

Second Quarter 2016 Interim Report

Corporate profile

HSBC Bank Canada, a subsidiary of HSBC Holdings plc, is the leading international bank in the country. We help companies and individuals across Canada to do business and manage their finances internationally through three global business lines: Commercial Banking, Global Banking and Markets, and Retail Banking and Wealth Management. Canada is a priority market for the HSBC Group - one of the world's largest banking and financial services groups with assets of US\$2,608bn at 30 June 2016. Linked by advanced technology, HSBC serves customers worldwide through an international network of around 4,400 offices in 71 countries and territories in Europe, Asia, North and Latin America, and the Middle East and North Africa.

Headlines

- Profit before income tax expense for the quarter ended 30 June 2016 was \$168m, a decrease of 26.0% compared with the same period in 2015. Profit before income tax expense was \$326m for the half-year ended 30 June 2016, a decrease of 28.8% compared with the same period in 2015.
- Profit attributable to the common shareholder was \$111m for the quarter ended 30 June 2016, a decrease of 31.1% compared with the same period in 2015. Profit attributable to the common shareholder was \$217m for the half-year ended 30 June 2016, a decrease of 33.0% compared with the same period in 2015.
- Return on average common equity was 9.8% for the quarter ended 30 June 2016 compared with 14.0% for the same period in 2015. Return on average common equity was 9.6% for the half-year ended 30 June 2016 compared with 14.3% for the same period in 2015.
- The cost efficiency ratio was 57.3% for the quarter ended 30 June 2016 compared with 53.8% for the same period in 2015. The cost efficiency ratio was 56.3% for the half-year ended 30 June 2016 compared with 53.9% for the same period in 2015.
- Total assets were \$93.3bn at 30 June 2016 compared with \$94.0bn at 31 December 2015.
- Common equity tier 1 capital ratio was 10.4%, tier 1 ratio 12.4% and total capital ratio 13.5% at 30 June 2016 compared with 10.1%, 12.1% and 13.5% respectively at 31 December 2015.

Basis of preparation of financial information

HSBC Bank Canada ('the bank', 'we', 'our') is an indirectly wholly-owned subsidiary of HSBC Holdings plc ('HSBC Holdings'). Throughout the Management's Discussion and Analysis ('MD&A'), the HSBC Holdings Group is defined as the 'HSBC Group' or the 'Group'. The MD&A is dated 2 August 2016, the date that our unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements and the MD&A for the second quarter ended 30 June 2016 were approved by the Audit and Risk Committee of our Board of Directors.

The bank has prepared its unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements in accordance with International Accounting Standard ('IAS') 34 'Interim Financial Reporting' as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ('IASB'). The information in this MD&A is derived from our unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements or from the information used to prepare them. The abbreviations '\$m' and '\$bn' represent millions and billions of Canadian dollars, respectively. All tabular amounts are in millions of dollars except where otherwise stated.

The references to 'notes' throughout this MD&A refer to notes on the unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements for the second quarter ended 30 June 2016.

The bank's continuous disclosure materials, including interim and annual filings, are available on the bank's website and on the Canadian Securities Administrators' web site at www.sedar.com.

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(\$ millions, except where otherwise stated)	Quarter ended		Half-year ended	
	30 June 2016	30 June 2015	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
Financial performance for the period				
Total operating income	525	541	1,069	1,071
Profit before income tax expense.....	168	227	326	458
Profit attributable to the common shareholder.....	111	161	217	324
Basic earnings per common share (\$).....	0.22	0.32	0.43	0.65
Financial position at period-end				
Loans and advances to customers.....	48,034	42,866		
Customer accounts	55,052	50,362		
Ratio of customer advances to customer accounts (%) ¹	87.3	85.1		
Shareholders' equity.....	5,484	5,483		
Average total shareholders' equity to average total assets (%) ¹	5.8	5.6		
Capital measures²				
Common equity tier 1 capital ratio (%)	10.4	10.5		
Tier 1 ratio (%).....	12.4	12.5		
Total capital ratio (%).....	13.5	13.8		
Leverage ratio (%)	4.8	4.9		
Risk-weighted assets (\$m).....	42,442	42,358		
Performance ratios (%)¹				
Return ratios (%)¹				
Return on average common shareholder's equity.....	9.8	14.0	9.6	14.3
Post-tax return on average total assets.....	0.48	0.71	0.47	0.72
Pre-tax return on average risk-weighted assets ²	1.6	2.2	1.5	2.2
Credit coverage ratios (%)¹				
Loan impairment charges to total operating income.....	10.5	4.3	13.1	3.6
Loan impairment charges to average gross customer advances and acceptances.....	0.5	0.2	0.6	0.2
Total impairment allowances to impaired loans and acceptances at period end	67.0	81.1	67.0	81.1
Efficiency and revenue mix ratios (%)¹				
Cost efficiency ratio.....	57.3	53.8	56.3	53.9
Adjusted cost efficiency ratio	57.2	53.8	56.2	54.0
As a percentage of total operating income:				
- net interest income	53.3	53.4	52.5	53.8
- net fee income	32.6	33.5	31.1	32.9
- net trading income.....	9.3	7.6	10.8	5.2

1 Refer to the 'Use of non-IFRS's financial measures' section of this document for a discussion of non-IFRS's financial measures.

2 The bank assesses capital adequacy against standards established in guidelines issued by OFSI in accordance with the Basel III capital adequacy frameworks.

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Use of non-IFRS's financial measures

In measuring our performance, the financial measures that we use include those which have been derived from our reported results. However these are not presented within the Financial Statements and are not defined under IFRS's. These are considered non-IFRS's financial measures and are unlikely to be comparable to similar measures presented by other companies. The following non-IFRS's financial measures are used throughout this document and their purposes and definitions are discussed below:

Financial position ratios

These measures are indicators of the stability of the bank's balance sheet and the degree funds are deployed to fund assets.

Ratio of customer advances to customer accounts is calculated by dividing loans and advances to customers by customer accounts using period-end balances.

Average total shareholders' equity to average total assets is calculated by dividing average total shareholders' equity with average total assets (determined using month-end balances) for the period.

Return ratios

Return ratios are useful for management to evaluate profitability on equity, assets and risk-weighted assets.

Return on average common shareholder's equity is calculated as profit attributable to the common shareholder for the period divided by average common equity (determined using month-end balances during the period).

Post-tax return on average total assets is calculated as profit attributable to common shareholders for the period divided by average assets (determined using average month-end balances during the period).

Pre-tax return on average risk-weighted assets is calculated as the profit before income tax expense divided by the average monthly balances of risk-weighted assets for the period. Risk-weighted assets are calculated using guidelines issued by OSFI in accordance with the Basel III capital adequacy framework.

Credit coverage ratios

Credit coverage ratios are useful to management as a measure of the extent of incurred loan impairment charges relative to the bank's performance and size of its customer loan portfolio during the period.

Loan impairment charges to total operating income is calculated as loan impairment charges and other credit provisions, as a percentage of total operating income for the period.

Loan impairment charges to average gross customer advances and acceptances is calculated as annualized loan impairment charges and other credit provisions for the period as a percentage of average gross customer advances and acceptances (determined using month-end balances during the period).

Total impairment allowances to impaired loans at period-end are useful to management to evaluate the coverage of impairment allowances relative to impaired loans using period-end balances.

Efficiency and revenue mix ratios

Efficiency and revenue mix ratios are measures of the bank's efficiency in managing its operating expense to generate revenue and demonstrates the contribution of each of the primary revenue streams to total income.

Cost efficiency ratio is calculated as total operating expenses as a percentage of total operating income for the period.

Adjusted cost efficiency ratio is calculated similar to the cost efficiency ratio; however, total operating income excludes gains and losses from financial instruments designated at fair value, as the movement in value of the bank's own subordinated debt issues are primarily driven by changes in market rates and are not under the control of management.

Net interest income, net fee income and net trading income as a percentage of total operating income is calculated as net interest income, net fee income and net trading income divided by total operating income for the period.

Financial performance

Summary consolidated income statement

	Quarter ended		Half-year ended	
	30 June 2016	30 June 2015	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Net interest income.....	280	289	561	576
Net fee income.....	171	181	332	353
Net trading income.....	49	41	116	56
Net (expense)/income from financial instruments designated at fair value	(1)	—	(2)	2
Gains less losses from financial investments.....	6	18	27	54
Other operating income.....	20	12	35	30
Total operating income.....	525	541	1,069	1,071
Loan impairment charges and other credit risk provisions.....	(54)	(23)	(139)	(39)
Net operating income.....	471	518	930	1,032
Total operating expenses.....	(301)	(291)	(602)	(577)
Operating profit.....	170	227	328	455
Share of profit in associates.....	(2)	—	(2)	3
Profit before income tax expense.....	168	227	326	458
Income tax expense.....	(47)	(59)	(90)	(120)
Profit for the period.....	121	168	236	338

Overview

HSBC Bank Canada reported a profit before income tax expense of \$168m for the second quarter of 2016, a decrease of \$59m, or 26.0%, compared with the second quarter of 2015. Profit before income tax expense was \$326m for the first half of 2016, a decrease of \$132m, or 28.8%, compared with the first half of 2015. The decreases are in part due to higher loan impairment charges largely reflecting charges related to the oil and gas sectors, increased investment in HSBC's Global Standards, risk and compliance activities, and other strategic initiatives to deliver future savings.

Commenting on the results, Sandra Stuart, President and Chief Executive Officer of HSBC Bank Canada, said:

“We are encouraged by the improvements we are seeing in the first half of 2016: In the second quarter, while profit before tax is down 26% compared to Q2 last year, it is up 6.3% compared with the previous quarter. Leveraging our global network led to increased trading revenues in Global Banking and Markets and drove client acquisition and growth along both the NAFTA and China trade corridors in Commercial Banking. We see a different picture when comparing to our results from a year ago: In Commercial Banking, loan impairment charges and two Bank of Canada rate cuts had a negative impact. Similarly, in Global Banking and Markets, there was a decrease in leveraged and acquisition finance activities and lower disposals of available-for-sale financial investments compared to the second quarter of 2015. Our

Retail Banking and Wealth Management business continued to grow residential mortgages and deposits - with net operating income increasing 7.0% over last quarter and 4.3% over the second quarter of 2015.

“Loan impairment charges are lower again this quarter as we continue to carefully manage our exposure to the energy sector. Costs are unchanged from last quarter and down 3.2% from the fourth quarter of 2015 - even as we continued to invest to improve efficiency, combat financial crime and deliver the digitised services and global connectivity our customers demand. We are maintaining our strategy to invest in ever better products and services for our commercial, institutional and retail customers in Canada.”

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Performance by income and expense item

Net interest income

Net interest income for the second quarter of 2016 was \$280m, a decrease of \$9m, or 3.1%, compared with the second quarter of 2015. Net interest income for the first half of 2016 was \$561m, a decrease of \$15m, or 2.6%, compared with the first half of 2015. The decreases over comparative periods were mainly driven by tighter spreads in a competitive low interest rate environment driven by two

Bank of Canada rate cuts in 2015, and the continued run-off of the consumer finance portfolio. This was partially offset by residential mortgage growth and higher average yield on financial investments.

Summary of interest income by type of assets

	Quarter ended 30 June 2016			Quarter ended 30 June 2015		
	Average balance \$m	Interest income \$m	Yield %	Average balance \$m	Interest income \$m	Yield %
<i>Interest income</i>						
Short-term funds and loans and advances to banks.....	774	—	—%	795	1	0.50%
Loans and advances to customers	48,479	362	2.99%	42,661	351	3.29%
Reverse repurchase agreements - non trading ..	8,052	9	0.45%	7,362	14	0.76%
Financial investments	22,684	68	1.20%	20,186	58	1.15%
Other interest-earning assets	448	2	1.79%	351	3	3.42%
Trading assets and financial assets designated at fair value	3,991	—	—%	7,050	—	—%
Total interest-earning assets	84,428	441	2.09%	78,405	427	2.18%
Non-interest-earning assets	11,858	—	—%	13,785	—	—%
Quarter ended 30 June	96,286	441	1.83%	92,190	427	1.85%

Summary of interest expense by types of liabilities and equity

	Average balance \$m	Interest expense \$m	Cost %	Average balance \$m	Interest expense \$m	Cost %
	<i>Interest expense</i>					
Deposits by banks.....	707	—	—%	731	—	—%
Financial liabilities designated at fair value - own debt issued	409	1	0.98%	422	1	0.95%
Customer accounts	48,221	61	0.51%	45,231	63	0.56%
Repurchase agreements - non-trading	6,344	7	0.44%	3,627	7	0.77%
Debt securities in issue	10,726	63	2.35%	10,822	66	2.44%
Other interest-earning liabilities	1,729	29	6.71%	1,807	1	0.22%
Trading liabilities and financial liabilities designated at fair value (excluding own debt issued).....	2,564	—	—%	3,137	—	—%
Total interest-bearing liabilities.....	70,700	161	0.91%	65,777	138	0.84%
Non-interest bearing current accounts.....	5,572	—	—%	5,333	—	—%
Total equity and other non-interest bearing liabilities	20,014	—	—%	21,080	—	—%
Quarter ended 30 June	96,286	161	0.67%	92,190	138	0.60%
Net interest income - Quarter ended 30 June ..		280			289	

Summary of interest income by type of assets

	Half-year ended 30 June 2016			Half-year ended 30 June 2015		
	Average balance \$m	Interest income \$m	Yield %	Average balance \$m	Interest income \$m	Yield %
<i>Interest income</i>						
Short-term funds and loans and advances to banks	864	1	0.23%	879	1	0.23%
Loans and advances to customers	48,022	704	2.93%	42,356	704	3.32%
Reverse repurchase agreements - non trading	7,994	18	0.45%	7,813	31	0.79%
Financial investments.....	23,046	133	1.15%	20,298	121	1.19%
Other interest-earning assets	361	3	1.66%	291	4	2.75%
Trading assets and financial assets designated at fair value	4,412	—	—%	6,717	—	—%
Total interest-earning assets.....	84,699	859	2.03%	78,354	861	2.20%
Non-interest-earning assets	12,227	—	—%	14,495	—	—%
Half-year ended 30 June	96,926	859	1.77%	92,849	861	1.85%

Summary of interest expense by types of liabilities and equity

	Average balance \$m	Interest expense \$m	Cost %	Average balance \$m	Interest expense \$m	Cost %
	<i>Interest expense</i>					
Deposits by banks	529	—	—%	386	—	—%
Financial liabilities designated at fair value - own debt issued.....	410	2	0.98%	424	3	1.42%
Customer accounts	48,549	122	0.50%	45,168	133	0.59%
Repurchase agreements - non-trading.....	6,784	15	0.44%	3,415	14	0.82%
Debt securities in issue.....	10,748	128	2.38%	10,959	135	2.46%
Other interest-earning liabilities	2,871	31	2.16%	1,846	—	—%
Trading liabilities and financial liabilities designated at fair value (excluding own debt issued)	2,274	—	—%	3,133	—	—%
Total interest-bearing liabilities	72,165	298	0.83%	65,331	285	0.87%
Non-interest bearing current accounts	5,661	—	—%	5,331	—	—%
Total equity and other non-interest bearing liabilities.....	19,100	—	—%	22,187	—	—%
Half-year ended 30 June	96,926	298	0.61%	92,849	285	0.61%
Net interest income - Half-year ended 30 June		561			576	

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Net fee income

	Quarter ended		Half-year ended	
	30 June 2016	30 June 2015	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Credit facilities	75	80	151	156
Funds under management.....	42	39	86	83
Account services.....	19	19	34	37
Corporate finance	17	21	24	35
Credit cards.....	14	15	27	29
Remittances	8	7	15	15
Immigrant Investor Program	7	4	14	7
Insurance	2	2	4	5
Trade finance import/export.....	2	3	4	6
Brokerage commissions	1	3	3	7
Trustee fees.....	1	1	2	3
Other.....	1	4	3	6
Fee income	189	198	367	389
Less: fee expense.....	(18)	(17)	(35)	(36)
Net fee income.....	171	181	332	353

Net fee income for the second quarter of 2016 was \$171m, a decrease of \$10m, or 5.5%, compared with the second quarter of 2015. Net fee income for the first half of 2016 was \$332m, a decrease of \$21m, or 5.9%, compared with the first half of 2015.

The decreases are primarily driven by lower capital markets advisory and underwriting fees, and lower credit facility utilisation.

Net trading income

	Quarter ended		Half-year ended	
	30 June 2016	30 June 2015	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Trading activities.....	42	30	108	42
Net interest from trading activities.....	4	8	9	15
Hedge ineffectiveness.....	3	3	(1)	(1)
Net trading income	49	41	116	56

Net trading income for the second quarter of 2016 was \$49m, an increase of \$8m, or 19.5%, compared with the second quarter of 2015. Net trading income for the first half of 2016 was \$116m, an increase of \$60m, or 107.1%, compared with the first half of 2015. The increases from comparative periods are mainly driven by favorable changes to the Credit

Valuation Adjustment ('CVA') on derivative contracts due to the tightening of customer credit spreads. Also, derivative fair value movements were recycled to the income statement due to hedge accounting criteria not having been met, negatively impacting net trading in 2015.

Other items of income

	Quarter ended		Half-year ended	
	30 June 2016	30 June 2015	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Net (expense)/income from financial instruments designated at fair value	(1)	—	(2)	2
Gains less losses from financial investments	6	18	27	54
Other operating income	20	12	35	30
Other items of income	25	30	60	86

The bank has previously designated certain of its own subordinated debentures to be recorded at fair value. Net expense from financial instruments designated at fair value for the second quarter of 2016 was \$1m compared with nil in the second quarter of 2015. Net expense from financial instruments designated at fair value for the first half of 2016 was \$2m compared with a net income of \$2m for the first half of 2015. The net expense from financial instruments designated at fair value was caused from marginal narrowing of the bank's own credit spread which increased the fair value of these subordinated debentures. This compares with an income recorded in the prior year which arose from the widening of the bank's own credit risk.

Gains less losses from financial investments for the second quarter of 2016 were \$6m, a decrease of \$12m, or 66.7%,

compared with the second quarter of 2015. Gains less losses from financial investments for the first half of 2016 was \$27m, a decrease of \$27m, or 50% compared with the first half of 2015. Gains on sale of available-for-sale debt securities arose from the continued rebalancing of the balance sheet management liquid assets.

Other operating income for the second quarter of 2016 was \$20m, an increase of \$8m, or 66.7%, compared with the second quarter of 2015. Other operating income for the first half of 2016 was \$35m, an increase of \$5m, or 16.7% compared with the first half of 2015. The increase was partly due to income received from the sale of a small impaired loan portfolio and higher inter-company activities this quarter.

Loan impairment charges and other credit risk provisions

	Quarter ended		Half-year ended	
	30 June 2016	30 June 2015	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Individually assessed allowances	72	17	149	33
Collectively assessed (releases)/allowances	(13)	6	(7)	5
Loan impairment charges	59	23	142	38
Other credit risk provisions	(5)	—	(3)	1
Loan impairment charges and other credit risk provisions	54	23	139	39

Loan impairment charges and other credit risk provisions for the second quarter of 2016 were \$54m, an increase of \$31m compared with the second quarter of 2015. Loan impairment charges and other credit risk provisions for the first half of

2016 were \$139m, an increase of \$100m compared with the first half of 2015. The increases over the comparative periods largely reflect charges related to the oil and gas sectors.

Total operating expenses

	Quarter ended		Half-year ended	
	30 June 2016	30 June 2015	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Employee compensation and benefits.....	164	168	333	337
General and administrative expenses.....	127	112	249	218
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment.....	8	8	15	15
Amortization and impairment of intangible assets	2	3	5	7
Total operating expenses.....	301	291	602	577

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Total operating expenses for the second quarter of 2016 were \$301m, an increase of \$10m, or 3.4%, compared with the second quarter of 2015. Total operating expenses for the first half of 2016 were \$602m, an increase of \$25m, or 4.3%, compared with the first half of 2015. The increases over the comparative periods are driven by the adverse impact caused by the lower Canadian dollar on expenses denominated in foreign currencies, and continued investments in the implementation of HSBC's Global Standards and other efficiency initiatives to deliver future savings.

Share of profit in associates

Share of profit in associates for the second quarter of 2016 was a loss of \$2m, a decrease of \$2m compared with the second quarter of 2015. Share of profit in associates for the first half of 2016 was a loss of \$2m, a decrease of \$5m compared with the first half of 2015.

Income taxes expense

The effective tax rate in the second quarter of 2016 was 27.7%, compared with 26.7% in the second quarter of 2015.

Movement in financial position

Summary consolidated balance sheet

	At 30 June 2016 \$m	At 31 December 2015 \$m
ASSETS		
Trading assets	5,202	3,893
Derivatives	4,419	4,909
Loans and advances to banks	1,480	1,400
Loans and advances to customers	48,034	48,378
Reverse repurchase agreements – non-trading	5,647	6,807
Financial investments	22,462	23,935
Customer's liability under acceptances	4,542	3,834
Other assets	1,472	868
Total assets	93,258	94,024
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		
Liabilities		
Deposits by banks	975	2,049
Customer accounts	55,052	55,089
Repurchase agreements – non-trading	3,844	6,606
Trading liabilities	3,099	1,713
Derivatives	4,821	5,005
Debt securities in issue	10,452	10,896
Acceptances	4,542	3,834
Other liabilities	4,989	3,456
Total liabilities	87,774	88,648
Equity		
Share capital and other reserves	2,221	2,167
Retained earnings	3,263	3,209
Non-controlling interests	—	—
Total equity	5,484	5,376
Total equity and liabilities	93,258	94,024

Assets

Total assets at 30 June 2016 were \$93.3bn, a decrease of \$0.8bn from 31 December 2015. Balance sheet management activities decreased financial investments and reverse repurchase agreements - non trading by \$1.5bn and \$1.2bn respectively, and increased trading assets and other assets by \$1.3bn and \$0.6bn respectively. Customer's liability under acceptances increased by \$0.7bn due to an increase in the

volume of acceptances. Derivatives decreased by \$0.5bn mainly due to a decrease in foreign exchange contracts and commodity contracts, partially offset by an increase in interest rate contracts. Loans and advances to customers decreased by \$0.3bn mainly driven by lower credit facility utilisation partially offset by increased new-to-bank activities.

Liabilities

Total liabilities at 30 June 2016 were \$87.8bn, a decrease of \$0.9bn from 31 December 2015. Balance sheet management activities decreased reverse repurchase agreements – non-trading and deposits by banks by \$2.8bn and \$1.1bn respectively, as well as \$0.4bn of debt securities matured during the quarter. This is offset by increased trading

liabilities of \$1.4bn due to higher securities short positions from client facilitation trades, \$1.6bn increase in other liabilities largely due to long-term borrowing and a \$0.7bn increase in the volume of acceptances during the quarter.

Equity

Total equity at 30 June 2016 was \$5.5bn, an increase of \$0.1bn from 31 December 2015, due to profits generated in the period.

Global lines of business

Commercial Banking

Commercial Banking offers a full range of commercial financial services and tailored solutions to customers ranging from small and medium-sized enterprises to publicly quoted companies.

Review of financial performance

	Quarter ended		Half-year ended	
	30 June 2016	30 June 2015	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Net interest income.....	130	152	272	304
Net fee income.....	78	78	157	158
Net trading income.....	8	8	15	16
Gains less losses from financial investments.....	1	—	3	—
Other operating income.....	4	5	10	10
Total operating income.....	221	243	457	488
Loan impairment charges and other credit risk provisions.....	(47)	(19)	(128)	(30)
Net operating income.....	174	224	329	458
Total operating expenses.....	(101)	(106)	(204)	(207)
Operating profit.....	73	118	125	251
Share of profit in associates.....	(2)	—	(2)	3
Profit before income tax expense.....	71	118	123	254

Overview

Commercial banking remains focused on enhancing and simplifying its delivery model, improving productivity for the benefit of its customers and employees, despite headwinds from sustained low energy and commodity prices. We continue to focus on international subsidiary banking as a driver of growth through NAFTA and China trade corridors and leverage our global trade and cash management product platform to generate new-to-bank client acquisition, fee income and liquidity.

Profit before income tax expense was \$71m for the second quarter of 2016, a decrease of \$47m, or 40%, compared with

the second quarter of 2015. Profit before income tax expense for the first half of 2016 was \$123m, a decrease of \$131m, or 52%, compared with the first half of 2015. Profit before income tax expense was down primarily because of increased loan impairment charges largely reflecting charges related to the oil and gas sectors, increased funding costs, lower deposit margins due to two Bank of Canada rate cuts in 2015, and lower asset balances, partially offset by lower operating expenses.

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Net interest income for the second quarter of 2016 was \$130m, a decrease of \$22m, or 14%, compared with the second quarter of 2015. Net interest income for the first half of 2016 was \$272m, a decrease of \$32m, or 11%, compared with the first half of 2015. The decreases from comparative periods are mainly driven by higher funding costs, lower deposit margins driven by two Bank of Canada rate cuts in 2015, and lower loans outstanding.

Net fee income for the second quarter of 2016 was \$78m, largely unchanged compared with the second quarter of 2015. Net fee income for the first half of 2016 was \$157m, \$1m lower compared with the first half of 2015. The decrease from comparative periods is due to lower debt and equity capital finance fees.

Net trading income for the second quarter of 2016 was \$8m, largely unchanged compared with the second quarter of 2015. Net trading income for the first half of 2016 was \$15m, a decrease of \$1m, or 6%, compared with the first half of 2015, mainly driven by lower foreign exchange transaction volume.

Gains less losses from financial investments for the second quarter of 2016 was \$1m, an increase of \$1m compared with the second quarter of 2015. Gains less losses from financial investments for the first half of 2016 was \$3m, an increase of \$3m compared with the first half of 2015. The increases relate to the disposal of certain available-for-sale securities.

Other operating income for the second quarter of 2016 was \$4m, a decrease of \$1m, or 20%, compared with the second quarter of 2015, mainly driven by lower inter-company activities. Other operating income for the first half of 2016 was \$10m, largely unchanged compared with the first half of 2015.

Loan impairment charges and other credit risk provisions for the second quarter of 2016 was \$47m, an increase of \$28m, or 147%, compared with the second quarter of 2015. Loan impairment charges and other credit risk provisions for the first half of 2016 was \$128m, an increase of \$98m, or 327%, compared with the first half of 2015. The increases were largely reflecting charges related to the oil and gas sectors.

Total operating expenses for the second quarter of 2016 were \$101m, a decrease of \$5m, or 5%, compared with the second quarter of 2015. Total operating expenses for the first half of 2016 were \$204m, a decrease of \$3m, or 1%, compared with the first half of 2015. The decreases in operating expenses are mainly driven by lower payroll expenditures and prudent cost management.

Share of profit in associates represents changes in the value of investments in certain private equity funds. Share of profit in associates was an expense of \$2m for the second quarter of 2016, an increase in expense of \$2m, compared with the second quarter of 2015. Share of profit in associates for the first half of 2016 was an expense of \$2m, an increase in expense of \$5m, compared with the first half of 2015.

Global Banking and Markets

Global Banking and Markets provides tailored financial solutions to major government, corporate and institutional clients worldwide.

Review of financial performance

	Quarter ended		Half-year ended	
	30 June 2016	30 June 2015	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Net interest income	55	43	102	91
Net fee income	39	48	67	83
Net trading income.....	30	20	80	14
Gains less losses from financial investments.....	6	18	25	54
Other operating loss	(5)	—	(5)	—
Total operating income	125	129	269	242
Loan impairment charges and other credit risk provisions.....	(6)	(1)	(6)	(2)
Net operating income.....	119	128	263	240
Total operating expenses.....	(32)	(34)	(65)	(65)
Profit before income tax expense.....	87	94	198	175

Overview

Global Banking and Markets increased trading revenues as well as lending and credit activities by leveraging HSBC's global network on behalf of its clients, while leverage and acquisition finance revenues decreased.

Profit before income tax expense was \$87m for the second quarter of 2016, a decrease of \$7m, or 7%, compared with the second quarter of 2015, mainly driven by decreased net fee income from lower leveraged and acquisition finance activities, lower disposals of available-for-sale financial investments, offset by higher net yields on available-for-sale financial investments.

Financial performance by income and expense item

Net interest income for the second quarter of 2016 was \$55m, an increase of \$12m, or 28%, compared with the second quarter of 2015. Net interest income for the first half of 2016 was \$102m, an increase of \$11m, or 12%, compared with the first half of 2015. The increases from comparative periods are mainly due to higher net yields on financial investments.

Net fee income for the second quarter of 2016 was \$39m, a decrease of \$9m, or 19%, compared with the second quarter of 2015. Net fee income for the first half of 2016 was \$67m, a decrease of \$16m, or 19%, compared with the first half of 2015. The decreases from comparative periods are mainly driven by decreased fees from leveraged and acquisition

finance, and debt capital market activities. Profit before income tax expense was \$198m for the first half of 2016, an increase of \$23m, or 13%, compared with the first half of 2015, mainly driven by favourable trading performance in the rates business and the impact of tightening of customer credit spreads and the strengthening of the Canadian dollar on CVA on derivative contracts. Also, derivative fair value movements were recycled to the income statement due to hedge accounting criteria not having been met, negatively impacting net trading in 2015.

finance, and debt capital market activities.

Net trading income for the second quarter of 2016 was \$30m, an increase of \$10m, or 50%, compared with the second quarter of 2015. Net trading income for the first half of 2016 was \$80m, an increase of \$66m, or 471%, compared with the first half of 2015. The increases from comparative periods are mainly driven by favorable trading performance in the rates business and favorable changes to the CVA on derivative contracts due to the tightening of customer credit spreads. Also, derivative fair value movements were recycled to the income statement due to hedge accounting criteria not having been met, negatively impacting net trading in 2015.

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Gains less losses from financial investments for the second quarter of 2016 was \$6m, a decrease of \$12m, or 67%, compared with the second quarter of 2015. Gains less losses from financial investments were \$25m for the first half of 2016, a decrease of \$29m, or 54%, compared with the first half of 2015. The decreases from comparative periods are mainly driven by lower disposals of available-for-sale financial investments as part of the bank's continuous balance sheet management activities.

Loan impairment charges and other credit risk provisions for the second quarter of 2016 were \$6m, an increase of \$5m compared with the second quarter of 2015. Loan impairment charges and other credit risk provisions for the first half of 2016 were \$6m, an increase of \$4m compared with the first half of 2015. The increases from comparative periods are largely reflecting charges related to the oil and gas sectors.

Other operating loss for the first half of 2016 was \$5m, an increase of \$5m compared with the first half of 2015. The increase from comparative periods is due to losses on the sale of specific commercial loans in the second quarter of 2016.

Total operating expenses for the second quarter of 2016 were \$32m, a decrease of \$2m, or 6%, compared with the second quarter of 2015. Total operating expenses for the first half of 2016 was \$65m, largely unchanged compared with the first half of 2015.

Retail Banking and Wealth Management

Retail Banking and Wealth Management provides banking and wealth management services for its personal customers to help them to manage their finances and protect and build their financial future.

Review of financial performance

	Quarter ended		Half-year ended	
	30 June 2016	30 June 2015	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Net interest income.....	103	100	203	194
Net fee income.....	54	55	108	112
Net trading income.....	5	6	10	12
Other operating income.....	7	3	9	9
Total operating income.....	169	164	330	327
Loan impairment charges and other credit risk provisions.....	(1)	(3)	(5)	(7)
Net operating income.....	168	161	325	320
Total operating expenses.....	(142)	(143)	(289)	(279)
Profit before income tax expense.....	26	18	36	41

Profit before income tax

	Quarter ended		Half-year ended	
	30 June 2016	30 June 2015	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Ongoing Retail Banking and Wealth Management business.....	16	9	21	20
Run-off consumer finance portfolio.....	10	9	15	21
Profit before income tax expense.....	26	18	36	41

Overview

Retail Banking and Wealth Management benefited from growth in residential mortgages and deposits during the first half of 2016, with a key focus on revenue in a highly competitive low interest rate market environment. Profit before income tax expense was \$26m for the second quarter of 2016, an increase of \$8m, or 44%, compared with the second quarter of 2015. Profit before income tax expense was \$36m for the first half of 2016, a decrease of \$5m, or 12% compared with the first half of 2015.

Profit before income tax expense relating to ongoing business (excluding the run-off consumer finance portfolio) was \$16m for the second quarter of 2016, an increase of \$7m, or 78%, compared with the second quarter of 2015, mainly driven by higher net interest income. Profit before income tax expense relating to ongoing business was \$21m for the first half of 2016, largely unchanged from the first half of 2015, as higher net interest income was partially offset by investments in HSBC's Global Standards, risk and compliance activities, and other strategic initiatives.

Financial performance by income and expense item relating to the ongoing business

Net interest income for the second quarter of 2016 was \$96m, an increase of \$6m, or 7%, compared with the second quarter of 2015. Net interest income for the first half of 2016 was \$189m, an increase of \$17m, or 10%, compared with the first half of 2015. The increases over the comparative periods are mainly driven by continued growth in retail products, partially offset by tighter spreads in a competitive low interest rate environment.

Net fee income for the second quarter of 2016 was \$54m, a decrease of \$1m, or 2%, compared with the second quarter of 2015. Net fee income for the first half of 2016 was \$108m, a decrease of \$3m, or 3%, compared with the first half of 2015. Net fee income decreased over comparative periods mainly due to the market decrease impacting the value of wealth management products.

Net trading income for the second quarter of 2016 was \$5m, a decrease of \$1m, or 17% compared with the second quarter of 2015. Net trading income for the first half of 2016 was \$10m, a decrease of \$2m, or 17%, compared with the first half of 2015. The decreases over the comparative periods are mainly driven by lower foreign exchange transactions by customers.

Profit before income tax expense relating to the run-off consumer finance portfolio for the second quarter of 2016 was \$10m, an increase of \$1m, or 11%, compared with the second quarter of 2015, mainly driven by the sale of a small impaired loan portfolio. Profit before income tax expense relating to the run-off of consumer finance portfolio was \$15m in the first half of 2016, a decrease of \$6m, or 29%, compared with the first half of 2015, mainly driven by lower interest income from declining loan balances.

Other operating income for the second quarter of 2016 was \$5m, an increase of \$3m, or 150%, compared with the second quarter of 2015. Other operating income for the first half of 2016 was \$7m, an increase of \$1m, or 17%, compared with the first half of 2015. The increases over the comparative periods are mainly driven by the sale of a small portfolio of impaired loans during the quarter.

Loan impairment charges and other credit risk provisions for the second quarter of 2016 was \$5m, largely unchanged compared with the second quarter of 2015. Loan impairment charges and other credit risk provisions for the first half of 2016 was \$10m, marginally higher compared with the first half of 2015.

Total operating expenses for the second quarter of 2016 was \$140m, marginally higher compared with the second quarter of 2015. Total operating expenses for the first half of 2016 was \$284m, an increase of \$12m, or 4%, compared with the first half of 2015. The increases over the comparative periods are mainly driven by increased investments in HSBC's Global Standards, risk and compliance activities, and other strategic initiatives.

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Other

'Other' contains the results of movements in fair value of own debt, activities related to information technology services provided to HSBC Group companies on an arm's length basis with associated recoveries and other costs which do not directly relate to our global lines of business.

Review of financial performance

	Quarter ended		Half-year ended	
	30 June 2016	30 June 2015	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Net interest income	(8)	(6)	(16)	(13)
Net trading income	6	7	11	14
Net (expense)/income from financial instruments designated at fair value....	(1)	—	(2)	2
Gains less losses from financial investments	(1)	—	(1)	—
Other operating income	14	4	21	11
Total operating income	10	5	13	14
Total operating expenses	(26)	(8)	(44)	(26)
Loss before income tax expense	(16)	(3)	(31)	(12)

Loss before income tax expense was \$16m for the second quarter of 2016, an increase of \$13m, compared with the second quarter of 2015. Loss before income tax expense was \$31m for the first half of 2016, an increase of \$19m, compared with the first half of 2015. The increase in losses compared with the comparative periods are mainly due to the continued investments in the implementation of HSBC's

Global standards and other initiatives to deliver future savings. As well, the narrowing of credit spreads on financial instruments designated at fair value and a transitional change in the liquidity funds transfer pricing policy framework negatively impacted net interest income in the first half of 2016.

Summary quarterly performance

Refer to the 'Summary quarterly performance' section of our Annual Report and Accounts 2015 for more information regarding quarterly trends in performance for 2015 and 2014.

Summary consolidated income statement

	Quarter ended							
	Jun 30	Mar 31	Dec 31	Sep 30	Jun 30	Mar 31	Dec 31	Sep 30
	2016	2016	2015	2015	2015	2015	2014	2014
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Total operating income	525	544	448	518	541	530	519	520
Profit for the period	121	115	(28)	137	168	170	125	170
Profit attributable to common shareholders	111	106	(38)	128	161	163	118	163
Profit attributable to preferred shareholders	10	9	10	9	5	4	5	4
Profit attributable to non-controlling interests	—	—	—	—	2	3	2	3
Basic earnings per common share (\$)	0.22	0.21	(0.08)	0.26	0.32	0.33	0.24	0.32

Accounting matters

Critical accounting policies

The results of the bank are sensitive to the accounting policies, assumptions and estimates that underlie the preparation of our consolidated financial statements. A summary of our significant accounting policies are provided in note 1 of our 2015 Annual Report.

Refer to the 'Critical accounting policies' section of our 2015 Annual Report and Accounts for accounting policies that are deemed critical to our results and financial position, in terms of materiality of the items which the policy is applied and the high degree of judgment involved, including the use of assumptions and estimation.

Off-balance sheet arrangements

As part of our banking operations, we enter into a number of off-balance sheet financial transactions that have a financial impact, but may not be recognized in our financial statements. These types of arrangements are contingent and may not necessarily, but in certain circumstances could, involve us incurring a liability in excess of amounts recorded

in our consolidated balance sheet. These arrangements include: guarantees and letters of credit and are described in the 'Off-balance sheet arrangements' section of our 2015 Annual Report and Accounts.

Related party transactions

We enter into transactions with other HSBC affiliates as part of the normal course of business, such as banking and operational services. In particular, as a member of one of the world's largest financial services organizations, we share in the expertise and economies of scale provided by the HSBC Group. We provide and receive services or enter into transactions with a number of HSBC Group companies, including sharing in the cost of development for technology

platforms used around the world and benefit from worldwide contracts for advertising, marketing research, training and other operational areas.

These related party transactions are on terms similar to those offered to non-related parties and are subject to formal approval procedures that have been approved by the bank's Conduct Review Committee. Refer to Note 12 of the unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements for the second quarter ended 30 June 2016.

Disclosure controls and procedures and internal control over financial reporting

The Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer have signed certifications relating to the appropriateness of the financial disclosures in interim filings with the Canadian Securities Administrators, including this MD&A and the accompanying unaudited interim consolidated financial statements for the quarter ended 30 June 2016, and their responsibility for the design and maintenance of disclosure

controls and procedures and internal controls over financial reporting to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting in accordance with IFRS's. There have been no changes in internal controls over financial reporting during the quarter ended 30 June 2016 that have materially affected or are reasonably likely to affect internal control over financial reporting.

Risk management

Refer to the "Risk management" section of our 2015 Annual Report and Accounts for a description of how the bank manages risk on an enterprise wide level, as well as the management of reputation and operational risk.

Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss if a customer or counterparty fails to meet an obligation under contract. It arises principally from direct lending, trade finance and the leasing business, but also from other products such as guarantees and credit derivatives and from holding assets in the form of debt securities.

The bank's principal objectives of credit risk management are:

- to maintain a strong culture of responsible lending, supported by a robust risk policy and control framework;
- to both partner with and challenge businesses in defining and implementing and continually re-evaluating our risk appetite under actual and scenario conditions; and
- to ensure there is independent, expert scrutiny of credit risks, their costs and their mitigation.

Refer to the 'Risk management' section of our 2015 Annual Report and Accounts for a discussion of how the bank manages credit risk, collateral and other credit risk enhancements, as well as a more in depth explanation of our credit risk measures.

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Diversification of credit risk

Concentration of credit risk may arise when the ability of a number of borrowers or counterparties to meet their contractual obligations are similarly affected by external factors. Diversification of credit risk is a key concept by which we are guided. In assessing and monitoring for credit

risk concentration, we aggregate exposures by product type, industry and geographic area. Exposures are measured at exposure at default ('EAD'), which reflects drawn balances as well as an allowance for undrawn amounts of commitments and contingent exposures, and therefore would not agree to the financial statements.

Credit risk portfolio by product type

	EAD at 30 June 2016					Total \$m
	Drawn \$m	Undrawn \$m	Repurchase type transactions \$m	Derivatives \$m	Other off- balance sheet \$m	
Wholesale portfolio						
Sovereign	20,121	235	8	170	70	20,604
Banks	4,108	—	108	989	864	6,069
Corporate	28,411	12,307	10	1,255	3,504	45,487
Total	52,640	12,542	126	2,414	4,438	72,160
Retail portfolio						
Residential mortgages	20,240	4	—	—	—	20,244
Home equity lines of credit	1,882	1,049	—	—	—	2,931
Personal unsecured revolving loan facilities	250	219	—	—	—	469
Other personal loan facilities	1,540	179	—	—	2	1,721
Other small to medium enterprises loan facilities	209	241	—	—	17	467
Run-off consumer loan portfolio	196	—	—	—	—	196
Retail Master Card	343	—	—	—	—	343
Total Retail	24,660	1,692	—	—	19	26,371
Total	77,300	14,234	126	2,414	4,457	98,531

EAD at 31 December 2015

	Drawn \$m	Undrawn \$m	Repurchase type transactions \$m	Derivatives \$m	Other off- balance sheet \$m	Total \$m
Wholesale portfolio						
Sovereign	24,807	195	—	406	70	25,478
Banks	3,549	—	75	1,276	482	5,382
Corporate	29,568	12,995	15	1,917	3,511	48,006
Total	57,924	13,190	90	3,599	4,063	78,866
Retail portfolio						
Residential mortgages	19,239	4	—	—	—	19,243
Home equity lines of credit	1,862	1,040	—	—	—	2,902
Personal unsecured revolving loan facilities	267	224	—	—	—	491
Other personal loan facilities	1,677	186	—	—	5	1,868
Other small to medium enterprises loan facilities	228	262	—	—	18	508
Run-off consumer loan portfolio	254	—	—	—	—	254
Retail Master Card	383	—	—	—	—	383
Total Retail	23,910	1,716	—	—	23	25,649
Total	81,834	14,906	90	3,599	4,086	104,515

Credit risk portfolio by geographic area

	EAD 30 June 2016 \$m	EAD 31 December 2015 \$m
Sovereign		
Canada	16,283	20,215
United States of America	1,958	2,949
Other	2,363	2,314
	20,604	25,478
Banks		
Canada	4,083	2,525
United States of America	913	1,348
Other	1,073	1,509
	6,069	5,382
Corporate		
Canada		
British Columbia	11,561	11,856
Ontario	11,727	12,504
Alberta	11,324	11,869
Quebec	5,945	6,330
Saskatchewan and Manitoba	1,786	1,744
Atlantic provinces	991	816
Northwest Territories	1	1
United States of America	1,453	1,972
Other	699	914
	45,487	48,006
Total wholesale loan portfolio exposure	72,160	78,866

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Loan portfolio by industry

	EAD at 30 June 2016					
	Drawn	Undrawn	Repurchase type transactions	Derivatives	Other off- balance sheet	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Corporate						
Real Estate	6,858	1,810	—	119	482	9,269
Energy	3,725	2,572	—	624	873	7,794
Manufacturing	3,740	1,714	—	55	347	5,856
Wholesale trade	2,447	1,278	—	37	163	3,925
Services	2,209	553	—	39	132	2,933
Transport and storage	1,704	620	—	38	129	2,491
Construction services	1,305	798	—	6	709	2,818
Finance and insurance	887	817	10	196	103	2,013
Mining, logging and forestry	825	692	—	13	357	1,887
Retail trade	945	477	—	101	79	1,602
Business services	1,150	308	—	10	59	1,527
Automotive	1,112	311	—	5	37	1,465
Hotels and accommodation	722	56	—	6	9	793
Agriculture	423	240	—	8	21	692
Sole proprietors	359	59	—	—	3	421
Government Services	—	1	—	—	—	1
Total Corporate	28,411	12,306	10	1,257	3,503	45,487

Loan portfolio by industry

	EAD at 31 December 2015					
	Drawn	Undrawn	Repurchase type transactions	Derivatives	Other off- balance sheet	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Corporate						
Real Estate	6,226	1,706	—	212	471	8,615
Energy	3,886	2,894	—	721	900	8,401
Manufacturing	3,898	1,811	—	110	345	6,164
Wholesale trade	2,769	1,301	—	35	170	4,275
Services	2,318	594	—	36	138	3,086
Transport and storage	1,808	631	—	38	158	2,635
Construction services	1,025	622	—	17	195	1,859
Finance and insurance	1,382	948	15	554	161	3,060
Mining, logging and forestry	959	714	—	33	353	2,059
Retail Trade	977	406	—	94	35	1,512
Business services	1,299	620	—	9	507	2,435
Automotive	1,064	344	—	6	39	1,453
Hotels and accommodation	711	48	—	5	6	770
Agriculture	433	305	—	46	29	813
Sole proprietors	403	51	—	1	4	459
Government Services	410	—	—	—	—	410
Total Corporate	29,568	12,995	15	1,917	3,511	48,006

Energy exposures

The following table provides a breakdown of our exposure to energy industries under the AIRB approach. Of these exposures, 54% at 30 June 2016 are investment grade based on our internal risk rating (equivalent to S&P/Moody's rating

of BBB-/Baa3 and higher). In light of sustained low oil prices the bank remains selective in this sector and continues to review and reduce exposure while remaining selective to new opportunities.

Credit risk portfolio by product type

	EAD at 30 June 2016				
	Drawn	Undrawn commitments	Derivatives	Other off-balance sheet exposures	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Pipelines	830	508	494	24	1,856
Energy services.....	1,145	650	1	75	1,871
Exploration development and production	1,127	944	122	552	2,745
Power and utilities	460	214	5	187	866
Transportation, refining and marketing.....	163	256	2	35	456
Total.....	3,725	2,572	624	873	7,794

	EAD at 31 December 2015				
	Drawn	Undrawn commitments	Derivatives	Other off-balance sheet exposures	Total
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Pipelines	610	501	630	27	1,768
Energy services.....	1,322	750	1	85	2,158
Exploration development and production	1,300	1,138	46	512	2,996
Power and utilities	380	278	6	230	894
Transportation, refining and marketing.....	275	227	37	46	585
Total.....	3,887	2,894	720	900	8,401

Credit quality

Credit quality of financial assets

Although overall credit quality at 30 June 2016 remains strong, recent credit metrics has indicated some deterioration in the quality of the portfolio related to Energy and related exposures. This is consistent with the significant reduction in oil and gas prices and was in accordance with our

expectations. This resulted in a \$260m increase in impaired loans during the six months ended 30 June 2016, of which \$178m was related to Energy and related exposures offset by reductions in other sectors. The bank uses the classification as outlined in the table below to measure the quality of its loans and advances.

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Quality classification	Wholesale and retail lending		
	External credit rating	Internal credit rating	12 month probability of default %
Strong	A- and above	CRR1 to CRR2	0-0.169
Good.....	BBB+ to BBB-	CCR3	0.170-0.740
Satisfactory	BB+ to B+	CCR4 to CCR5	0.741-4.914
Sub-standard	B to C	CRR6 to CRR8	4.915-99.999
Impaired.....	Default	CRR9 to CRR10	100

Credit quality of wholesale portfolio

	30 June 2016			31 December 2015		
	EAD Drawn \$m	EAD Undrawn \$m	EAD Total \$m	EAD Drawn \$m	EAD Undrawn \$m	EAD Total \$m
Strong	29,727	2,644	32,371	34,860	3,295	38,155
Good.....	15,544	5,710	21,254	16,054	5,658	21,712
Satisfactory	11,295	3,361	14,656	12,165	3,660	15,825
Sub-standard.....	2,299	711	3,010	2,066	499	2,565
Impaired.....	753	116	869	531	78	609
	59,618	12,542	72,160	65,676	13,190	78,866

The proportion of exposures categorized as Strong or Good decreased from 75.9% at 31 December 2015 to 74.3% at 30 June 2016, while impaired loans increased from \$609m to \$869m. This was mainly due to deterioration in the quality of the portfolio related to energy and related exposures. This is consistent with the significant reduction in oil prices and was in accordance with our expectations. The wholesale

portfolio credit risk EAD decreased by \$6,705 million in the quarter due to removal of the trading book portfolio from credit risk EAD following OSFI approval of Market Risk model, a reduction in Balance Sheet Management activities and a reduction in unused loan commitments.

Credit quality of retail portfolio

	30 June 2016			31 December 2015		
	EAD Drawn \$m	EAD Undrawn \$m	EAD Total \$m	EAD Drawn \$m	EAD Undrawn \$m	EAD Total \$m
Strong.....	10,404	2	10,406	10,010	2	10,012
Good.....	11,187	1,186	12,373	10,989	1,231	12,220
Satisfactory	2,378	455	2,833	2,211	434	2,645
Sub-standard.....	647	48	695	638	49	687
Impaired.....	64	—	64	85	—	85
	24,680	1,691	26,371	23,933	1,716	25,649

The portfolio was generally stable with the proportion of exposures categorized as Strong or Good decreasing from

86.7% at 31 December 2015 to 86.4% at 30 June 2016, while impaired loans declined from \$85m to \$64m.

Mortgages and home equity lines of credit

The bank's mortgage and home equity lines of credit portfolios are considered to be low-risk since the majority are secured by a first charge against the underlying real estate. The tables below detail how the bank mitigates risk further by diversifying the geographical markets in which

it operates as well as benefiting from borrower default insurance. In addition the bank maintains strong underwriting and portfolio monitoring standards to ensure the quality of its portfolio is maintained.

Insurance and geographic distribution ¹	30 June 2016						
	Residential mortgages					HELOC ²	
	Insured ³		Uninsured		Total	Uninsured	
	\$m	%	\$m	%	\$m	\$m	%
British Columbia.....	874	7	11,829	93	12,703	908	100
Western Canada ⁴	236	18	1,058	82	1,294	248	100
Ontario.....	666	11	5,223	89	5,889	617	100
Quebec and Atlantic provinces.....	164	14	967	86	1,131	109	100
Total at 30 June 2016.....	1,940	9	19,077	91	21,017	1,882	100

Insurance and geographic distribution ¹	31 December 2015						
	Residential mortgages					HELOC ²	
	Insured ³		Uninsured		Total	Uninsured	
	\$m	%	\$m	%	\$m	\$m	%
British Columbia.....	972	8	10,940	92	11,912	898	100
Western Canada ⁴	235	18	1,103	82	1,338	248	100
Ontario.....	657	12	5,010	88	5,667	606	100
Quebec and Atlantic provinces.....	166	15	950	85	1,116	110	100
Total at 31 December 2015.....	2,030	10	18,003	90	20,033	1,862	100

Amortization period ⁵	Residential mortgages				
	Less than 20 years	20 - 24 years	25- 29 years	30 - 34 years	35 years and greater
Total at 30 June 2016.....	24%	34%	41%	1%	—%
Total at 31 December 2015.....	26%	36%	37%	1%	—%

For the three months ended:

Average loan-to-value ratios of new originations^{6,7}

	30 June 2016	
	Residential %	HELOC %
British Columbia.....	57	50
Western Canada ⁴	59	55
Ontario.....	61	56
Quebec and Atlantic provinces.....	63	62
Total at 30 June 2016.....	59	53
Total at 31 December 2015	62	55

1 Geographic location is determined by the address of the originating branch.

2 HELOC is an abbreviation for Home Equity Lines of Credit, which are lines of credit secured by equity in real estate.

3 Insured mortgages are protected from potential losses caused by borrower default through the purchase of insurance coverage, either from the Canadian Housing and Mortgage Corporation or other accredited private insurers.

4 Western Canada excludes British Columbia.

5 Amortization period is based on the remaining term of residential mortgages.

6 All new loans and home equity lines of credit were originated by the bank; there were no acquisitions during the period.

7 Loan-to-value ratios are simple averages, based on property values at the date of mortgage origination.

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Potential impact of an economic downturn on residential mortgage loans and home equity lines of credit

The bank performs stress testing on its Retail portfolio to assess the impact of increased levels of unemployment, rising interest rates, reduction in property values and changes in other relevant macroeconomic variables. Potential increase in losses in the mortgage portfolio under downturn economic scenarios are considered manageable given the diversified composition of the portfolio, the low Loan to

Value in the portfolio and risk mitigation strategies in place. The aging analysis below includes past due loans on which collective impairment allowances have been assessed, though at their early stage of arrears, there is normally no identifiable impairment.

Days past due but not impaired loans and advances

	30 June 2016	31 December 2015
	\$m	\$m
Up to 29 days	405	920
30-59 days	71	200
60-89 days	20	113
90-179 days	3	30
Over 180 days	1	7
	500	1,270

Impaired loans and allowances for credit losses

When impairment losses occur, we reduce the carrying amount of loans through the use of an allowance account with a charge to income. The allowance for credit losses consists of both individually assessed and collectively assessed allowances, each of which is reviewed on a regular basis. The allowance for credit losses reduces the gross value of an asset to its net carrying value.

An allowance is maintained for credit losses which, in management's opinion, is considered adequate to absorb all incurred credit-related losses in our portfolio, of both on, and off-balance sheet items, including deposits with other regulated financial institutions, loans, acceptances, derivative instruments and other credit-related contingent liabilities, such as letters of credit and guarantees.

Assessing the adequacy of the allowance for credit losses is inherently subjective as it requires making estimates that may be susceptible to significant change. This includes the amount and timing of expected future cash flows and incurred losses for loans that are not individually identified as being impaired.

Individually significant accounts are treated as impaired as soon as there is objective evidence that an impairment loss has been incurred. The criteria used to determine that there is objective evidence include:

- known cash flow difficulties experienced by the borrower;
- past-due contractual payments of either principal or interest;

- breach of loan covenants or conditions;
- the probability that the borrower will enter bankruptcy or other financial realization.

Individually assessed impairment allowances are recorded on these individual accounts on an account-by-account basis to reduce their carrying value to estimated realizable amount.

The collectively assessed impairment allowance is our best estimate of incurred losses in the portfolio for those individually significant accounts for which no evidence of impairment has been individually identified or for high-volume groups of homogeneous loans that are not considered individually significant. In determining an appropriate level of collectively assessed impairment, we apply the following methodologies:

- *Business and government* - For these loans, the underlying credit metrics including Probability of Default ("PD"), Loss Given Default ("LGD") and Exposure at Default ("EAD"), for each customer are derived from the bank's internal rating system as a basis for the collectively assessed impairment allowance. In order to reflect the likelihood of a loss event not being identified and assessed an emergence period assumption is applied which reflects the period between a loss occurring and its identification. The emergence period is estimated by management for each identified portfolio. The factors that may influence this estimation include economic and market conditions, customer behaviour, portfolio management information, credit management techniques and collection and recovery experiences in

the market. The emergence period is assessed empirically on a periodic basis and may vary over time as these factors change. The bank also incorporates a quantitative management judgment framework which includes internal and external indicators, to establish an overall collective impairment allowance consistent with recent loss experience and uncertainties in the environment.

- *Residential mortgages* - Historic average loss rates are used to determine the collective provision for these portfolios. Management may consider other current information should they believe that these historic loss rates do not fully reflect incurred losses in these portfolios.
- *Consumer finance and other consumer loans* - Analysis of historical delinquency movements by product type is

used as the basis for the collectively assessed impairment allowance for these loan portfolios. By tracking delinquency movement among pools of homogeneous loans, an estimate of incurred losses in each pool is determined. These estimates can be amended should management believe they do not fully reflect incurred losses. This judgemental adjustment employs an established framework and references both internal and external indicators of credit quality.

In addition to the methodologies outlined above, the balance of the collectively assessed impairment allowance is also analyzed as a function of risk-weighted assets and referenced to the allowances held by our peer group.

Impaired financial assets

	EAD 30 June 2016 \$m	EAD 31 December 2015 \$m
Impaired wholesale portfolio ¹		
Energy.....	433	254
Transportation and storage	158	6
Real estate.....	88	62
Construction services	46	18
Wholesale trade	45	48
Manufacturing	28	56
Business services.....	25	81
Mining, logging and forestry.....	17	19
Agriculture.....	2	5
Services	9	21
Automotive.....	1	12
Hotels and accommodation	7	7
Retail trade	5	14
Sole proprietors	4	5
Finance and insurance	1	1
Total impaired wholesale portfolio.....	869	609
Impaired retail portfolio		
Residential mortgages	51	54
Other retail loans	13	31
Total impaired retail portfolio.....	64	85
Total impaired financial assets	933	694

¹ Includes \$147m (2015: \$193m) of impaired acceptances, letters of credit and guarantees

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Impairment allowances

	30 June 2016 \$m	31 December 2015 \$m
Gross loans and advances to customers		
Individually assessed impaired loans and advances ¹ (A).....	683	502
Collectively assessed loans and advances (B).....	47,905	48,387
- impaired loans and advances ¹	42	48
- non-impaired loans and advances.....	47,863	48,339
Total gross loans and advances to customers (C).....	48,588	48,889
Less: impairment allowances (c).....	554	511
-individually assessed (a).....	310	253
- collectively assessed (b).....	244	258
Net loans and advances to customers.....	48,034	48,378
Individually assessed impaired loans and advances coverage - (a) as a percentage of (A).....	45.4%	50.3%
Collectively assessed loans and advances coverage - (b) as a percentage of (B).....	0.5%	0.5%
Total loans and advances coverage - (c) as a percentage of (C).....	1.14%	1.05%

1 Includes restructured loans with a higher credit quality than 'impaired' and for which there is insufficient evidence to demonstrate a significant reduction in the risk of non-payment of future cash flows, or the absence of other indicators of impairment.

Movement in impairment allowances and provision for credit losses

	Half-year ended 30 June 2016				Half-year ended 30 June 2015			
	Customers individually assessed \$m	Customers collectively assessed \$m	Other credit risk provisions \$m	Total \$m	Customers individually assessed \$m	Customers collectively assessed \$m	Other credit risk provisions \$m	Total \$m
Opening balance at the beginning of the period.....	253	258	105	616	170	192	76	438
Movement.....								
Loans and advances written off net of recoveries of previously written off amounts ¹	(82)	(7)	—	(89)	(27)	(7)	—	(34)
Charge to income.....	149	(7)	(3)	139	33	5	1	39
Other movements.....	(10)	—	—	(10)	(1)	—	—	(1)
Closing balance at the end of the period.....	310	244	102	656	175	190	77	442

1 Recovered \$7m (2015: \$27m) of loans and advances written off in prior periods

Liquidity and funding risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the bank does not have sufficient financial resources to meet its obligations as they fall due, or will have to do so at an excessive cost. This risk arises from mismatches in the timing of cash flows.

Funding risk is the risk that funding considered to be sustainable, and therefore used to fund assets, is not sustainable over time. The risk arises when the funding needed for illiquid asset positions cannot be obtained at the expected terms and when required.

Liquidity and funding risk management

Our liquidity and funding management strategy as described in the 'Liquidity and funding risk' section of our Annual Report and Accounts 2015 continues to apply. As described therein, from 1 January 2016 the bank, in line with HSBC Group, implemented a new internal liquidity and funding risk management framework. The new internal framework uses the external liquidity coverage ratio ('LCR') and net stable funding ratio ('NSFR') regulatory framework as a foundation, but adds additional metrics, limits and overlays to address the risks that the bank considers are not adequately reflected by the external regulatory framework.

We continue to monitor liquidity and funding risk within our stated risk appetite and management framework.

Liquid assets

The table below shows the estimated liquidity value unweighted (before assumed haircuts) of assets categorised as liquid and used for the purpose of calculating the OSFI LCR metric. The level of liquid assets reported reflects the stock of unencumbered liquid assets at the reporting date, using the regulatory definition of liquid assets.

Liquid assets^{1, 2}

	At 30 June 2016 \$m	At 31 December 2015 \$m
Level 1	21,302	21,543
Level 2a	3,540	2,959
Level 2b	27	98
	24,869	24,600

1 The Liquid asset balances stated here are as at the above dates (spot rate) and are unweighted and therefore do not match the Liquid asset balances stated in the LCR ratio calculations which are the average for the quarter and are weighted.

2 As described herein, effective 1 January 2016, the bank implemented a new internal liquidity and funding risk management framework which uses the external LCR regulatory framework. The categorization of liquid assets presented above is based on OSFI LCR regulations. Prior period numbers have been re-stated to be in line with this new liquidity framework.

Liquidity regulation

In accordance with OSFI's Liquidity Adequacy Requirements ('LAR') guideline, which incorporates Basel liquidity standards effective 1 January 2015, the bank is required to maintain a Liquidity Coverage Ratio ('LCR') above 100% as well as monitor the Net Cumulative Cash Flow ('NCCF'). The LCR estimates the adequacy of liquidity over a 30 day stress period while the NCCF calculates a horizon for net positive cash flows in order to capture the risk posed by funding mismatches between assets and liabilities. As at 30 June 2016, the bank was compliant with both.

The bank's OSFI LCR is summarized in the following table. For the quarter ended 30 June 2016, the bank's average LCR of 145% is calculated as the ratio of the stock of High-Quality Liquid Assets (HQLA) to the total net stressed cash outflows over the next 30 calendar days. The average LCR increased over the average for the previous quarter as a result of increases in long-term funding and deposits in the current quarter and higher cash outflows for wholesale funding maturities in the previous quarter.

OSFI liquidity coverage ratio¹

	30 June 2016	31 March 2016
Average for the three months ended ¹		
Total HQLA ² (\$m)	24,439	24,299
Total net cash outflows ² (\$m)	16,883	18,881
Liquidity coverage ratio (%)	145	129

1 The data in this table has been calculated using averages of the three month-end figures in the quarter. Consequently, the LCR is an average ratio for the three months of the quarter and might not equal the LCR ratios calculated dividing total weighted HQLA by total weighted net cash outflows.

2 These are weighted values and are calculated after the application of the weights prescribed under the OSFI LAR Guideline for HQLA and cash inflows and outflows.

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Market risk

Market risk is the risk that movements in market risk factors, including foreign exchange rates and commodity prices, interest rates, credit spreads and equity prices, which will adversely affect our income or the value of our assets and liabilities

Market risk management is independent of the business and is responsible for establishing the policies, procedures and limits that align with the risk appetite of the bank. The objective of market risk management is to identify, measure and control market risk exposures in order to optimize return on risk and to remain within the bank's risk appetite.

Refer to the 'Risk management' section of our 2015 Annual Report and Accounts for a discussion of how the bank manages market risk as well as a more in depth explanation of our market risk measures.

VaR by risk type for trading activities¹

	Foreign exchange and commodity \$m	Interest rate \$m	Equity \$m	Credit Spread \$m	Portfolio diversification ² \$m	Total ³ \$m
January - June 2016						
At period end.....	—	1.2	—	0.8	(0.4)	1.6
Average.....	0.1	1.5	—	0.9	(0.7)	1.8
Minimum.....	—	0.5	—	0.6		1.0
Maximum.....	0.5	2.4	—	1.2		2.5
January - June 2015						
At period end.....	1.0	1.1	—	1.7	(1.4)	2.3
Average.....	0.3	0.6	—	1.1	(0.7)	1.3
Minimum.....	—	0.2	—	0.7		0.8
Maximum.....	1.1	1.3	0.4	2.8		2.8

¹ Trading portfolios comprise positions arising from the market-making and warehousing of customer derived positions.

² Portfolio diversification is the market risk dispersion effect of holding a portfolio containing different risk types. It represents the reduction in unsystematic market risk that occurs when combining a number of different risk types, for example, interest rate, equity and foreign exchange, together in one portfolio. It is measured as the difference between the sum of the VAR by individual risk type and the combined total VAR. A negative number represents the benefit of portfolio diversification. As the maximum and minimum occur on different days for different risk types, it is not meaningful to calculate a portfolio diversification benefit for these measures. Some small differences in figures presented are due to rounding.

³ The total VAR is non-additive across risk types due to diversification effects.

Value at Risk (VaR)

VaR is a technique that estimates the potential losses that could occur on risk positions as a result of movements in market rates and prices over a specified time horizon and to a given level of confidence.

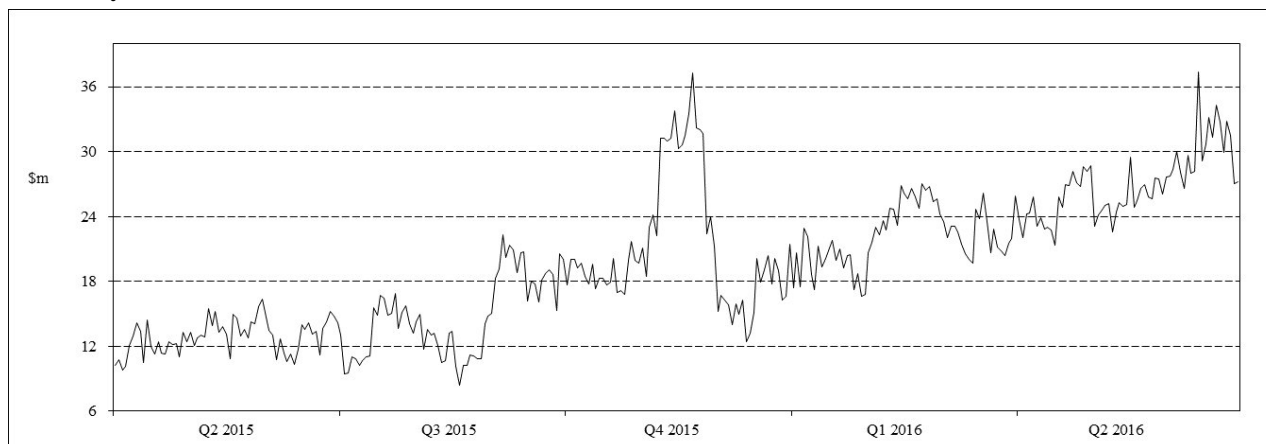
VaR disclosed in the table and graph below is the bank's total VaR for both trading and non-trading books and remained within the bank's limits.

Total VaR increased from June 2015 to June 2016 due to inclusion of more granular risks into the VaR calculation. The VaR model has been enhanced to capture interest rate basis risks. Over the same period, the average trading VaR increased by \$0.5m due to an increase in interest rate risk and average non-trading VaR increased by \$11m due to an increase in interest rate and credit risk, as well as the recategorization of Bankers' Acceptances from trading to non-trading.

Non-trading VaR

	Half-year ended 30 June	
	2016 \$m	2015 \$m
At period end.....	27	14
Average.....	25	14
Minimum.....	17	10
Maximum.....	37	18

Total daily VaR



Structural interest rate risk

Structural interest rate risk arises primarily out of differences in the term to maturity or repricing of our assets and liabilities, both on- and off-balance sheet.

Refer to the 'Structural Interest Rate Risk' section of our 2015 Annual Report and Accounts for a discussion of how the bank manages structural interest rate risk as well as an explanation of our monitoring measures.

Sensitivity of structural interest rate risk in the non-trading portfolio

At 30 June

	2016		2015	
	Economic value \$m	Earnings at \$m	Economic value \$m	Earnings at risk \$m
Impact as a result of 100 basis point change in interest rate:				
Increase.....	(233)	112	(165)	42
Decrease.....	359	(99)	157	(57)

Factors that may affect future results

The risk management section in the MD&A describes the most significant risks to which the bank is exposed and if not managed appropriately could have a material impact on our future financial results. Refer to the 'Factors that may affect future results' section of our 2015 Annual Report and Accounts for a description of additional factors which may affect future financial results.

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Capital

Our objective in the management of capital is to maintain appropriate levels of capital to support our business strategy and meet our regulatory requirements.

Refer to the 'Capital' section of our 2015 Annual Report and Accounts for a discussion of how the bank manages its capital.

Regulatory capital and capital ratios in the tables below are presented under a Basel III 'all-in' basis, which applies Basel III regulatory adjustments from 1 January 2013, however phases out of non-qualifying capital instruments over 10 years starting 1 January 2013.

The bank remained within its required regulatory capital limits during the quarter ended 30 June 2016.

Regulatory capital ratios

Actual regulatory capital ratios and capital requirements

	30 June 2016	31 December 2015
Actual regulatory capital ratios		
Common equity tier 1 capital ratio	10.4%	10.1%
Tier 1 capital ratio	12.4%	12.1%
Total capital ratio	13.5%	13.5%
Leverage ratio	4.8%	4.7%
Required regulatory capital limits		
Minimum common equity tier 1 capital ratio	7.0%	7.0%
Minimum tier 1 capital ratio	8.5%	8.5%
Minimum total capital ratio	10.5%	10.5%

Regulatory capital

Regulatory capital and risk weighted assets

	30 June 2016	31 December 2015
	\$m	\$m
Tier 1 capital	5,264	5,178
Common equity tier 1 capital	4,414	4,328
Gross common equity ¹	4,634	4,526
Regulatory adjustments	(220)	(198)
Additional tier 1 eligible capital ²	850	850
Tier 2 capital ³	456	585
Total capital available for regulatory purposes	5,720	5,763
Total risk-weighted assets	42,442	42,846

1 Includes common share capital, retained earnings and accumulated other comprehensive income.

2 Includes directly issued capital instruments and instruments issued by a subsidiary which are subject to phase out.

3 Includes directly issued capital instruments subject to phase out and collective allowances

Outstanding shares and securities

	At 31 July 2016		
	Dividend ¹ \$ per share	Number of issued shares 000's	Carrying value \$m
Common shares		498,668	1,225
Class 1 Preferred Shares			
Series C.....	0.31875	7,000	175
Series D	0.3125	7,000	175
Series G	0.25	20,000	500
			850

1 *Cash dividends on preferred shares are non-cumulative and are payable quarterly.*

During the second quarter of 2016, the bank declared and paid \$48m in dividends on HSBC Bank Canada common shares, a decrease of \$40m compared with the same quarter last year, and \$9m in dividends on HSBC Bank Canada preferred shares, an increase of \$5m compared with the same quarter last year. Common share dividends of \$48m have been declared on HSBC Bank Canada common shares and will be paid on or before 30 September 2016 to the holder of record on 2 August 2016.

Regular quarterly dividends have been declared on all series of HSBC Bank Canada Class 1 Preferred Shares in the amounts per share noted above and will be paid on 30 September 2016 for shareholders of record on 15 September 2016.

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Consolidated income statement (unaudited)

	Quarter ended		Half-year ended	
	30 June 2016 \$m	30 June 2015 \$m	30 June 2016 \$m	30 June 2015 \$m
Interest income	441	427	859	861
Interest expense	(161)	(138)	(298)	(285)
Net interest income	280	289	561	576
Fee income	189	198	367	389
Fee expense	(18)	(17)	(35)	(36)
Net fee income	171	181	332	353
Trading income excluding net interest income	44	33	106	41
Net interest income on trading activities	5	8	10	15
Net trading income	49	41	116	56
Net (expense)/income from financial instruments designated at fair value	(1)	—	(2)	2
Gains less losses from financial investments	6	18	27	54
Other operating income	20	12	35	30
Total operating income	525	541	1,069	1,071
Loan impairment charges and other credit risk provisions	(54)	(23)	(139)	(39)
Net operating income	471	518	930	1,032
Employee compensation and benefits	(164)	(168)	(333)	(337)
General and administrative expenses	(127)	(112)	(249)	(218)
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	(8)	(8)	(15)	(15)
Amortization and impairment of intangible assets	(2)	(3)	(5)	(7)
Total operating expenses	(301)	(291)	(602)	(577)
Operating profit	170	227	328	455
Share of profit/(loss) in associates	(2)	—	(2)	3
Profit before income tax expense	168	227	326	458
Income tax expense	(47)	(59)	(90)	(120)
Profit for the period	121	168	236	338
Profit attributable to the common shareholder	111	161	217	324
Profit attributable to preferred shareholders	10	5	19	9
Profit attributable to shareholders	121	166	236	333
Profit attributable to non-controlling interests	—	2	—	5
Average number of common shares outstanding (000's)	498,668	498,668	498,668	498,668
Basic earnings per common share	\$ 0.22	\$ 0.32	\$ 0.43	\$ 0.65

The accompanying notes and 'Risk management' and 'Capital' sections within the Management's Discussion and Analysis form an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

Consolidated statement of comprehensive income (unaudited)

	Quarter ended		Half-year ended	
	30 June 2016	30 June 2015	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Profit for the period	121	168	236	338
Other comprehensive income				
Available-for-sale investments ¹	71	(38)	63	(8)
– fair value gain/(loss)	102	(33)	112	44
– fair value loss transferred to income statement on disposal	(6)	(18)	(27)	(54)
– income (recovery)/taxes	(25)	13	(22)	2
Cash flow hedges ¹	(15)	(42)	(9)	45
– fair value (loss)/gain	(101)	(53)	(20)	(127)
– fair value gain/(loss) transferred to income statement	81	(3)	9	188
– income taxes/(recovery)	5	14	2	(16)
Remeasurement of defined benefit plans ²	(47)	31	(69)	(2)
– before income taxes	(63)	43	(93)	(2)
– income taxes	16	(12)	24	—
Other comprehensive loss for the period, net of tax	9	(49)	(15)	35
Total comprehensive income for the period	130	119	221	373
Total comprehensive income for the period attributable to:				
– shareholders	130	117	221	368
– non-controlling interests	—	2	—	5
	130	119	221	373

1 Other comprehensive income/(loss) items that can be reclassified into income.

2 Other comprehensive income/(loss) items that cannot be reclassified into income.

The accompanying notes and 'Risk management' and 'Capital' sections within the Management's Discussion and Analysis form an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

Consolidated balance sheet (unaudited)

		30 June 2016	31 December 2015
	Notes	\$m	\$m
ASSETS			
Cash and balances at central bank		620	65
Items in the course of collection from other banks		75	73
Trading assets	4	5,202	3,893
Derivatives	5	4,419	4,909
Loans and advances to banks		1,480	1,400
Loans and advances to customers		48,034	48,378
Reverse repurchase agreements – non-trading		5,647	6,807
Financial investments	6	22,462	23,935
Other assets		420	365
Prepayments and accrued income		190	194
Customers' liability under acceptances		4,542	3,834
Property, plant and equipment		102	110
Goodwill and intangible assets		65	61
Total assets		<u>93,258</u>	<u>94,024</u>
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY			
Liabilities			
Deposits by banks		975	2,049
Customer accounts		55,052	55,089
Repurchase agreements – non-trading		3,844	6,606
Items in the course of transmission to other banks		241	219
Trading liabilities	7	3,099	1,713
Financial liabilities designated at fair value	8	408	414
Derivatives	5	4,821	5,005
Debt securities in issue		10,452	10,896
Other liabilities	15	3,514	1,822
Acceptances		4,542	3,834
Accruals and deferred income		409	474
Retirement benefit liabilities		378	288
Subordinated liabilities	13	39	239
Total liabilities		<u>87,774</u>	<u>88,648</u>
Equity			
Preferred shares		850	850
Common shares		1,225	1,225
Other reserves		146	92
Retained earnings		3,263	3,209
Total equity		<u>5,484</u>	<u>5,376</u>
Total equity and liabilities		<u>93,258</u>	<u>94,024</u>

The accompanying notes and 'Risk management' and 'Capital' sections within the Management's Discussion and Analysis form an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

Consolidated statement of cash flows (unaudited)

	Notes	Half-year ended	
		30 June 2016	30 June 2015
		\$m	\$m
Cash flows from operating activities			
Profit before tax		326	458
Adjustments for:			
– non-cash items included in profit before tax	10	171	75
– change in operating assets	10	743	305
– change in operating liabilities	10	(1,983)	125
– tax paid		(56)	(126)
Net cash used in operating activities		(799)	837
Cash flows from investing activities			
Purchase of financial investments		(9,223)	(10,286)
Proceeds from the sale and maturity of financial investments		10,759	9,504
Purchase of intangibles and property, plant and equipment		(16)	(21)
Net cash from investing activities		1,520	(803)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Redemption of subordinated liabilities	13	(200)	—
Redemption of non-controlling interest trust units		—	(200)
Distributions to non-controlling interests		—	(5)
Dividends paid to shareholders		(115)	(185)
Issuance of preferred shares		—	500
Net cash used in financing activities		(315)	110
Increase in cash and cash equivalents			
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period		1,983	2,337
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	10	2,389	2,481

The accompanying notes and 'Risk management' and 'Capital' sections within the Management's Discussion and Analysis form an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

Consolidated statement of changes in equity (unaudited)

	Other reserves							
	Share capital ¹	Retained earnings	Available-for-sale fair value reserve	Cash flow hedging reserve	Total other reserves	Total shareholders' equity	Non-controlling interests	Total equity
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
At 1 January 2016.....	2,075	3,209	(33)	125	92	5,376	—	5,376
Profit for the period.....	—	236	—	—	—	236	—	236
Other comprehensive income/(loss), net of tax.....	—	(69)	63	(9)	54	(15)	—	(15)
Available-for-sale investments.....	—	—	63	—	63	63	—	63
Cash flow hedges.....	—	—	—	(9)	(9)	(9)	—	(9)
Remeasurement of defined liability/asset.....	—	(69)	—	—	—	(69)	—	(69)
Total comprehensive income for the period.....	—	167	63	(9)	54	221	—	221
Dividends paid on common shares.....	—	(96)	—	—	—	(96)	—	(96)
Dividends paid on preferred shares.....	—	(19)	—	—	—	(19)	—	(19)
Shares issued under employee plan.....	—	2	—	—	—	2	—	2
At 30 June 2016.....	2,075	3,263	30	116	146	5,484	—	5,484

	Other reserves							
	Share capital ¹	Retained earnings	Available-for-sale fair value reserve	Cash flow hedging reserve	Total other reserves	Total shareholders' equity	Non-controlling interests	Total equity
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
At 1 January 2015.....	1,575	3,108	56	61	117	4,800	200	5,000
Profit for the period.....	—	333	—	—	—	333	5	338
Other comprehensive income/(loss), net of tax.....	—	(2)	(8)	45	37	35	—	35
Available-for-sale investments.....	—	—	(8)	—	(8)	(8)	—	(8)
Cash flow hedges.....	—	—	—	45	45	45	—	45
Remeasurement of defined liability/asset.....	—	(2)	—	—	—	(2)	—	(2)
Total comprehensive income for the period.....	—	331	(8)	45	37	368	5	373
Dividends paid on common shares.....	—	(176)	—	—	—	(176)	—	(176)
Dividends paid on preferred shares.....	—	(9)	—	—	—	(9)	—	(9)
Distributions to unit holders.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	(5)	(5)
Redemption of HaTS.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	(200)	(200)
Issuance of preferred shares.....	500	—	—	—	—	500	—	500
At 30 June 2015.....	2,075	3,254	48	106	154	5,483	—	5,483

1 Share capital is comprised of common shares \$1,225m and preferred shares \$850m.

The accompanying notes and 'Risk management' and 'Capital' sections within the Management's Discussion and Analysis form an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

Notes on the Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited)

1 Basis of preparation and significant accounting policies

HSBC Bank Canada ('the bank', 'we', 'our') is an indirectly wholly-owned subsidiary of HSBC Holdings plc. ('the Parent', 'HSBC Holdings', 'HSBC Group'). Throughout these interim condensed consolidated financial statements ('Financial Statements'), the 'HSBC Group' means the Parent and its subsidiary companies.

a *Compliance with International Financial Reporting Standards*

The Financial Statements have been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard ('IAS') 34 'Interim Financial Reporting' as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ('IASB') and should be read in conjunction with the bank's 2015 annual consolidated financial statements. The bank's 2015 annual consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Accounting Standards ('IFRSs') and accounting guidelines as issued by the Office of the Superintendent of Financial Institutions Canada ('OSFI'), as required under Section 308(4) of the Bank Act.

IFRSs comprise accounting standards as issued or adopted by the IASB and its predecessor body as well as interpretations issued or adopted by the IFRS Interpretations Committee and its predecessor body.

b *Future accounting developments*

Future accounting developments have been disclosed in note 1(b) on the 2015 annual consolidated financial statements of the bank's 2015 Annual Report and Accounts.

c *Changes to the presentation of the Financial Statements and notes on the Financial Statements*

There have been no changes to the presentation of the Financial Statements and notes on the Financial Statements.

d *Presentation of information*

The Financial Statements are presented in Canadian dollars, the bank's functional currency. The abbreviation '\$m' represents millions of dollars. All tabular amounts are in millions of dollars except where otherwise noted.

e *Critical accounting estimates and assumptions*

The preparation of financial information requires the use of estimates and judgments about future conditions. Management's selection of accounting policies which contain critical estimates and judgments include: collective impairment provision for loans and advances, accounting and valuation of certain financial instruments, deferred tax assets and measurement of defined benefit obligations. In view of the inherent uncertainties and the high level of subjectivity involved in the recognition or measurement of these items, it is possible that the outcomes in future reporting periods could differ from those on which management's estimates are based, resulting in materially different conclusions from those reached by management for the purposes of the Financial Statements. These items are described further in the 'Critical accounting policies' section of the Management's Discussion and Analysis of the bank's 2015 Annual Report and Accounts.

f *Consolidation*

The Financial Statements comprise the consolidated financial statements of the bank and its subsidiaries as at 30 June 2016. The method adopted by the bank to consolidate its subsidiaries is described in note 1(e) on the 2015 annual consolidated financial statements of the bank's 2015 Annual Report and Accounts.

g *Significant accounting policies*

There have been no significant changes to the bank's significant accounting policies which are disclosed in note 1 (g) to (i) and within the respective notes on the 2015 annual consolidated financial statements of the bank's 2015 Annual Report and Accounts.

2 Employee compensation and benefits

Included within 'Employee compensation and benefits' are components of net periodic benefit cost related to the bank's pension plans and other post-employment benefits, as follows:

	Quarter ended		Half-year ended	
	30 June 2016	30 June 2015	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Pension plans – defined benefit	4	5	8	9
Pension plans – defined contribution	9	9	18	17
Healthcare and other post retirement benefit plans.....	3	3	6	7
	16	17	32	33

3 Segment analysis

We manage and report our operations according to the following global lines of business: Commercial Banking, Global Banking and Markets, as well as Retail Banking and Wealth Management. Various estimate and allocation methodologies are used in the preparation of the global lines of business financial information. We allocate expenses directly related to earning revenues to the global lines of business that earned the related revenue. Expenses not directly related to earning revenue, such as overhead expenses, are allocated to global lines of business using appropriate allocation formulas. Global lines of business net interest income reflects internal funding charges and credits on the global lines of business assets, liabilities and capital, at market rates, taking into account relevant terms. The offset of the net impact of these charges and credits is reflected in Global Banking and Markets.

	Quarter ended		Half-year ended	
	30 June 2016	30 June 2015	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
<i>Commercial Banking</i>				
Net interest income.....	130	152	272	304
Net fee income.....	78	78	157	158
Net trading income	8	8	15	16
Gains less losses from financial instruments.....	1	—	3	—
Other operating income	4	5	10	10
Total operating income.....	221	243	457	488
Loan impairment charges and other credit risk provisions	(47)	(19)	(128)	(30)
Net operating income	174	224	329	458
Total operating expenses	(101)	(106)	(204)	(207)
Operating profit	73	118	125	251
Share of profit/(loss) in associates.....	(2)	—	(2)	3
Profit before income tax expense	71	118	123	254

Notes on the Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited) (continued)

	Quarter ended		Half-year ended	
	30 June 2016 \$m	30 June 2015 \$m	30 June 2016 \$m	30 June 2015 \$m
<i>Global Banking and Markets</i>				
Net interest income	55	43	102	91
Net fee income	39	48	67	83
Net trading income.....	30	20	80	14
Gains less losses from financial investments.....	6	18	25	54
Other operating loss	(5)	—	(5)	—
Net operating income.....	125	129	269	242
Loan impairment charges and other credit risk provisions.....	(6)	(1)	(6)	(2)
Net operating income.....	119	128	263	240
Total operating expenses.....	(32)	(34)	(65)	(65)
Profit before income tax expense.....	87	94	198	175
<i>Retail Banking and Wealth Management</i>				
Net interest income	103	100	203	194
Net fee income	54	55	108	112
Net trading income.....	5	6	10	12
Other operating income.....	7	3	9	9
Total operating income	169	164	330	327
Loan impairment charges and other credit risk provisions.....	(1)	(3)	(5)	(7)
Net operating income.....	168	161	325	320
Total operating expenses.....	(142)	(143)	(289)	(279)
Profit before income tax expense.....	26	18	36	41
<i>Other</i>				
Net interest expense	(8)	(6)	(16)	(13)
Net trading income.....	6	7	11	14
Net (expense)/income from financial instruments designated at fair value.....	(1)	—	(2)	2
Gain less losses from financial investments	(1)	—	(1)	—
Other operating income.....	14	4	21	11
Total operating income	10	5	13	14
Total operating expenses.....	(26)	(8)	(44)	(26)
Loss before income tax expense	(16)	(3)	(31)	(12)

Other information about the profit/(loss) for the quarter

	Commercial Banking \$m	Global Banking and Markets \$m	Retail Banking and Wealth Management \$m	Other \$m	Total \$m
Quarter ended 30 June 2016					
Net operating income:	174	119	167	10	470
External	177	99	181	13	470
Inter-segment	(3)	20	(14)	(3)	—
Quarter ended 30 June 2015					
Net operating income:	224	128	161	5	518
External	214	119	180	5	518
Inter-segment	10	9	(19)	—	—
Half-year ended 30 June 2016					
Net operating income:	329	263	324	13	929
External	330	230	350	19	929
Inter-segment	(1)	33	(26)	(6)	—
Half-year ended 30 June 2015					
Net operating income:	458	240	320	14	1,032
External	439	217	362	14	1,032
Inter-segment	19	23	(42)	—	—

Balance sheet information

	Commercial Banking \$m	Global Banking and Markets \$m	Retail Banking and Wealth Management \$m	Other \$m	Intersegment \$m	Total \$m
At 30 June 2016						
Loans and advances to customers and acceptances.....	23,505	4,149	24,922	—	—	52,576
Total assets.....	28,095	44,489	29,159	405	(8,890)	93,258
Customer accounts	21,228	7,894	25,930	—	—	55,052
Acceptances.....	3,319	1,223	—	—	—	4,542
Total liabilities.....	25,112	42,801	28,346	405	(8,890)	87,774
At 31 December 2015						
Loans and advances to customers and acceptances.....	24,522	3,563	24,127	—	—	52,212
Total assets.....	28,801	50,161	28,669	411	(14,018)	94,024
Customer accounts	22,684	6,774	25,631	—	—	55,089
Acceptances.....	2,794	1,040	—	—	—	3,834
Total liabilities.....	25,828	48,537	27,890	411	(14,018)	88,648

Notes on the Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited) (continued)

4 Trading assets

	30 June 2016	31 December 2015
	\$m	\$m
Trading assets:		
not subject to repledge or resale by counterparties.....	3,043	2,651
which may be repledged or resold by counterparties.....	2,159	1,242
	<u>5,202</u>	<u>3,893</u>
Canadian and Provincial Government bonds ¹	3,619	2,247
Debt securities.....	450	778
Total debt securities.....	<u>4,069</u>	3,025
Customer trading assets.....	596	226
Treasury and other eligible bills.....	492	642
Trading assets from other banks.....	1	—
Equity securities.....	44	—
	<u>5,202</u>	<u>3,893</u>

1 Including government guaranteed bonds

Banker's acceptances in the fourth quarter 2015 and onwards, were categorized as loans and advances on the balance sheet.

5 Derivatives

For a detailed description of the type and use of derivatives by the bank, please refer to the bank's accounting policies disclosed in Note 11 of the bank's Annual Report and Accounts 2015.

Fair values of derivatives by product contract type held

	At 30 June 2016					
	Assets			Liabilities		
	Trading \$m	Hedging \$m	Total \$m	Trading \$m	Hedging \$m	Total \$m
Foreign exchange	2,598	1	2,599	2,536	271	2,807
Interest rate	1,532	253	1,785	1,518	465	1,983
Commodity	31	—	31	31	—	31
Equity	4	—	4	—	—	—
Gross total fair values	4,165	254	4,419	4,085	736	4,821

	At 31 December 2015					
	Assets			Liabilities		
	Trading \$m	Hedging \$m	Total \$m	Trading \$m	Hedging \$m	Total \$m
Foreign exchange	3,729	—	3,729	3,637	190	3,827
Interest rate	827	286	1,113	841	276	1,117
Commodity	61	—	61	61	—	61
Equity	6	—	6	—	—	—
Gross total fair values	4,623	286	4,909	4,539	466	5,005

Trading derivatives

Notional contract amounts of derivatives held for trading purposes by product type

	30 June 2016 \$m	31 December 2015 \$m
Foreign exchange	123,854	137,005
Interest rate	135,103	53,356
Commodity	258	91
Equities	23	67
	259,238	190,519

The notional or contractual amounts of these instruments indicate the nominal value of transactions outstanding at the reporting date; they do not represent amounts at risk.

Notes on the Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited) (continued)

Hedging instruments

Notional contract amounts of derivatives held for hedging purposes by product type

	30 June 2016		31 December 2015	
	Cash flow hedge	Fair value hedge	Cash flow hedge	Fair value hedge
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Foreign exchange	2,085	—	2,056	—
Interest rate	8,012	15,280	10,027	15,485

Fair value of derivatives designated as fair value hedges

	30 June 2016		31 December 2015	
	Assets	Liabilities	Assets	Liabilities
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Interest rate	92	437	104	258

Gains or losses arising from the change in fair value of fair value hedges

	30 June 2016	31 December 2015
	\$m	\$m
Gains/(losses)		
- on hedging instruments	(69)	30
- on hedged items attributable to the hedged risk.....	69	(30)

The gains and losses on ineffective portions of fair value hedges are recognized immediately in 'Net trading income'.

Fair value of derivatives designated as cash flow hedges

	30 June 2016		31 December 2015	
	Assets	Liabilities	Assets	Liabilities
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Foreign exchange	1	271	—	190
Interest rate	161	26	182	18

6 Financial investments

	30 June 2016	31 December 2015
	\$m	\$m
Financial investments		
Not subject to repledge or resale by counterparties	21,045	20,325
Which may be repledged or resold by counterparties.....	1,417	3,610
	<u>22,462</u>	<u>23,935</u>
Available-for-sale		
Canadian and Provincial Government bonds ¹	15,598	16,752
International Government bonds ¹	3,859	4,729
Debt securities issued by banks and financial institutions.....	2,680	2,139
Treasury and eligible bills.....	273	279
Other securities	52	36
	<u>22,462</u>	<u>23,935</u>

1 Includes government guaranteed bonds.

7 Trading liabilities

	30 June 2016	31 December 2015
	\$m	\$m
Other liabilities – net short positions.....	2,544	1,571
Customer trading liabilities	532	134
Trading liabilities due to other banks	18	—
Other debt securities in issue.....	5	8
	<u>3,099</u>	<u>1,713</u>

8 Financial liabilities designated at fair value

	30 June 2016	31 December 2015
	\$m	\$m
Subordinated debentures	<u>408</u>	<u>414</u>

The carrying amount at 30 June 2016 of financial liabilities designated at fair value was \$8m higher (31 December 2015: \$14m higher) than the contractual amount at maturity. At 30 June 2016, the cumulative amount of change in fair value attributable to changes in credit risk was nil (31 December 2015: nil).

Notes on the Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited) (continued)

9 Fair values of financial instruments

The table below provides an analysis of the fair value hierarchy which has been deployed for valuing financial assets and financial liabilities measured at fair value in the Financial Statements.

	Valuation techniques			Total \$m
	Level 1 Quoted market price \$m	Level 2 using observable inputs \$m	Level 3 with significant unobservable inputs \$m	
At 30 June 2016				
Assets				
Trading assets.....	4,085	1,117	—	5,202
Derivatives	—	4,417	2	4,419
Financial investments: available-for-sale	18,381	4,081	—	22,462
Liabilities				
Trading liabilities	2,226	869	4	3,099
Financial liabilities at fair value.....	—	408	—	408
Derivatives	—	4,819	2	4,821
At 31 December 2015				
Assets				
Trading assets.....	2,770	1,123	—	3,893
Derivatives	—	4,909	—	4,909
Financial investments: available-for-sale	21,204	2,731	—	23,935
Liabilities				
Trading liabilities	1,235	472	6	1,713
Financial liabilities at fair value.....	—	414	—	414
Derivatives	—	5,005	—	5,005

Reconciliation of fair value measurements in Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy

	Assets		Liabilities	
	Derivatives \$m	Held for trading \$m	Derivatives \$m	
At 1 January 2016	—	6	—	
Settlements.....	—	(2)	—	
Transfer in.....	2	—	2	
At 30 June 2016	2	4	2	
Total gains or losses recognized in profit or loss relating to those assets and liabilities held at the end of the reporting period.....	—	—	—	

	Assets		Liabilities	
	Derivatives \$m	Held for trading \$m	Derivatives \$m	
At 1 January 2015.....	40	6	40	
Total gains or losses recognized in profit or loss.....	2	—	2	
Transfer out.....	(7)	—	(7)	
Transfer in.....	56	—	56	
At 30 June 2015	91	6	91	
Total gains or losses recognized in profit or loss relating to those assets and liabilities held at the end of the reporting period.....	—	—	—	

During 2016 and 2015, there were no significant transfers between Level 1 and 2.

For a detailed description of fair value and the classification of financial instruments by the bank, please refer to the bank's accounting policies disclosed in Note 24 of the bank's 2015 Annual Report and Accounts.

Fair values of financial instruments which are not carried at fair value on the balance sheet are as follows:

	30 June 2016		31 December 2015	
	Carrying amount \$m	Fair value \$m	Carrying amount \$m	Fair value \$m
Assets				
Loans and advances to banks.....	1,480	1,480	1,400	1,400
Loans and advances to customers.....	48,034	48,054	48,378	48,444
Reverse repurchase agreements.....	5,647	5,647	6,807	6,807
Liabilities				
Deposits by banks.....	975	975	2,049	2,049
Customer accounts.....	55,052	55,088	55,089	55,121
Repurchase agreements.....	3,844	3,844	6,606	6,606
Debt securities in issue.....	10,452	10,559	10,896	10,960
Subordinated liabilities.....	39	24	239	217

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10 Notes on the statement of cash flows

	Half-year ended	
	30 June 2016 \$m	30 June 2015 \$m
<i>Non-cash items included in profit before tax</i>		
Depreciation and amortization.....	20	22
Share-based payment expense	3	5
Loan impairment charges and other credit risk provisions.....	140	39
Charge for defined benefit pension plans	8	9
	171	75
<i>Change in operating assets</i>		
Change in prepayment and accrued income	4	(12)
Change in net trading securities and net derivatives.....	315	1,707
Change in loans and advances to customers.....	204	(1,686)
Change in reverse repurchase agreements - non-trading	1,010	49
Change in other assets.....	(790)	247
	743	305
<i>Change in operating liabilities</i>		
Change in accruals and deferred income	(65)	(81)
Change in deposits by banks.....	(1,074)	170
Change in customer accounts.....	(37)	(481)
Change in repurchase agreements – non-trading	(2,762)	690
Change in debt securities in issue	(444)	79
Change in financial liabilities designated at fair value	(6)	(3)
Change in other liabilities	2,405	(249)
	(1,983)	125
<i>Interest</i>		
Interest paid.....	303	329
Interest received	870	859
<i>Cash and cash equivalents</i>		
	At 30 June 2016 \$m	At 30 June 2015 \$m
Cash and balances at central bank	620	60
Items in the course of collection from other banks, net	(166)	(149)
Loans and advances to banks of one month or less.....	1,480	965
Reverse repurchase agreements with banks of one month or less	285	777
T-Bills and certificates of deposits – three months or less.....	170	828
	2,389	2,481

11 Contingent liabilities, contractual commitments and guarantees

	30 June 2016	31 December 2015
	\$m	\$m
Guarantees and other contingent liabilities		
Guarantees and irrevocable letters of credit pledged as collateral security.....	6,046	5,585
Commitments		
Undrawn formal standby facilities, credit lines and other commitments to lend ¹	37,867	39,951
Documentary credits and short-term trade-related transactions.....	443	557
	38,310	40,508

1 Based on original contractual maturity.

12 Related party transactions

The amounts detailed below include transactions between the bank and HSBC Holdings including other companies in the HSBC Group. The transactions below were made in the ordinary course of business and on substantially the same terms, including interest rates and security, as for comparable transactions with third party counterparties.

Transactions between the bank and HSBC Holdings including other companies in the HSBC Holdings Group

	Quarter ended		Half-year ended	
	30 June 2016	30 June 2015	30 June 2016	30 June 2015
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Income Statement				
Interest income	3	11	7	20
Interest expense	(9)	(3)	(15)	(5)
Fee income	5	2	10	10
Fee expense	(1)	(1)	(3)	(2)
Other operating income	17	10	27	19
General and administrative expenses	(39)	(30)	(81)	(59)

During the quarter, the bank entered into two USD borrowing agreements with the HSBC Group. These have been classified as loans payable. Please refer to Note 15.

Notes on the Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited) (continued)

13 Subordinated liabilities

Subordinated debentures, which are unsecured and subordinated in right of payment to the claims of depositors and certain other creditors, comprise:

	Year of Maturity	Carrying amount	
		30 June 2016 \$m	31 December 2015 \$m
<i>Interest rate (%)</i>			
Issued to third parties			
4.94 ¹	2021	—	200
4.80 ²	2022	408	414
30 day bankers' acceptance rate plus 0.50%	2083	39	39
Total debentures		447	653
Less: designated at fair value		(408)	(414)
Debentures at amortized cost		39	239

1 On 18 January 2016, the bank announced its intention to redeem all \$200m of its 4.94% subordinated debentures. In accordance with the terms, it was redeemed at 100% of their principal amount plus accrued interest to the redemption date. The redemption occurred on 16 March 2016.

2 Interest rate is fixed at 4.8% until April 2017 and thereafter interest is payable at an annual rate equal to the 90 day bankers' acceptance rate plus 1%. These debentures are designated as held for trading under the fair value option.

14 Legal proceedings and regulatory matters

The bank is subject to a number of legal proceedings arising in the normal course of our business. The bank does not expect the outcome of any of these proceedings, in aggregate, to have a material effect on its consolidated balance sheet or its consolidated income statement.

15 Other liabilities

	30 June 2016 \$m	31 December 2015 \$m
Mortgages sold with recourse	1,746	1,634
Loans payable	1,292	—
Accounts payable	63	47
Provisions and other non-financial liabilities	376	125
Share based payment liability	5	9
Current tax	32	7
	3,514	1,822

16 Events after the reporting period

There have been no material events after the reporting period which would require disclosure or adjustment to the 30 June 2016 consolidated financial statements.

These financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 2 August 2016 and authorized for issue.

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DIVIDEND DATES:

Dividend record and payable dates for the bank's preferred shares, subject to approval by the Board, are:

<i>Record Date</i>	<i>Payable Date</i>
15 September	30 September
15 December	31 December

Designation of eligible dividends:

For the purposes of the *Income Tax Act* (Canada), and any similar provincial legislation, HSBC Bank Canada advises that all of its dividends paid to Canadian residents in 2006 and subsequent years are eligible dividends unless indicated otherwise.

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