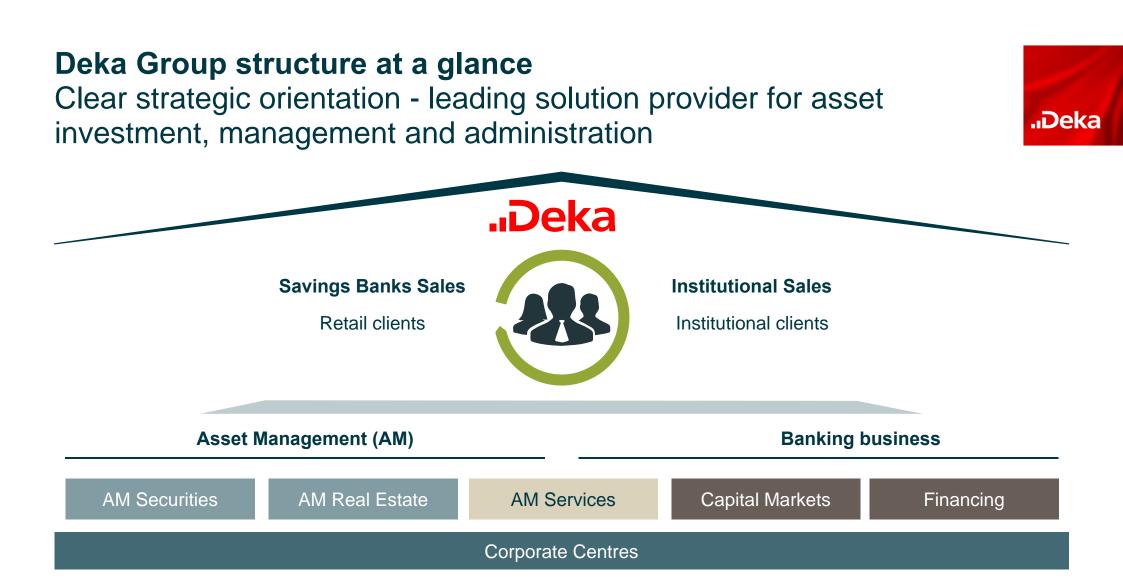
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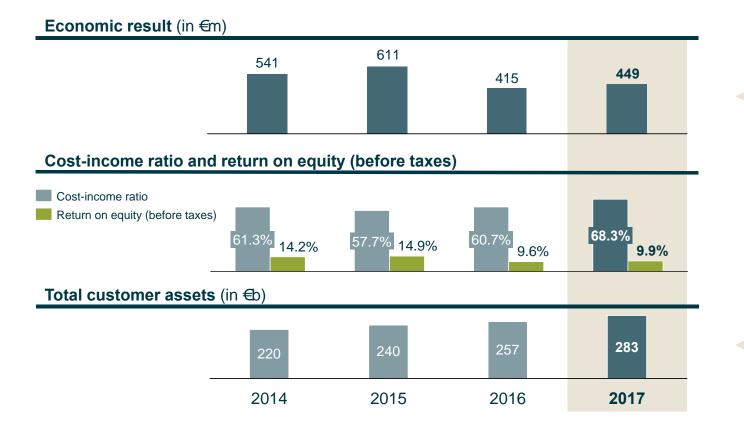


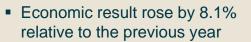
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Business Development Economic result higher than the previous year's figure



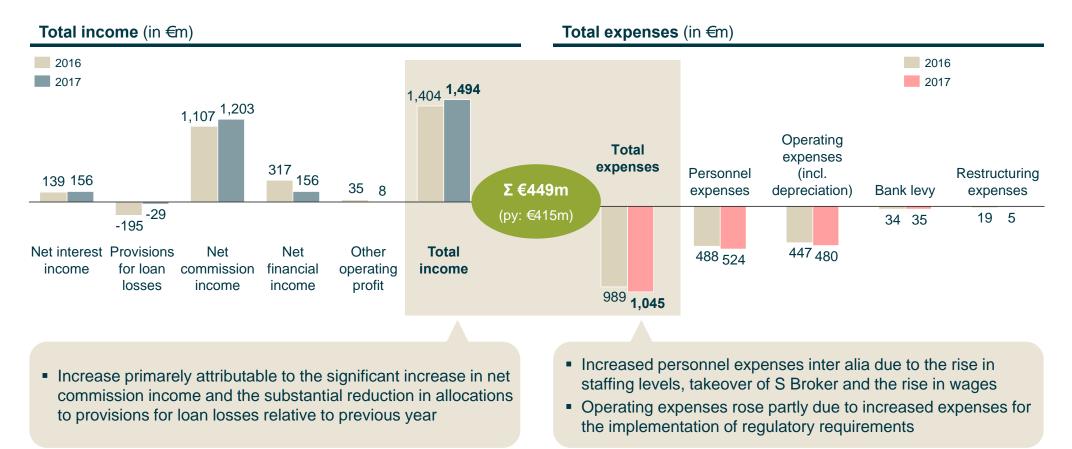


 Net commission income increased by 8.6%

 Further increase in total customer assets due to positive net sales performance and solid fund performance

Total income and expenses

Net commission income as an important sustainable component of earnings – above 80% of total income

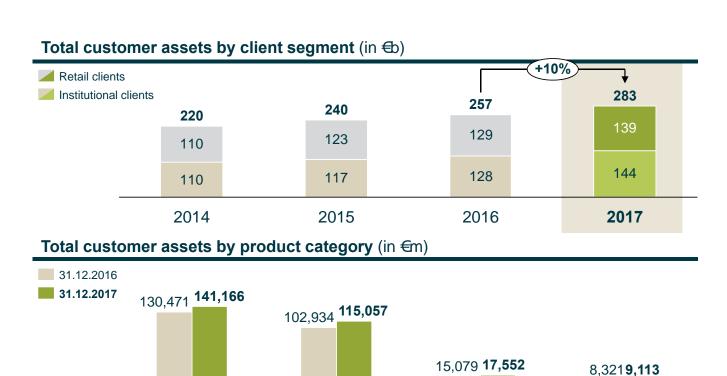


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Special funds

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Mutual funds and FAM



Total customer assets

Increase due to positive net sales and investment performance

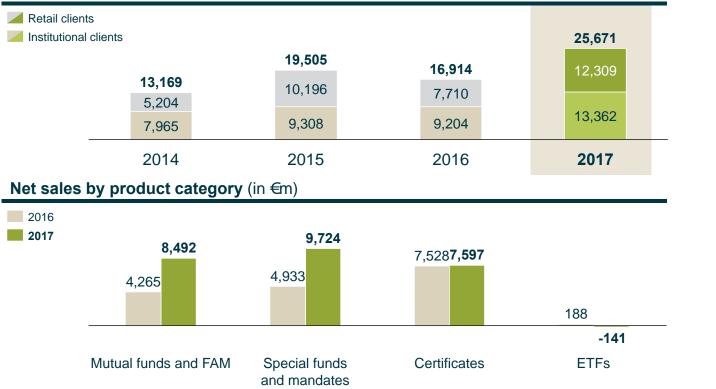
Certificates

ETFs

- Substantial growth in both retail and institutional business
- Rise reflects both a high level of new business and sound investment performance by the individual products, notwithstanding the outflows caused by distributions, from which customers also benefited

Net sales Record net sales

Net sales by client segments $(in \in m)$



 Net sales rose by a total of €8.8bn to a record level of €25.7bn

 Improved net sales in both retail and institutional business

 Net sales of mutual funds and special funds approximately doubling

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Financial position Financial position continous to be solid

Total assets (in €m) +9% 113 108 94 86 Leverage Ratio (fully loaded) 5.1% 4.7% 4.0% 3.5% Liquidity Coverage Ratio (LCR) 152.5% 124.4% 99.3% 61.4% 2014 2015 2016 2017



 Increase of total balance sheet assets in 2017 is in line with expectations

- Leverage ratio slightly below the year-end value 2016
- With transitional provisions (phase in) 4.8%
- The minimum requirements for the liquidity coverage ratio (LCR) were clearly exceeded

Regulatory capital and risk-weighted assets Common Equity Tier 1 capital ratio (fully loaded) at 16.7%

Development regulatory capital and RWA (fully loaded) 16.7% 16.7% Common Equity Tier 1 capital ratio 12.4% 31,188 in €m 24,886 23,813 Counterparty risk 15,391 Market risk 15,568 15,038 Operational risk 11.884 CVA risk 2,887 3,242 5.127 4.478 2,185 21,727 1,411 950 2016 2017 2015 in €m Own funds 5,194 5.289 5,442 4,619 Tier 1 capital 4,339 4,451 Common Equity Tier 1 3,866 3,978 4,145 capital

- Common Equity Tier 1 capital ratio (phase in) at 17.0%
- All regulatory requirements are safely met
- Common Equity Tier 1 capital was strengthened through reinvestment of net profits from 2016
- Risk-weighted assets rose slightly
- SREP requirements for 2018 for the phase-in Common Equity Tier 1 capital ratio (Pillar Two requirement including combined capital buffers) at 8.0%¹)

1) The minimum phase-in Common Equity Tier 1 capital ratio for 2018, as calculated at the start of the year.

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Economic risk Utilisation of risk capacity slightly below previous year

Overall risk¹⁾ and utilisation of risk capacity (in €m)

1) Value-at-risk - Var; confidence level 99.9 %, holding period 1 year

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Gross and net loan volume

Difference between gross an net loan volume shows existing level of collateralisation

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Development gross an net loan volume (in €b)

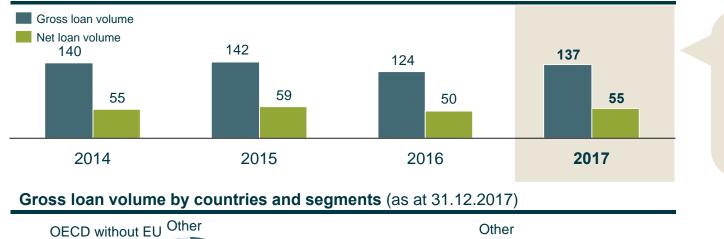
11%

3%

71%

Euro area

EU without Euro area 16%



Transport and Exportfin.

Public Sector (Domestic) 8%

Savings banks

Corporates

8%

53%

Financial Institutions

6%5%

11%

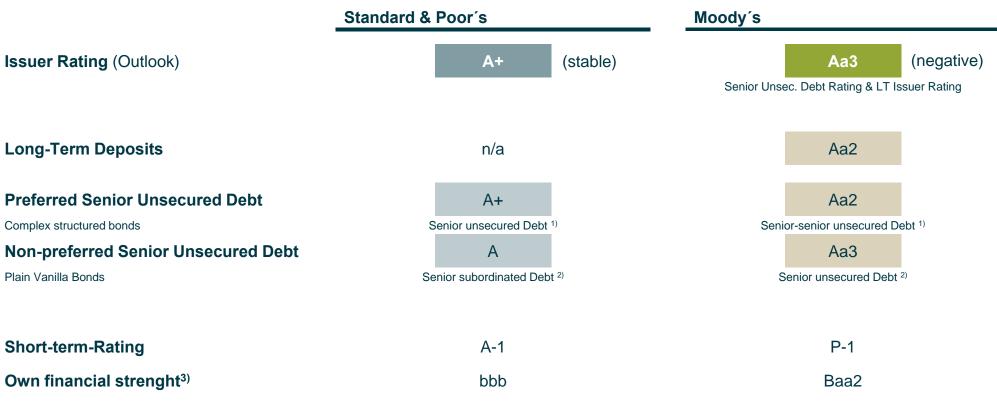
9%

Funds

 The average ratings for gross loan volume and net loan volume both improved to a rating of 2 on the DSGV master scale, a rise of one notch relative to the end of 2016 (corresponding to a rating of BBB+ on the external S&P rating scale).

 The ship portfolio's share of gross loan volume decreased to 0.9% (2016: 1.3%)

Financial ratings DekaBank's rating remains unchanged



As at 17, April 2018

1) Senior, unsecured debt, which in case of insolvency will be corrected before debt instruments according to § 46 f (6) S. 1 KWG.

2) Senior, unsecured debt.

3) S&P: SACP (Stand Alone Credit Profile); Moody's: BCA (Baseline Credit Assessment)

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Forecast report at the end of 2018 according to the Group Management Report 2017

	2017	Forecast 2018	
Economic result	448.9 €m	Slight increase	
Total customer assets	282.9 €b	Slight increase	
Net sales	25.7 €b	Slight decrease	
Common Equity Tier 1 capital ratio	16.7 %	Over 13%	
Utilisation of risk capacity	34.4 %	Moderate increase	

"The Group's 2018 economic result is expected to slightly exceed the figure for the year under review. The forecast economic result will thus ensure that DekaBank remains able to distribute profits and make the reinvestments necessary for the purposes of capital management."

"A slight increase in total customer assets is forecast for 2018, on the basis of continued high net sales performance in retail and institutional business."

"The fully loaded Common Equity Tier 1 capital ratio will drop during 2018, in line with the planned increase in the volume... However, it will remain above 13%."

The Deka Group plans its future business development on the basis of assumptions that seem most probable from a current perspective. However, plans and statements about growth during 2018 are subject to uncertainties.



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Glossary 1/2: Economic result

As a central control variable, together with economic risk, the **economic result** forms the basis for risk/return management in the Deka Group. It is generally determined in accordance with IFRS accounting and measurement policies.

The economic result includes the total profit or loss before tax, plus or minus changes in the revaluation reserve (before tax) and the interest rate and currency-related valuation result from original lending and issuance business, which are not recognised in the income statement under IFRS but are relevant for assessing financial performance. The interest expense on Additional Tier 1 bonds, which is reported directly within equity, is also included in the economic result. Potential future charges are also included in the economic result if the probability that they will arising in the future is assessed as possible. These are charges that may not yet be recorded in the IFRS accounts because they are not sufficiently substantiated.

The **economic result** is thus a periodic management accounting indicator whose high level of transparency enables recipients of the external financial reporting to consider the company from the management perspective.

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Common Equity Tier 1 capital ratio

 The Common Equity Tier 1 capital ratio is defined as the ratio of Common Equity Tier 1 capital to risk-weighted assets (RWA) of all relevant counterparty, market and operational risk positions and the CVA risk (credit valuation adjustment).

Risk capacity

Glossary 2/2

In the economic risk-bearing capacity analysis, risk cover potential essentially consists of equity under IFRS, income components and positions of a hybrid capital nature (subordinated capital), adjusted using amounts to correct for certain capital components such as intangible assets or risks arising from pension obligations. As a formal overall risk limit, it serves to guarantee the Bank's risk-bearing capacity.

Total customer assets

 Total customer assets essentially comprise the income-relevant volume of mutual and special fund products (including ETFs) direct investments in cooperation partner funds, the portion of fund-based asset management attributable to cooperation partners, third party funds and liquidity, advisory/management mandates, certificates and third party managed master funds.

Net sales

Performance indicator of sales success in asset management and certificate sales. This figure essentially consists of total direct sales of mutual and special funds, fund-based asset management, funds of partner organisations, master funds and advisory/management mandates, ETFs and certificates. Sales generated through proprietary investment activities are not taken into account. Redemptions and maturities are not taken into account for certificates, since in the certificates business the impact on earnings primarily occurs at the time of issue.

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