equity (unaudited)

For the six month period ended June 30, 2017

	Share capital AED'000	Share premium AED'000	Other reserves AED'000	Retained earnings AED'000	Capital notes AED'000	Equity attributable to equity holders of the Bank AED'000	Non-controlling interests AED'000	Total equity AED'000
<b>Balance at January 1, 2017</b>	5,198,231	2,419,999	7,437,283	11,295,372	4,000,000	30,350,885	-	30,350,885
Net profit for the period	-	-	-	2,113,783	-	2,113,783	-	2,113,783
Other comprehensive income for the period	-	-	176,502	-	-	176,502	-	176,502
Other movements (Note 18)	-	-	16,307	2,214	-	18,521	-	18,521
Dividends paid to equity holders of the Bank	-	-	-	(2,079,292)	-	(2,079,292)	-	(2,079,292)
Capital notes coupon paid (Note 27)	-	-	-	(76,915)	-	(76,915)	-	(76,915)
<b>Balance at June 30, 2017</b>	<b>5,198,231</b>	<b>2,419,999</b>	<b>7,630,092</b>	<b>11,255,162</b>	<b>4,000,000</b>	<b>30,503,484</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>30,503,484</b>
<b>Balance at January 1, 2016</b>	5,595,597	3,848,286	5,656,564	9,627,315	4,000,000	28,727,762	5,041	28,732,803
Net profit for the period	-	-	-	2,145,118	-	2,145,118	1,757	2,146,875
Other comprehensive income for the period	-	-	76,513	-	-	76,513	-	76,513
Other movements (Note 18)	-	-	(10,075)	(4,883)	-	(14,958)	-	(14,958)
Dividends paid to equity holders of the Bank	-	-	-	(2,339,204)	-	(2,339,204)	-	(2,339,204)
Dividends paid to non-controlling interests	-	-	-	-	-	-	(5,041)	(5,041)
Capital notes coupon paid (Note 27)	-	-	-	(66,065)	-	(66,065)	-	(66,065)
<b>Balance at June 30, 2016</b>	<b>5,595,597</b>	<b>3,848,286</b>	<b>5,723,002</b>	<b>9,362,281</b>	<b>4,000,000</b>	<b>28,529,166</b>	<b>1,757</b>	<b>28,530,923</b>

Following the Annual General Meeting held on March 7, 2017, the shareholders approved the distribution of proposed cash dividend of AED 2,079,292 thousand for the year 2016, being AED 0.40 dividend per share and representing 40% of the paid up share capital (For the year 2015 - AED 2,339,204 thousand, being AED 0.45 dividend per share and representing 45% of the paid up share capital net of shares bought back).

The accompanying notes form an integral part of this condensed consolidated interim financial information.



## Abu Dhabi Commercial Bank PJSC

### Condensed consolidated interim statement of cash flows (unaudited)

For the six month period ended June 30, 2017

	6 months ended June 30	
	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000
<b>OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Profit before taxation	2,117,532	2,151,418
<b>Adjustments for:</b>		
Depreciation on property and equipment, net (Note 25)	78,594	70,446
Impairment allowance on loans and advances, net (Note 26)	975,609	792,366
Share in profit of associate	(4,954)	(3,692)
Discount unwind (Note 9)	(26,801)	(33,898)
Net gains from disposal of available-for-sale investments (Note 24)	(6,339)	(1,748)
Other impairment allowances and recoveries on available-for-sale investments (Note 26)	400	(19,099)
Interest income on available-for-sale investments	(565,575)	(264,567)
Dividend income on available-for-sale investments (Note 24)	(1,850)	(5,442)
Interest expense on borrowings and euro commercial paper	487,444	318,610
Net losses from trading securities (Note 23)	3,595	2,172
Ineffective portion of hedges – gains (Note 7)	(14,601)	(5,245)
Employees' incentive plan benefit expense (Note 18)	18,521	17,604
<b>Cash flow from operating activities before changes in operating assets and liabilities</b>	<b>3,061,575</b>	<b>3,018,925</b>
Increase in balances with central banks	(18,365)	(2,244,445)
Increase in due from banks, net	(1,165,247)	(1,876,001)
Decrease in reverse-repo placements	-	1,885,932
Net movement in derivative financial instruments	(115,808)	(103,199)
Net purchases of trading securities	(134,008)	(169,073)
Increase in loans and advances to customers, net	(6,739,908)	(9,389,356)
Increase in other assets	(377,234)	(389,906)
(Decrease)/increase in due to banks	(189,465)	1,099,107
Increase in deposits from customers	6,335,118	5,528,508
Increase in other liabilities	178,748	285,021
<b>Net cash from/(used in) operations</b>	<b>835,406</b>	<b>(2,354,487)</b>
Overseas tax paid	(2,170)	(4,040)
<b>Net cash from/(used in) operating activities</b>	<b>833,236</b>	<b>(2,358,527)</b>
<b>INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Recoveries on available-for-sale investments (Note 26)	-	19,099
Proceeds from redemption/disposal of available-for-sale investments	6,279,743	4,938,040
Purchase of available-for-sale investments	(13,785,779)	(8,388,184)
Interest received on available-for-sale investments	631,776	377,957
Dividends received on available-for-sale investments	1,850	5,442
Dividends received from associate	9,450	-
Additions to investment properties	-	(640)
Disposals of investment properties	-	2,850
Net purchase of property and equipment, net	(98,635)	(96,277)
<b>Net cash used in investing activities</b>	<b>(6,961,595)</b>	<b>(3,141,713)</b>
<b>FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Net (decrease)/increase in euro commercial paper	(1,480,052)	1,941,807
Net proceeds from borrowings	10,370,510	6,743,210
Repayment of borrowings	(12,592,319)	(8,207,263)
Interest paid on borrowings	(470,836)	(285,325)
Dividends paid to equity holders of the Bank	(2,079,292)	(2,339,204)
Purchase of employees' incentive plan shares (Note 18)	-	(32,562)
Dividends paid to non-controlling interests	-	(5,041)
Capital notes coupon paid (Note 27)	(76,915)	(66,065)
<b>Net cash used in financing activities</b>	<b>(6,328,904)</b>	<b>(2,250,443)</b>
<b>Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents</b>	<b>(12,457,263)</b>	<b>(7,750,683)</b>
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period	34,651,119	30,773,569
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period</b>	<b>22,193,856</b>	<b>23,022,886</b>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this condensed consolidated interim financial information.



**Condensed consolidated interim statement of cash flows (unaudited)**

For the six month period ended June 30, 2017

**Cash and cash equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents included in the condensed consolidated interim statement of cash flows comprise the following amounts:

	<b>As at June 30 2017 unaudited AED'000</b>	<b>As at December 31 2016 audited AED'000</b>
Cash and balances with central banks	<b>19,534,698</b>	19,261,902
Deposits and balances due from banks, net (excluding loans and advances to banks, net)	<b>12,223,832</b>	21,079,997
Reverse-repo placements	<b>550,493</b>	1,524,806
Due to banks	<b>(6,158,545)</b>	(3,842,714)
	<b>26,150,478</b>	38,023,991
Less: Cash and balances with central banks, deposits and balances due from banks, net and reverse-repo placements - with original maturity of more than 3 months	<b>(5,261,290)</b>	(4,867,005)
Add: Due to banks - with original maturity of more than 3 months	<b>1,304,668</b>	1,494,133
<b>Total cash and cash equivalents</b>	<b>22,193,856</b>	34,651,119

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this condensed consolidated interim financial information.

## **1. Activities and areas of operations**

Abu Dhabi Commercial Bank PJSC (“ADCB” or the “Bank”) is a public joint stock company with limited liability incorporated in the emirate of Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates (UAE). ADCB is principally engaged in the business of retail, commercial and Islamic banking and provision of other financial services through its network of forty eight branches and three pay offices in the UAE, two branches in India, one offshore branch in Jersey, its subsidiaries and two representative offices located in London and Singapore.

The registered head office of ADCB is at Abu Dhabi Commercial Bank Head Office Building, Sheikh Zayed Bin Sultan Street, Plot C- 33, Sector E-11, P. O. Box 939, Abu Dhabi, UAE.

The Bank has amended its Articles of Association to ensure its compliance with the provisions of the UAE Federal Law No. 2 of 2015, which came into effect on July 1, 2015.

## **2. Summary of significant accounting policies**

### **2.1 Basis of preparation**

The condensed consolidated interim financial information has been prepared on a going concern basis and in accordance with IAS 34 - Interim Financial Reporting. It does not include all of the information required for full annual financial statements and should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements of the Group for the year ended December 31, 2016, which were prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (“IFRS”) and International Financial Reporting Interpretation Committee (IFRIC) Interpretations.

The same accounting policies, presentation and methods of computation have been followed in this condensed consolidated interim financial information as were applied in the preparation and presentation of the Group’s consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2016. Certain disclosure notes have been reclassified and rearranged from the Group’s prior period condensed consolidated interim financial information to conform to the current period’s presentation.

For details of related party balances and transactions, refer to Note 37 in the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2016. The related party balances and transactions for the six month period ended June 30, 2017 are similar in nature and magnitude. Note 9 of this condensed consolidated interim financial information provide details of lending exposure to government entities.

The results for the six month period ended June 30, 2017 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the financial year ending December 31, 2017.

The condensed consolidated interim financial information is prepared and presented in United Arab Emirates Dirhams (AED) which is the Group’s functional and presentation currency and are rounded off to the nearest thousand unless otherwise indicated.

As required by the Securities and Commodities Authority of the UAE (SCA) Notification No. 2624/2008 dated October 12, 2008, accounting policies relating to investment securities and investment properties have been disclosed in this condensed consolidated interim financial information.

The preparation of the condensed consolidated interim financial information in conformity with IFRSs requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The main areas of judgments, estimates and assumptions applied in this condensed consolidated interim financial information, including the key sources of estimation uncertainty were the same as those applied in the Group’s consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2016.

**2. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)**

**2.2 Application of new and revised International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs)**

**2.2.1 New and revised IFRSs effective for accounting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2017**

In the current period, the Group has applied the following amendments to IFRSs issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (“IASB”) that are mandatorily effective for an accounting period that begins on or after January 1, 2017. The application of these amendments to IFRSs has not had any material impact on the amounts reported for the current and prior periods but may affect the accounting for the Group’s future transactions or arrangements.

- Amendments to *IAS 12 Income Taxes* relating to the recognition of deferred tax assets for unrealised losses.
- Amendments to *IAS 7 Statement of Cash Flows* to provide disclosures that enable users of financial statements to evaluate changes in liabilities arising from financing activities.
- Annual Improvements to IFRS Standards 2014–2016 Cycle – Amendments to IFRS 12.

Other than the above, there are no other significant IFRSs and amendments that were effective for the first time for the financial year beginning on or after January 1, 2017.

**2.2.2 Standards and Interpretations in issue but not yet effective**

The Group has not early adopted new and revised IFRSs that have been issued but are not yet effective.

<b>New standards and significant amendments to standards applicable to the Group:</b>	<b>Effective for annual periods beginning on or after</b>
<i>IFRS 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures</i> relating to disclosures about the initial application of IFRS 9.	When IFRS 9 is first applied
<i>IFRS 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures</i> requiring additional hedge accounting disclosures (and consequential amendments) resulting from the introduction of the hedge accounting chapter in IFRS 9.	When IFRS 9 is first applied
<i>IFRS 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers</i> - In May 2014, IFRS 15 was issued which established a single comprehensive model for entities to use in accounting for revenue arising from contracts with customers. IFRS 15 will supersede the current revenue recognition guidance including IAS 18 Revenue, <i>IAS 11 Construction Contracts</i> and the related interpretations when it becomes effective.	January 1, 2018

The core principle of IFRS 15 is that an entity should recognize revenue to depict the transfer of promised goods or services to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods or services. Specifically, the standard introduces a 5-step approach to revenue recognition:

- Step 1: Identify the contract(s) with a customer.
- Step 2: Identify the performance obligations in the contract.
- Step 3: Determine the transaction price.
- Step 4: Allocate the transaction price to the performance obligations in the contract.
- Step 5: Recognise revenue when (or as) the entity satisfies a performance obligation.

Under IFRS 15, an entity recognises when (or as) a performance obligation is satisfied, i.e. when ‘control’ of the goods or services underlying the particular performance obligation is transferred to the customer. Far more prescriptive guidance has been added in IFRS 15 to deal with specific scenarios. Furthermore, extensive disclosures are required by IFRS 15.

**2. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)**

**2.2 Application of new and revised International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) (continued)**

**2.2.2 Standards and Interpretations in issue but not yet effective (continued)**

<b>New standards and significant amendments to standards applicable to the Group:</b>	<b>Effective for annual periods beginning on or after</b>
<p><i>IFRS 9 Financial Instruments</i> (revised versions in 2009, 2010, 2013 and 2014) issued in November 2009 introduced new requirements for the classification and measurement of financial assets. IFRS 9 was subsequently amended in October 2010 to include requirements for the classification and measurement of financial liabilities and for derecognition, and in November 2013 to include the new requirements for general hedge accounting. Another revised version of IFRS 9 was issued in July 2014 mainly to include a) impairment requirements for financial assets and b) limited amendments to the classification and measurement requirements by introducing a 'fair value through other comprehensive income' (FVTOCI) measurement category for certain simple debt instruments.</p> <p>A finalised version of IFRS 9 which contains accounting requirements for financial instruments, replacing <i>IAS 39 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement</i>. The standard contains requirements in the following areas:</p> <p><b>Classification and measurement:</b> Financial assets are classified by reference to the business model within which they are held and their contractual cash flow characteristics. The 2014 version of IFRS 9 introduces a 'fair value through other comprehensive income' category for certain debt instruments. Financial liabilities are classified in a similar manner to under IAS 39, however there are differences in the requirements applying to the measurement of an entity's own credit risk.</p> <p><b>Impairment:</b> The 2014 version of IFRS 9 introduces an 'expected credit loss' model for the measurement of the impairment of financial assets, so it is no longer necessary for a credit event to have occurred before a credit loss is recognised</p> <p><b>Hedge accounting:</b> Introduces a new hedge accounting model that is designed to be more closely aligned with how entities undertake risk management activities when hedging financial and non-financial risk exposures.</p> <p><b>Derecognition:</b> The requirements for the derecognition of financial assets and liabilities are carried forward from IAS 39.</p>	<p>January 1, 2018</p>
<p><i>IFRS 16 Leases</i> specifies how an IFRS reporter will recognise, measure, present and disclose leases. The standard provides a single lessee accounting model, requiring lessees to recognise assets and liabilities for all leases unless the lease term is 12 months or less or the underlying asset has a low value. Lessors continue to classify leases as operating or finance, with IFRS 16's approach to lessor accounting substantially unchanged from its predecessor, IAS 17.</p>	<p>January 1, 2019</p>
<p><i>IFRS 17 Insurance Contracts</i> requires insurance liabilities to be measured at a current fulfillment value and provides a more uniform measurement and presentation approach for all insurance contracts. These requirements are designed to achieve the goal of a consistent, principle-based accounting for insurance contracts. IFRS 17 supersedes IFRS 4 Insurance Contracts as of 1 January 2021.</p>	<p>January 1, 2021</p>
<p>Annual Improvements to IFRS Standards 2014 – 2016 Cycle amending IFRS 1 and IAS 28</p>	<p>January 1, 2018</p>

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**2. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)**

**2.2 Application of new and revised International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) (continued)**

**2.2.2 Standards and Interpretations in issue but not yet effective (continued)**

<b>New standards and significant amendments to standards applicable to the Group:</b>	<b>Effective for annual periods beginning on or after</b>
<i>IFRIC 22 Foreign Currency Transactions and Advance Consideration</i> - the interpretation addresses foreign currency transactions or parts of transactions where: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- there is consideration that is denominated or priced in a foreign currency;</li> <li>- the entity recognises a prepayment asset or a deferred income liability in respect of that consideration, in advance of the recognition of the related asset, expense or income; and</li> <li>- the prepayment asset or deferred income liability is non-monetary.</li> </ul>	January 1, 2018
Amendments to <i>IFRS 2 Share-based Payment</i> regarding classification and measurement of share based payment transactions	January 1, 2018
Amendments to <i>IFRS 4 Insurance Contracts</i> relating to different effective dates of IFRS 9 and the forthcoming new insurance contracts standard.	January 1, 2018
Amendments to <i>IAS 40 Investment Property</i> stating that an entity shall transfer a property to, or from, investment property when, and only when, there is evidence of a change in use. A change of use occurs if property meets, or ceases to meet, the definition of investment property. A change in management's intentions for the use of a property by itself does not constitute evidence of a change in use. The paragraph has been amended to state that the list of examples therein is non-exhaustive.	January 1, 2018
Amendments to <i>IFRS 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers</i> to clarify three aspects of the standard (identifying performance obligations, principal versus agent considerations, and licensing) and to provide some transition relief for modified contracts and completed contracts.	January 1, 2018
Amendments to <i>IFRS 10 Consolidated Financial Statements</i> and <i>IAS 28 Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures (2011)</i> relating to the treatment of the sale or contribution of assets from and investor to its associate or joint venture.	Effective date deferred indefinitely. Adoption is still permitted.

Management anticipates that these IFRSs and amendments will be adopted in the Group's condensed consolidated interim financial statements in the initial period when they become mandatorily effective. Among the new standards, the application of IFRS 9 will have significant impact on the Group's condensed consolidated interim financial statements in respect of:

- (a) Classification and measurement - as these requirements are different than the assessments under the existing IAS 39 rules, some differences to the classification and measurement of financial assets under IAS 39 are expected. The classification and measurement of financial liabilities remain largely unchanged under IFRS 9 from current requirements.
- (b) Impairment - as a result of the changes to the impairment rules, IFRS 9 will result in an increase in subjectivity as allowances will be based on reasonable and supportable forward-looking information which is derived from probability weighted future economic situations that are continuously monitored and updated over the life of the financial asset. This is in contrast to impairment recognition under IAS 39 which requires the occurrence of one or more loss events before an allowance is recorded. IFRS 9 may result in an increase in the overall level of impairment allowances, due to the requirement to record an allowance equal to 12 months expected credit losses on those instruments whose credit risk has not significantly increased since initial recognition and the likelihood that there will be a larger population of financial assets to which lifetime expected losses apply as compared to the population of financial assets for which loss events have already occurred under IAS 39. However, it is not practicable to provide a reasonable estimate of effects of the application of these standards until the Group performs a detailed quantitative assessment with finalised ECL models.

**2. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)**

**2.2 Application of new and revised International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs) (continued)**

**2.2.2 Standards and Interpretations in issue but not yet effective (continued)**

IFRS 9 is effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2018. The Group is currently assessing the impact of IFRS 9. The Group has implemented a IFRS 9 program sponsored by the Group's Chief Financial Officer and includes subject matter experts on methodology, data sourcing and modelling, IT processing and reporting. Overall governance is through the IFRS 9 Steering Committee which includes joint representation from Finance, Risk and IT. Guidance and training on IFRS 9 is delivered across businesses and functions as part of the Group's internal control system in preparation for IFRS 9 becoming effective for the Group from January 1, 2018.

**2.3 Basis of consolidation**

The condensed consolidated interim financial information incorporates the financial statements of Abu Dhabi Commercial Bank PJSC and its subsidiaries (collectively referred to as the "Group").

**Subsidiaries**

Subsidiaries are entities controlled by the Bank. The Bank controls an entity when it is exposed to, or has rights to, variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the entity. The financial statements of subsidiaries are included in the condensed consolidated interim financial information from the date that control commences until the date that control ceases.

**Special purpose entities**

Special purpose entities (SPEs) are entities that are created to accomplish a narrow and well-defined objective such as the securitisation of particular assets, or the execution of a specific borrowing or lending transaction. An SPE is consolidated if, based on an evaluation of the substance of its relationship with the Bank, the Bank's power over the SPE, exposures or rights to variable returns from its involvement with the SPE and its ability to use its power over the SPE at inception and subsequently to affect the amount of its return, the Bank concludes that it controls the SPE.

The assessment of whether the Bank has control over an SPE is carried out at inception and normally no further reassessment of control is carried out in the absence of changes in the structure or terms of the SPE, or additional transactions between the Bank and the SPE except whenever there is a change in the substance of the relationship between the Bank and the SPE.

**Funds under management**

The Bank manages and administers assets held in unit trusts on behalf of investors. The financial statements of these entities are not included in the condensed consolidated interim financial information except when the Bank controls the entity, as referred to above.

**Loss of control**

Upon loss of control, the Bank derecognises the assets and liabilities of the subsidiary, any non-controlling interests and the other components of equity related to the subsidiary. Any surplus or deficit arising on the loss of control is recognised in profit or loss. If the Bank retains any interest in the previous subsidiary, then such interest is measured at fair value at the date that control is lost. Subsequently, it is accounted for as an equity-accounted investee or in accordance with the Bank's accounting policy for financial instruments depending on the level of influence retained.

**Transactions eliminated on consolidation**

All intragroup balances and income, expenses and cash flows resulting from intragroup transactions are eliminated in full on consolidation.

## **2. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)**

### **2.3 Basis of consolidation (continued)**

#### **Investment in associate**

Associates are those entities in which the Group has significant influence. Significant influence is the power to participate in the financial and operating policy decisions of the investee but is not control or joint control over those policies.

Investments in associates are accounted for using the equity method and are recognised initially at cost. The cost of the investments includes transaction costs.

The condensed consolidated interim financial information includes the Group's share of the profit or loss and other comprehensive income of investment in associate, after adjustments to align the accounting policies with those of the Group, from the date that significant influence commences until the date that significant influence ceases.

When the Group's share of losses exceeds its interest in an equity-accounted investee, the carrying amount of the investment, including any long-term interests that form part thereof, is reduced to zero, and the recognition of further losses is discontinued except to the extent that the Group has an obligation or has made payments on behalf of the investee.

#### **Joint arrangements**

Joint arrangements are arrangements of which the Group has joint control, established by contracts requiring unanimous consent for decisions about the activities that significantly affect the arrangements' returns. They are classified and accounted for as follows:

Joint operation – when the Group has rights to the assets and obligations for the liabilities, relating to an arrangement, it accounts for each of its assets, liabilities and transactions, including its share of those held or incurred jointly, in relation to the joint operation.

Joint venture – when the Group has rights only to the net assets of the arrangements, it accounts for its interest using the equity method, as for associates.

### **2.4 Financial instruments – Investment securities**

Investment securities are measured initially at their fair value, plus transaction costs directly attributable to the acquisition, except in the case of investment securities recorded at fair value through profit or loss where transaction cost are recognised immediately in profit or loss.

The classification of investment securities at initial recognition depends on the purpose and management's intention for which they were acquired and their characteristics. Investment securities are classified into the following categories:

- Investments at fair value through profit or loss;
- Held-to-maturity investments and
- Available-for-sale.

#### **Investments at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL)**

Investment securities are classified as at FVTPL when either held for trading or when designated as at FVTPL.

Investment securities are classified as held for trading if:

- it has been acquired or purchased principally for the purpose of selling it in the near term; or
- on initial recognition it is part of a portfolio of identified financial instruments that the Group manages together and has a recent actual pattern of short-term profit-taking; or
- it is a derivative that is not designated and effective as a hedging instrument.



**2. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)**

**2.4 Financial instruments – Investment securities (continued)**

**Investments at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL) (continued)**

Investment securities other than held for trading may be designated as at FVTPL upon initial recognition if:

- such designation eliminates or significantly reduces a measurement or recognition inconsistency that would otherwise arise for measuring such securities on a different basis; or
- it forms part of a group of financial assets, which is managed and its performance is evaluated on a fair value basis, in accordance with the Group's documented risk management or investment strategy, and information about the grouping is provided internally on that basis; or
- it forms part of a contract containing one or more embedded derivatives, and *IAS 39-Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement* permits the entire combined contract (asset or liability) to be designated as at FVTPL.

Investments at FVTPL are stated at fair value, with any gains or losses arising on re-measurement recognised in the condensed consolidated interim income statement.

**Held-to-maturity**

Investments which have fixed or determinable payments with fixed maturities which the Group has the positive intention and ability to hold to maturity are classified as held-to-maturity investments.

Held-to-maturity investments are initially recognised at fair value plus any directly attributable transaction costs and are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method, less any impairment losses, with revenue recognised on an effective yield basis.

Amortised cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium on acquisition using an effective interest rate method.

If there is objective evidence that impairment on held-to-maturity investments carried at amortised cost has been incurred, the amount of impairment loss recognised in the condensed consolidated interim income statement is the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows, discounted at the investments' original effective interest rate.

Investments classified as held-to-maturity and not close to their maturity, cannot ordinarily be sold or reclassified without impacting the Group's ability to use this classification and cannot be designated as a hedged item with respect to interest rate or prepayment risk, reflecting the longer-term nature of these investments.

**Available-for-sale**

Investments not classified as either "fair value through profit or loss" or "held-to-maturity" are classified as "available-for-sale". Available-for-sale assets are intended to be held for an indefinite period of time and may be sold in response to liquidity requirements or changes in interest rates, commodity prices or equity prices.

Available-for-sale investments are initially recognised at fair value plus any directly attributable transaction costs and are subsequently measured at fair value. The fair values of quoted financial assets in active markets are based on current prices. If the market for a financial asset is not active, and for unquoted securities, the Group establishes fair value by using valuation techniques (e.g. recent arm's length transactions, discounted cash flow analysis and other valuation techniques). Only in very rare cases where fair value cannot be measured reliably, investments are carried at cost and tested for impairment, if any.

## **2. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)**

### **2.4 Financial instruments – Investment securities (continued)**

#### **Available-for-sale (continued)**

Gains and losses arising from changes in fair value are recognised in the condensed consolidated interim statement of comprehensive income and recorded in cumulative changes in fair value with the exception of impairment losses, interest calculated using the effective interest method and foreign exchange gains and losses on monetary assets, which are recognised directly in the condensed consolidated interim income statement. Where the investment is disposed of or is determined to be impaired, the cumulative gain or loss previously recognised in equity in the cumulative changes in fair value is included in the condensed consolidated interim income statement for the period.

If an available-for-sale investment is impaired, the difference between the acquisition cost (net of any principal repayments and amortisation) and the current fair value, less any previous impairment loss recognised in the condensed consolidated interim income statement is removed from equity and recognised in the condensed consolidated interim income statement.

Once an impairment loss has been recognised on an available-for-sale financial asset, the subsequent accounting treatment for changes in the fair value of that asset differs depending on the nature of the available-for-sale financial asset concerned:

- For an available-for-sale debt security, a subsequent decline in the fair value of the instrument is recognised in the condensed consolidated interim income statement when there is further objective evidence of impairment as a result of further decreases in the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset. Where there is no further objective evidence of impairment, the decline in the fair value of the financial asset is recognised directly in equity. If the fair value of a debt security increases in a subsequent period, and the increase can be objectively related to an event occurring after the impairment loss was recognised in the condensed consolidated interim income statement, the impairment loss is reversed through the condensed consolidated interim income statement to the extent of the increase in fair value.
- For an available-for-sale equity security, all subsequent increases in the fair value of the instrument are treated as a revaluation and are recognised in other comprehensive income, accumulating in equity. A subsequent decline in the fair value of the instrument is recognised in the condensed consolidated interim income statement, to the extent that further cumulative impairment losses have been incurred in relation to the acquisition cost of the equity security. Impairment losses recognised on the equity security are not reversed through the condensed consolidated interim income statement.

### **2.5 Investment properties**

Investment property is property held either to earn rental income or for capital appreciation or both, but not for sale in the ordinary course of business, use in the production or supply of goods or services or for administrative purposes. Investment property is reflected at valuation based on fair value at the statement of financial position date. The fair value is determined on a periodic basis by independent professional valuers.

Investment property under development that is being constructed or developed for future use as investment property is measured initially at cost including all direct costs attributable to the design and construction of the property including related staff costs. Subsequent to initial recognition, investment property under development is measured at fair value.

Gains and losses arising from changes in the fair value of investment property and investment property under development are included in the condensed consolidated interim income statement in the period in which they arise.

An investment property is derecognised upon disposal or when the investment property and investment property under development are permanently withdrawn from use and no future economic benefits are expected from the disposal. Any gain or loss arising on derecognition of the property (calculated as the difference between net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset) is included in profit or loss in the period in which the property is derecognised.

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**3. Cash and balances with central banks**

	As at June 30 2017 unaudited AED'000	As at December 31 2016 audited AED'000
Cash on hand	1,246,618	1,145,235
Balances with central banks	1,962,979	3,109,498
Reserves maintained with central banks	10,744,767	9,900,556
Certificate of deposits with UAE Central Bank	5,546,230	5,013,645
Reverse-repo with Central Bank	34,104	92,968
<b>Total cash and balances with central banks</b>	<b>19,534,698</b>	<b>19,261,902</b>
The geographical concentration is as follows:		
Within the UAE	19,455,683	19,106,421
Outside the UAE	79,015	155,481
	<b>19,534,698</b>	<b>19,261,902</b>

Reserves maintained with central banks represent deposits with the central banks at stipulated percentages of its demand, savings, time and other deposits. These are only available for day-to-day operations under certain specified conditions.

**4. Deposits and balances due from banks, net**

	As at June 30 2017 unaudited AED'000	As at December 31 2016 audited AED'000
Nostro balances	3,475,164	724,047
Margin deposits	173,255	40,660
Time deposits	8,033,413	19,955,290
Wakala placements	542,000	360,000
Loans and advances to banks	4,476,314	3,686,987
<b>Gross deposits and balances due from banks</b>	<b>16,700,146</b>	<b>24,766,984</b>
Less: Allowance for impairment (Note 9)	<b>(107,382)</b>	<b>(103,369)</b>
<b>Total deposits and balances due from banks, net</b>	<b>16,592,764</b>	<b>24,663,615</b>
The geographical concentration is as follows:		
Within the UAE	4,261,187	10,098,340
Outside the UAE	12,438,959	14,668,644
	<b>16,700,146</b>	<b>24,766,984</b>
Less: Allowance for impairment (Note 9)	<b>(107,382)</b>	<b>(103,369)</b>
	<b>16,592,764</b>	<b>24,663,615</b>

The Group hedges its foreign currency time deposits for foreign currency exchange rate risk using foreign exchange swap contracts and designates these instruments as cash flow hedges. The net negative fair value of these swaps was AED 1,837 thousand as at June 30, 2017 (December 31, 2016 – AED Nil).

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**4. Deposits and balances due from banks, net (continued)**

The Group entered into structured financing repurchase agreements whereby loans and advances to banks were pledged and held by counterparties as collateral. The risks and rewards relating to the loans pledged remains with the Group. The loans placed as collateral are governed under collateral service agreements under International Swaps and Derivatives Association (ISDA) agreements. The following table reflects the carrying value of these loans and the associated financial liabilities:

	As at June 30, 2017 (unaudited)		As at December 31, 2016 (audited)	
	Carrying value of pledged loans	Carrying value of associated liabilities	Carrying value of pledged loans	Carrying value of associated liabilities
	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000	AED'000
Repurchase financing	835,106	550,897	1,624,801	1,098,684

**5. Reverse-repo placements**

	As at June 30 2017 unaudited AED'000	As at December 31 2016 audited AED'000
Banks and financial institutions	550,493	1,524,806
The geographical concentration is as follows:		
Within the UAE	116,567	-
Outside the UAE	433,926	1,524,806
	550,493	1,524,806

The Group enters into reverse repurchase and collateral swap agreements under which bonds with fair value of AED 565,529 thousand (December 31, 2016 – bonds with fair value of AED 1,574,002 thousand) and cash collateral of AED 1,208 thousand (December 31, 2016 – AED Nil) were received as collateral against reverse-repo placements. The risks and rewards relating to these bonds remains with the counterparties. The terms and conditions of these collaterals are governed by Global Master Repurchase Agreements (GMRA).

**6. Trading securities**

	As at June 30 2017 unaudited AED'000	As at December 31 2016 audited AED'000
Bonds	549,171	418,758
The geographical concentration is as follows:		
Within the UAE	220,624	141,138
Outside the UAE	328,547	277,620
	549,171	418,758

Bonds represent investments mainly in public sector and banks. The fair value of trading securities is based on quoted market prices.

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**7. Derivative financial instruments**

The table below shows the positive (assets) and negative (liabilities) fair values of derivative financial instruments.

As at June 30, 2017 (unaudited)	Fair values		
	Assets AED'000	Liabilities AED'000	Notional AED'000
<b>Derivatives held or issued for trading</b>			
Foreign exchange derivatives	2,367,364	2,301,866	172,815,351
Interest rate and cross currency swaps	2,334,435	2,428,584	197,722,055
Interest rate and commodity options	361,354	407,955	42,087,069
Forward rate agreements	5,260	1,797	22,547,101
Futures (exchange traded)	833	700	18,438,434
Commodity and energy swaps	124,615	116,257	3,440,816
Swaptions	148,827	121,288	19,904,954
<b>Total derivatives held or issued for trading</b>	<b>5,342,688</b>	<b>5,378,447</b>	<b>476,955,780</b>
<b>Derivatives held as fair value hedges</b>			
Interest rate and cross currency swaps	270,856	702,093	53,474,126
<b>Derivatives held as cash flow hedges</b>			
Interest rate and cross currency swaps	12,114	147,834	7,316,399
Forward foreign exchange contracts	122,477	28,293	10,232,997
<b>Total derivatives held as cashflow hedges</b>	<b>134,591</b>	<b>176,127</b>	<b>17,549,396</b>
<b>Total derivative financial instruments</b>	<b>5,748,135</b>	<b>6,256,667</b>	<b>547,979,302</b>
<b>As at December 31, 2016 (audited)</b>			
<b>Derivatives held or issued for trading</b>			
Foreign exchange derivatives	606,608	416,641	113,962,359
Interest rate and cross currency swaps	2,401,276	2,424,337	165,014,702
Interest rate and commodity options	256,446	225,476	14,707,345
Forward rate agreements	972	1,130	4,471,101
Futures (exchange traded)	10,612	1,290	20,353,204
Commodity and energy swaps	213,716	200,638	3,098,707
Swaptions	51,174	29,098	5,047,292
<b>Total derivatives held or issued for trading</b>	<b>3,540,804</b>	<b>3,298,610</b>	<b>326,654,710</b>
<b>Derivatives held as fair value hedges</b>			
Interest rate and cross currency swaps	352,416	973,647	52,411,284
<b>Derivatives held as cash flow hedges</b>			
Interest rate and cross currency swaps	43,658	187,205	7,152,434
Forward foreign exchange contracts	34,911	333,067	10,874,259
<b>Total derivatives held as cash flow hedges</b>	<b>78,569</b>	<b>520,272</b>	<b>18,026,693</b>
<b>Total derivative financial instruments</b>	<b>3,971,789</b>	<b>4,792,529</b>	<b>397,092,687</b>

The notional amounts indicate the volume of transactions and are neither indicative of the market risk nor credit risk.

The net hedge ineffectiveness gains relating to the fair value and cash flow hedges amounting to AED 14,601 thousand (for the six month period ended June 30, 2016 – gains of AED 5,245 thousand) has been recognised in the condensed consolidated interim income statement.

As at June 30, 2017, the Group received cash collateral of AED 143,280 thousand (December 31, 2016 – AED 253,524 thousand) and received bonds with fair value of AED 53,151 thousand (December 31, 2016 – AED 3,167 thousand) against positive fair value of derivative assets.

As at June 30, 2017, the Group placed cash collateral of AED 173,255 thousand (December 31, 2016 – AED 120,878 thousand) and bonds of AED 1,629,178 thousand (December 31, 2016 – AED 2,012,757 thousand) against the negative fair value of derivative liabilities. The bonds placed as collaterals include those received by the Group in other structuring arrangements. These collaterals are governed by collateral service agreements under International Swaps and Derivatives Association (ISDA) agreements.

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**8. Investment securities**

<b>As at June 30, 2017 (unaudited)</b>	<b>UAE AED'000</b>	<b>Other GCC(*) AED'000</b>	<b>Rest of the world AED'000</b>	<b>Total AED'000</b>
<b>Available-for-sale investments</b>				
<b>Quoted:</b>				
Government securities	3,523,446	3,077,657	3,397,889	9,998,992
Bonds – Public sector	5,757,225	290,880	1,859,986	7,908,091
Bonds – Banks and financial institutions	4,424,207	1,007,653	3,436,711	8,868,571
Bonds – Corporate	528,826	86,942	258,108	873,876
Equity instruments	487	-	-	487
Mutual funds	78,204	-	87,181	165,385
<b>Total quoted</b>	<b>14,312,395</b>	<b>4,463,132</b>	<b>9,039,875</b>	<b>27,815,402</b>
<b>Unquoted:</b>				
Government securities	12,756,951	-	-	12,756,951
Equity instruments	319,070	-	13,570	332,640
<b>Total unquoted</b>	<b>13,076,021</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>13,570</b>	<b>13,089,591</b>
<b>Total available-for-sale investments</b>	<b>27,388,416</b>	<b>4,463,132</b>	<b>9,053,445</b>	<b>40,904,993</b>
<b>As at December 31, 2016 (audited)</b>				
<b>Available-for-sale investments</b>				
<b>Quoted:</b>				
Government securities	3,556,811	2,356,584	3,275,588	9,188,983
Bonds – Public sector	5,383,401	456,788	1,336,649	7,176,838
Bonds – Banks and financial institutions	3,189,513	975,724	3,034,272	7,199,509
Bonds – Corporate	565,698	-	254,575	820,273
Equity instruments	548	-	-	548
Mutual funds	74,690	-	83,368	158,058
<b>Total quoted</b>	<b>12,770,661</b>	<b>3,789,096</b>	<b>7,984,452</b>	<b>24,544,209</b>
<b>Unquoted:</b>				
Government securities	8,178,003	-	-	8,178,003
Equity instruments	323,872	-	13,382	337,254
<b>Total unquoted</b>	<b>8,501,875</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>13,382</b>	<b>8,515,257</b>
<b>Total available-for-sale investments</b>	<b>21,272,536</b>	<b>3,789,096</b>	<b>7,997,834</b>	<b>33,059,466</b>

(\*) Gulf Cooperation Council

The Group hedges interest rate and foreign currency risks on certain fixed rate and floating rate investments through interest rate and currency swaps and designates these instruments as fair value and cash flow hedges, respectively. The net negative fair value of these swaps as at June 30, 2017 was AED 120,146 thousand (December 31, 2016 – net positive fair value of AED 269,512 thousand). The hedge ineffectiveness gains and losses relating to these hedges were included in the condensed consolidated interim income statement.

The Group entered into repurchase agreements whereby bonds were pledged and held by counterparties as collateral. The risks and rewards relating to the investments pledged remains with the Group. The bonds placed as collateral are governed under Global Master Repurchase Agreements (GMRA). The following table reflects the carrying value of these bonds and the associated financial liabilities:

	<b>As at June 30, 2017 (unaudited)</b>		<b>As at December 31, 2016 (audited)</b>	
	<b>Carrying value of pledged securities</b>	<b>Carrying value of associated liabilities</b>	<b>Carrying value of pledged securities</b>	<b>Carrying value of associated liabilities</b>
	<b>AED'000</b>	<b>AED'000</b>	<b>AED'000</b>	<b>AED'000</b>
Repurchase financing	277,617	252,619	275,351	264,835

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**8. Investment securities (continued)**

Further, the Group pledged investment securities with fair value amounting to AED 1,529,003 thousand (December 31, 2016 – AED 2,028,708 thousand) as collateral against margin calls. The risks and rewards on these pledged investments remains with the Group.

**9. Loans and advances to customers, net**

	As at June 30 2017 unaudited AED'000	As at December 31 2016 audited AED'000
Overdrafts (retail and corporate)	5,295,713	5,689,706
Retail loans	30,154,351	29,661,611
Corporate loans	126,111,467	121,242,781
Credit cards	4,099,794	3,873,572
Other facilities	4,614,818	3,932,400
<b>Gross loans and advances to customers</b>	<b>170,276,143</b>	<b>164,400,070</b>
Less: Allowance for impairment	<b>(6,024,817)</b>	<b>(5,942,375)</b>
<b>Total loans and advances to customers, net</b>	<b>164,251,326</b>	<b>158,457,695</b>

Islamic financing assets included in the above table are as follows:

	As at June 30 2017 unaudited AED'000	As at December 31 2016 audited AED'000
Murabaha	2,907,371	2,589,031
Ijara financing	10,383,900	9,552,393
Salam	6,909,368	6,564,582
Others	195,079	169,878
<b>Gross Islamic financing assets</b>	<b>20,395,718</b>	<b>18,875,884</b>
Less: Allowance for impairment	<b>(416,637)</b>	<b>(376,892)</b>
<b>Net Islamic financing assets</b>	<b>19,979,081</b>	<b>18,498,992</b>

The Group hedges certain fixed rate and floating rate loans and advances to customers for interest rate risk using interest rate swaps and designates these instruments as fair value and cash flow hedges, respectively. The net negative fair value of these swaps as at June 30, 2017 was AED 61,058 thousand (December 31, 2016 – net negative fair value of AED 128,190 thousand).

The Group entered into structured financing repurchase agreements whereby loans and advances to customers were pledged and held by counterparties as collateral. The risks and rewards relating to the loans pledged remains with the Group. The loans placed as collateral are governed under collateral service agreements under International Swaps and Derivatives Association (ISDA) agreements. The following table reflects the carrying value of these loans and the associated financial liabilities:

	As at June 30, 2017 (unaudited)		As at December 31, 2016 (audited)	
	Carrying value of pledged loans AED'000	Carrying value of associated liabilities AED'000	Carrying value of pledged loans AED'000	Carrying value of associated liabilities AED'000
Repurchase financing	114,179	84,931	322,814	165,697



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**9. Loans and advances to customers, net (continued)**

Further, the Group entered into a security lending and borrowing arrangement, under which loans and advances to customers with nominal value of AED 831,724 thousand were lent against high quality bonds with nominal value of AED 554,623 thousand. The risks and rewards relating to loans lent and bonds borrowed remains with respective counterparties. The arrangement is governed under the terms and conditions of Global Master Securities Lending Agreement (GMSLA).

The movement in individual and collective impairment allowance on loans and advances is as follows:

	As at June 30, 2017 (unaudited)			As at December 31, 2016 (audited)		
	Individual impairment AED'000	Collective impairment AED'000	Total AED'000	Individual impairment AED'000	Collective impairment AED'000	Total AED'000
<b>Opening balance</b>	2,851,323	3,194,421	6,045,744	3,375,998	2,968,889	6,344,887
Charge/(release) for the period/year	1,007,884	(32,275)	975,609	1,464,214	225,699	1,689,913
Recoveries during the period/year	(162,205)	-	(162,205)	(137,597)	-	(137,597)
Net charge/(release) for the period/year	845,679	(32,275)	813,404	1,326,617	225,699	1,552,316
Discount unwind	(26,801)	-	(26,801)	(64,359)	-	(64,359)
Net amounts written-off	(701,081)	-	(701,081)	(1,786,884)	-	(1,786,884)
Currency translation	606	327	933	(49)	(167)	(216)
<b>Closing balance</b>	2,969,726	3,162,473	6,132,199	2,851,323	3,194,421	6,045,744

Allocation of impairment allowance on loans and advances to customers and banks is as follows:

	As at June 30, 2017 (unaudited)			As at December 31, 2016 (audited)		
	Individual impairment AED'000	Collective impairment AED'000	Total AED'000	Individual impairment AED'000	Collective impairment AED'000	Total AED'000
Loans and advances to customers	2,969,726	3,055,091	6,024,817	2,851,323	3,091,052	5,942,375
Loans and advances to banks (Note 4)	-	107,382	107,382	-	103,369	103,369
<b>Total impairment allowance on loans and advances</b>	2,969,726	3,162,473	6,132,199	2,851,323	3,194,421	6,045,744

The economic activity sector composition of the loans and advances to customers is as follows:

	As at June 30, 2017 (unaudited)			As at December 31, 2016 (audited)		
	Within the UAE AED'000	Outside the UAE AED'000	Total AED'000	Within the UAE AED'000	Outside the UAE AED'000	Total AED'000
<b>Economic activity sector</b>						
Agriculture	211,279	-	211,279	207,906	-	207,906
Energy	142,402	417,591	559,993	98,138	410,237	508,375
Trading	4,756,962	1,114,273	5,871,235	4,117,854	1,302,085	5,419,939
Real estate investment & hospitality	58,737,886	1,371,887	60,109,773	56,682,307	1,387,668	58,069,975
Transport & communication	1,907,582	1,817,202	3,724,784	2,019,289	1,584,562	3,603,851
Personal	41,016,089	197,660	41,213,749	40,429,267	236,162	40,665,429
Government & public sector entities	36,789,331	984,683	37,774,014	35,138,681	990,422	36,129,103
Financial institutions (*)	10,333,900	2,676,602	13,010,502	10,205,802	2,639,883	12,845,685
Manufacturing	2,295,101	1,741,839	4,036,940	2,239,667	1,645,144	3,884,811
Services	2,879,429	235,109	3,114,538	2,084,554	230,353	2,314,907
Others	580,378	68,958	649,336	678,063	72,026	750,089
	159,650,339	10,625,804	170,276,143	153,901,528	10,498,542	164,400,070
Less: Allowance for impairment			(6,024,817)			(5,942,375)
<b>Total loans and advances to customers, net</b>			164,251,326			158,457,695

(\*) includes investment companies

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**10. Investment properties**

	<b>AED'000</b>
<b>As at January 1, 2016</b>	647,647
Additions during the year	505
Disposals during the year	(4,401)
Revaluation of investment properties	16,025
<b>As at December 31, 2016</b> (audited)	659,776
Additions during the period	<b>2,392</b>
<b>As at June 30, 2017</b> (unaudited)	<b>662,168</b>

Additions during the period pertain to real estate acquired on settlements of certain loans and advances (for the six month period ended June 30, 2016 - AED Nil). This being a non-cash transaction has not been reflected in the condensed consolidated interim statement of cash flows.

**Fair valuations**

Valuations are carried out by registered independent valuers having an appropriate recognised professional qualification and experience in the location and category of the property being valued. The properties were valued during the last quarter of the year 2016.

In estimating the fair values of the properties, the highest and best use of the properties is their current use.

The valuation methodologies considered by external valuers include:

- Direct Comparable method: This method seeks to determine the value of the property from transactions of comparable properties in the vicinity applying adjustments to reflect differences to the subject property.
- Investment method: This method is used to assess the value of the property by capitalising the net operating income of the property at an appropriate yield an investor would expect for an investment of the duration of the interest being valued.

All investment properties of the Group are located within the UAE.

**11. Other assets**

	<b>As at June 30 2017 unaudited AED'000</b>	<b>As at December 31 2016 audited AED'000</b>
Interest receivable	1,575,952	1,584,558
Advance tax	3,743	5,575
Prepayments	103,027	58,553
Acceptances (Note 16)	6,939,576	13,262,942
Others	656,892	209,360
<b>Total other assets</b>	<b>9,279,190</b>	<b>15,120,988</b>

**12. Due to banks**

	<b>As at June 30 2017 unaudited AED'000</b>	<b>As at December 31 2016 audited AED'000</b>
Vostro balances	2,832,325	267,453
Margin deposits	93,914	245,402
Time deposits	3,232,306	3,329,859
<b>Total due to banks</b>	<b>6,158,545</b>	<b>3,842,714</b>

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**13. Deposits from customers**

	As at <b>June 30 2017</b> unaudited AED'000	As at December 31 2016 audited AED'000
Time deposits	83,695,124	84,044,103
Current account deposits	56,134,087	51,596,345
Savings deposits	13,471,794	12,644,918
Murabaha deposits	7,180,733	6,011,966
Long term government deposits	397,282	411,313
Margin deposits	899,636	733,562
<b>Total deposits from customers</b>	<b>161,778,656</b>	<b>155,442,207</b>

Islamic deposits (excluding Murabaha deposits) included in the above table are as follows:

	As at <b>June 30 2017</b> unaudited AED'000	As at December 31 2016 audited AED'000
Mudaraba term deposits	961,389	1,009,604
Wakala deposits	2,785,296	1,615,814
Current account deposits	4,455,524	3,480,635
Mudaraba savings deposits	6,485,058	5,840,816
Margin deposits	48,071	40,556
<b>Total Islamic deposits</b>	<b>14,735,338</b>	<b>11,987,425</b>

The Bank hedges certain foreign currency time deposits for foreign currency and floating interest rate risks using foreign exchange and interest rate swaps and designates these instruments as either cash flow or fair value hedges. The net positive fair value of these swaps as at June 30, 2017 was AED 31,109 thousand (December 31, 2016 – net negative fair value of AED 88,191 thousand).

**14. Euro commercial paper**

The details of euro commercial paper (“ECP”) issuances under the Bank’s ECP programme are as follows:

<b>Currency</b>	As at <b>June 30 2017</b> unaudited AED'000	As at December 31 2016 audited AED'000
US dollar (USD)	3,983,530	5,972,681
Euro (EUR)	839,079	1,309,526
Great Britain pound (GBP)	2,424,990	1,446,326
Australian dollar (AUD)	64,808	-
<b>Total euro commercial paper</b>	<b>7,312,407</b>	<b>8,728,533</b>

The Bank hedges certain ECP for foreign currency exchange rate risk through foreign exchange swap contracts and designates these instruments as cash flow hedges. The net positive fair value of these swaps as at June 30, 2017 was AED 57,661 thousand (December 31, 2016 - net negative fair value of AED 161,942 thousand).

The effective interest rate on ECPs issued ranges between negative 0.19% p.a. to positive 2.01% p.a. (December 31, 2016 – between negative 0.03% p.a. to positive 1.76% p.a.).

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#### 15. Borrowings

The details of borrowings as at June 30, 2017 (unaudited) are as follows:

Instrument	Currency	Within 1 year AED'000	1-3 years AED'000	3-5 years AED'000	Over 5 years AED'000	Total AED'000
Global medium term notes	Australian dollar (AUD)	-	717,328	169,532	-	886,860
	Chinese renminbi (CNH)	162,445	387,651	-	-	550,096
	Euro (EUR)	-	217,830	-	80,876	298,706
	Malaysian ringgit (MYR)	341,649	-	-	-	341,649
	Swiss franc (CHF)	388,677	-	305,313	-	693,990
	Japanese yen (JPY)	49,131	49,250	-	-	98,381
	Hong Kong dollar (HKD)	-	76,136	302,420	181,944	560,500
	US dollar (USD)	2,748,133	8,260,722	-	6,680,295	17,689,150
		3,690,035	9,708,917	777,265	6,943,115	21,119,332
Bilateral loans – floating rate	US dollar (USD)	734,600	1,283,603	-	-	2,018,203
Syndicated loan – floating rate	US dollar (USD)	-	3,657,667	-	-	3,657,667
Certificate of deposits issued	Great Britain pound (GBP)	970,981	-	-	-	970,981
	Euro (EUR)	289,269	-	-	-	289,269
	Indian rupee (INR)	293,422	-	-	-	293,422
	US dollar (USD)	1,070,228	1,836,052	-	-	2,906,280
Subordinated notes – fixed rate	US dollar (USD)	-	-	-	3,771,640	3,771,640
	Swiss franc (CHF)	-	-	-	386,962	386,962
Borrowings through repurchase agreements	US dollar (USD)	523,444	162,670	-	202,333	888,447
		7,571,979	16,648,909	777,265	11,304,050	36,302,203

The Group hedges certain borrowings for foreign currency exchange rate risk and interest rate risk using either interest rate or cross currency swaps and designates these swaps as either fair value or cash flow hedges. The net negative fair value of these swaps as at June 30, 2017 was AED 378,503 thousand.

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#### 15. Borrowings (continued)

The details of borrowings as at December 31, 2016 (audited) are as follows:

Instrument	Currency	Within 1 year AED'000	1-3 years AED'000	3-5 years AED'000	Over 5 years AED'000	Total AED'000
Global medium term notes	Australian dollar (AUD)	-	672,505	77,142	-	749,647
	Chinese renminbi (CNH)	157,452	350,729	-	-	508,181
	Euro (EUR)	-	164,183	46,691	73,796	284,670
	Malaysian ringgit (MYR)	576,215	-	-	-	576,215
	Swiss franc (CHF)	388,677	-	284,354	-	673,031
	UAE dirham (AED)	500,358	-	-	-	500,358
	Japanese yen (JPY)	47,263	47,647	-	-	94,910
	Hong Kong dollar (HKD)	-	-	294,740	103,451	398,191
	US dollar (USD)	3,203,777	7,686,977	3,096,121	2,749,226	16,736,101
		4,873,742	8,922,041	3,799,048	2,926,473	20,521,304
Bilateral loans – floating rate	US dollar (USD)	2,018,887	1,285,550	-	-	3,304,437
Syndicated loan – floating rate	US dollar (USD)	734,600	2,919,383	-	-	3,653,983
Certificate of deposits issued	Great Britain pound (GBP)	898,422	-	-	-	898,422
	Euro (EUR)	189,304	-	-	-	189,304
	Indian rupee (INR)	307,793	-	-	-	307,793
Subordinated notes – fixed rate	US dollar (USD)	1,707,110	1,835,966	-	-	3,543,076
	US dollar (USD)	-	-	-	3,702,602	3,702,602
	Swiss franc (CHF)	-	-	-	364,893	364,893
Borrowings through repurchase agreements	US dollar (USD)	956,327	370,556	-	202,333	1,529,216
		11,686,185	15,333,496	3,799,048	7,196,301	38,015,030

The Group hedges certain borrowings for foreign currency exchange rate risk and interest rate risk using either interest rate or cross currency swaps and designates these swaps as either fair value or cash flow hedges. The net negative fair value of these swaps as at December 31, 2016 was AED 954,122 thousand.

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#### 15. Borrowings (continued)

Interests are payable in arrears and the contractual coupon rates as at June 30, 2017 are as follows:

Instrument	CCY	Within 1 year	1-3 years	3-5 years	Over 5 years
Global medium term notes	AUD	-	Fixed rate of 4.75% p.a.	Fixed rate between 3.73% p.a. to 3.92 % p.a.	-
	CNH	Fixed rate between 3.70% p.a. to 4.13% p.a.	Fixed rate between 3.85% p.a. to 4.50% p.a.	-	-
	EUR	-	Quarterly coupons between 46 to 59 basis points over Euribor	-	Fixed rate of 0.75% p.a.
	MYR	Fixed rate of 5.35% p.a.	-	-	-
	CHF	Quarterly coupons with 110 basis points over CHF Libor	-	-	-
	JPY	Fixed rate of 0.48% p.a.	Fixed rate of 0.68% p.a.	-	-
	HKD	-	Fixed rate of 2.46% p.a.	Fixed rate between 2.30% p.a. to 3.20% p.a.	Fixed rate of between 2.84% p.a. to 2.87% p.a.
	USD	Fixed rate of 2.50% p.a.	Fixed rate between 2.63% p.a. to 3.00% p.a. and quarterly coupons between 65 to 82 basis points over Libor	-	Fixed rate between 4.30% p.a. to 5.13% p.a. (*)
Bilateral loans – floating rate	USD	Monthly coupons with 80 basis points over Libor	Monthly coupons between 60 to 68 basis points over Libor	-	-
Syndicated loan – floating rate	USD	-	Monthly coupons with 73 basis points over Libor and quarterly coupons between 60 to 95 basis points over Libor	-	-
Certificate of deposits issued	GBP	Fixed rate between 0.17% p.a. to 0.93% p.a.	-	-	-
	EUR	Fixed rate between negative 0.12% p.a. to negative 0.02% p.a.	-	-	-
	INR	Fixed rate between 6.50% p.a. to 7.05% p.a.	-	-	-
	USD	Fixed rate between 1.23% p.a. to 2.01% p.a. and quarterly coupons with 76 basis points over Libor	Quarterly coupons with 114 basis points over Libor	-	-
Subordinated notes – fixed rate	USD	-	-	-	Fixed rate between 3.13% p.a. to 4.50% p.a.
	CHF	-	-	-	Fixed rate of 1.89% p.a.
Borrowings through repurchase agreements	USD	Quarterly coupons between 130 to 145 basis points over Libor and fixed negative rate of 3.00% p.a.	Quarterly coupons between 130 to 145 basis points over Libor	-	Semi-annual coupons between negative 20 to negative 18 basis points over Libor

(\*) includes AED 5,997,301 thousand 30 year accreting notes with yield ranging between 4.30% p.a. to 5.13% p.a. and are callable at the end of every 5<sup>th</sup> year from issue date.

**15. Borrowings (continued)**

The subordinated fixed rate notes qualify as Tier 2 subordinated loan capital for the first 5 year period till 2018 and thereafter are amortised at the rate of 20% per annum until 2023 for capital adequacy calculation (Note 30). This has been approved by the Central Bank of the UAE. Subordinated notes of AED 1,481,236 thousand mature in 2023 but are callable after 5 years from the issuance date at the option of the Bank.

As at June 30, 2017, the Group placed cash collateral of AED 7,750 thousand against repo borrowings (December 31, 2016 – AED Nil).

**16. Other liabilities**

	<b>As at June 30 2017 unaudited AED'000</b>	<b>As at December 31 2016 audited AED'000</b>
Interest payable	928,486	1,022,845
Recognised liability for defined benefit obligations	439,171	421,275
Accounts payable and other creditors	220,306	271,313
Deferred income	655,460	635,476
Acceptances (Note 11)	6,939,576	13,262,942
Others	1,743,984	1,503,508
<b>Total other liabilities</b>	<b>10,926,983</b>	<b>17,117,359</b>

**17. Share capital**

	<b>Authorised</b>	<b>Issued and fully paid</b>	
		<b>As at June 30 2017 unaudited AED'000</b>	<b>As at December 31 2016 audited AED'000</b>
Ordinary shares of AED 1 each	10,000,000	5,198,231	5,198,231

During the period, the Bank's Articles of Association were amended and as per the new articles, the authorised share capital of the Bank has been increased to AED 10,000,000 thousand comprising of 10,000,000 thousand shares having a nominal value of AED 1 per share.

In December 2016, the Board of Directors approved cancellation of 397,366,172 shares which were acquired by the Bank during the buyback period (Note 18). The cancellation is effective from January 8, 2017 as the period of two years for the sale of purchased shares ended on January 5, 2017.

As at June 30, 2017, Abu Dhabi Investment Council held 62.523% (December 31, 2016 – 62.523%) of the Bank's issued and fully paid up share capital.



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#### 18. Other reserves (unaudited)

Reserves movement for the six month period ended June 30, 2017:

	Treasury shares AED'000	Employees' incentive plan shares, net AED'000	Statutory reserve AED'000	Legal reserve AED'000	General reserve AED'000	Contingency reserve AED'000	Foreign currency translation reserve AED'000	Cash flow hedge reserve AED'000	Cumulative changes in fair values AED'000	Total AED'000
<b>As at January 1, 2017</b>	-	(100,059)	2,797,799	2,797,799	2,000,000	150,000	(78,741)	(143,493)	13,978	7,437,283
Exchange difference arising on translation of foreign operations	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,752	-	-	10,752
Net fair value changes on cash flow hedges	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	400,167	-	400,167
Net fair value changes reclassified to condensed consolidated interim income statement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(393,735)	-	(393,735)
Net fair value changes on available-for-sale investments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	165,657	165,657
Net fair value changes released to condensed consolidated interim income statement on disposal of available-for-sale investments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(6,339)	(6,339)
<b>Total other comprehensive income for the period</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,752	6,432	159,318	176,502
Fair value adjustments	-	(2,214)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(2,214)
Shares – vested portion	-	18,521	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18,521
<b>As at June 30, 2017</b>	-	(83,752)	2,797,799	2,797,799	2,000,000	150,000	(67,989)	(137,061)	173,296	7,630,092
<b>As at January 1, 2016</b>	(1,825,653)	(92,959)	2,797,799	2,797,799	2,000,000	150,000	(73,260)	3,057	(100,219)	5,656,564
Exchange difference arising on translation of foreign operations	-	-	-	-	-	-	(4,048)	-	-	(4,048)
Net fair value changes on cash flow hedges	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19,966	-	19,966
Net fair value changes reclassified to condensed consolidated interim income statement	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(72,767)	-	(72,767)
Net fair value changes on available-for-sale investments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	135,110	135,110
Net fair value changes released to condensed consolidated interim income statement on disposal of available-for-sale investments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1,748)	(1,748)
<b>Total other comprehensive (loss)/income for the period</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	(4,048)	(52,801)	133,362	76,513
Fair value adjustments	-	4,883	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,883
Shares – vested portion	-	17,604	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17,604
Shares purchased	-	(32,562)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(32,562)
<b>As at June 30, 2016</b>	(1,825,653)	(103,034)	2,797,799	2,797,799	2,000,000	150,000	(77,308)	(49,744)	33,143	5,723,002

**19. Capital notes**

In February 2009, the Department of Finance, Government of Abu Dhabi subscribed to ADCB's Tier I regulatory capital notes with a principal amount of AED 4,000,000 thousand (the "Notes").

The Notes are non-voting, non-cumulative perpetual securities for which there is no fixed redemption date. Redemption is only at the option of the Bank. The Notes are direct, unsecured, subordinated obligations of the Bank and rank pari passu without any preference among themselves and the rights and claims of the Note holders will be subordinated to the claims of Senior Creditors. The Notes bore interest at the rate of 6% per annum payable semi-annually until February 2014 and bear a floating interest rate of 6 month Eibor plus 2.3% per annum thereafter. However, the Bank may at its sole discretion elect not to make a coupon payment. The Note holders do not have a right to claim the coupon and an election by the Bank not to service the coupon is not considered an event of default. In addition, there are certain circumstances ("non-payment event") under which the Bank is prohibited from making a coupon payment on a relevant coupon payment date.

If the Bank makes a non-payment election or a non-payment event occurs, then the Bank will not (a) declare or pay any distribution or dividend or (b) redeem, purchase, cancel, reduce or otherwise acquire any of the share capital or any securities of the Bank ranking pari passu with or junior to the Notes except securities, the term of which stipulate a mandatory redemption or conversion into equity, in each case unless or until two consecutive coupon payments have been paid in full.

**20. Interest income (unaudited)**

	3 months ended June 30		6 months ended June 30	
	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000
Loans and advances to banks	126,382	111,906	261,432	216,951
Loans and advances to customers	1,775,624	1,675,027	3,506,227	3,380,145
Available-for-sale investments	293,986	136,661	568,218	239,950
Trading securities	3,039	1,405	6,897	2,325
<b>Total interest income</b>	<b>2,199,031</b>	<b>1,924,999</b>	<b>4,342,774</b>	<b>3,839,371</b>

**21. Interest expense (unaudited)**

	3 months ended June 30		6 months ended June 30	
	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000
Deposits from banks	9,942	5,613	19,850	9,073
Deposits from customers	490,708	401,993	995,542	765,806
Euro commercial paper	33,659	19,217	63,926	31,214
Borrowings	218,962	142,558	408,210	255,189
<b>Total interest expense</b>	<b>753,271</b>	<b>569,381</b>	<b>1,487,528</b>	<b>1,061,282</b>

**22. Net fees and commission income (unaudited)**

	3 months ended June 30		6 months ended June 30	
	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000
<b>Fees and commission income</b>				
Card related fees	214,293	184,592	413,848	368,431
Loan processing fees	146,199	147,683	291,949	275,201
Accounts related fees	14,085	10,317	27,608	20,181
Trade finance commission	63,666	62,890	128,812	126,113
Insurance commission	20,762	34,715	39,296	57,952
Asset management and investment services	27,367	25,962	54,915	47,656
Brokerage fees	3,536	2,917	10,020	7,505
Other fees	25,227	28,105	45,944	50,981
<b>Total fees and commission income</b>	<b>515,135</b>	<b>497,181</b>	<b>1,012,392</b>	<b>954,020</b>
Fees and commission expenses	(133,702)	(121,639)	(257,699)	(220,047)
<b>Net fees and commission income</b>	<b>381,433</b>	<b>375,542</b>	<b>754,693</b>	<b>733,973</b>

**23. Net trading (loss)/income (unaudited)**

	3 months ended June 30		6 months ended June 30	
	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000
Net gains on dealing in derivatives	30,850	64,823	53,787	66,490
Net (losses)/gains from dealing in foreign currencies	(57,335)	116,340	87,086	237,220
Net losses from trading securities	(2,287)	(1,468)	(3,595)	(2,172)
<b>Net trading (loss)/income</b>	<b>(28,772)</b>	<b>179,695</b>	<b>137,278</b>	<b>301,538</b>

**24. Other operating income (unaudited)**

	3 months ended June 30		6 months ended June 30	
	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000
Property management income	37,654	36,630	75,357	72,830
Rental income	14,979	15,517	29,136	32,128
Dividend income	1,850	5,421	1,850	5,442
Net gains from disposal of available-for-sale investments	5,932	1,743	6,339	1,748
Loss arising from retirement of hedges	-	(545)	-	(545)
Others	21,212	2,691	27,704	8,334
<b>Total other operating income</b>	<b>81,627</b>	<b>61,457</b>	<b>140,386</b>	<b>119,937</b>

**25. Operating expenses (unaudited)**

	3 months ended June 30		6 months ended June 30	
	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000
Staff expenses	365,223	374,327	806,347	842,729
Depreciation on property and equipment, net	39,784	36,250	78,594	70,446
Others	266,248	255,481	526,453	490,886
<b>Total operating expenses</b>	<b>671,255</b>	<b>666,058</b>	<b>1,411,394</b>	<b>1,404,061</b>

**26. Impairment allowances (unaudited)**

	3 months ended June 30		6 months ended June 30	
	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000
Charge for the period	471,534	393,405	975,609	792,366
Recoveries during the period	(44,114)	(36,313)	(162,205)	(70,238)
Impairment allowance on loans and advances, net (Note 9)	427,420	357,092	813,404	722,128
Recoveries on available-for-sale investments	-	(6,244)	-	(19,099)
Impairment allowance – others	-	-	400	-
<b>Total impairment allowances</b>	<b>427,420</b>	<b>350,848</b>	<b>813,804</b>	<b>703,029</b>

**27. Earnings per share (unaudited)**
**Basic and diluted earnings per share**

The calculation of basic earnings per share is based on the net profit attributable to equity holders of the Bank and the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding. Diluted earnings per share is calculated by adjusting the weighted average number of equity shares outstanding for the dilutive effects of potential equity shares held on account of employees' incentive plan.

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**27. Earnings per share (unaudited) (continued)**

	<b>3 months ended June 30</b>		<b>6 months ended June 30</b>	
	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
	<b>AED'000</b>	<b>AED'000</b>	<b>AED'000</b>	<b>AED'000</b>
Net profit for the period attributable to the equity holders of the Bank	<b>1,008,471</b>	1,124,843	<b>2,113,783</b>	2,145,118
Less: Coupons paid on capital notes (Note 19)	-	-	<b>(76,915)</b>	(66,065)
<b>Net adjusted profit for the period attributable to the equity holders of the Bank (a)</b>	<b>1,008,471</b>	1,124,843	<b>2,036,868</b>	2,079,053
	<b>Number of shares in thousand</b>			
Weighted average number of shares in issue throughout the period	<b>5,198,231</b>	5,595,597	<b>5,198,231</b>	5,595,597
Less: Weighted average number of treasury shares arising on buy back	-	(397,366)	-	(397,366)
Less: Weighted average number of shares resulting from Employees' incentive plan shares	<b>(17,682)</b>	(17,070)	<b>(17,682)</b>	(15,744)
<b>Weighted average number of equity shares in issue during the period for basic earnings per share (b)</b>	<b>5,180,549</b>	5,181,161	<b>5,180,549</b>	5,182,487
Add: Weighted average number of shares resulting from Employees' incentive plan shares	<b>17,682</b>	17,070	<b>17,682</b>	15,744
<b>Weighted average number of equity shares in issue during the period for diluted earnings per share (c)</b>	<b>5,198,231</b>	5,198,231	<b>5,198,231</b>	5,198,231
<b>Basic earnings per share (AED) (a)/(b)</b>	<b>0.19</b>	0.22	<b>0.39</b>	0.40
<b>Diluted earnings per share (AED) (a)/(c)</b>	<b>0.19</b>	0.22	<b>0.39</b>	0.40

**28. Commitments and contingent liabilities**

The Group has the following commitments and contingent liabilities:

	<b>As at June 30 2017 unaudited AED'000</b>	<b>As at December 31 2016 audited AED'000</b>
Letters of credit	<b>8,959,220</b>	11,721,924
Guarantees	<b>22,644,200</b>	22,000,322
Commitments to extend credit – revocable (*)	<b>13,842,151</b>	11,021,112
Commitments to extend credit – irrevocable	<b>11,443,201</b>	13,656,251
<b>Total commitments on behalf of customers</b>	<b>56,888,772</b>	58,399,609
Commitments for future capital expenditure	<b>326,331</b>	307,268
Commitments to invest in investment securities	<b>290,952</b>	57,202
<b>Total commitments and contingent liabilities</b>	<b>57,506,055</b>	58,764,079

(\*) includes AED 7,630,045 thousand (December 31, 2016: AED 7,032,650 thousand) for undrawn credit card limits.

**29. Operating segments**

The Group has four reportable segments as described below. These segments offer different products and services and are managed separately based on the Group's management and internal reporting structure. The Group's Management Executive Committee (the Chief Operating Decision Maker "CODM"), is responsible for allocation of resources to these segments, whereas, the Group's Performance Management Committee, based on delegation from CODM reviews the performance of these segments on a regular basis.

**29. Operating segments (continued)**

The following summary describes the operations in each of the Group's reportable segments:

**Consumer banking** - comprises of retail, wealth management, Islamic financing and investment in associate. It includes loans, deposits and other transactions and balances with retail customers and corporate and private accounts of high net worth individuals and funds management activities.

**Wholesale banking** - comprises of business banking, cash management, trade finance, corporate finance, small and medium enterprise financing, investment banking, Indian operations, Islamic financing, infrastructure and asset finance, government and public enterprises. It includes loans, deposits and other transactions and balances with corporate customers.

**Investments and treasury** - comprises of central treasury operations, management of the Group's investment portfolio and interest rate, currency and commodity derivative portfolio and Islamic financing. Investments and treasury undertakes the Group's funding and centralised risk management activities through borrowings, issue of debt securities and use of derivatives for risk management. It also undertakes trading and corporate finance activities and investing in liquid assets such as short-term placements, corporate and government debt securities.

**Property management** - comprises of real estate management and engineering service operations of subsidiaries - Abu Dhabi Commercial Properties LLC and Abu Dhabi Commercial Engineering Services LLC and rental income of ADCB.

Information regarding the results of each reportable segment is shown below. Performance is measured based on segment profit before income tax, as included in the internal management reports that are reviewed by the Performance Management Committee. Segment profit is used to measure performance as management believes that such information is the most relevant in evaluating the results of certain segments relative to other entities that operate within these industries. Inter-segment pricing is determined on an arm's length basis.

The following is an analysis of the Group's revenue and results by operating segment for the six month period ended June 30, 2017 (unaudited):

	Consumer banking AED'000	Wholesale banking AED'000	Investments and treasury AED'000	Property management AED'000	Total AED'000
Net interest income	1,349,986	832,643	626,267	46,350	2,855,246
Net income from Islamic financing	233,205	103,862	110,700	2,406	450,173
Total net interest and Islamic financing income	1,583,191	936,505	736,967	48,756	3,305,419
Non-interest income	476,142	370,928	70,220	115,067	1,032,357
Operating expenses	(896,345)	(360,964)	(96,493)	(57,592)	(1,411,394)
<b>Operating profit before impairment allowances</b>	<b>1,162,988</b>	<b>946,469</b>	<b>710,694</b>	<b>106,231</b>	<b>2,926,382</b>
Impairment allowances	(613,981)	(199,423)	-	(400)	(813,804)
Share in profit of associate	4,954	-	-	-	4,954
<b>Profit before taxation</b>	<b>553,961</b>	<b>747,046</b>	<b>710,694</b>	<b>105,831</b>	<b>2,117,532</b>
Overseas income tax expense	-	(3,749)	-	-	(3,749)
<b>Net profit for the period</b>	<b>553,961</b>	<b>743,297</b>	<b>710,694</b>	<b>105,831</b>	<b>2,113,783</b>
Capital expenditure					<u>98,635</u>
<b>As at June 30, 2017 (unaudited)</b>					
Segment assets	<u>75,408,213</u>	<u>104,338,869</u>	<u>78,858,432</u>	<u>633,431</u>	<u>259,238,945</u>
Segment liabilities	<u>54,371,985</u>	<u>71,825,051</u>	<u>102,493,666</u>	<u>44,759</u>	<u>228,735,461</u>

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**29. Operating segments (continued)**

The following is an analysis of the Group's revenue and results by operating segment for the six month period ended June 30, 2016 (unaudited):

	Consumer banking AED'000	Wholesale banking AED'000	Investments and treasury AED'000	Property management AED'000	Total AED'000
Net interest income	1,292,564	897,198	531,918	56,409	2,778,089
Net income from Islamic financing	206,760	80,387	32,471	1,661	321,279
Total net interest and Islamic financing income	1,499,324	977,585	564,389	58,070	3,099,368
Non-interest income	485,540	315,486	238,583	115,839	1,155,448
Operating expenses	(891,208)	(357,218)	(98,117)	(57,518)	(1,404,061)
<b>Operating profit before impairment allowances</b>	1,093,656	935,853	704,855	116,391	2,850,755
Impairment (allowances)/recoveries	(415,152)	(306,976)	19,099	-	(703,029)
Share in profit of associate	3,692	-	-	-	3,692
<b>Profit before taxation</b>	682,196	628,877	723,954	116,391	2,151,418
Overseas income tax expense	-	(4,543)	-	-	(4,543)
<b>Net profit for the period</b>	682,196	624,334	723,954	116,391	2,146,875
Capital expenditure					96,917
<b>As at December 31, 2016 (audited)</b>					
Segment assets	73,885,539	105,660,754	78,147,077	595,887	258,289,257
Segment liabilities	51,659,677	80,948,903	95,283,613	46,179	227,938,372

The following is an analysis of the Group's revenue and results by operating segment for the three month period ended June 30, 2017 (unaudited):

	Consumer banking AED'000	Wholesale banking AED'000	Investments and treasury AED'000	Property management AED'000	Total AED'000
Net interest income	694,972	417,837	310,528	22,423	1,445,760
Net income from Islamic financing	119,550	54,496	53,463	1,262	228,771
Total net interest and Islamic financing income	814,522	472,333	363,991	23,685	1,674,531
Non-interest income	250,512	190,160	(63,334)	56,950	434,288
Operating expenses	(432,655)	(169,119)	(41,637)	(27,844)	(671,255)
<b>Operating profit before impairment allowances</b>	632,379	493,374	259,020	52,791	1,437,564
Impairment allowances	(323,074)	(104,346)	-	-	(427,420)
Share in profit of associate	1,479	-	-	-	1,479
<b>Profit before taxation</b>	310,784	389,028	259,020	52,791	1,011,623
Overseas income tax expense	-	(3,152)	-	-	(3,152)
<b>Net profit for the period</b>	310,784	385,876	259,020	52,791	1,008,471
Capital expenditure					42,793

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**29. Operating segments (continued)**

The following is an analysis of the Group's revenue and results by operating segment for the three month period ended June 30, 2016 (unaudited):

	Consumer banking AED'000	Wholesale banking AED'000	Investments and treasury AED'000	Property management AED'000	Total AED'000
Net interest income	643,737	426,254	256,548	29,079	1,355,618
Net income from Islamic financing	106,078	47,300	16,563	874	170,815
Total net interest and Islamic financing income	749,815	473,554	273,111	29,953	1,526,433
Non-interest income	248,329	162,517	148,646	57,202	616,694
Operating expenses	(436,869)	(158,004)	(42,901)	(28,284)	(666,058)
<b>Operating profit before impairment allowances</b>	561,275	478,067	378,856	58,871	1,477,069
Impairment (allowances)/recoveries	(282,384)	(74,708)	6,244	-	(350,848)
Share in profit of associate	1,975	-	-	-	1,975
<b>Profit before taxation</b>	280,866	403,359	385,100	58,871	1,128,196
Overseas income tax expense	-	(2,365)	-	-	(2,365)
<b>Net profit for the period</b>	280,866	400,994	385,100	58,871	1,125,831
Capital expenditure					40,243

For the purpose of monitoring segment performance and allocating resources between segments, all assets and liabilities are allocated to reportable segments.

**Other disclosures**

The following is an analysis of the total operating income of each segment between income from external parties and inter-segment.

	External (unaudited)		Inter-segment (unaudited)	
	6 months ended June 30		6 months ended June 30	
	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000
Consumer banking	2,530,131	2,496,030	(470,798)	(511,166)
Wholesale banking	1,716,123	1,637,943	(408,690)	(344,872)
Investments and treasury	(12,704)	12,054	819,891	790,918
Property management	104,226	108,789	59,597	65,120
<b>Total operating income</b>	<b>4,337,776</b>	<b>4,254,816</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

	External (unaudited)		Inter-segment (unaudited)	
	3 months ended June 30		3 months ended June 30	
	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000	2017 AED'000	2016 AED'000
Consumer banking	1,301,687	1,246,126	(236,653)	(247,982)
Wholesale banking	877,969	801,948	(215,476)	(165,877)
Investments and treasury	(121,364)	41,388	422,021	380,369
Property management	50,527	53,665	30,108	33,490
<b>Total operating income</b>	<b>2,108,819</b>	<b>2,143,127</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>



**29. Operating segments (continued)**

**Geographical information**

The Group operates in two principal geographic areas i.e. domestic and international. The United Arab Emirates is designated as domestic area which represents the operations of the Group that originates from the UAE branches and subsidiaries. International area represents the operations of the Group that originates from its branches in India, Jersey and through its subsidiaries outside UAE. The information regarding the Group's revenue and non-current assets by geographical location are detailed as follows:

	<b>Domestic (unaudited)</b>		<b>International (unaudited)</b>	
	<b>6 months ended June 30</b>		<b>6 months ended June 30</b>	
	<b>2017</b>	2016	<b>2017</b>	2016
	<b>AED'000</b>	AED'000	<b>AED'000</b>	AED'000
<b>Income</b>				
Net interest and Islamic financing income	<b>3,307,552</b>	3,094,882	<b>(2,133)</b>	4,486
Non-interest income	<b>1,019,836</b>	1,133,377	<b>12,521</b>	22,071

	<b>Domestic (unaudited)</b>		<b>International (unaudited)</b>	
	<b>3 months ended June 30</b>		<b>3 months ended June 30</b>	
	<b>2017</b>	2016	<b>2017</b>	2016
	<b>AED'000</b>	AED'000	<b>AED'000</b>	AED'000
<b>Income</b>				
Net interest and Islamic financing income	<b>1,676,052</b>	1,524,800	<b>(1,521)</b>	1,633
Non-interest income	<b>424,202</b>	594,186	<b>10,086</b>	22,508

	<b>Domestic</b>		<b>International</b>	
	<b>As at</b>	As at	<b>As at</b>	As at
	<b>June 30</b>	December 31	<b>June 30</b>	December 31
	<b>2017</b>	2016	<b>2017</b>	2016
	<b>unaudited</b>	audited	<b>unaudited</b>	audited
	<b>AED'000</b>	AED'000	<b>AED'000</b>	AED'000
<b>Non-current assets</b>				
Investment in associate	<b>200,481</b>	204,977	-	-
Investment properties	<b>662,168</b>	659,776	-	-
Property and equipment, net	<b>941,200</b>	921,938	<b>5,526</b>	4,747
Intangible assets	<b>18,800</b>	18,800	-	-

### 30. Capital adequacy ratio

The ratio calculated in accordance with Basel II guidelines are as follows:

	As at June 30 2017 unaudited AED'000	As at December 31 2016 audited AED'000
<b>Tier 1 capital</b>		
Share capital (Note 17)	5,198,231	5,198,231
Share premium	2,419,999	2,419,999
Other reserves (Note 18)	7,456,796	7,423,305
Retained earnings	11,115,918	11,052,553
Capital notes (Note 19)	4,000,000	4,000,000
Less: Intangible assets	(18,800)	(18,800)
Less: Investment in associate	-	(102,489)
<b>Total tier 1 capital</b>	<b>30,172,144</b>	<b>29,972,799</b>
<b>Tier 2 capital</b>		
Collective impairment allowance on loans and advances	2,244,558	2,115,655
Cumulative changes in fair value (Note 18)	77,983	6,290
Subordinated notes (Note 15)	4,240,113	4,217,314
Less: Investment in associate	-	(102,488)
<b>Total tier 2 capital</b>	<b>6,562,654</b>	<b>6,236,771</b>
<b>Total regulatory capital</b>	<b>36,734,798</b>	<b>36,209,570</b>
<b>Risk-weighted assets</b>		
Credit risk	179,564,657	169,252,435
Market risk	9,242,281	8,343,579
Operational risk	14,529,229	13,741,466
<b>Total risk-weighted assets</b>	<b>203,336,167</b>	<b>191,337,480</b>
<b>Capital adequacy ratio</b>	<b>18.07%</b>	<b>18.92%</b>
<b>Tier 1 ratio</b>	<b>14.84%</b>	<b>15.66%</b>
<b>Tier 2 ratio</b>	<b>3.23%</b>	<b>3.26%</b>

The capital adequacy ratio was above the minimum requirement of 12% for June 30, 2017 (December 31, 2016 – 12%) stipulated by the Central Bank of the UAE.

### 31. Fair value hierarchy

#### Fair value measurements recognised in the condensed consolidated interim financial information

The fair value measurements are categorised into different levels in the fair value hierarchy based on the inputs to valuation techniques used. The different levels are defined as follows:

#### Quoted market prices – Level 1

Financial instruments are classified as Level 1 if their values are observable in an active market. Such instruments are valued by reference to unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets where the quoted price is readily available and the price represents actual and regularly occurring market transactions.

**31. Fair value hierarchy (continued)**

**Valuation techniques using observable inputs – Level 2**

Financial instruments classified as Level 2 have been valued using models whose inputs are observable in an active market. Valuation based on observable inputs include financial instruments such as swaps and forwards which are valued using market standard pricing techniques and options that are commonly traded in markets where all the inputs to the market standard pricing models are observable.

The category includes derivative financial instruments such as OTC derivatives, commodity derivatives, foreign exchange spot and forward contracts, certain investment securities and borrowings.

These instruments are valued using the inputs observable in an active market. Valuation of the derivative financial instruments is made through discounted cash flow method using the applicable yield curve for the duration of the instruments for non-optional derivatives and standard option pricing models such as Black-Scholes and other valuation models for derivatives with options.

**Valuation techniques using significant unobservable inputs – Level 3**

Financial instruments and investment properties are classified as Level 3 if their valuation incorporates significant inputs that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs). A valuation input is considered observable if it can be directly observed from transactions in an active market.

Unobservable input levels are generally determined based on observable inputs of a similar nature, historical observations or other analytical techniques.

Financial instruments under this category mainly includes private equity instruments and funds. The carrying values of these investments are adjusted as follows:

- a) Private equity instruments – using the latest available net book value; and
- b) Funds – based on the net asset value provided by the fund manager.

This hierarchy requires the use of observable market data when available. The Group considers relevant and observable market prices in its valuations where possible.

Refer Note 10 in respect of valuation methodology used for investment properties.

Except as detailed in the following table, the Management considers that the carrying amounts of financial assets and liabilities recognised in the condensed consolidated interim financial information approximate their fair values.

**31. Fair value hierarchy (continued)**

		Level 1	Level 2	Level 3		
		Quoted market prices AED'000	Observable inputs AED'000	Significant unobservable inputs AED'000	Total fair value AED'000	Carrying value AED'000
<b>As at June 30, 2017 (unaudited)</b>	<b>Notes</b>					
<b>Assets at fair value</b>						
Trading securities	6	549,171	-	-	549,171	549,171
Derivative financial instruments	7	833	5,747,302	-	5,748,135	5,748,135
Investment securities	8					
- Quoted		25,303,438	2,511,964	-	27,815,402	27,815,402
- Unquoted		-	12,756,951	332,640	13,089,591	13,089,591
Investment properties	10	-	-	662,168	662,168	662,168
<b>Total</b>		<b>25,853,442</b>	<b>21,016,217</b>	<b>994,808</b>	<b>47,864,467</b>	<b>47,864,467</b>
<b>Liabilities at fair value</b>						
Derivative financial instruments	7	700	6,255,967	-	6,256,667	6,256,667
<b>Liabilities at amortised cost</b>						
Borrowings	15	16,037,867	19,245,705	-	35,283,572	36,302,203
<b>Total</b>		<b>16,038,567</b>	<b>25,501,672</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>41,540,239</b>	<b>42,558,870</b>
<b>As at December 31, 2016 (audited)</b>						
<b>Assets at fair value</b>						
Trading securities	6	418,758	-	-	418,758	418,758
Derivative financial instruments	7	10,612	3,961,177	-	3,971,789	3,971,789
Investment securities	8					
- Quoted		23,494,544	1,049,665	-	24,544,209	24,544,209
- Unquoted		-	8,178,003	337,254	8,515,257	8,515,257
Investment properties	10	-	-	659,776	659,776	659,776
<b>Total</b>		<b>23,923,914</b>	<b>13,188,845</b>	<b>997,030</b>	<b>38,109,789</b>	<b>38,109,789</b>
<b>Liabilities at fair value</b>						
Derivative financial instruments	7	1,290	4,791,239	-	4,792,529	4,792,529
<b>Liabilities at amortised cost</b>						
Borrowings	15	17,228,384	20,671,150	-	37,899,534	38,015,030
<b>Total</b>		<b>17,229,674</b>	<b>25,462,389</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>42,692,063</b>	<b>42,807,559</b>

The Group's OTC derivatives in the trading book are classified as Level 2 as they are valued using inputs that can be observed in the market.

Reconciliation showing the movement in fair values of Level 3 available-for-sale investments is as follows:

	As at June 30 2017 unaudited AED'000	As at December 31 2016 audited AED'000
<b>Opening balance</b>	<b>337,254</b>	<b>413,621</b>
Purchases, net during the period/year	13,991	4,130
Disposals including capital refunds during the period/year	(8,124)	(50,623)
Adjustment through other comprehensive income during the period/year	(10,481)	(29,874)
<b>Closing balance</b>	<b>332,640</b>	<b>337,254</b>

Gain of AED 2,773 thousand was realised on disposal of Level 3 investments during the period (for the six month period ended June 30, 2016 – AED Nil).

There were no transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 available-for-sale investments and there is no change in valuation techniques used during the period.

### **32. Legal proceedings**

The Group is involved in various legal proceedings and claims arising in the ordinary course of business. While the outcome of these matters cannot be predicted with certainty, management does not believe that these matters will have a material adverse effect on the Group's condensed consolidated interim financial information if disposed unfavourably.