# OTP Group Investor presentation based on 4Q 2018 results

OTP Group has maintained strong profitability, capital adequacy and liquidity



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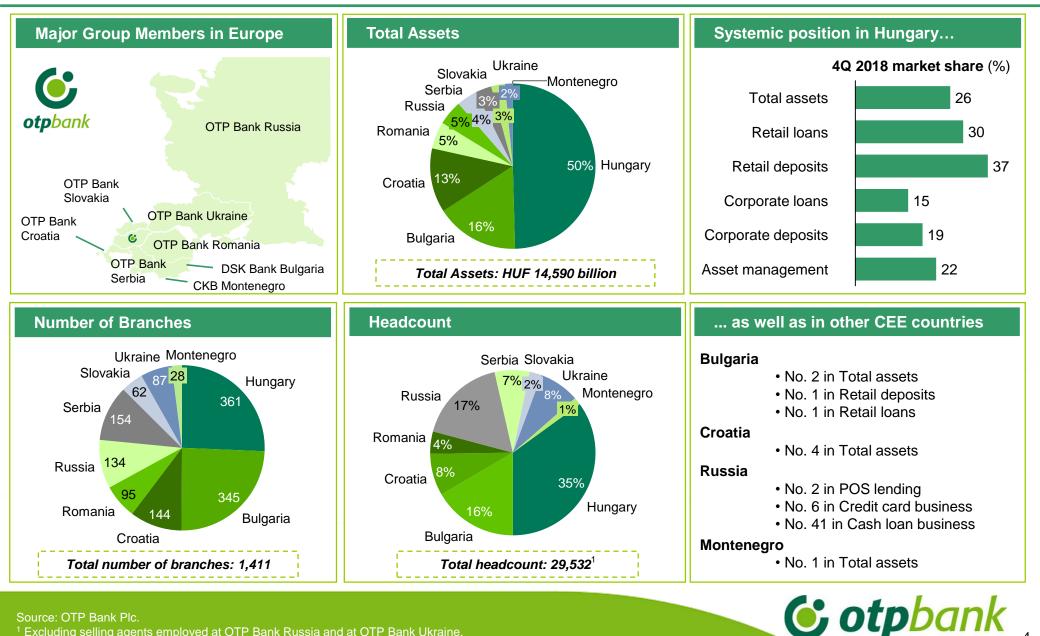


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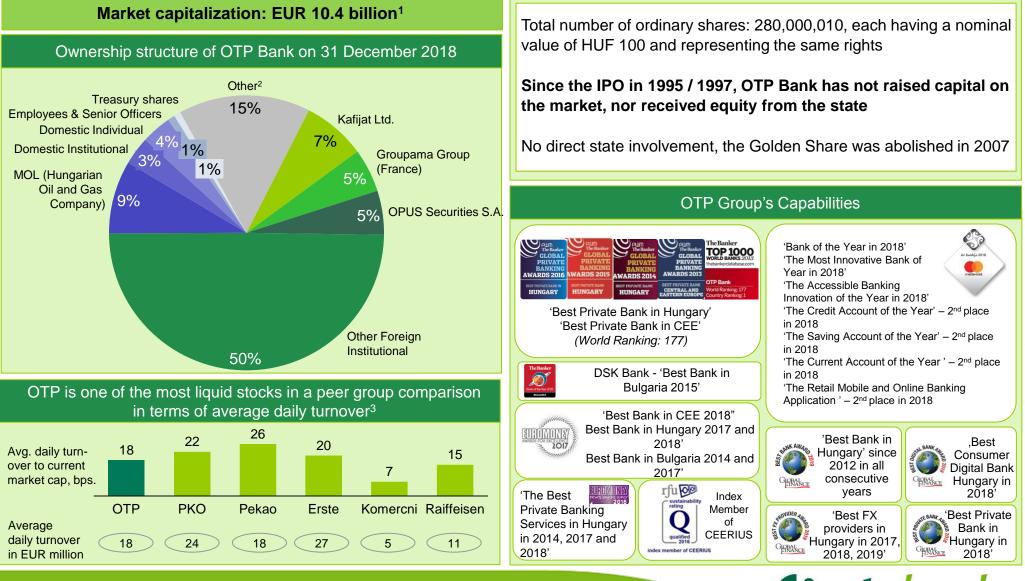
1.	Unique diversified access to the CEE/CIS banking sector
2.	All-time high profit, outstanding ROE
3.	Outstanding loan volume expansion supported by organic growth and new acquisitions
4.	Strong capital and liquidity position
5.	Supporting economic environment continues to propel strong performance
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#### OTP Group is offering universal banking services to 18.4 million customers in 9 countries across the **CEE/CIS Region**









#### <sup>1</sup> On 27 February 2019.

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<sup>2</sup> Foreign individuals, International Development Institutions, government held owner and non-identified shareholders.

<sup>3</sup> Based on the last 6M data (end date: 27 February 2019) on the primary stock exchange.

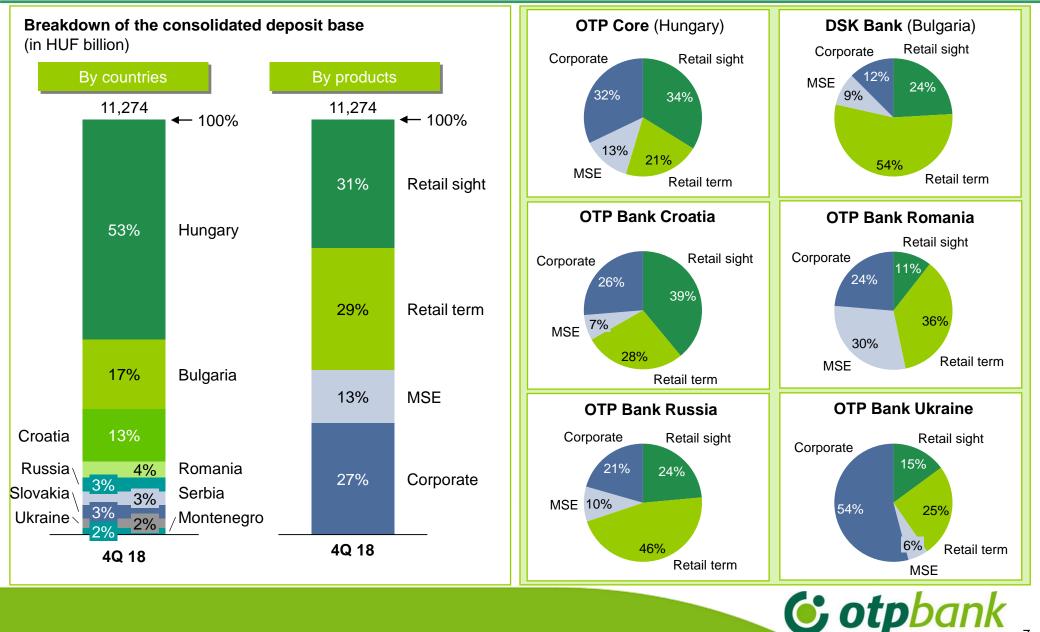
#### The net loan book is dominated by Hungary and tilted to retail lending; around 85% of the total book is invested in EU countries with stable earning generation capabilities



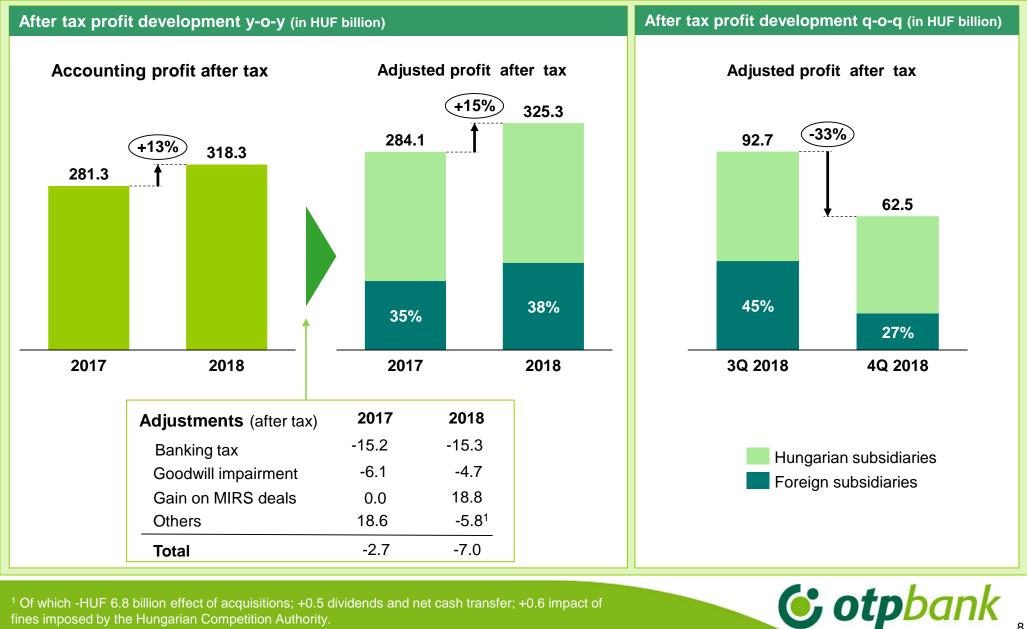


## In the deposit book Hungary and the retail segment is dominant. In Hungary and Bulgaria OTP and DSK are the largest retail deposit holders





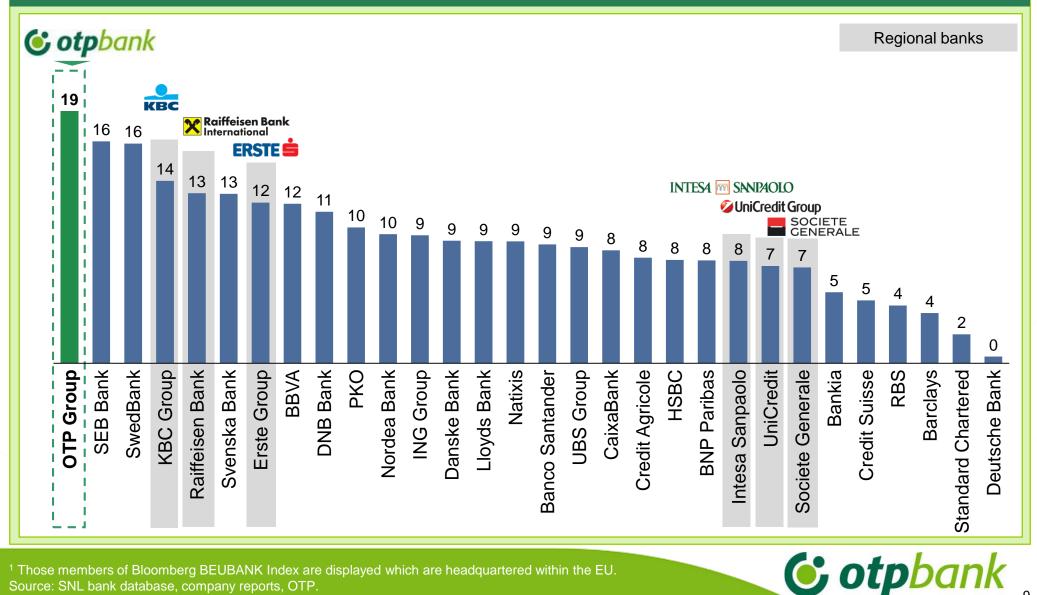
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<sup>1</sup> Of which -HUF 6.8 billion effect of acquisitions; +0.5 dividends and net cash transfer; +0.6 impact of fines imposed by the Hungarian Competition Authority.



### Return on Equity (ROE) of European banking groups<sup>1</sup>, 2018 (%)



<sup>1</sup> Those members of Bloomberg BEUBANK Index are displayed which are headquartered within the EU. Source: SNL bank database, company reports, OTP.

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#### The accounting ROE has been growing steadily since 2015 on the back of moderating provision charges and vanishing negative adjustment items



	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Accounting ROE	9.4%	6.1%	8.4%	4.2%	-7.4%	5.1%	15.4%	18.5%	18.7%
Accounting ROE on 12.5% CET1 ratio <sup>1</sup>						5.4%	17.6%	22.4%	23.2%
Adjusted ROE <sup>2</sup>	13.0%	11.8%	10.2%	9.6%	8.5%	9.6%	15.4%	18.7%	19.1%
Total Revenue Margin <sup>3</sup>	8.03%	8.12%	8.31%	8.44%	7.74%	7.03%	6.79%	6.71%	6.33%
— Net Interest Margin <sup>3</sup>	6.16%	6.31%	6.40%	6.37%	5.96%	5.17%	4.82%	4.56%	4.30%
Operating Costs / Average Assets	3.62%	3.76%	3.89%	4.07%	3.85%	3.66%	3.70%	3.68%	3.57%
Risk Cost Rate <sup>4</sup>	3.69%	2.95%	3.11%	3.51%	3.68%	3.18%	1.14%	0.43%	0.23%
Leverage (average equity / avg. assets)	12.8%	13.6%	14.4%	14.8%	13.0%	11.5%	12.9%	12.7%	12.2%

<sup>1</sup> The indicated / approved dividend and the CET1 capital surplus (as calculated from the difference between the 12.5%

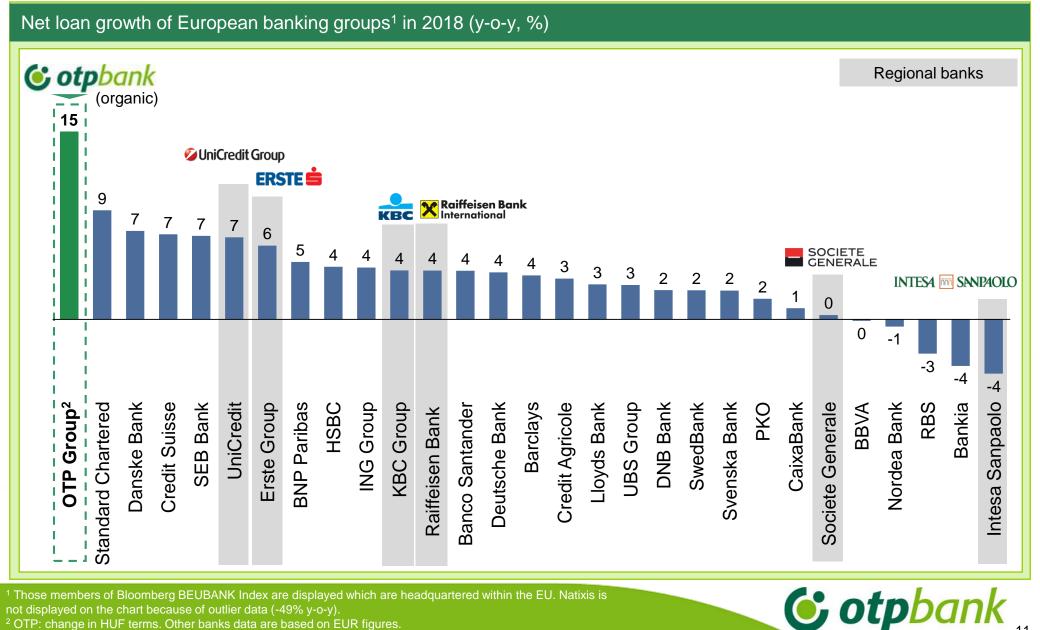
CET1 and the actual CET1 ratio including the interim result less approved dividend) is deducted from the equity base.

<sup>2</sup> Calculated from the Group's adjusted after tax result. <sup>3</sup> Excluding one-off revenue items. <sup>4</sup> Provision for impairment on loan and placement losses-to-average gross loans ratio.

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The 15% y-o-y net loan growth of OTP Group stands out from European banking groups, thanks to the increasing loan demand amid supportive economic environment





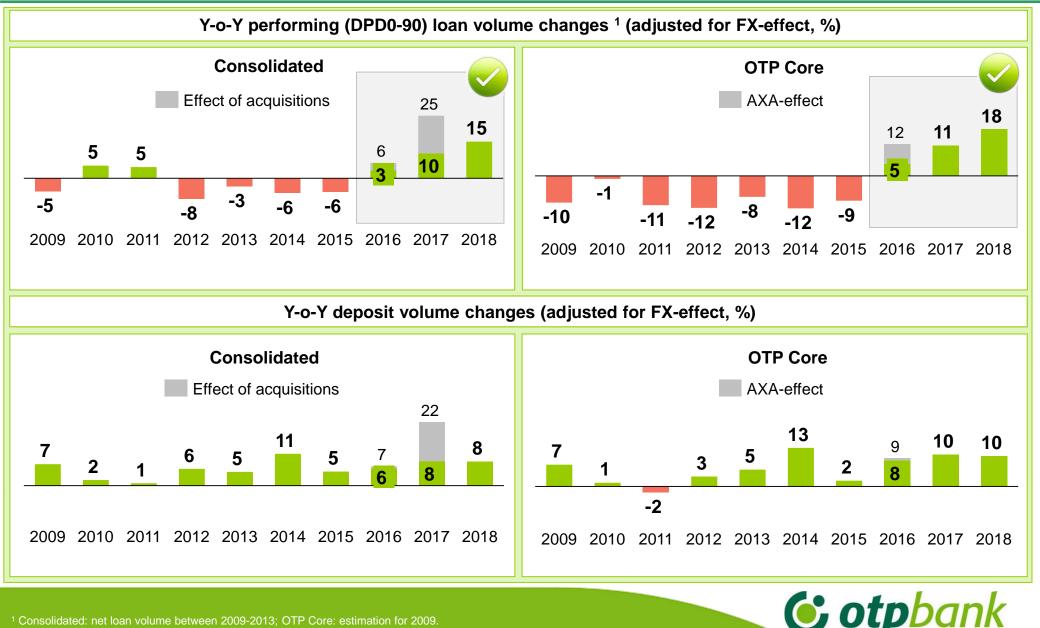
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not displayed on the chart because of outlier data (-49% y-o-y)

<sup>2</sup> OTP: change in HUF terms. Other banks data are based on EUR figures. Source: SNL bank database, company reports, OTP

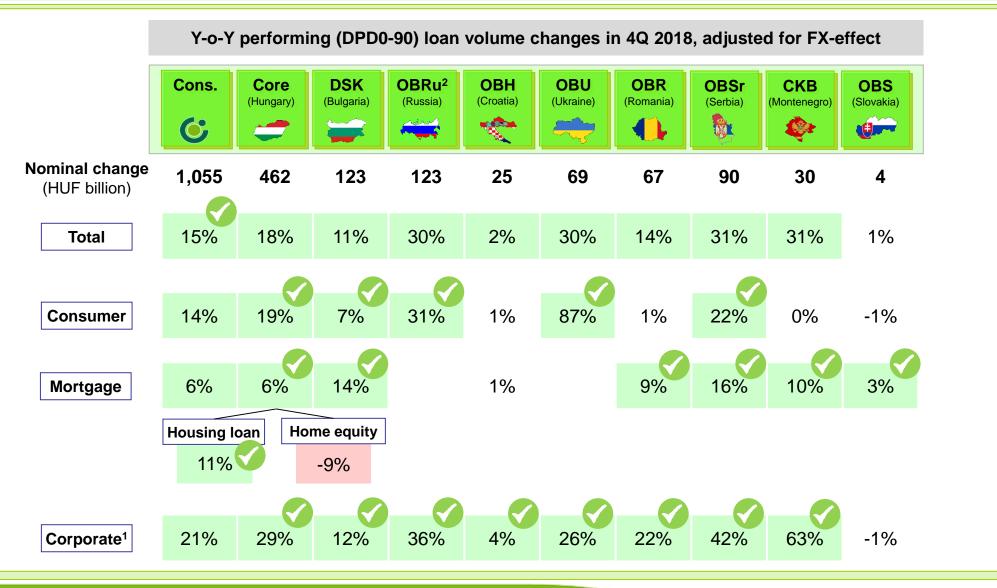
Following the contraction in the previous years, the last 3 years brought a spectacular turnaround in loan volumes, while deposits have been growing steadily reflecting our clients' trust in the Bank





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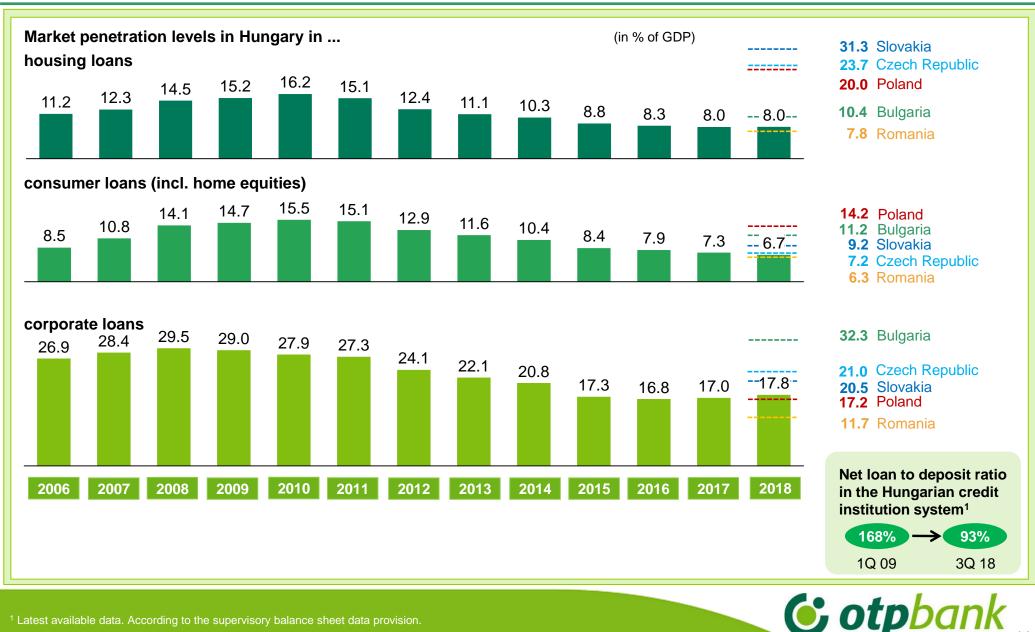
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<sup>2</sup> The y-o-y changes are affected by the inclusion of Touch Bank into OTP Bank Russia from 2018.

The Hungarian loan penetration levels are still low in regional comparison implying good volume growth potential. This is the case for Romania, as well as for the Bulgarian housing loan segment

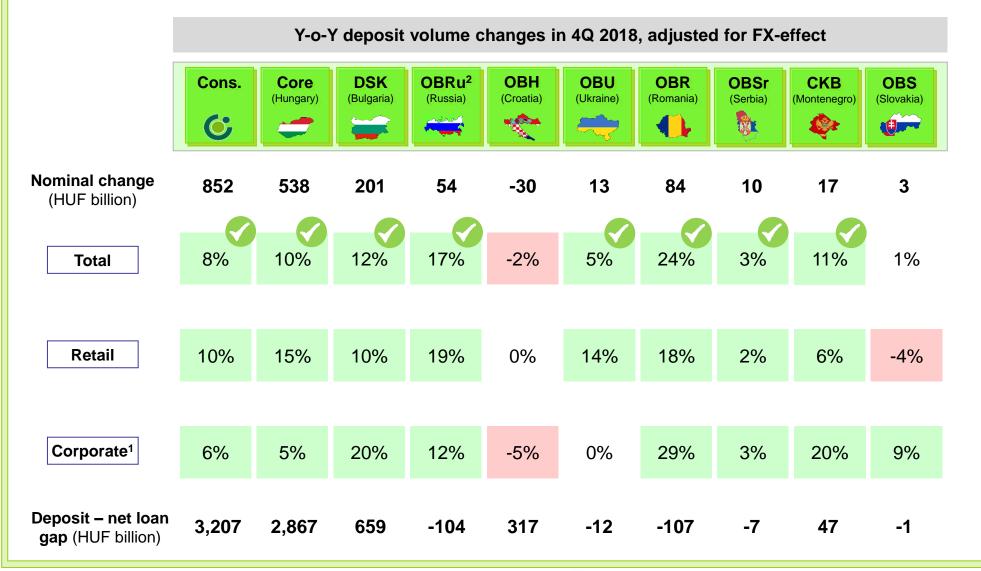




<sup>1</sup> Latest available data. According to the supervisory balance sheet data provision.

The consolidated deposit base increased by 8% y-o-y driven by steady inflows in the Hungarian retail segment and strong Bulgarian, Russian, Ukrainian, Romanian, Serbian and Montenegrin performances





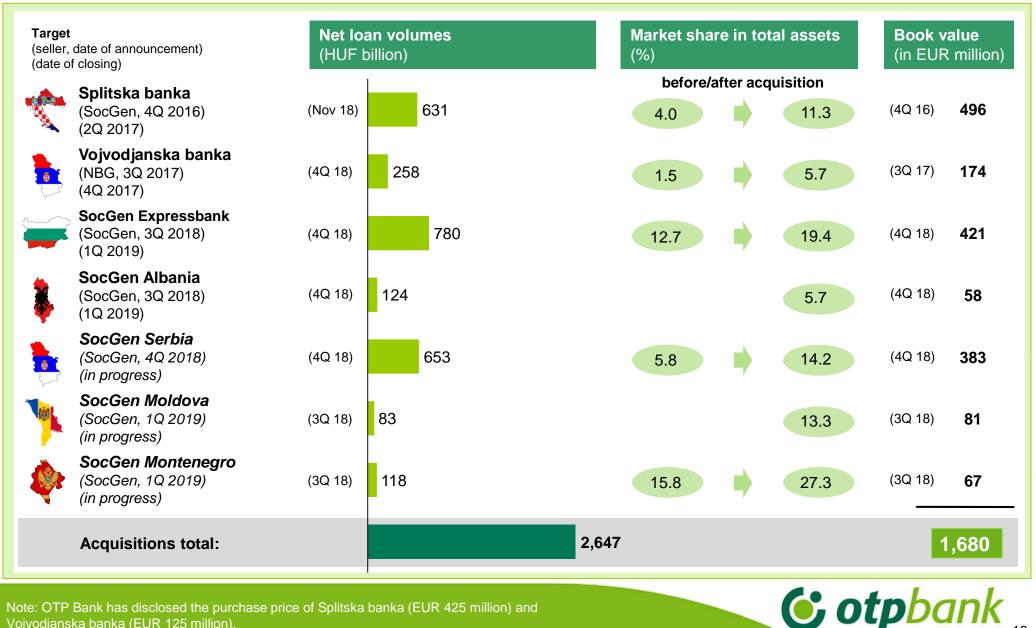


<sup>1</sup> Including MSE, MLE and municipality deposits.

<sup>2</sup> The changes are affected by the inclusion of Touch Bank into OTP Bank Russia from 2018.

Acquisitions in the past 2 years were concluded at an average of 1 Price to Book value multiple. Transactions have improved our market positions materially paving the way for better economies of scale





Note: OTP Bank has disclosed the purchase price of Splitska banka (EUR 425 million) and Vojvodjanska banka (EUR 125 million).

Strong capital and liquidity position coupled with robust internal capital generation. The Bank is exploring the opportunity to issue a euro denominated benchmark tier 2 item<sup>1</sup>

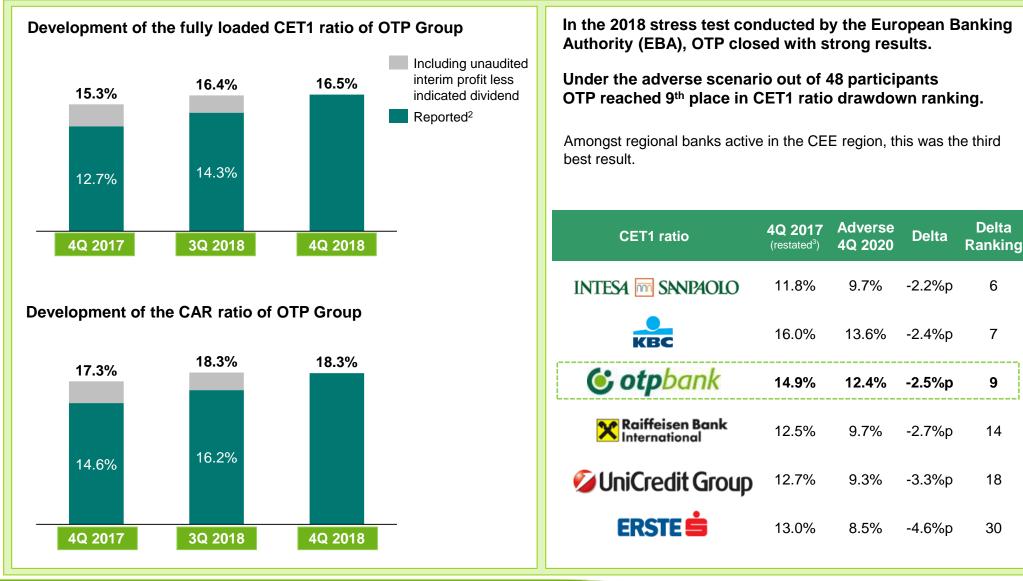


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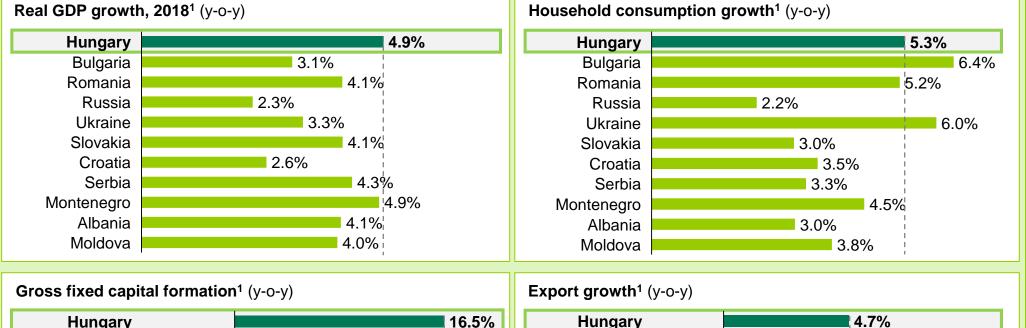
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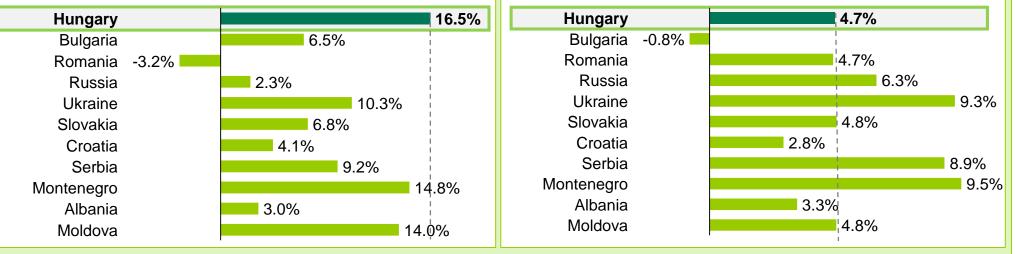
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<sup>2</sup> In 4Q 2018 the capital adequacy ratios include the 2018 net earnings less the proposed annual dividend amount.

<sup>3</sup> Including the impact of the introduction of IFRS 9.





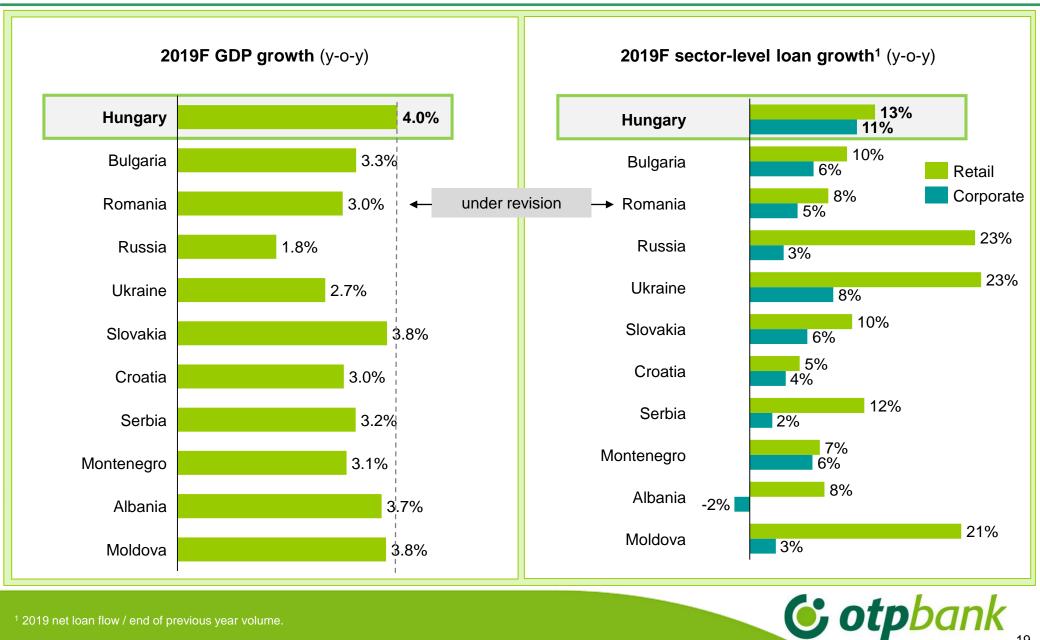




<sup>1</sup> In case of Albania the average of 1Q-4Q 2018 was displayed.

In 2019 the GDP is expected to continue to grow dynamically in Hungary and in other Group members' countries, inducing healthy growth in loan volumes





<sup>1</sup> 2019 net loan flow / end of previous year volume.



#### OTP Group: management expectations for 2019 – 1.

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The ROE target of above 15% (assuming 12.5% Common Equity Tier 1 ratio) announced at the 2015 Annual General Meeting remains in place.

Apart from the negative impact of the Hungarian and Slovakian banking tax (HUF 16 billion after tax) the potential introduction of the Romanian banking tax with a currently unclear earnings effect and further acquisitions may result in material adjustment items.

The FX-adjusted growth of performing loans (Stage 1 plus Stage 2 under IFRS 9) – without the effect of further acquisitions – may be around 10% in 2019.

The net interest margin started to flatten out in 2018, and it may not fall below the 2Q 2018 level (4.25%) in 2019. The forecast does not incorporate the effect of the already completed Bulgarian and Albanian acquisitions, and the ongoing Serbian, Moldovan and Montenegrin ones, or any further potential acquisitions.

Assuming no material change in the external environment, favourable credit quality trends – similar to 2018 – are expected to remain in 2019. The Stage 3 and DP90+ ratios may decline further and the risk cost rate (provision for impairment on loan and placement losses to average gross loans ratio) may be around the 2018 level.

The FX-adjusted operating expenses without acquisition effect are expected to increase by 4% y-o-y, mainly as a result of wage inflation, ongoing digital and IT transformation and strong organic growth, but these factors will be partially off-set by the cost synergy benefits realized in Croatia.



The proposed dividend to be paid after the 2018 financial year will be the same as in the previous year, HUF 61.32 billion. The dividend proposal after the 2019 financial year will be formulated in 1Q 2020



#### **OTP Group: management expectations for 2019 – 2.**

Beyond the capital required for organic growth the management intends to allocate significant part of the generated excess capital for further value-creating acquisitions:

- The proposed dividend amount to be paid from 2018 earnings will be the same as the dividend amount after the 2017 financial year, i.e. HUF 61.32 billion.
- The dividend proposal after the 2019 financial year will be decided by the management in 1Q 2020 (similar to the practice concerning the 2018 dividend policy), taking into account the actual organic growth and M&A developments.

The acquisition of Expressbank in Bulgaria was completed in January 2019, the Albanian one at the end of March; the Moldovan and the new Serbian and Montenegrin acquisitions are still in progress. According to 2018 year-end or the latest available data, the aggregated shareholders' equity of these entities comprised around EUR 1 billion equivalent. Furthermore, the management continues to assess further value-creating acquisition opportunities.

 As for the indicated / deducted dividend amount presented among the financial data in the quarterly Stock Exchange Reports in 2019, the basis for the calculation will be the dividend proposal after the 2018 financial year (HUF 61.32 billion). However, the final dividend proposal can differ from this amount.



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In 4Q 2018 there were two significant adjustment items: the one-off gain booked in relation to monetary policy interest rate swaps, and the effect of acquisitions covering mainly the acquisition-related integration costs

(in HUF billion) Consolidated after tax profit (accounting)	2017 281.3	2018 318.3	Y-o-Y 13%	4Q 17 68.5	3Q 18 85.9	4Q 18 77.8	Q-o-Q -9%	Y-o-Y 14%
Adjustments (total)	-2.7	-7.0	157%	8.9	-6.8	15.3	-327%	71%
Dividends and net cash transfers (after tax)	0.7	0.5	-33%	0.0	0.0	0.1		
Goodwill/investment impairment charges (after tax)	-6.1	-4.7	-22%	-5.6	-5.7	0.5	1	
Special tax on financial institutions (after corporate income tax)	-15.2	-15.3	0%	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	3%	11%
Impact of fines imposed by the Hungarian Competition Authority (after tax)	0.2	0.6	220%	0.0	0.6	0.0		
Effect of acquisitions (after tax)	17.7	-6.8		14.7	-1.4	-4.0	2178%	-127%
Initial NPV gain on MIRS deals (after tax)	0.0	18.8		0.0	0.0	18.8	3	
Consolidated adjusted after tax profit	284.1	325.3	15%	59.5	92.7	62.5	-33%	5%

Tax shield related to the recognition or reversal of impairment charges booked in relation to investments in certain subsidiaries.

2) The acquisition effect was related mainly to the integration costs at Splitska banka and Vojvodjanska banka, and expert fees occurred in the HQ.

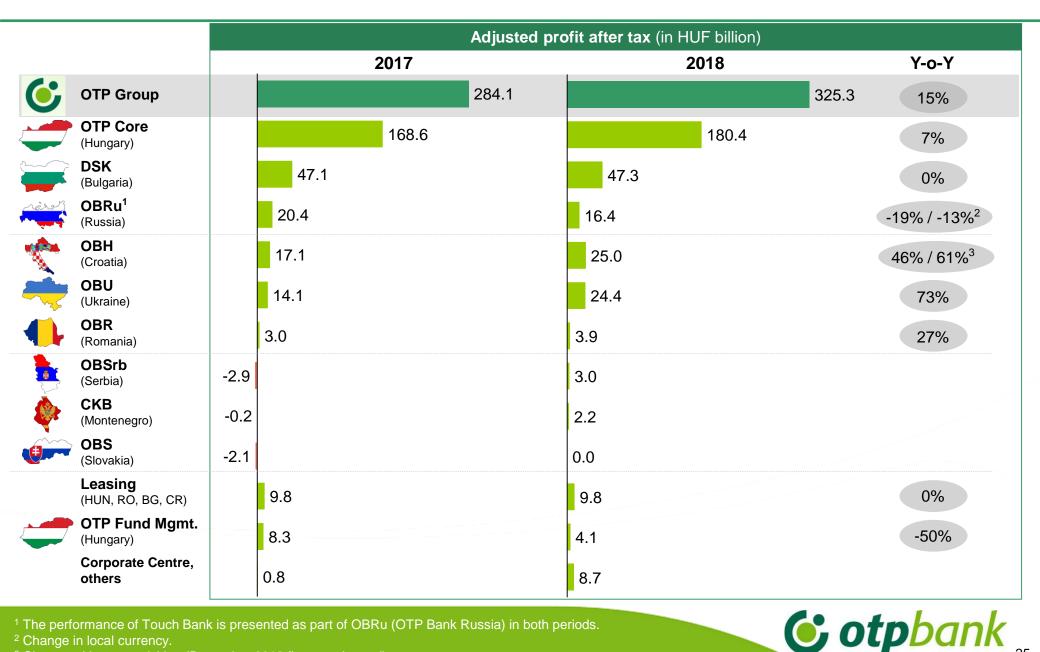
<sup>3</sup>According to the decision by the Monetary Council (MC) of the National Bank of Hungary on 21 November 2017, an unconditional interest rate swap (IRS) facility was introduced with 5 and 10 years maturity. Counterparty banks could access the IRS facility on regular tenders from the beginning of January 2018. In line with the fine-tuning of the unconventional policy instruments affecting long-term yields, on 18 September 2018 MC made a decision to phase out the monetary policy IRS facilities by the end of 2018. The Council set the annual maximum stock of monetary policy IRS for 2018 at HUF 1,100 billion. Until November 2018 – in coordination with the auditor – the initial positive net present value (NPV) gained on MIRS deals was accrued for the whole maturity of MIRS transactions within the net interest income. In December 2018 NBH published guidelines, according to which those swap facilities were unconditional, therefore in NBH's opinion there was no such binding criteria within the conditions that would require the accrual of NPVs. Taking into consideration the NBH's guidelines, OTP Bank – with the consent of the auditor – decided to book the total initial positive NPVs in one lump sum within its P&L. As a result, in the adjusted P&L structure the total HUF 20.7 billion (before tax) gain realized in 2018 as a whole was presented in 4Q 2018 within adjustment items on the Initial NPV gain on the monetary policy interest rate swap (MIRS) deals line.



(in HUF billion)	2017	2018	Y-o-Y	<b>2018</b> without N	<b>Y-o-Y</b> 1&A <sup>1</sup>	4Q 17	3Q 18	4Q 18	Q-o-Q	Y-o-Y
Consolidated adjusted after tax profit	284.1	325.3	15%	307.9	13%	59.5	92.7	62.5	-33%	5%
Corporate tax	-37.3	-37.4	0%	-33.9	-3%	-6.5	-11.3	-4.7	-58%	-28%
Profit before tax	321.4	362.7	13%	341.8	11%	66.1	104.0	67.2	-35%	2%
Total one-off items	3.9	4.0	1%	4.0	1%	0.1	0.6	-0.1		
Result of the Treasury share swap agreement	3.9	4.0	1%	4.0	1%	0.1	0.6	-0.1		
Profit before tax (adjusted, without one-offs)	317.5	358.7	13%	337.8	11%	66.0	103.4	67.3	-35%	2%
Operating profit without one-offs	363.2	384.9	6%	358.8	3%	85.1	105.9	87.6	-17%	3%
Total income without one-offs	804.9	881.7	10%	813.6	6%	208.9	227.7	227.8	0%	9%
Net interest income	546.7	599.8	10%	554.5	6%	140.5	153.9	156.4	2%	11%
Net fees and commissions	209.4	220.7	5%	205.2	2%	58.1	57.8	56.6	-2%	-3%
Other net non interest income without one-offs	48.9	61.2	25%	53.9	20%	10.3	16.0	14.7	-8%	44%
Operating costs	-441.8	-496.8	12%	-454.8	7%	-123.8	-121.8	-140.2	15%	13%
Total risk cost	-45.7	-26.2	-43%	-21.0	-52%	: -19.1	-2.5	-20.3		6%

<sup>1</sup> 2018 numbers and y-o-y changes without acquisitions do not include the contribution from the Croatian Splitska banka (estimated) and the Serbian Vojvodjanska banka and their Leasing companies.

#### In 2018 primarily the Hungarian, Croatian, Ukrainian and Serbian profit contribution improved remarkably



<sup>1</sup> The performance of Touch Bank is presented as part of OBRu (OTP Bank Russia) in both periods.

<sup>2</sup> Change in local currency.

<sup>3</sup> Change without acquisition (December 2018 figure estimated).

Total income grew by 10% y-o-y in 2018 driven partly by the acquisitions; without those the yearly dynamics would have been 6%. On a quarterly basis total income remained stable

	TOTAL INCOME2018without one-off items(HUF billion)		<b>4Q 2018</b> (HUF billion)		<b>2018 Y-o-Y</b> (HUF billion, %)				<b>4Q 2018</b> (HUF bil		1 At OTP Core the y-o-y growth was mainly driven by the stronger net		
Ċ	OTP Group	882	228		43	77	10%/6% <sup>1</sup>		0	0%	interest income supported by dynamic organic loan growth and higher other net non-interest income; the q-o-q decrease		
	OTP CORE (Hungary)	379	94		13	+	4%	-3		-3% 1	was mainly due to negative technical items affecting net fee income.		
	<b>DSK</b> (Bulgaria)	108	28	0			0%	0		-1%	2 At DSK the annual income stayed flat as a combination of declining net interest		
rêres	<b>OBRu³</b> (Russia)	130	34		5		4%/13%²		1	4%	income and improving net fee revenues.		
	<b>OBH</b> (Croatia)	78	19	0	15		23%/-1% <sup>1</sup>	-2		(4)	In Russia the annual total revenues grew by 13% y-o-y in RUB terms (2%-points income growth was related to the		
	<b>OBU</b> (Ukraine)	47	14		13		36%/40%²		1	9%	incorporation of Touch Bank), mainly due to stronger NII and net fees. The guarterly improvement was induced by		
	<b>OBR</b> (Romania)	31	8		4		13%		0	1%	improving NII on the back of strong new disbursements and growing volumes.		
	<b>OBSr</b> (Serbia)	30	8		2 20		201%/25% <sup>1</sup>	0		-1%	4 The q-o-q drop at OBH was partly attributable to seasonality of tourism-		
	<b>CKB</b> (Montenegro)	11	3		1		11%		0	2%	related revenues: within other income FX conversion results declined q-o-q.		
	OBS (Slovakia)	15	4	-2			-14%		0	3%	5 In Ukraine the total income benefited from intense business activity and		
	Others	53	15		10		23%		2	17%	widening net interest margin.		

<sup>1</sup> Changes without acquisitions (December 2018 figure estimated in the case of Croatia).

<sup>2</sup> Changes in local currency.

<sup>3</sup> Starting from 1Q 18 Touch Bank was included into OTP Bank Russia, but this doesn't change FY y-o-y dynamics significantly.

### The full-year net interest income grew by 6% y-o-y even without acquisitions. On a quarterly basis mainly Russia and Ukraine drove the NII growth

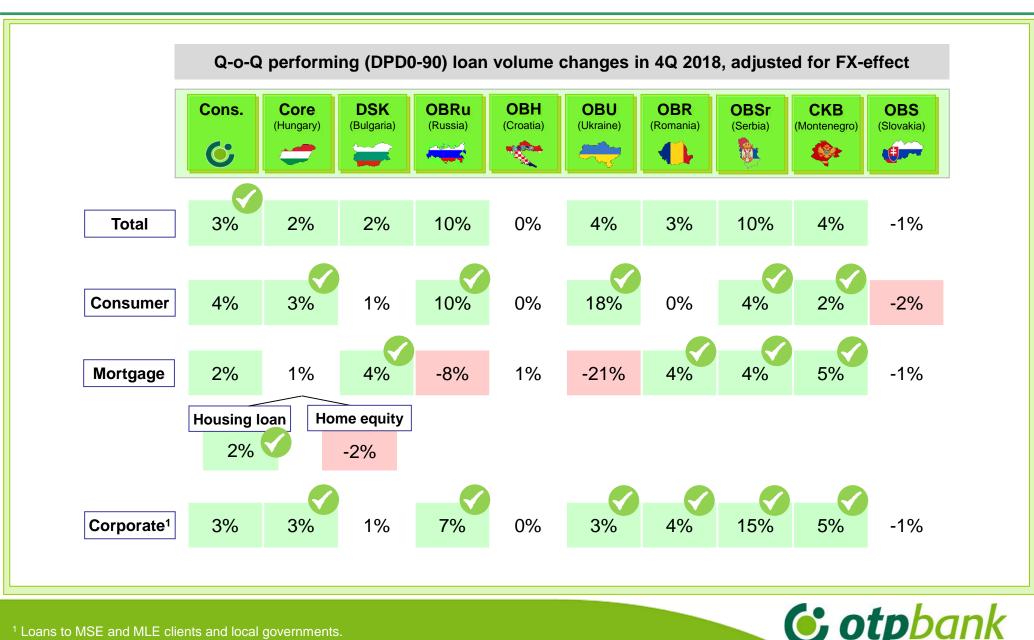
NET INTEREST INCOME	<b>2018</b> (HUF billion)	<b>4Q 2018</b> (HUF billion)		<b>2018 Y</b> (HUF bill			<b>4Q 2018</b> (HUF bil		1 At OTP Core the 5% y-o-y growth was due to expanding loans, partially mitigated by margin erosion. The 4Q NII	
OTP Group	600	156		30 53	10%/6% <sup>1</sup>		3	2%	did not change q-o-q because further increasing loan volumes were	
OTP CORE (Hungary)	246	63	Ĺ.	12	5%	0		0%	overshadowed by eroding margins.	
<b>DSK</b> (Bulgaria)	70	18	-2		-3%		0	1% (2)	2 At DSK net interest income declined by 3% y-o-y due to the 48 bps margin	
OBRu <sup>3</sup> (Russia)	102	27		1	1%/10%²		1	3% 3	erosion, reflecting mainly the ongoing repricing of assets. This was partially	
OBH (Croatia)	54	13	0	10	22%/1% <sup>1</sup>	0		-1%	<ul> <li>offset by the dynamic loan expansion.</li> <li>On quarterly basis the on-going volume growth could fully counterbalance the</li> </ul>	
OBU (Ukraine)	33	10		10	43%/48%²		1	11% (4)	continued margin erosion.	
<b>OBR</b> (Romania)	23	7		4	18% 5		0	3%	<sup>3</sup> The Russian NII in RUB terms went up	
OBSr (Serbia)	21	5	1	13	184%/16% <sup>1</sup>		0	0%	both q-o-q and y-o-y as a joint effect of soaring volumes and contracting margins.	
CKB (Montenegro)	8	2		1	15%		0	1%		
OBS (Slovakia)	11	3	-2		-17%	0		-2%	4 In Ukraine NII was supported by strong business activity and improving margins.	
Merkantil (Hungary)	13	3		1	5%		0	1%		
Corporate Centre	7	2		4	116%	0		-9%	<sup>5</sup> In Romania, Serbia and Montenegro the dynamic loan growth was the key driver behind improving NII. In Slovakia both	
Others	11	3		3	31%		1	41%	declining loan volumes and margin attrition were a drag on interest income.	

<sup>1</sup> Changes without acquisitions (December 2018 figure estimated in the case of Croatia).

<sup>2</sup> Changes in local currency.

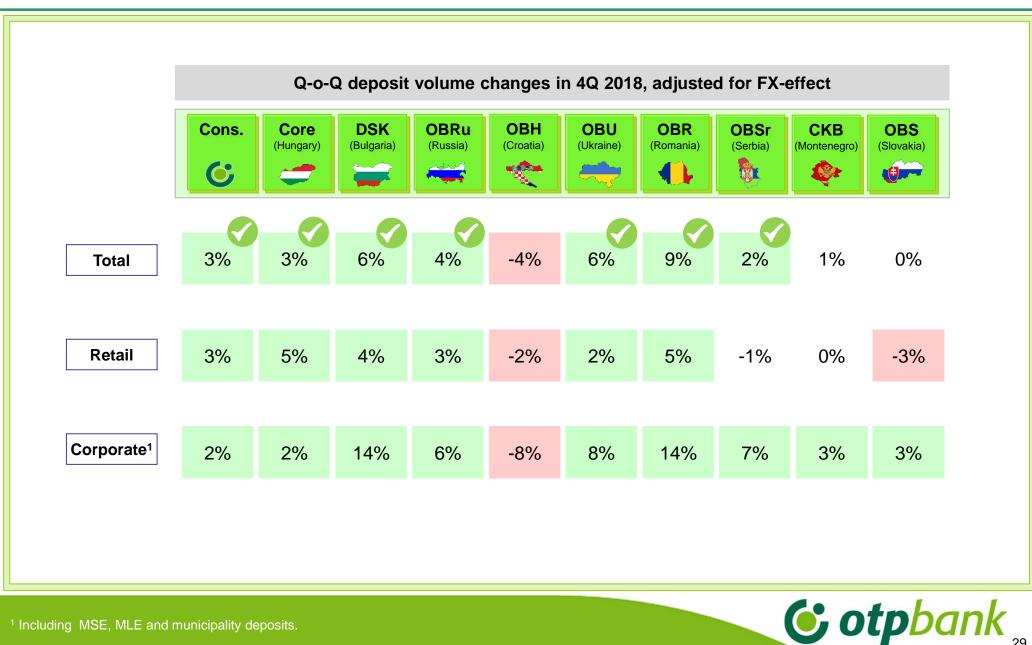
<sup>3</sup> Starting from 1Q 18 Touch Bank was included into OTP Bank Russia, but this doesn't change FY y-o-y dynamics significantly.

On a quarterly basis the consolidated performing loans expanded by 3%, Hungary grew by 2%. In Russia and Ukraine the guarterly growth was propelled by seasonally strong demand for consumer loans



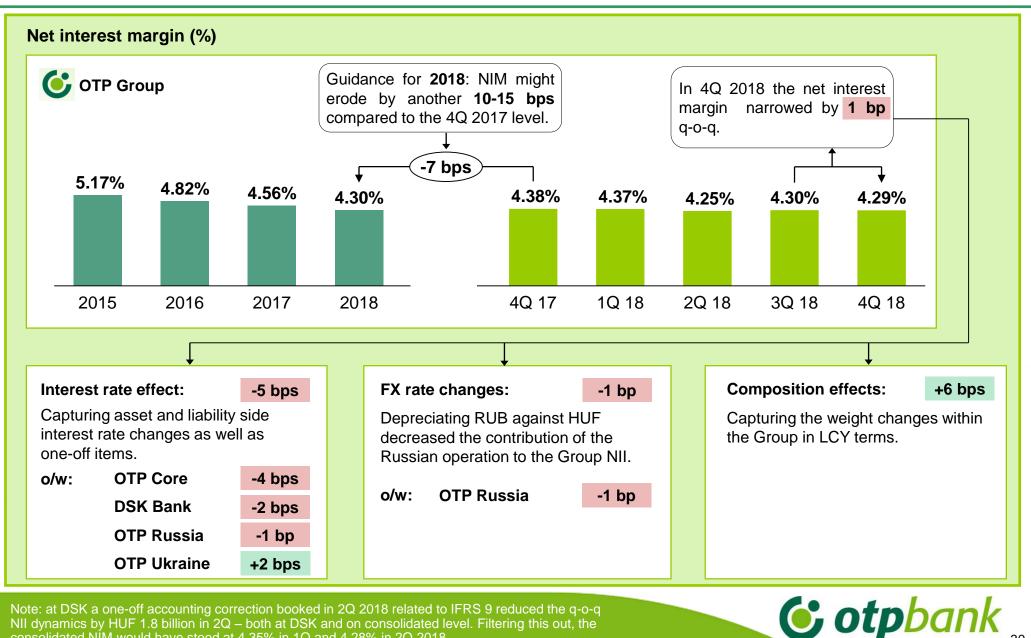
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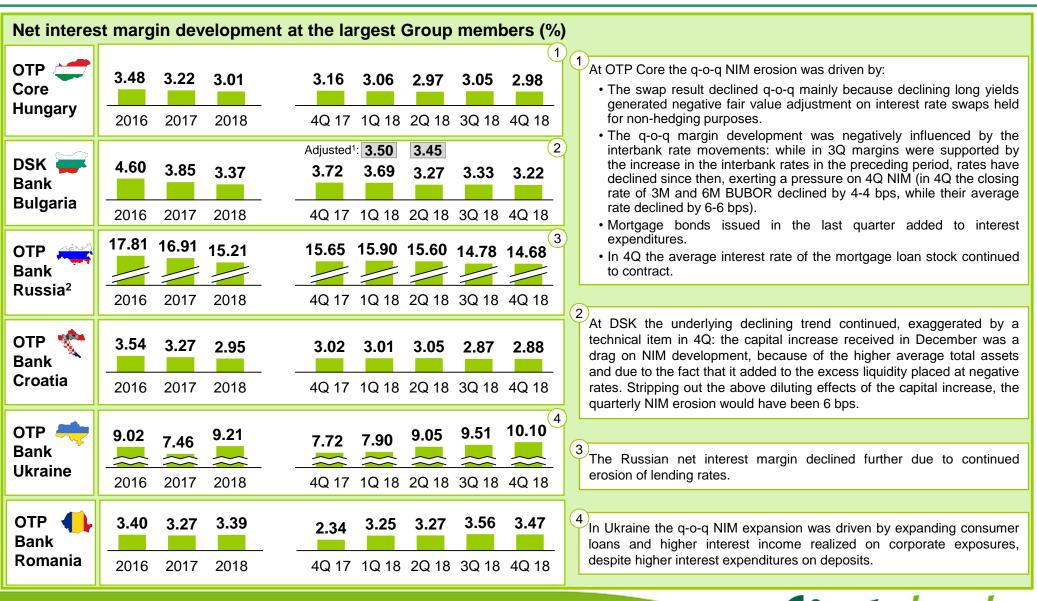
<sup>1</sup> Including MSE, MLE and municipality deposits.

#### The consolidated annual net interest margin contracted by 7 bps compared to the 4Q 2017 level, whereas on a guarterly basis it remained fairly resilient



Note: at DSK a one-off accounting correction booked in 2Q 2018 related to IFRS 9 reduced the q-o-q NII dynamics by HUF 1.8 billion in 2Q – both at DSK and on consolidated level. Filtering this out, the consolidated NIM would have stood at 4.35% in 1Q and 4.28% in 2Q 2018.

At OTP Core the margin returned to levels seen in 2Q 2018. Russia and Croatia remained stable q-o-q. The underlying declining margin trend at DSK continued. Margins kept on improving in the Ukraine



<sup>1</sup> At DSK a one-off accounting correction booked in 2Q 2018 reduced the q-o-q NII dynamics by HUF 1.8 billion in 2Q, and improved the q-o-q NII dynamics by HUF 0.9 billion in 3Q. The one-off effects are filtered out from the adjusted NIMs. <sup>2</sup> Including Touch Bank from 1Q 2018.

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#### Net fee income grew by 2% on an annual basis without acquisitions. The 2% quarterly decline was attributable to technical items at OTP Core

NET FE			<b>4Q 2018</b> (HUF billion)	(1		<b>Y-o-Y</b> illion, %)			<b>8 Q-o-Q</b> Ilion, %)	The y-o-y decline at Core was reasoned by lower distribution fees on certain household				
Ċ	OTP Group	221	57		3 11	5%/2% <sup>1</sup>	-1		-2%	targeted government bonds, which could not be offset by increasing transaction, deposit and card related income.				
	<b>OTP CORE</b> (Hungary)	107	26	-2		-2%	-2		-8%	Decline in 4Q 2018 was explained by two negative technical items: firstly, the total annual amount of credit card refunds (HUF 2.5 bn) was				
	<b>DSK</b> (Bulgaria)	30	8		3	10%	0		-1%	booked in lump-sum in 4Q, similar to previous years. Secondly, -HUF 1.4 billion additional fee expense emerged in 4Q: from 4Q 2018 the				
- interest	<b>OBRu³</b> (Russia)	27	7		4	17%/27% <sup>2</sup> 1		0	2%	Bank started to accrue the so-called scheme fee (that part of the fee expenses paid to credit card issuers which is paid quarterly on the				
	<b>OBH</b> (Croatia)	16	4	0-	3	27%/1% <sup>1</sup>	0		-6%	basis of the turnover in the previous quarter), as opposed to the earlier cash-flow based accounting practice. Therefore, both the				
-	<b>OBU</b> (Ukraine)	11	3		2	18%/21% <sup>2</sup>		0	3%	scheme fee paid after 3Q 2018, and the accrued fee for the last quarter of 2018 was booked in 4Q 2018.				
	<b>OBR</b> (Romania)	4	1		0	16%	0		-1%	2 The annual growth of 10% was due to higher deposits and transactions related revenues.				
	<b>OBSrb</b> (Serbia)	7	2	0-	5	220%/12% <sup>1</sup>		0	6%	3 In Russia cash loans with insurance policies and card-related fees propelled F&C income.				
	<b>CKB</b> (Montenegro)	3	1	0		-3%	0		-10%	<sup>4</sup> Ukraine benefited from stronger fee income on				
	<b>OBS</b> (Slovakia)	4	1	0		-3%		0	17%	corporate transactions and credit cards. 5 Success fees were booked in the last quarter,				
	<b>Fund mgmt.</b> (Hungary)	7	2	-5		-39%		1	63%	but their annual amount was by HUF 4 billion lower y-o-y.				
<sup>2</sup> Changes i	without acquisitio n local currency. om 1Q 18 Touch						nge FY_y	-o-y <u>d</u>	ynamics signific	antly. Cotpbank				

#### The annual other net non-interest income went up by 20% without acquisitions

	R INCOME	<b>2018</b> (HUF billion)	<b>4Q 2018</b> (HUF billion)		<b>2018 Y-o-Y</b> (HUF billion, %)				<b>18 Q-o-Q</b> pillion, %)	
Ċ	OTP Group	61	15		9 12	25%/20% <sup>1</sup>	-1		-8%	<sup>1</sup> The annual other net non-interest income (without one-offs) grew by 15% y-o-y. This was partially owing to the
	<b>OTP CORE</b> (Hungary)	26	5		3	15%	0		-4%	better FX-result realized in 2Q 2018, whereas the gain on securities moderated.
	<b>DSK</b> (Bulgaria)	7	2	-1		-11%	0		-14%	
nites of	<b>OBRu²</b> (Russia)	1	0	0		-35%		0	230%	
<b>\$</b>	<b>OBH</b> (Croatia)	8	2	0-	1	22%/-10% <sup>1</sup>	-1		2 -42% i	2 The other net non-interest income
	<b>OBU</b> (Ukraine)	3	1		1	46%/51% <sup>2</sup>		0	11%	dropped by 42% q-o-q as a result of base effect: FX conversion results were seasonally stronger in 3Q amid the peak
	<b>OBR</b> (Romania)	4	1	-1		-12%	0		-12%	tourism season.
	<b>OBSrb</b> (Serbia)	3	1	1	2	347%/330% <sup>1</sup>	0		-21%	
	<b>CKB</b> (Montenegro)	0	0		0	-83%		0	-285%	
	<b>OBS</b> (Slovakia)	0	0	0		-29%		0	41%	<sup>3</sup> The improvement was mainly
	Others	10	3	     	6	174%		0	15%	attributable to sale of assets at Other Hungarian subsidiaries.

<sup>1</sup> Changes without acquisitions (December 2018 figure estimated in the case of Croatia).

<sup>2</sup> Changes in local currency.

<sup>3</sup> Starting from 1Q 18 Touch Bank was included into OTP Bank Russia, but this doesn't change FY y-o-y dynamics significantly.

In 2018 operating costs without acquisitions grew by 8.2% on an FX-adjusted basis, partly because of fastly expanding personnel expenses in the wake of high wage inflation and strong business activity

Effect of acquisitions

Effect of Touch Bank inclusion in 2018

<b>OPERATING COSTS – 2018</b> (HUF billion)				<b>Y-o-Y</b> (HUF bn)		<b>Y-o-Y</b> (%)	<b>Y-o-Y</b> (FX-adj., HUF bn)		<b>Y-o-Y</b> (FX-adj., %)	1)			
	OTP Group	4	497	32	55	12%/ <b>7.5%</b> <sup>1</sup>		33 57	13%/ <b>8.2%</b> <sup>1</sup>	<sup>1</sup> OTP Core: higher personnel expenses due to higher avg. headcount (+7%) and salary increases (at a lower pace than the avg. wage inflation of 7.9% in the financial sector in 2018). In December a non-			
(	<b>OTP CORE</b> (Hungary)	234		19		9%		19	9%	recurring one-off bonus was paid to non-managerial employees (HUF 5.4 billion). 2.5 pps reduction in social contributions from 2018. Other costs were			
	<b>DSK</b> (Bulgaria)	51		4		8%		2	5%	driven by higher business activity.			
	<b>OBRu²</b> (Russia)	61		17		15%/2% <sup>3</sup>	 - 5-	- 7	25%/11% <sup>3</sup>	2 Russia: 11% FX-adjusted growth w/o Touch Bank. Bulk of that was personnel expenses-driven as a result of wage inflation and the increase of average			
	<b>OBH</b> (Croatia)	43	(	8-10		23%/1% <sup>1</sup>	-1-	-8	-4%	headcount w/o agents by 3%. Stronger business activity resulted in higher variable costs (marketing expenses and telco costs).			
	<b>OBU</b> (Ukraine)	17		1		8%		2	12%	<sup>3</sup> Ukraine: FX-adjusted OPEX up by 12% partly due			
	<b>OBR</b> (Romania)	20		2		13%		2	12%	to higher personnel expenses amid 29% wage inflation in the financial sector in 2018. Higher real estate-related, hardware and office equipment and			
	<b>OBSrb</b> (Serbia)	24		1 - 15		176%/9%¹	0-	-15	162%/3% <sup>1</sup>	marketing costs also played a role.			
	<b>CKB</b> (Montenegro)	8		0		3%	0		0%	4 OBR: FX-adjusted OPEX grew by 12% due to higher personnel expenses (+19%) induced by wage inflation (9% in the financial sector) and the			
	<b>OBS</b> (Slovakia)	12		2		15%		1	11%	7% growth of average headcount.			
	<b>Merkantil</b> (Hungary)	6		0		3%		0	3%	(5) Slovakia: Higher personnel expenses (+14% in LCY), explained partly by higher headcount (+3% on avg.). 29% higher marketing spend.			

<sup>1</sup> Without the OPEX of the newly consolidated entities due to the Splitska (Dec 2018: estimate) and Vojvodjanska transactions. <sup>2</sup> Starting from 1Q 18 Touch Bank was included into OTP Bank Russia. <sup>3</sup> Without the effect of inclusion of Touch Bank in 2018.



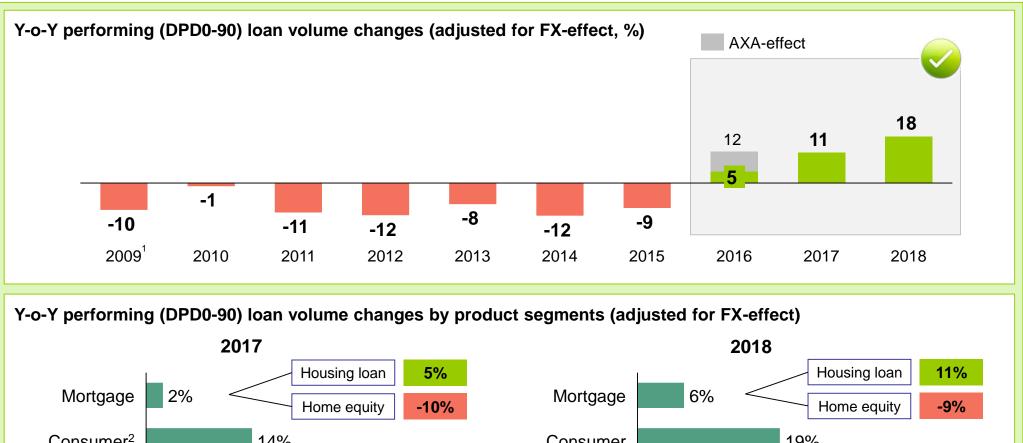
The annual profit of OTP Core grew by 7% y-o-y with net interest income increasing by 5%. Risk costs added to the bottom line earnings in 4Q, too

<b>OTP CORE</b> (in HUF billion)	2017	2018	Y-o-Y	4Q 2017	3Q 2018	4Q 2018	Q-o-Q	Y-o-Y
Profit after tax	168.6	180.4	7%	31.7	44.3	40.8	-8%	29%
Corporate tax	-17.0	-14.7	-13%	-1.6	-3.7	-2.8	-24%	74%
Before tax profit	185.6	195.2	5%	33.3	48.0	43.7	-9%	31%
Operating profit w/o one-off items	150.8	144.6	-4%	33.0	39.3	26.2	-33%	-21%
Total income w/o one-off items	365.6	378.5	4%	91.5	97.1	94.4	-3%	3%
Net interest income	234.3	245.9	5%	60.1	63.3	63.1	0%	5%
Net fees and commissions	109.1	107.0	-2%	26.2	28.2	25.8	-8%	-1%
Other net non interest income without one-offs	22.2	25.6	15%	5.2	5.6	5.4	-4%	5%
Operating costs	-214.8	-234.0	9%	-58.5	-57.8	-68.2	18%	17%
Total risk costs	30.8	46.6	51%	0.2	8.1	17.6	117%	
Total one-off items	3.9	4.0	1%	0.1	-3.4	-0.1	-97%	-181%





The last 3 years brought a spectacular turnaround in Hungarian loan growth: the organic growth surged to 18%. Beside robust corporate loan growth the retail segments also shifted gears





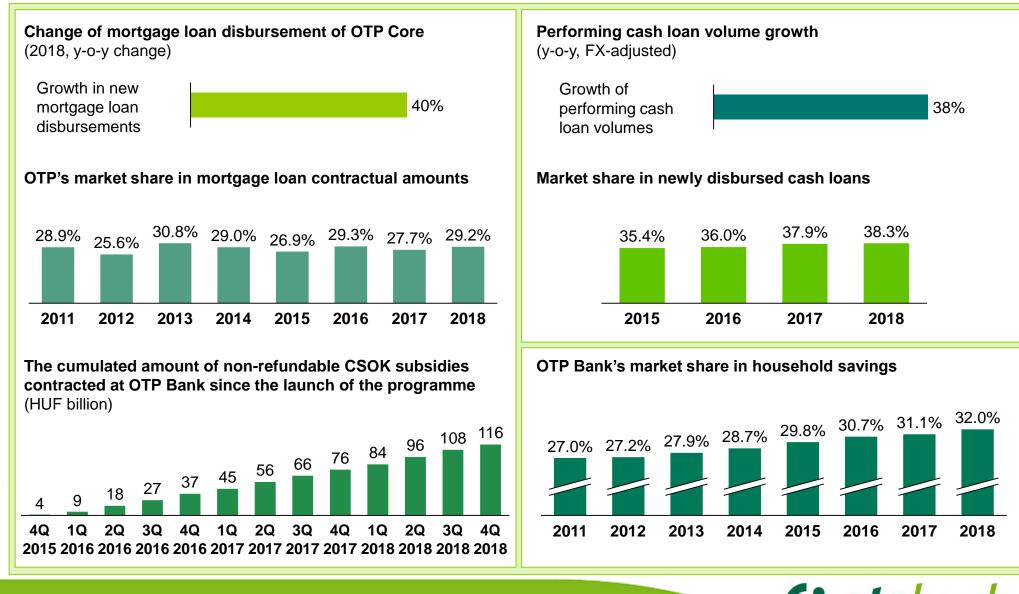
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#### Estimation.

<sup>2</sup> In 2017 performing consumer loans grew by 25% in total, supported by a several big ticket lombard loans, adjusted for these the FX-adjusted yearly growth was 14%.



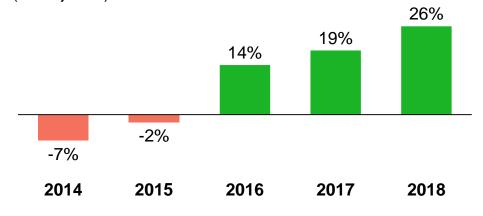
Mortgage loan disbursement remained strong in Hungary. OTP enjoys a y-o-y improving market share in new mortgage and cash loan disbursements, as well as in retail savings



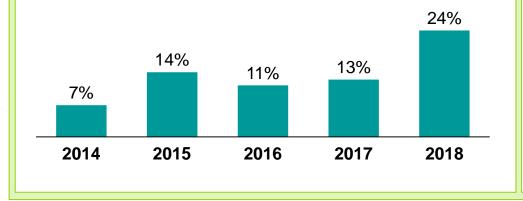


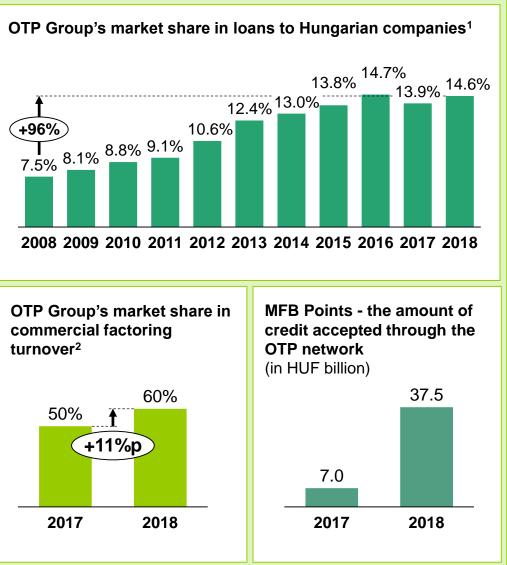
In the corporate segment OTP Core managed to demonstrate above 20% volume dynamics, thus OTP's corporate lending market share improved in 2018

**Performing medium and large corporate loan volume change** (FX-adjusted)



Performing loan volume change at micro and small companies (FX-adjusted)





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<sup>1</sup> Aggregated market share of OTP Bank, OTP Mortgage Bank, OTP Building Society and Merkantil, based on central bank data (Supervisory Balance Sheet data provision until 2016 and Monetary Statistics from 2017. <sup>2</sup> Source: Hungarian Factoring Association

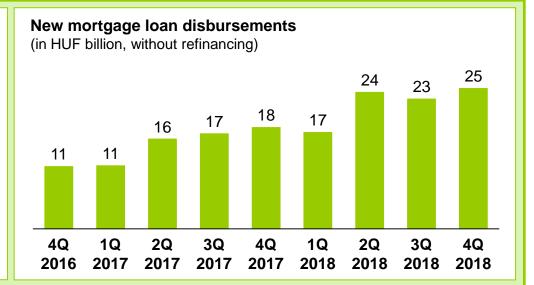
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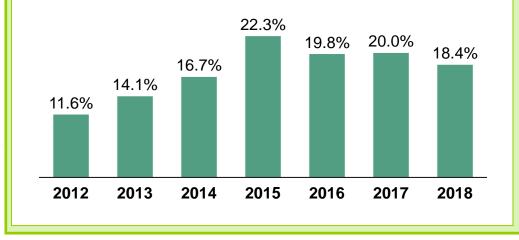
DSK Bank retained its strong profitability in 2018, despite the spike in risk costs in 4Q 2018. The strengthening business activity manifested in trend-like improvement in retail loan sales

#### **Income statement**

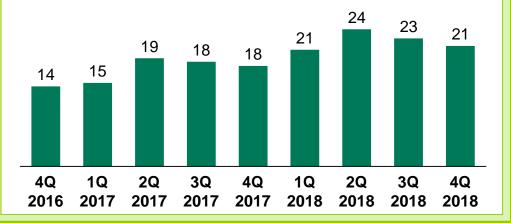
(in HUF billion)	4Q 17	3Q 18	4Q 18	Q-o-Q	Y-o-Y
Profit after tax	10.4	14.3	8.9	-37%	-15%
Profit before tax	11.3	15.8	9.2	-42%	-18%
Operating profit	13.7	15.0	13.5	-10%	-2%
Total income	27.0	27.8	27.6	-1%	2%
Net interest income	17.8	17.7	17.9	1%	1%
Net fees and commissions	7.3	8.1	8.0	-1%	10%
Other income	1.9	2.0	1.7	-14%	-11%
Operating costs	-13.3	-12.8	-14.1	11%	7%
Total risk cost	-2.5	0.8	-4.3		73%



### **Return on Equity**



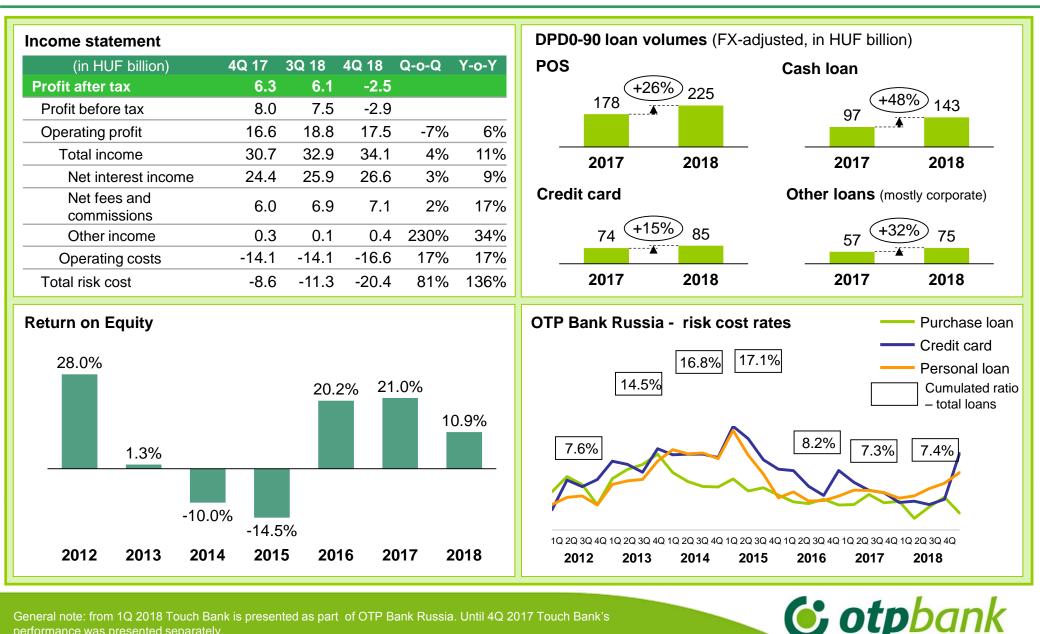
**New cash loan disbursements** (in HUF billion, without refinancing)



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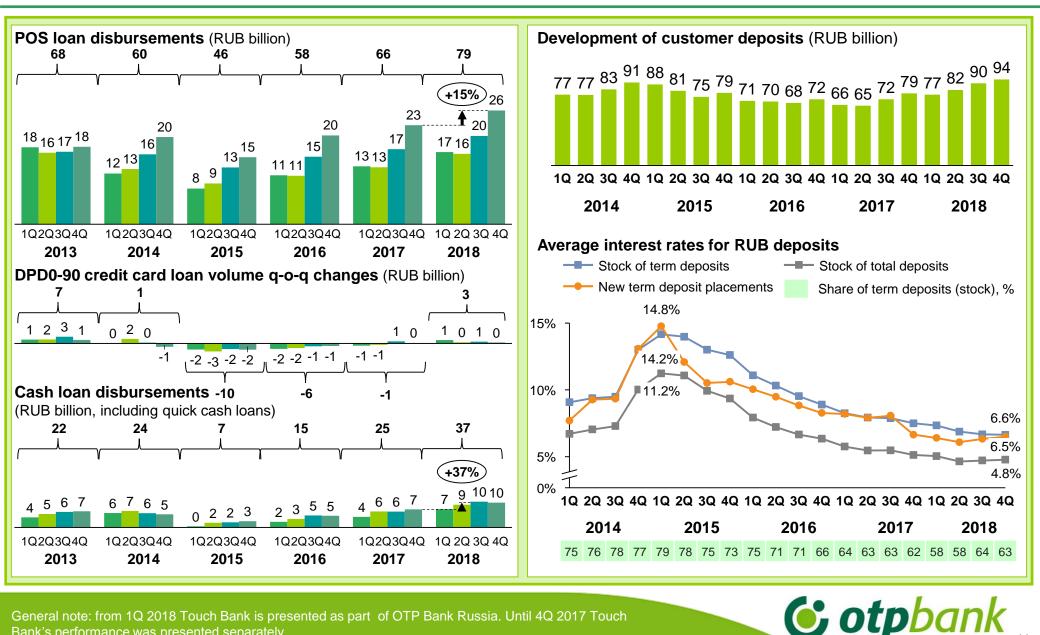
In 4Q the Russian profit decreased q-o-q mainly due to higher risk cost, explained mainly by the revision of parameters in the IFRS9 provisioning models. Loan growth remained strong both in retail and corporate



General note: from 1Q 2018 Touch Bank is presented as part of OTP Bank Russia. Until 4Q 2017 Touch Bank's performance was presented separately.



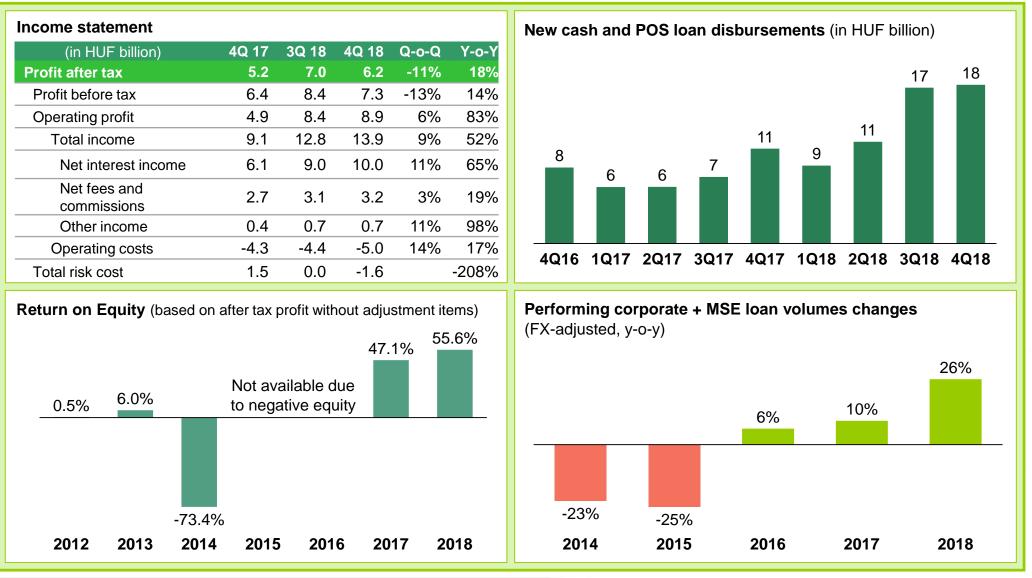
### In 4Q POS and cash loan sales retained their strong momentum. Performing credit card volumes also exhibited growth on yearly basis. Deposits grew during the guarter with RUB deposit rates flattening out



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The Ukrainian ROE improved to 55.6% in 2018, the highest within the Group, supported by widening margins and expanding performing loan volumes



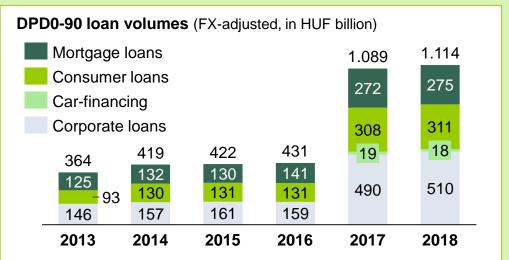


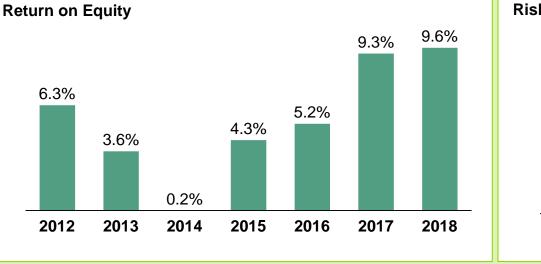


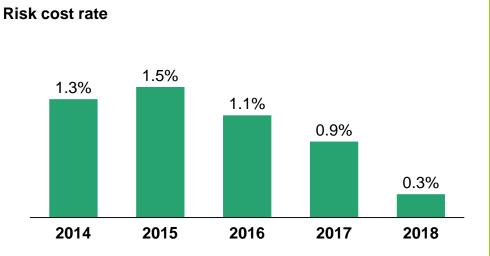
The Croatian ROE improved y-o-y. In December 2018 the integration of Splitska banka was successfully completed

#### **Income statement**

(in HUF billion) Profit after tax	4Q 17 6.0	3Q 18 8.7	4Q 18 4.1	Q/Q -53%	Y/Y -33%
Profit before tax	7.0	10.7	4.9	-54%	-30%
Operating profit	8.7	10.0	8.8	-12%	1%
Total income	19.2	21.0	19.3	-8%	0%
Net interest income	13.5	13.7	13.5	-1%	0%
Net fees and commissions	3.9	4.3	4.0	-6%	2%
Other income	1.8	3.1	1.8	-42%	-1%
Operating costs	-10.5	-11.0	-10.5	-5%	-1%
Total risk cost	-1.7	0.7	-3.9	-647%	128%







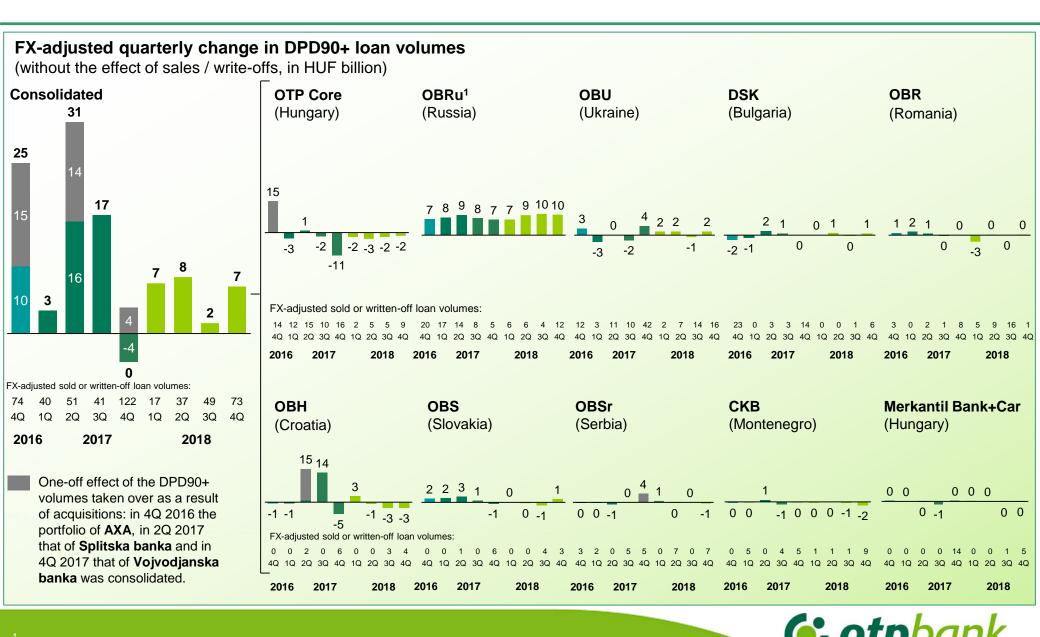


## Benign credit quality trends remained in place: further declining DPD90+ ratio coupled with moderate DPD90+ loan formation. The annual risk cost rate sank to new lows despite the increase in 4Q due to IFRS9 model fine-tuning

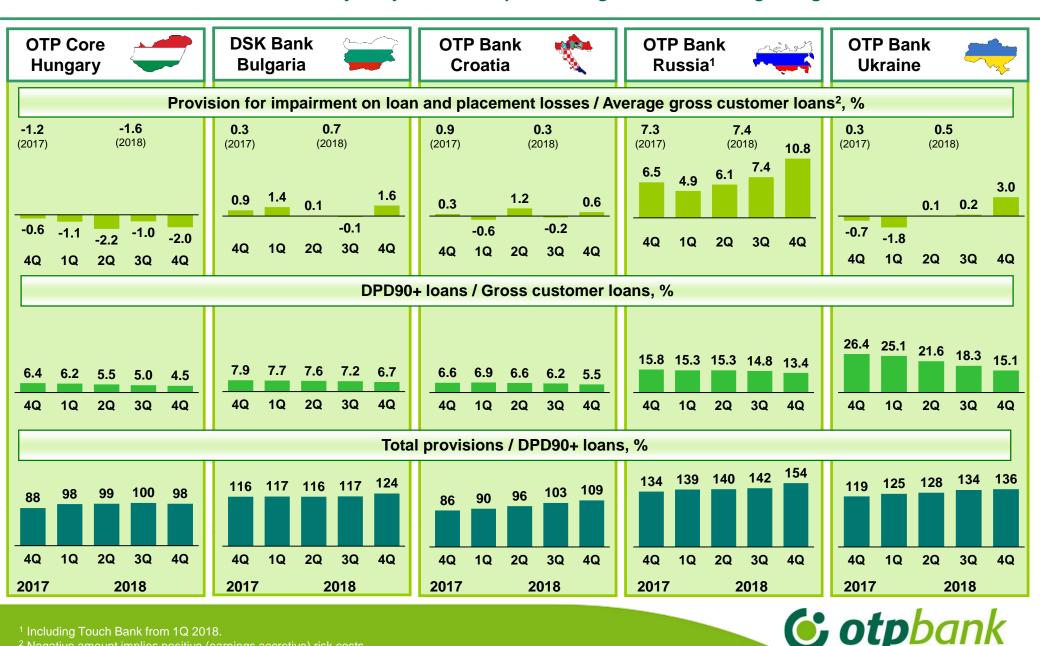
Consolidated provision for impairment on loan and placement Change in DPD90+ loan volumes losses and its ratio to average gross loans (consolidated, adjusted for FX and sales and write-offs, in HUF billion) Provision for impairment on loan 1.80 253 Contribution of Russia and Ukraine and placement losses (in HUF bn) 1.32 Provision for impairment on loan and One-off effect of acquisitions 190 placement losses to avg. gross loans (%) (DPD90+ volumes taken over) 0.87 133 0.70 0.68 0.65 31 0.56 0.35 17 77 0.17 171 0.03 0.00 0.05 51 24 121 113 30 59 33 21 14 15 13 11 6 15 18 0 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 3Q 1Q 2Q 3Q 4Q 2Q **4Q** 2Q 3Q 4Q 1Q 1Q 2Q 3Q 4Q 1Q 2Q 3Q 4Q 2016 2017 2018 2017 2018 Consolidated allowance and their ratio to DPD90+ loans Ratio of consolidated DPD90+ loans to total loans Cons. allowance for loan losses (FX-adjusted, in HUF bn) 108% 110% 113% 118% Total stock of provisions / DPD90+ loans (%) 17.0% 16.4% 95% 95% 97% 99% 98% 95% 99% 15.8% 14.7% 14.1% 92% 12.2% 11.2% 1,014 994 971 9.2% 8.9% 8.1% 7.3% 6.3% 931 915 887 815 770 719 742 703 653 1Q 2Q 3Q 4Q 1Q 2Q 3Q **4Q** 1Q 2Q 3Q **4**Q 1Q 2Q 3Q 4Q 1Q 2Q 3Q 4Q 1Q 2Q 3Q 4Q 2016 2017 2018 2016 2018 2017



### In 4Q 2018 the consolidated DPD90+ formation was subdued, trends remained favourable in all geographies



The declining trend of DPD90+ ratio continued in all key geographies, with risk cost rates typically hovering around all-time low levels. The Russian risk cost rate trajectory reflects the provisioning need for the fast growing new disbursements



<sup>1</sup> Including Touch Bank from 1Q 2018.

<sup>2</sup> Negative amount implies positive (earnings accretive) risk costs.

### The DPD90+ ratios kept on decreasing at the largest subsidiaries

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DPD90+ ratio (%)

OTP Core (Hungary)	4Q 17	1Q 18	2Q 18	3Q 18	4Q 18	Q-o-Q (pp)
Total	6.4	6.2	5.5	5.0	4.5	-0.5
Retail	8.9	8.5	8.0	7.4	6.8	-0.5
Mortgage	8.5	8.1	7.7	7.2	6.8	-0.4
Consumer	10.3	9.7	9.0	7.8	7.0	-0.8
MSE**	5.1	5.2	4.8	4.5	4.4	-0.1
Corporate	2.6	2.7	2.2	1.9	1.5	-0.4
Municipal	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0



DSK Bank

(Bulgaria)

Mortgage

Consumer

Corporate

Total

MSE

7.9

9.9

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(pp)

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DPD90+ ratio (%)

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4Q 17 1Q 18 2Q 18 3Q 18 4Q 18

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Q-o-Q

(pp)

-0.6

-0.8

0.1

-1.0

-1.1

DPD90+ ratio (%)

OTP Bank Croatia	4Q 17	1Q 18	2Q 18	3Q 18	4Q 18	Q-o-Q (pp)
Total	6.6	6.9	6.6	6.2	5.5	-0.7
Mortgage	4.9	5.3	5.2	5.1	4.8	-0.2
Consumer	6.6	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.0	-0.3
Corporate	11.3	11.4	10.7	9.3	7.7	-1.6
Car-finance	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.0	1.2	0.2



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**OTP Bank** 

Russia<sup>1</sup>

Mortgage

Consumer Credit

POS loan

Cash loan

card

Total

DPD90+ ratio (%)

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Car-finance

DPD90+ ratio (%)

0.9

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OTP Bank Ukraine	4Q 17	1Q 18	2Q 18	3Q 18	4Q 18	Q-o-Q (pp)
Total	26.4	25.1	21.6	18.3	15.1	-3.2
Mortgage	71.1	71.3	70.5	72.1	74.9	2.8
Consumer	20.2	18.7	16.8	11.0	4.9	-6.1
SME	81.8	57.6	49.2	42.5	38.3	-4.2
Corporate	4.2	4.8	4.1	2.4	0.9	-1.5

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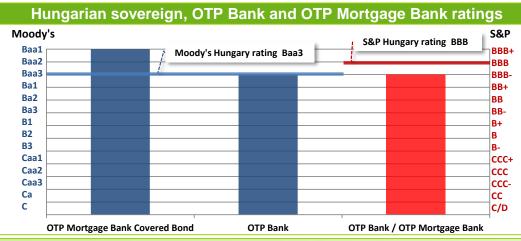


OTP Group consolidated capital adequacy ratios (IFRS)	Capital adequacy ratios (under local regulation)
BASEL III 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018	2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018
Capital adequacy ratio	OTP Group 19.7% 16.9% 16.2% 16.0% 14.6% 18.3% (IFRS)
Common Equity Tier1 ratio 16.0% 14.1% 13.3% 13.5%/ 12.7%/ 15.8% <sup>1</sup> 15.3% <sup>1</sup>	Hungary 23.0% 19.0% 26.6% 27.7% 31.4% 28.2%
1 In 2018 the capital adequacy ratios included the 2018 after tax	Russia 14.0% 12.1% 13.3% 16.2% 15.9% 15.0%
profit less the proposed dividend. In 2017 the reported CET1 was 12.7%, while the CET1 including the interim profit less dividend stood at 15.3%.	Ukraine 20.6% 10.4% 15.7% 12.4% 15.5% 19.6%
2 Beside the strong organic loan growth, the additional RWA due to	Bulgaria 16.4% 18.0% 17.3% 17.6% 17.2% 16.3%
the inclusion of incremental subsidiary investments as a result of the capital increase at DSK with 250% risk weight played a role in the total RWA increase, too.	Romania 12.7% 12.6% 14.2% 16.0 % 14.5% 18.0%
3 The Ukrainian CAR improved partly due to a subordinated loan taken in 2Q with 7 years tenor.	Serbia 37.8% 30.8% 26.1% 22.8% 28.4% 22.6%
<ul> <li>In December 2018 DSK Bank received a capital injection from OTP Bank, the registration of which, thus its inclusion into the regulatory capital has not yet happened by the end of 2018.</li> </ul>	Croatia 16.7% 16.5% 15.5% 16.7% 16.5% 20.0%
5 CAR of the mother bank owning the shares of Vojvodjanska banka.	<b>Under Slovakia 10.6%</b> 13.7% 13.4% 12.9% 15.0% 16.6%
6 CAR of the merged Croatian bank (Splitska banka d.d. merged into OTP banka Hrvatska dd. In December 2018).	Montenegro 14.4% 15.8% 16.2% 21.1% 22.6% 22.7%
<sup>1</sup> Including the interim net profit less dividend.	Cotpbank 48

# While OTP Bank ratings closely correlate with the sovereign ceilings, subsidiaries' ratings enjoy the positive impact of parental support

(rating outlook) + positive

0 stable



#### **RATING HISTORY**

- OTP Bank Slovakia, DSK Bank Bulgaria, OTP Bank Ukraine and OTP Bank Russia cancelled cooperation with Moody's in 2011, 2013, 2015 and 2016 respectively.
- Currently OTP Bank, OTP Mortgage Bank and OTP Bank Russia have solicited ratings from either Moody's, S&P Global, Fitch or Dagong.

#### **OTP GROUP RELATED RATING ACTIONS**

- Moody's has upgraded OTP Bank's long-term foreign currency deposit rating to Baa3 with a stable outlook and OTP Mortgage Bank's covered bonds rating to Baa1. (07 November 2016)
- S&P raised its long- and short-term foreign and local currency counterparty credit ratings on **OTP Bank** and **OTP Mortgage Bank** from BB+/B to BBB-/A-3 with stable outlook (24 July 2017).
- Moody's upgraded OTP Bank's long and short-term local-currency deposit ratings to Baa2/Prime-2 from Baa3/Prime-3. The long-term foreign currency deposit rating was affirmed at Baa3. Both long-term deposit ratings carry stable outlook. At the same time the junior subordinated rating of the bank was raised by one notch to Ba3 (hyb). Furthermore the rating agency upgraded the backed long-term local-currency issuer rating of OTP Mortgage Bank to Baa3 from Ba1, with stable outlook. (19 October 2017)
- Dagong Global has assigned a Long-Term Credit Rating of BBB+' and equivalent Short-Term Credit Rating of A-2 to OTP Bank. The Outlook is stable. (22 November 2017)

#### **RECENT SOVEREIGN RATING DEVELOPMENTS**)

- S&P has changed the outlook on Croatia to positive from stable. (21 September 2018)
- S&P has changed the outlook on Serbia to positive from stable. (14 December 2018)
- Moody's upgraded Ukraine's ratings to Caa1 from Caa2, with stable outlook. (21 December 2018)
- Moody's upgraded Russia's ratings to Baa3 from Ba1, with stable outlook. (08 February 2019)
- S&P upgraged Hungary's ratings to BBB from BBB-, with stable outlook. (15 February 2019)
- Fitch upgraged Hungary's ratings to BBB from BBB-, with stable outlook. (22 February 2019)

#### Last update: 22/02/2019

Sovereign ratings: long term foreign currency government bond ratings,

OTP Mortgage Bank Moody's rating: covered bond rating; Other bank ratings: long term foreign currency deposit ratings

Abbreviations: BG - Bulgaria, CR - Croatia, HU - Hungary, MN - Montenegro, RO - Romania, RU - Russia, SRB - Serbia, SK - Slovakia, UA - Ukraine

		Moody's	S&P	Fitch	Dagong	
OTP Bank OTP Mortg OTP Bank	-	Baa3 (0) Baa1	BBB- (0) BBB- (0)	BB (0)	BBB+ (0)	
	Moody's	ę	S&P Global		Fitch	
Aaa Aa1 Aa2 Aa3 A1 A2 A3	SK(+)	AAA AA+ AA AA- A+ A A-	SK(0)	AAA AA+ AA AA- A+ A A-	SK(0)	
Baa1		BBB+		BBB+		
Baa2	BG(0)	BBB	HU(0)	BBB	BG(0) HU (0)	
Baa3	RO(0) HU(0) RU(0)	BBB-	BG (+) RO(0) RU(0)	BBB-	RU(+) RO(0)	
Ba1		BB+	CR(+)	BB+	CR(+)	
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Development of DPD0-90 and Stage 1 + Stage 2 loan volumes (FX-adjusted, in HUF billion)							
	DPD	DPD0-90 loan volumes			Stage 1 + Stage 2 Ioan volur		
	2Q18	3Q18	4Q18	2Q18	3Q18	4Q18	
Cons. Total	7,658	7,946	8,168	7,414	7,722	7,966	
Consumer	1,763	1,836	1,902	1,733	1,807	1,873	
Mortgage	2,280	2,327	2,366	2,216	2,265	2,306	
Corporate <sup>1</sup>	3,335	3,490	3,600	3,189	3,363	3,493	
Core Total	2,849	3,023	3,094	2,766	2,967	3,051	
(Hungary) Consumer	364	386	396	362	384	395	
Mortgage	1,194	1,223	1,239	1,176	1,208	1,227	
Corporate <sup>1</sup>	1,291	1,415	1,459	1,228	1,375	1,429	
DSK Total	1,201	1,231	1,254	1,149	1,172	1,202	
(Bulgaria) Consumer	425	432	435	405	411	415	
Mortgage	330	342	354	314	320	333	
Corporate <sup>1</sup>	446	458	464	430	441	454	
OBRu Total	443	482	528	438	480	526	
(Russia) Consumer	382	414	457	381	415	457	
Mortgage	8	7	6	4	4	3	
Corporate <sup>1</sup>	53	61	65	53	61	65	
OBH Total	1,135	1,111	1,114	1,119	1,091	1,090	
(Croatia) Consumer	313	312	311	308	307	305	
Mortgage	273	272	275	270	269	271	
Corporate <sup>1</sup>	530	509	510	523	497	497	



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	2Q18	3Q18	4Q18	2Q18	3Q18	4Q18
OBU Total	271	289	301	231	251	266
(Ukraine) Consumer	31	39	46	31	38	46
Mortgage	18	16	13	8	8	6
Corporate <sup>1</sup>	200	208	215	171	180	187
OBR Total	517	530	548	494	509	526
(Romania) Consumer	54	54	54	54	54	54
Mortgage	219	224	232	210	215	224
Corporate <sup>1</sup>	243	251	262	230	239	248
OBSr Total	331	346	380	327	342	376
(Serbia) Consumer	106	111	115	105	110	114
Mortgage	50	52	54	49	51	53
Corporate <sup>1</sup>	175	183	211	173	181	210
CKB Total	123	124	129	117	118	124
(Montenegro) Consumer	28	28	29	28	28	29
Mortgage	27	27	28	26	27	28
Corporate <sup>1</sup>	68	69	72	63	64	67
OBS Total	361	367	364	351	357	357
(Slovakia) Consumer	60	60	59	60	60	59
Mortgage	162	164	163	160	163	162
Corporate <sup>1</sup>	140	143	142	132	135	137



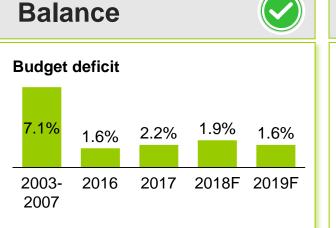
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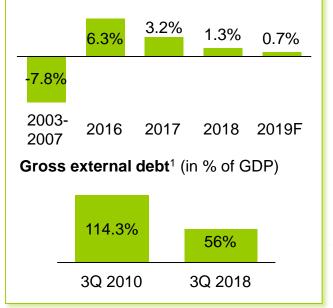




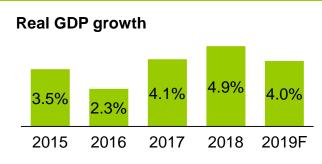
Economic growth was 4.8% in Hungary in 2018, higher than previously expected; GDP growth may slow down in 2019, but it can remain strong despite the deteriorating external environment



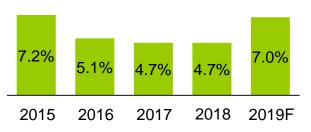
### **Current account balance**



## Growth

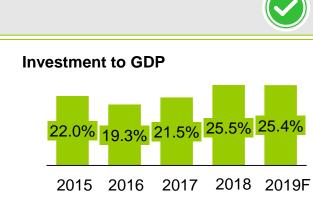


## Export growth

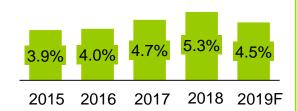


## Housing construction permits

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### Household consumption



### Real wage growth





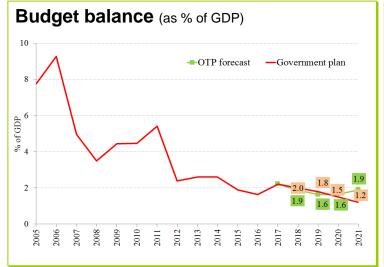


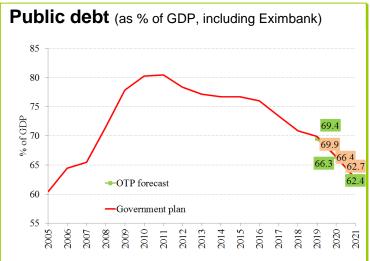
# Better-than-expected 2018 budgetary position makes 2019 deficit target safely attainable. The public debt can reach 62.4% by 2021. The current account surplus moderated, while external indebtedness fell further

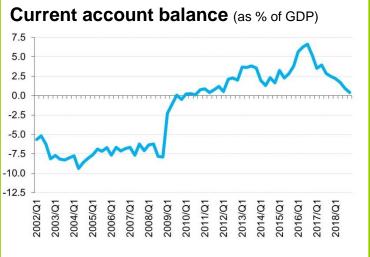
The budget deficit might have fallen to 1.9% of GDP in 2018, well below the 2.4% target, as a result of higher-thanexpected revenues and moderating expenditures. We consider the 2019 deficit target of 1.8% of GDP as safely attainable, although the Government will decide on further measures in March-April, which could add some extra spending.

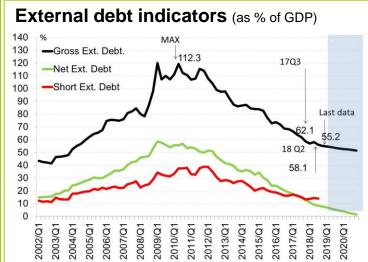
Public debt declined to 70.9% of GDP by end-2018 (from 73.4% a year before) on account of a sizable surplus in the December cash deficit, related to substantial (HUF 740 billion) EU related revenues. We expect the debt reduction to continue as the EU related government balance will improve visibly, and economic growth still remaining robust. Government debt can reach 62.4% by 2021.

The current account balance could sink to 1.3% in 2018 from 3.2% in 2017 as strong domestic demand resulted in higher imports, while the slowdown in Germany and the new emission standards weakened exports. However, as FDI and EU transfers together reach 5% of GDP, gross, net and gross FX external debt compared to GDP fell further.









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Sources: HCSO, MNB, Ministry for National Economy, OTP Research.

The net financial capacity shows the amount of absorbed external funding / accumulated foreign assets in a period (equal to the sum of the current account balance + capital balance (EU funds) + Net errors and omissions).

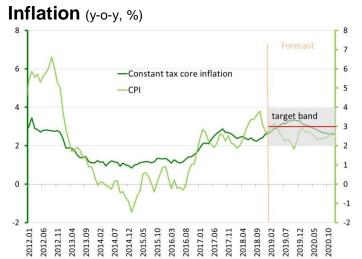


Despite the headline inflation fell below the MNB' target in the last two months, the closely watched constant tax core inflation reached the threshold level and it can accelerate further in the coming quarters.

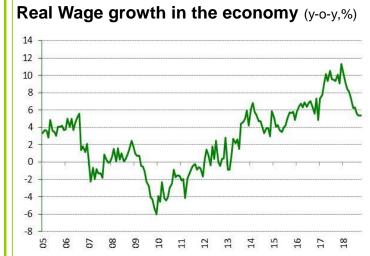
Under the baseline scenario, the rising constant tax core inflation could prompt the MNB to start the normalization of monetary policy in March, when the new Inflation Report is released.

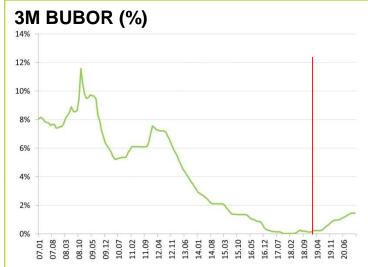
As the first step, the O/N deposit rate may rise. Then the MNB can gradually reduce the outstanding amount of FX swaps. The reduction of the FX swap volume will initially just counterbalance the liquidity increasing effect of phasing out the preferential deposits, from the end of February, so its effect on the monetary conditions will be minor at the beginning.

We expect these measures to become effective later on, so the MNB could drive up BUBOR rates by 20-30 bps quarterly to around 0.9% by the end of 2019, such move could be followed by a base rate hike in 1H 2020.













Hungarian economic growth may have reached the cyclical peak in 2018, but the GDP growth may remain strong even under a deteriorating external environment

Key economic indicators	OTP Res	search	Focus Economics*					
Rey economic indicators	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019F	2018F	2019F
Nominal GDP (at current prices, HUF billion)	32,541	34,332	35,422	38,285	42,007	44,850	41,227	43,906
Real GDP change	4.2%	3.5%	2.3%	4.1%	4.9%	4.0%	4.7%	3.4%
Household final consumption	2.4%	3.7%	3.4%	4.1%	4.6%	3.9%	5.1%	3.9%
Household consumption expenditure	2.8%	3.9%	4.0%	4.7%	5.3%	4.5%		
Collective consumption	10.0%	0.0%	0.9%	2.0%	-2.1%	1.7%	1.0%	1.1%
Gross fixed capital formation	12.3%	4.7%	-11.7%	18.2%	16.5%	9.8%	16.5%	7.8%
Exports	9.1%	7.2%	5.1%	4.7%	4.7%	7.0%		
Imports	11.0%	5.8%	3.9%	7.7%	7.1%	8.1%		
General government balance (% of GDP)	-2.6%	-1.9%	-1.6%	-2.2%	-1.9%	-1.6%	-2.2%	-2.0%
General government debt (% of GDP ESA 2010)	76.6%	76.7%	76.0%	73.6%	70.9%	69.4%	70.9%	69.7%
Current account (% of GDP)**	1.5%	2.8%	6.3%	3.2%	1.3%	0.7%	1.6%	1.2%
Gross external debt (% GDP)***	82.4%	73.0%	67.9%	58.9%		011 /0	11070	
FX reserves (in EUR billion)	34.6	30.3	24.4	23.4				
Gross real wages	3.8%	4.4%	6.1%	9.9%	7.4%	4.8%		
Gross real disposable income	4.8%	5.0%	2.1%	4.6%	6.3%	3.9%		
Employment (annual change)	5.3%	2.7%	3.4%	1.6%	1.2%	0.2%		
Unemployment rate (annual average)	7.7%	6.8%	5.1%	4.2%	3.7%	3.0%	3.7%	3.6%
Inflation (annual average)	-0.2%	-0.1%	0.4%	2.4%	2.8%	2.7%	2.8%	3.1%
Base rate (end of year)	2.10%	1.35%	0.41%	0.03%	0.13%	0.88%	0.13%	0.82%
1Y Treasury Bill (average)	2.28%	1.17%	0.77%	0.09%	0.25%	0.64%		
Real interest rate (average. ex post)****	2.5%	1.2%	0.4%	-2.4%	-2.5%	-2.0%		
EUR/HUF exchange rate (end of year)	314.9	313.1	311.0	310.1	321.5	320.0	321.5	321.0

Source: CSO, National Bank of Hungary.

\* February 2019 consensus . \*\*Official data of balance of payments (excluding net errors and omissions).

\*\*\* w/o FDI related intercompany lending. last data. \*\*\*\* = (1+ Yield of the 1Y Treasury Bill (average)) / (1+ annual average inflation) – 1

Bulgaria: maintained good economic performance; Croatia: solid but moderating GDP growth with improving balance indicators; Romania: stellar GDP growth, but the budget execution remains a major risk factor

#### Bulgaria

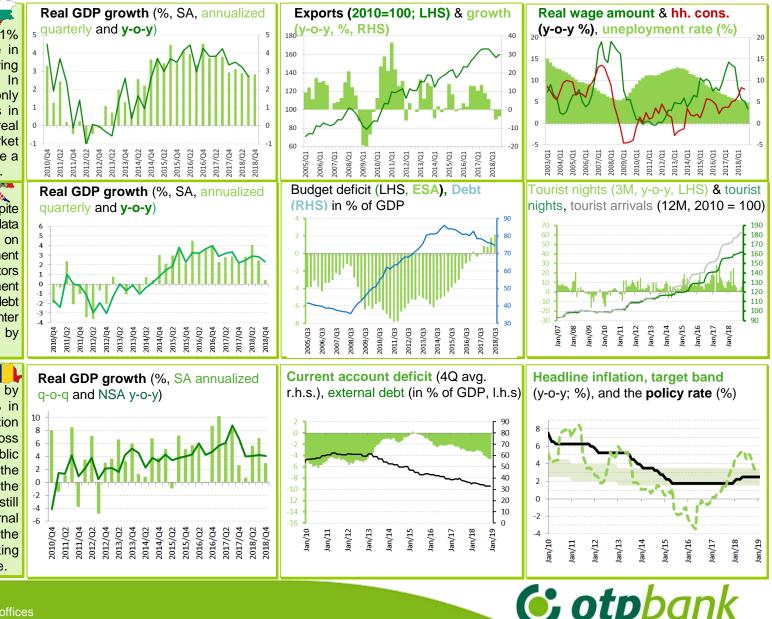
Preliminary estimates for 4Q GDP data (+3.1% y-o-y, +0.7% q-o-q) suggest growth to be in line with previous quarters, but underlying indicators reveal a more fragile outlook. In 2018 exports fell (Turkey, Russia), and we only expect a partial rebound due to weakness in the European economy. The growth of real wage amount decelerated as labor market reserves are exhausted, which could indicate a slowdown of household consumption growth.

#### Croatia

GDP growth turned out at 2.6% in 2018. Despite strong private sector domestic demand, 4Q data came out at surprisingly low of 2.3% y-o-y on account of sharp slowdown in government consumption and exports. Balance indicators showed further improvement: as government budget surplus increased to 2.1% by 3Q and debt fell below 75% of GDP. The country could enter ERM2 in 2020, which could be followed by eurozone entry.

#### Romania

In 2018 as a whole and in 4Q GDP grew by 4.1% y-o-y, while q-o-q growth was 0.7% in 4Q. Growth was driven by consumption boosted by fast real wage growth, while gross fixed capital formation fell on weaker public investments and higher financing costs in the private sector. Due to overheated demand the CA balance widened further, but it is still covered by FDI and EU transfers, so external debt moderates. As inflation returned to the target band of the central bank, the rate hiking cycle has come to an end, at least for a while.



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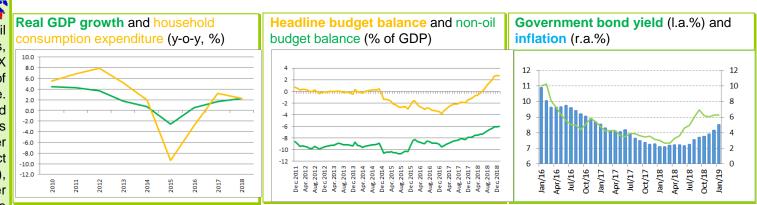
#### Russia: slow recovery continues, oil prices help to accumulate reserves, geopolitical risks increase Ukraine: GDP growth was 3.4% y-o-y in 4Q 2018, inflation is below 10%, rate cuts are unlikely in the near future

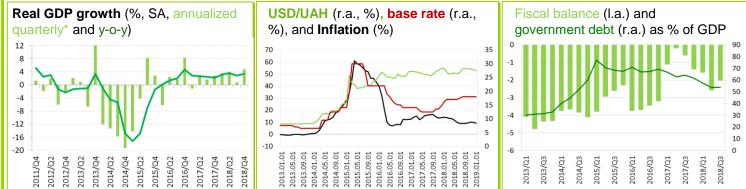
#### Russia

GDP growth stood at 2.3% in 2018. Higher oil prices brought the budget into a 2.7% surplus, improved the current account, piled up FX reserves. Inflation increased on account of rising food prices and the January VAT hike. The RUB/USD as well as government bond yields stabilized after September 2018. This was helped by CBR rate hikes in September and December (to 7.75%). We expect economic growth to slow this year (to 1.8%), but it could recover thereafter to around 2% per annum. Growth will be supported by the gradual loosening of macro policies as well as reform measures. Renewed US sanctions pose downside risks, while stronger-than-expected effect of policy loosening points to the upside.

#### Ukraine

GDP increased by 3.4% y-o-y in 4Q 2018, which translates 3.3% yearly growth for 2018. Growth in 2018 was driven by the increase in domestic demand. Inflation decreased from 14.5% from December 2017 to 10.9% in December 2018 due to the restrictive monetary policy by the NBU. No more rate hikes are expected, but rate cuts are not likely either in the near future. The new, USD 3.9 billion worth of IMF program runs until 1Q 2020. After that a new IMF program is a must in order to avoid financing difficulties.







#### Source: CBR, Rosstat, Ukrstat, National Bank of Ukraine, Focus Economics \*annualized q-o-q growth is OTP Research estimate

General macro trends remained favourable in CEE countries, with growth levels exceeding EU average, while the recovery in Russia and Ukraine is expected to continue

REAL GDP GROWTH				EXPORT GROWTH					UNEMPLOYMENT					
	2016	2017	2018	2019F		2016	2017	2018	2019F		2016	2017	2018	2019F
Hungary	2.3%	4.1%	4.9%	4.0%	Hungary	5.1%	4.7%	4.7%	7.0%	Hungary	5.1%	4.2%	3.7%	3.0%
Ukraine	-2.3%	2.5%	3.3%	2.7%	Ukraine	-1.6%	3.6%	9.3%	3.0%	Ukraine	9.7%	9.9%	8.8%	8.4%
Russia	0.5%	1.6%	2.3%	1.8%	Russia	3.2%	5.0%	6.3%	3.5%	Russia	5.5%	5.2%	4.8%	4.5%
Bulgaria	3.9%	3.6%	3.1%	3.2%	Bulgaria	8.1%	5.8%	-0.8%	5.0%	Bulgaria	7.6%	6.2%	5.2%	5.0%
Romania	4.8%	6.9%	4.1%	3.0%	Romania	8.7%	9.7%	4.7%	4.5%	Romania	5.9%	4.9%	4.2%	4.1%
Croatia	3.5%	2.9%	2.6%	2.7%	Croatia	5.6%	6.4%	2.8%	3.0%	Croatia	13.3%	11.1%	8.5%	8.0%
Slovakia	3.1%	3.2%	4.1%	3.6%	Slovakia	5.5%	5.9%	4.8%	6.0%	Slovakia	9.7%	8.1%	6.6%	6.5%
Serbia	3.3%	2.0%	4.3%	3.3%	Serbia	11.9%	8.2%	8.9%	8.5%	Serbia	15.3%	13.5%	13.3%	12.5%
Montenegro	2.9%	4.7%	4.9%	3.1%	Montenegro	5.9%	1.8%	9.5%	4.9%	Montenegro	17.7%	16.1%	15.4%	15.6%
BUDGET BALANCE*			CURRENT ACCOUNT BALANCE					INFLATION						
	2016	2017	2018	2019F		2016	2017	2018	2019F		2016	2017	2018	2019F
Hungary	-1.6%	-2.2%	-1.9%	-1.6%	Hungary	6.3%	3.2%	1.3%	0.7%	Hungary	0.4%	2.4%	2.8%	2.7%
Ukraine	-2.3%	-1.4%	-2.5%	-2.5%	Ukraine	-1.5%	-1.9%	-3.5%	-3.3%	Ukraine	13.9%	13.4%	10.9%	9.1%
Russia	-3.4%	-1.4%	2.7%	1.7%	Russia	1.9%	2.1%	7.0%	6.1%	Russia	7.1%	3.7%	2.9%	5.1%
Bulgaria	0.2%	0.9%	0.4%	-0.9%	Bulgaria	2.3%	4.4%	4.5%	2.6%	Bulgaria	-0.8%	-2.1%	2.9%	3.0%
Romania	-3.0%	-2.9%	-3.0%	-3.0%	Romania	-2.1%	-3.2%	-4.6%	-5.0%	Romania	-1.5%	1.3%	4.6%	3.0%
Croatia	-0.9%	0.8%	0.0%	0.2%	Croatia	2.6%	4.1%	2.7%	2.2%	Croatia	-1.1%	1.2%	1.5%	0.9%
Slovakia	-2.2%	-0.8%	-1.0%	-0.5%	Slovakia	-2.1%	-1.9%	-1.5%	-1.0%	Slovakia	-0.5%	1.3%	2.5%	2.4%
Serbia	-1.2%	1.1%	0.6%	-0.5%	Serbia	-2.9%	-5.2%	-5.2%	-5.0%	Serbia	1.1%	3.2%	2.0%	3.0%
Montenegro	-3.3%	-5.5%	-3.0%	-2.9%	Montenegro	-16.3%	-16.2%	-17.6%	-16.2%	Montenegro	-0.3%	2.4%	2.6%	2.5%



Source: OTP Research \* For EU members, deficit under the Maastricht criteria

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