

# 2018 FINANCIAL RESULTS

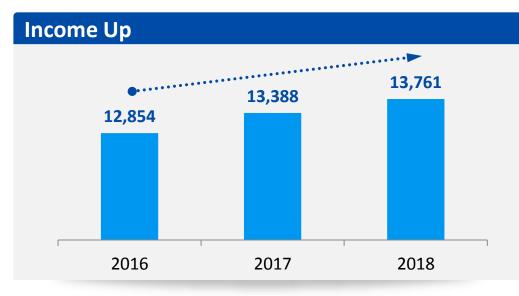
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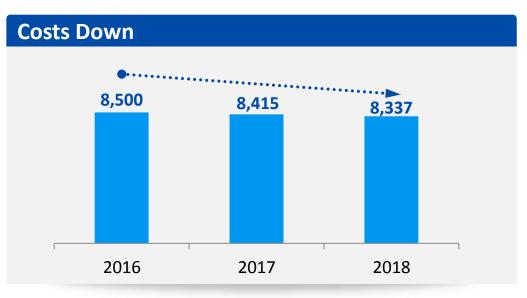
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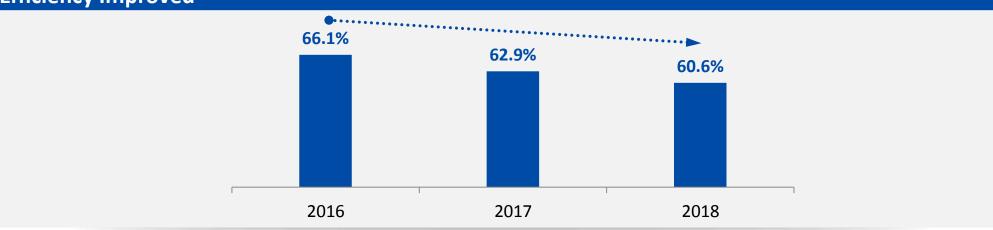
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## 2018: Continued Trend of Improvement in Income and Expenses – Positive Jaws





## Efficiency Improved

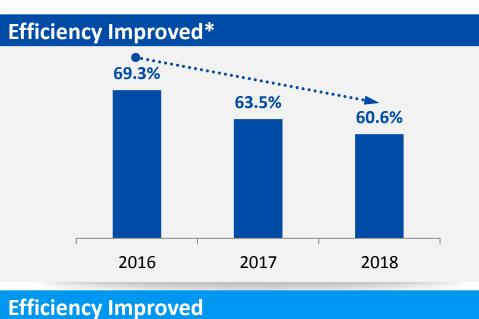


• 2017 includes one-time effects of NIS 189 million pretax. 2016 includes one-time effects of NIS 288 million net of tax.

(NIS Millions)

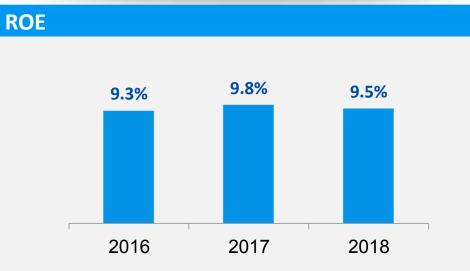
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## Strong Operating Leverage and ROE





66.1% 62.9% 60.6% 2016 2017 2018



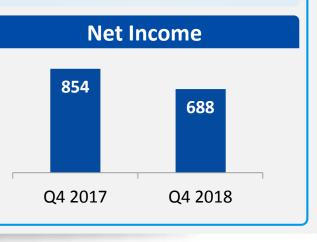
- 2017 cost-income ratio was adjusted by the profit of selling a major branch and salary expenses recorded as one-time.
- 2016 cost-income ratio was adjusted by income from selling VISA Europe, salary expenses recorded as one-time and an insurance refund

## Year-over-Year Progress of Financial Results

|   | 2018  | 2017  | 2016  |
|---|-------|-------|-------|
| Net Interest Income                               | 8,890 | 8,046 | 7,526 |
| Credit Loss Expenses<br>(income)                  | 519   | 172   | (125) |
| NII after Credit Losses<br>Expenses               | 8,371 | 7,874 | 7,651 |
| Non-interest Finance<br>Income                    | 682   | 919   | 1,282 |
| Commissions and Other income                      | 4,189 | 4,423 | 4,046 |
| Operating & Other<br>Expenses                     | 8,337 | 8,415 | 8,500 |
| Net Income Attributed to Shareholders             | 3,257 | 3,172 | 2,791 |
| EPS Attributed to<br>Shareholders (fully diluted) | 2.15  | 2.08  | 1.84  |

Q4 2017 results included pretax one-time effects of NIS 189m, attributed to a profit from the sale of a major branch and one-time salary expenses.

Excluding this effect, the Q4 2018 results are similar to Q4 2017.



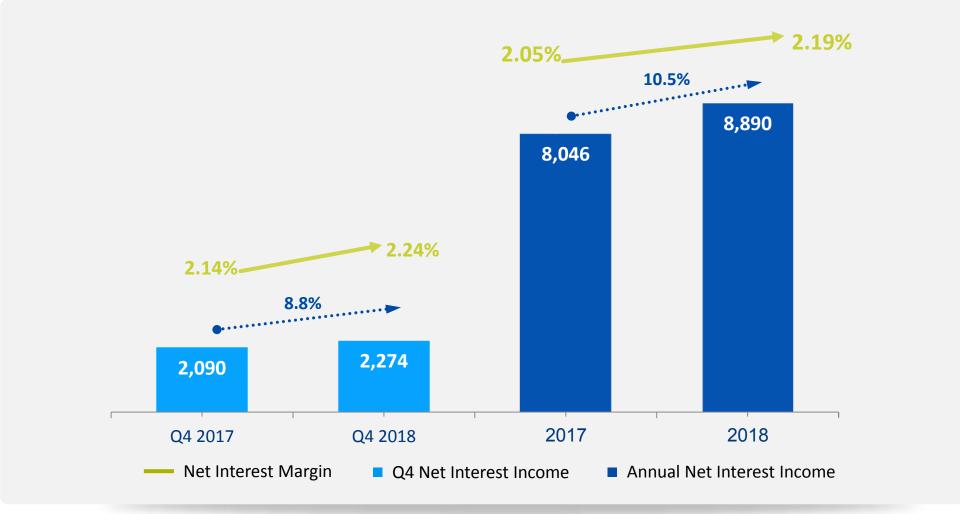
(NIS Millions, EPS in NIS)

## Multi Year View; Core Business Continues to Improve - Key Financial Metrics



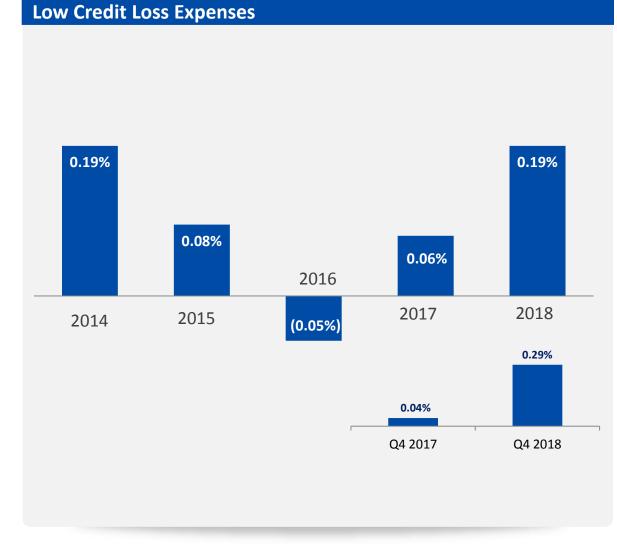
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## Net Interest Income and Net Interest Margins Continued to Rise

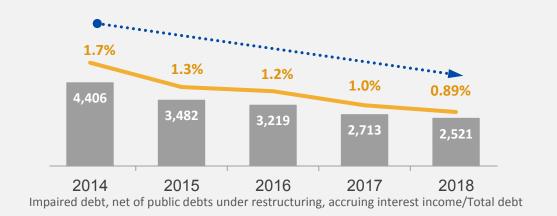


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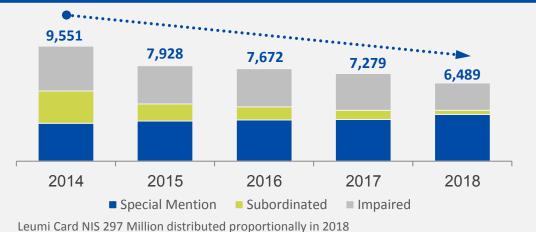
## A Holistic View of our High Quality Credit Portfolio



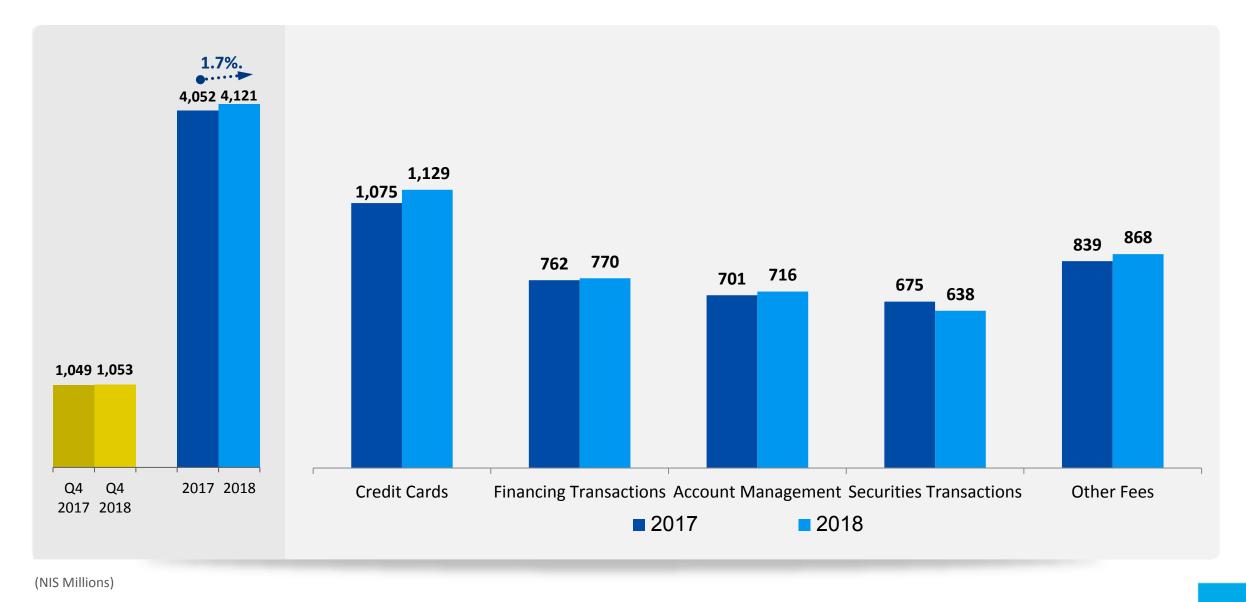
### Substantial Improvement in NPL Ratio



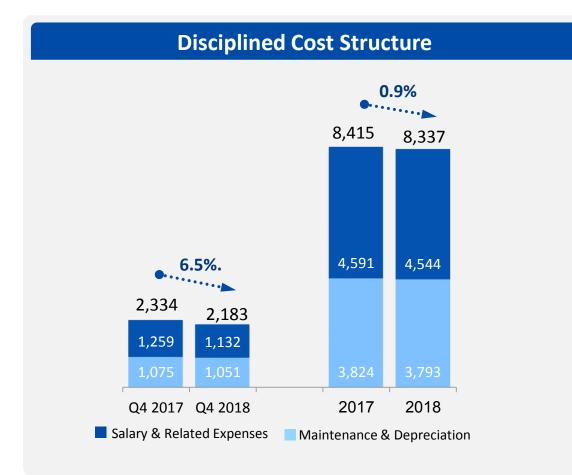
### **Continuous Positive Trend in Problem Debts**



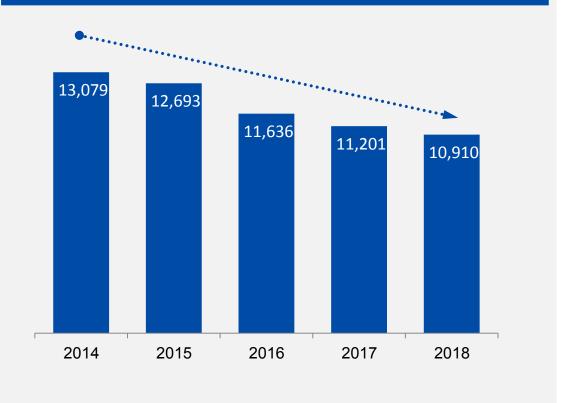
## Fees and Commissions Up Year-over-Year



## **Continued Focus on Improving Efficiency**



### Number of Positions Continued to Fall



#### (NIS Millions)

- In 2017 our presentation featured one-time effects of NIS 76 million of which NIS 43 million was attributed to bonuses.
- In 2018, an additional bonus was recorded, due to structural changes.
- As a result, they are not presented in the 2018 financial statements as one-time items for both 2017 and 2018.

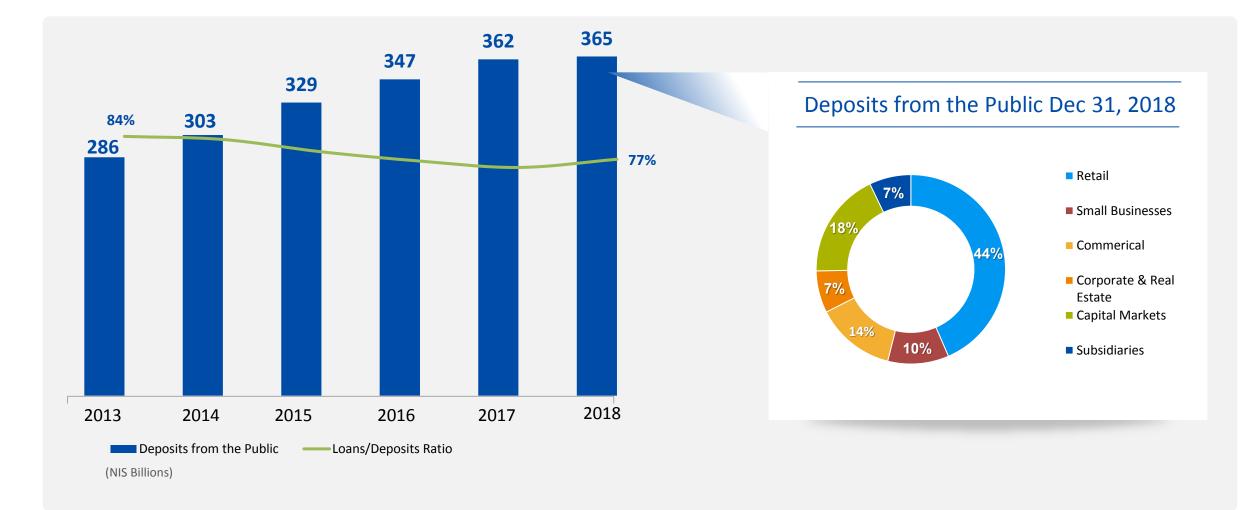
## Responsible Growth with a Focus on Selected Segments



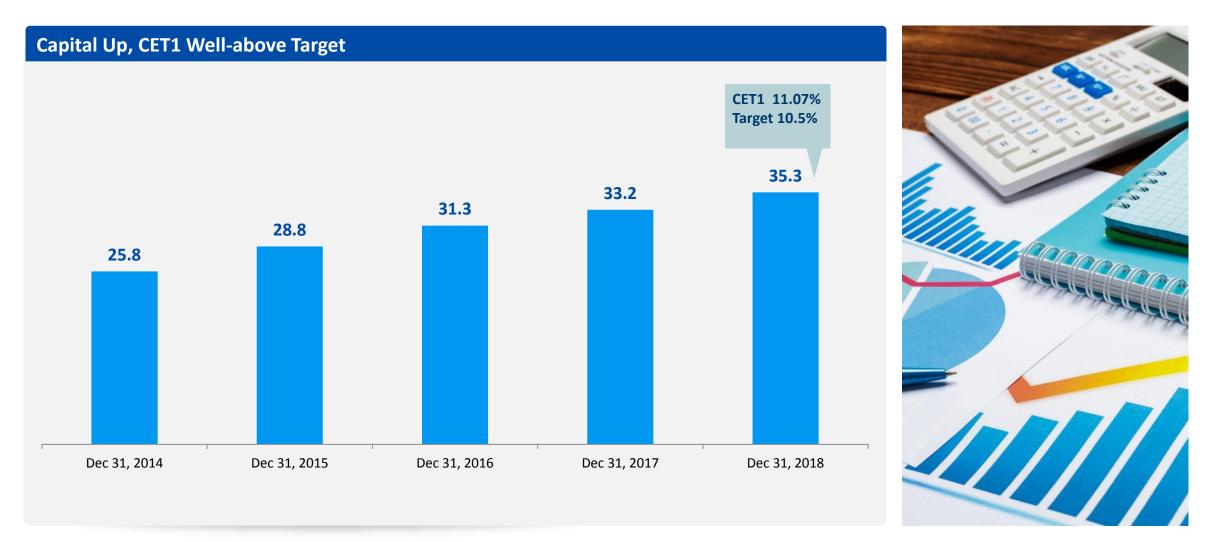
#### (NIS Billions)

11 <sup>1</sup>Corporate includes Corporate and Real-Estate; most of the growth came from Real-Estate Data Includes held-for-sale assets

## Solid and Diverse Deposit Base. Conservative, Well-funded Portfolio



## **Strong Capital Generation and Adequacy Ratios**



(NIS Billions)

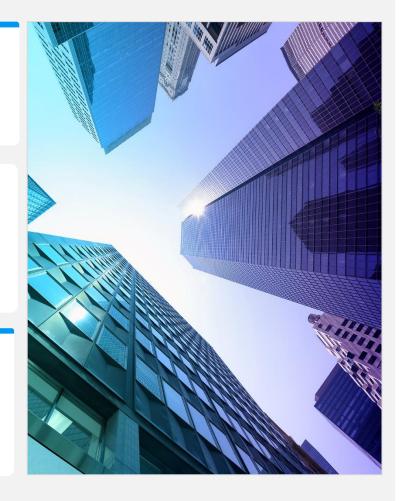
## High Share Returns via Dividend and Buyback; Dividend Policy up to 50%

The Board of Directors has adopted a dividend policy of up to 50%

## **2018 returns to shareholders**

- 40% quarterly dividend payout
- NIS 700 million buyback

Total Dividends and Buyback at over NIS 2 billion; equal to ~60% effective profit distribution



# Leumi Card Sale Completed in February 2019 – a Snapshot of the Expected Impact

| 2018: Leumi Card Impact on Results |       |  |  |  |
|------------------------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| Leumi's Net Income                 | 3,009 |  |  |  |
| Impact of Leumi Card               | 158   |  |  |  |
| Total Net Income                   | 3,257 |  |  |  |

2019: The profit from selling Leumi Card is expected to be higher than Leumi Card's impact on Leumi's results

## 2019 onwards:

- Improved operating agreements with Leumi Card, Isracard and VISA CAL
- Yield from the use of the sale proceeds
- Potential distribution of some of the excess capital from the sale



# Wrapping Up 2018 – Strong Financial Results

Continued improvement in profitability from core business:

- NII and NIM up
- Expenses down
- C/I ratio dropped

Selective loan growth while focusing primarily on lower risk sectors

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Robust Capital Adequacy – dividend policy updated to 50% Total payout ~60% of Net Income in 2018

Looking Ahead – Q1 2019:

- Positive Financial Markets
- Bank of Israel raised Interest rate to 0.25%
- Profits from Leumi Card sale to be recorded
- Negative CPI







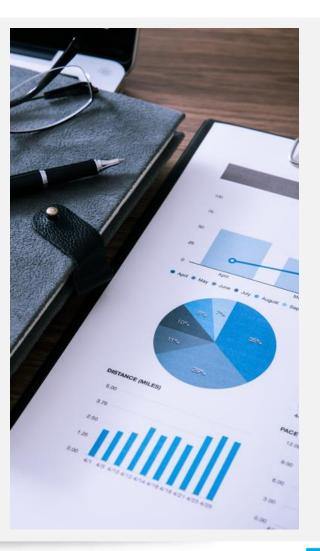
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# APPENDIX

## Strong Macro Profile – A Positive for Leumi

|                                      | E2019*     | 2018   | 2017   | 2016   |
|--------------------------------------|------------|--------|--------|--------|
| GDP, rate of change, real terms      | 3.0%       | 3.3%   | 3.5%   | 4.0%   |
| Private Consumption                  | 3.6%       | 3.9%   | 3.4%   | 6.4%   |
| Current account surplus, % of GDP    | 2.3%       | 2.6%*  | 3.0%   | 3.8%   |
| Government budget deficit, % of GDP  | (3.5%)     | (2.9%) | (1.9%) | (2.1%) |
| Government debt, % of GDP            | 61%        | 60%    | 59%    | 61%    |
| Unemployment, Annual Average         | 4.4%       | 4.2%   | 4.2%   | 4.8%   |
| CPI, year-end change                 | 0.7-1.7%   | 0.8%   | 0.4%   | (0.2%) |
| NIS-USD, average exchange rate       | 3.55-3.75  | 3.59   | 3.60   | 3.84   |
| NIS-GBP, average exchange rate       | 4.85-5.05  | 4.79   | 4.67   | 5.21   |
| NIS-EUR, average exchange rate       | 4.20-4.40  | 4.24   | 4.07   | 4.25   |
| Bank of Israel average interest rate | 0.25-0.75% | 0.11%  | 0.1%   | 0.1%   |



Source: Central Bureau of Statistics, \*Leumi forecast