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QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the Quarterly Period Ended September 30, 2017

Commission File Number 001-11302

Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter:

Ohio 34-6542451

State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization: I.R.S. Employer Identification Number:

127 Public Square, Cleveland, Ohio 44114-1306 Address of principal executive offices: Zip Code:

(216) 689-3000

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, smaller reporting company, or an emerging growth company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," "smaller reporting company," and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large accelerated filer Accelerated filer

Non-accelerated filer (Do not check if a smaller reporting company) Smaller reporting company

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes No

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date.

Common Shares with a par value of \$1 each 1,075,399,655 shares

Title of class Outstanding at October 30, 2017

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PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 2. Management's Discussion & Analysis of Financial Condition & Results of Operations

Introduction

This section reviews the financial condition and results of operations of KeyCorp and its subsidiaries for the quarterly periods ended September 30, 2017, and September 30, 2016. Some tables may include additional periods to comply with disclosure requirements or to illustrate trends in greater depth. When you read this discussion, you should also refer to the consolidated financial statements and related notes in this report. The page locations of specific sections and notes that we refer to are presented in the Table of Contents.

References to our "2016 Form 10-K" refer to our Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2016, which has been filed with the SEC and is available on its website (www.sec.gov) and on our website (www.key.com/ir).

Terminology

Throughout this discussion, references to "Key," "we," "our," "us," and similar terms refer to the consolidated entity consisting of KeyCorp and its subsidiaries. "KeyCorp" refers solely to the parent holding company, and "KeyBank" refers to KeyCorp's subsidiary bank, KeyBank National Association.

Throughout the following discussion, industry-specific terms are used as defined below:

We use the phrase continuing operations in this document to mean all of our businesses other than the education lending business and Austin have been accounted for as discontinued operations since 2009.

Our exit loan portfolios are separate from our discontinued operations. These portfolios, which are in a run-off mode, stem from product lines we decided to cease because they no longer fit with our corporate strategy. These exit loan portfolios are included in Other Segments.

We engage in capital markets activities primarily through business conducted by our Key Corporate Bank segment. These activities encompass a variety of products and services. Among other things, we trade securities as a dealer, enter into derivative contracts (both to accommodate clients' financing needs and to mitigate certain risks), and conduct transactions in foreign currencies (both to accommodate clients' needs and to benefit from fluctuations in exchange rates).

For regulatory purposes, capital is divided into two classes. Federal regulations currently prescribe that at least one-half of a bank or BHC's total risk-based capital must qualify as Tier 1 capital. Both total and Tier 1 capital serve as bases for several measures of capital adequacy, which is an important indicator of financial stability and condition. As described under the heading "Regulatory capital requirements – Capital planning and stress testing" in the section entitled "Supervision and Regulation" that begins on page 8 of our 2016 Form 10-K, the regulators are required to conduct a supervisory capital assessment of all BHCs with assets of at least \$50 billion, including KeyCorp. As part of this capital adequacy review, banking regulators evaluate a component of Tier 1 capital, known as Common Equity Tier 1, under the Regulatory Capital Rules. The "Capital" section of this report under the heading "Capital adequacy" provides more information on total capital, Tier 1 capital, and the Regulatory Capital Rules, including Common Equity Tier 1, and describes how these measures are calculated.

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The acronyms and abbreviations identified below are used in the Management's Discussion & Analysis of Financial Condition & Results of Operations as well as in the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (Unaudited). You may find it helpful to refer back to this page as you read this report.

AICPA: American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. KCC: Key Capital Corporation.

ALCO: Asset/Liability Management Committee.

ALLL: Allowance for loan and lease losses.

A/LM: Asset/liability management.

AOCI: Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss).

APBO: Accumulated postretirement benefit obligation.

Austin: Austin Capital Management, Ltd.

BHCs: Bank holding companies. Board: KeyCorp Board of Directors.

CCAR: Comprehensive Capital Analysis and Review.

CMBS: Commercial mortgage-backed securities.

CME: Chicago Mercantile Exchange. CMO: Collateralized mortgage obligation.

Common Shares: KeyCorp common shares, \$1 par value.

DIF: Deposit Insurance Fund of the FDIC.

Dodd-Frank Act: Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and

Consumer Protection Act of 2010.

EBITDA: Earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and

amortization.

EPS: Earnings per share.

ERISA: Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974. OREO: Other real estate owned.

ERM: Enterprise risk management. EVE: Economic value of equity.

FASB: Financial Accounting Standards Board.

FDIC: Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Federal Reserve: Board of Governors of the Federal

Reserve System.

FHLB: Federal Home Loan Bank of Cincinnati.

FHLMC: Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation.

FICO: Fair Isaac Corporation

First Niagara: First Niagara Financial Group, Inc.

(NASDAO: FNFG).

FNMA: Federal National Mortgage Association, or Fannie

FSOC: Financial Stability Oversight Council.

GAAP: U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

GNMA: Government National Mortgage Association, or

Ginnie Mae.

HelloWallet: HelloWallet, LLC.

ISDA: International Swaps and Derivatives Association.

KAHC: Key Affordable Housing Corporation.

KBCM: KeyBanc Capital Markets, Inc.

KCDC: Key Community Development Corporation.

KEF: Key Equipment Finance. KPP: Key Principal Partners.

KREEC: Key Real Estate Equity Capital, Inc.

LCR: Liquidity coverage ratio.

LIBOR: London Interbank Offered Rate. LIHTC: Low-income housing tax credit.

LTV: Loan-to-value.

Moody's: Moody's Investor Services, Inc. MRM: Market Risk Management group.

N/A: Not applicable.

NASDAQ: The NASDAQ Stock Market LLC.

NAV: Net asset value. N/M: Not meaningful.

NOW: Negotiable Order of Withdrawal. NPR: Notice of proposed rulemaking. NYSE: New York Stock Exchange.

OCC: Office of the Comptroller of the Currency.

OCI: Other comprehensive income (loss).

OTTI: Other-than-temporary impairment.

PBO: Projected benefit obligation. PCI: Purchased credit impaired.

S&P: Standard and Poor's Ratings Services, a Division of The McGraw-Hill Companies, Inc. SEC: U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission. Series A Preferred Stock: KeyCorp's 7.750% Noncumulative Perpetual Convertible Preferred

Stock, Series A.

SIFIs: Systemically important financial institutions including BHCs with total consolidated assets of at least \$50 billion and nonbank financial companies

designated by FSOC for supervision by the

Federal Reserve.

TDR: Troubled debt restructuring.

TE: Taxable-equivalent.

U.S. Treasury: United States Department of the

Treasury.

VaR: Value at risk.

VEBA: Voluntary Employee Beneficiary Association.

VIE: Variable interest entity.

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Forward-looking statements

From time to time, we have made or will make forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These statements do not relate strictly to historical or current facts. Forward-looking statements usually can be identified by the use of words such as "goal," "objective," "plan," "expect," "assume," "anticipate," "intend," "project," "believe," "estimate," or other words of similar meaning. Forward-looking statements provide our current expectations or forecasts of future events, circumstances, results or aspirations. Our disclosures in this report contain forward-looking statements. We may also make forward-looking statements in other documents filed with or furnished to the SEC. In addition, we may make forward-looking statements orally to analysts, investors, representatives of the media, and others.

Forward-looking statements, by their nature, are subject to assumptions, risks, and uncertainties, many of which are outside of our control. Our actual results may differ materially from those set forth in our forward-looking statements. There is no assurance that any list of risks and uncertainties or risk factors is complete. Factors that could cause our actual results to differ from those described in forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to:

deterioration of commercial real estate market fundamentals;

defaults by our loan counterparties or clients;

adverse changes in credit quality trends;

declining asset prices;

our concentrated credit exposure in commercial and industrial loans;

the extensive and increasing regulation of the U.S. financial services industry;

operational or risk management failures by us or critical third parties;

changes in accounting policies, standards, and interpretations;

breaches of security or failures of our technology systems due to technological or other factors and cybersecurity threats;

negative outcomes from claims or litigation;

the occurrence of natural or man-made disasters, conflicts, or terrorist attacks, or other adverse external events;

evolving capital and liquidity standards under applicable regulatory rules;

unanticipated changes in our liquidity position, including but not limited to, changes in our access to or the cost of funding and our ability to secure alternative funding sources;

downgrades in our credit ratings or those of KeyBank;

a reversal of the U.S. economic recovery due to financial, political, or other shocks;

our ability to anticipate interest rate changes and manage interest rate risk;

deterioration of economic conditions in the geographic regions where we operate;

the soundness of other financial institutions;

tax reform and other changes in tax laws;

our ability to attract and retain talented executives and employees and to manage our reputational risks;

our ability to timely and effectively implement our strategic initiatives;

increased competitive pressure due to industry consolidation;

our ability to adapt our products and services to industry standards and consumer preferences;

unanticipated adverse effects of strategic partnerships or acquisitions and dispositions of assets or businesses; our ability to realize the anticipated benefits of the First Niagara merger; and

our ability to realize the anticipated benefits of the First intagara merger, and

our ability to develop and effectively use the quantitative models we rely upon in our business planning.

Any forward-looking statements made by us or on our behalf speak only as of the date they are made, and we do not undertake any obligation to update any forward-looking statement to reflect the impact of subsequent events or

circumstances. Before making an investment decision, you should carefully consider all risks and uncertainties disclosed in our SEC filings, including this report on Form 10-Q and our subsequent reports on Forms 8-K, 10-Q, and 10-K, and our registration statements under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, all of which are or will upon filing be accessible on the SEC's website at www.sec.gov and on our website at www.key.com/ir.

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Selected financial data

Our financial performance for each of the last five quarters is summarized in Figure 1.

Figure 1. Selected Financial Data

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dollars in millions, except per share amounts	Third	Second	First	Fourth	Third	2017	2016	
FOR THE PERIOD								
Interest income	\$1,109	\$1,117	\$1,050	\$1,062	\$890	\$3,276	\$2,257	
Interest expense	161	144	132	124	110	437	276	
Net interest income	948	973	918	938	780	2,839	1,981	
Provision for credit losses	51	66	63	66	59	180	200	
Noninterest income	592	653	577	618	549	1,822	1,453	
Noninterest expense	992	995	1,013	1,220	1,082	3,000	2,536	
Income (loss) from continuing	497	565	419	270	188	1,481	698	
operations before income taxes	777	303	717	270	100	1,401	070	
Income (loss) from continuing	363	407	324	233	171	1,094	557	
operations attributable to Key	303	107	324	233	1/1	1,004	337	
Income (loss) from discontinued	1	5		(4)	1	6	5	
operations, net of taxes (a)				,				
Net income (loss) attributable to Key	364	412	324	229	172	1,100	562	
Income (loss) from continuing								
operations attributable to Key common	349	393	296	213	165	1,038	540	
shareholders								
Income (loss) from discontinued	1	5		(4)	1	6	5	
operations, net of taxes (a)				(')				
Net income (loss) attributable to Key	350	398	296	209	166	1,044	545	
common shareholders						, -		
PER COMMON SHARE								
Income (loss) from continuing	
operations attributable to Key common	\$.32	\$.36	\$.28	\$.20	\$.17	\$.96	\$.61	
shareholders								
Income (loss) from discontinued			_	_	_	.01	.01	
operations, net of taxes (a)								
Net income (loss) attributable to Key	.32	.37	.28	.20	.17	.97	.62	
common shareholders (b)								
Income (loss) from continuing								
operations attributable to Key common shareholders —	.32	.36	.27	.20	.16	.95	.60	
assuming dilution Income (loss) from discontinued								
operations, net of taxes — assuming						.01	.01	
dilution (a)		_			_	.01	.01	
Net income (loss) attributable to Key								
common shareholders — assuming	.32	.36	.27	.19	.17	.96	.61	
dilution (b)	.34	.50	.41	.17	.1/	.90	.01	
Cash dividends paid	.095	.095	.085	.085	.085	.275	.245	
Cash dividends pard	.073	.073	.003	.002	.003	.413	.473	

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Book value at period end Tangible book value at period end	13.18 10.52	13.02 10.40	12.71 10.21	12.58 9.99	12.78 10.14	13.18 10.52	12.78 10.14
Market price:	10.02	101.10	10.21	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	1011.	10.02	1011
High	19.37	19.10	19.53	18.62	12.64	19.37	13.37
Low	16.47	16.91	16.54	12.00	10.38	16.47	9.88
Close	18.82	18.74	17.78	18.27	12.17	18.82	12.17
Weighted-average common shares outstanding (000)	1,073,390		3 1,068,609		1 982,080	1,075,296	5 880,824
Weighted-average common shares and							
potential common shares outstanding (000) (c)	1,088,841	1,093,039	9 1,086,540	1,083,717	7 994,660	1,091,655	5 889,789
AT PERIOD END							
Loans	\$86,492	\$86,503	\$86,125	\$86,038	\$85,528	\$86,492	\$85,528
Earning assets	122,625	121,243	120,261	121,966	121,089	122,625	121,089
Total assets	136,733	135,824	134,476	136,453	135,805	136,733	135,805
Deposits	103,446	102,821	103,982	104,087	104,185	103,446	104,185
Long-term debt	15,100	13,261	12,324	12,384	12,622	15,100	12,622
Key common shareholders' equity	14,224	14,228	13,951	13,575	13,831	14,224	13,831
Key shareholders' equity	15,249	15,253	14,976	15,240	14,996	15,249	14,996
PERFORMANCE RATIOS — FROM							
CONTINUING OPERATIONS							
Return on average total assets							%.71 %
Return on average common equity	9.74	11.12	8.76	6.22	5.09	9.89	6.28
Return on average tangible common equity (d)	12.21	13.80	10.98	7.88	6.16	12.36	7.21
Net interest margin (TE)	3.15	3.30	3.13	3.12	2.85	3.19	2.84
Cash efficiency ratio (d)	62.2	59.3	65.8	76.2	80.0	62.4	72.5
PERFORMANCE RATIOS — FROM							
CONSOLIDATED OPERATIONS							
Return on average total assets	1.06 %	61.23	%.98 %	6.67	%.55 %	1.09	%.70 %
	9.77	11.26	8.76	6.10	5.12	9.95	6.34
Return on average tangible common equity (d)	12.25	13.98	10.98	7.73	6.20	12.43	7.27
Net interest margin (TE)	3.13	3.28	3.11	3.09	2.83	3.17	2.81
Loan-to-deposit (e)	86.2	87.2	85.6	85.2	84.7	86.2	84.7
CAPITAL RATIOS AT PERIOD END							
Key shareholders' equity to assets	11.15 %	611.23	%11.14 %	5 11.17	%11.04 %	11.15 9	% 11.04 %
Key common shareholders' equity to assets	10.40	10.48	10.37	9.95	10.18	10.40	10.18
Tangible common equity to tangible assets (d)	8.49	8.56	8.51	8.09	8.27	8.49	8.27
Common Equity Tier 1	10.26	9.91	9.91	9.54	9.56	10.26	9.56
Tier 1 risk-based capital	11.11	10.73	10.74	10.89	10.53	11.11	10.53
Total risk-based capital	13.09	12.64	12.69	12.85	12.63	13.09	12.63
-	9.83	9.95	9.81	9.90	10.22	9.83	10.22
TRUST ASSETS							
Assets under management	\$38,660	\$37,613	\$37,417	\$36,592	\$36,752	\$38,660	\$36,752
OTHER DATA							
Average full-time-equivalent employees	18,548	18,344	18,386	18,849	17,079	18,427	14,642
Branches	1,208	1,210	1,216	1,217	1,322	1,208	1,322
(a)							

In April 2009, management decided to wind down the operations of Austin Capital Management, Ltd., a subsidiary that specialized in managing hedge fund

investments for institutional customers. In September 2009, management decided to discontinue the education lending business conducted through Key Education

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Resources, the education payment and financing unit of KeyBank. As a result of this decision, we have accounted for this business as a discontinued operation. For further discussion regarding the income (loss) from discontinued operations, see Note 12 ("Acquisition, Divestiture, and Discontinued Operations").

(b) EPS may not foot due to rounding.

- (c) Assumes conversion of Common Share options and other stock awards and/or convertible preferred stock, as applicable.
- See Figure 6 entitled "GAAP to Non-GAAP Reconciliations," which presents the computations of certain financial (d) measures related to "tangible common equity" and "cash efficiency." The table reconciles the GAAP performance measures to the corresponding non-GAAP measures, which provides a basis for period-to-period comparisons.
- Represents period-end consolidated total loans and loans held for sale divided by period-end consolidated total deposits.

Economic Overview

The initial estimate of third quarter 2017 GDP came in at 3.0%, building on the strong growth experienced during the second quarter of 2017 of 3.1%. Personal consumption expenditures, the economy's largest component, contributed 1.6% to growth in the third quarter, somewhat behind 2.2% contributed in the second quarter of 2017 but still ahead of the 1.3% contributed in the first quarter of 2017. Inventories had a sizable impact on third quarter 2017 growth, accounting for .7%, possibly indicating that businesses are anticipating increased demand in the near future. A shrinking trade deficit also helped to lift the third quarter 2017 figure, adding .4% to the total. Unfortunately, many forecasts are expecting this third quarter 2017 GDP figure to be revised lower in coming months, once economists are able to more accurately assess the economic damage caused by hurricanes Harvey, Irma, and Maria.

The International Monetary Fund estimates that global growth is expected to rise from 3.1% in 2016 to 3.6% in 2017 and 3.7% in 2018 with broad-based upward revisions in the European area, Japan, emerging markets in Asia, emerging markets in Europe, and Russia more than offsetting downward revisions for the United States and the United Kingdom.

Oil prices have fallen since the beginning of the year to \$52 per barrel, but are well above the lows in early 2016 when prices dropped to \$25 per barrel. Although inventories remain elevated, recent declines may help clear the way for stronger appreciation in the coming quarters and help support America's struggling energy industry.

The stock market continues to reach new records, with the S&P 500 equity index up 12.5% since the end of 2016. A general rally has occurred following the November 2016 elections, and based on expectations for growth-friendly economic policies from the new U.S. presidential administration.

274,000 new jobs were added in the U.S. during the third quarter of 2017. This was down from the second quarter of 2017, which saw gains of 562,000. Hurricanes Harvey and Irma distorted the employment situation in September when payroll employment declined by 33,000 jobs. Leisure and hospitality created most of the drag, declining by 111,000 jobs. The unemployment rate declined to 4.2%, but this was likely because of the inability to access all of the sample households in storm affected areas. Based on the experience of previous hurricanes, the September 2017 numbers are likely to undergo dramatic revisions. Still, the participation rate increased to 63.1%, a welcome development. This was the first time it rose above 63% since early 2014. The number of unemployed declined, the employment-to-population ratio increased, the number of discouraged workers fell, and fewer workers were employed part time involuntarily. Year-over-year earnings growth came in at 2.9%, above the recent range of around 2.5%. However, the boost may be attributed in part to an outsized decline in the lowest-paying jobs.

Headline inflation was up by 2.2% year over year at the end of the third quarter of 2017, slightly above the Federal Reserve's target of 2.0%. However core inflation, excluding food and energy, was subdued year over year, at 1.7%.

Thanks to the solid economy and still low interest rates, the housing market generally benefited in the third quarter of 2017. New home sales were down 2.1% compared to the third quarter of 2016, while existing home sales were slightly up .4% compared to third quarter 2016 levels. However, prices are up uniformly, with average new home prices up 3.4% from year ago levels, and existing home prices up 5.1%. Single family housing starts also posted respectable gains in the third quarter of 2017, up 12.7%, from the third quarter of 2016. Multi-family construction was down 5.2%.

The Federal Open Market Committee left the federal funds rate unchanged in September 2017 at 1% to 1.25%. The minutes from the September meeting showed a debate on the weakness in inflation, and whether it can be attributed to transitory or more persistent factors. The Federal Reserve (like many economists) is unsure why inflationary pressures haven't developed as slack in the broader economy has diminished. This uncertainty suggests that a December 2017 rate hike is not a sure thing, but most believe it is still likely. The minutes also discussed the economic cost of the recent hurricanes and how it will likely distort the incoming data on growth and

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inflation. However, the Federal Reserve doesn't expect the hurricanes to alter the course of the economy over the medium term. The 10-year U.S. Treasury yield stood at 2.33% at the end of the third quarter of 2017, which was only two basis points below the prior quarter.

Long-term financial targets

Our long-term financial targets are as follows:

Generate positive operating leverage and a cash efficiency ratio of less than 60%;

Maintain a moderate risk profile by targeting a net loan charge-offs to average loans ratio in the range of .40% to .60%; and

Achieve a return on tangible common equity ratio in the range of 13% to 15%.

Figure 2 shows the evaluation of our long-term financial targets for the three months and nine months ended September 30, 2017.

Figure 2. Evaluation of Our Long-Term Targets

C	Key Metrics (a)	3Q17		YTD 2017	7	Targets
Positive operating	Cash efficiency ratio (b)	62.2	%	62.4	%	< 60%
leverage	Cash efficiency ratio excluding notable items (b)	59.7	%	59.8	%	< 00%
Moderate Risk Profile	Net loan charge-offs to average loans	.15	%	.24	%	.40 - .60%
	Return on average tangible common equity (b)	12.21	%	12.36	%	13.00 -
Financial Returns	Return on average tangible common equity excluding notable items (b)	13.19	%			15.00%

- (a) Calculated from continuing operations, unless otherwise noted.
- (b) Non-GAAP measure; see Figure 6 entitled "GAAP to Non-GAAP Reconciliations" for reconciliation.

Strategic developments

Our actions and results during the first nine months of 2017 supported our corporate strategy described in the "Introduction" section under the "Corporate strategy" heading on page 35 of our 2016 Form 10-K.

We continued to generate positive operating leverage versus the prior year and our cash efficiency ratio improved to 62.4%, or 59.8%, excluding notable items. Revenue growth was driven by net interest income and fee-based businesses. Cards and payments had a record quarter, up 13.6% from the year-ago quarter, reflecting the investments we have made in the businesses, our recent merchant services acquisition and some of our early successes with First Niagara clients. Expenses remain well managed, with our quarterly results reflecting our recent acquisitions of HelloWallet and Key Merchant Services, LLC, as well as seasonal trends.

Early in the fourth quarter of 2017, we completed the acquisition of Cain Brothers, a leading healthcare-focused merger and acquisitions investment bank. The move will significantly expand our existing healthcare vertical and further enhances our ability to serve our clients with distinctive expertise and capabilities.

Net loan charge-offs were .24% of average loans for the first nine months of 2017, down from .27% for the same period one-year ago and below our targeted range. Total net loan charge-offs increased during the first nine months of 2017 compared to the year-ago period. Total loans charged off increased in our commercial and industrial loan portfolio and our auto loan portfolio which is included in our consumer indirect loan portfolio. Partially offsetting these increases in loan charge-offs were increases in recoveries in our commercial and industrial loan portfolio, driven by a large recovery that occurred during the third quarter of 2017.

Capital management remains a priority for 2017. As previously reported, share repurchases of up to \$800 million were included in the 2017 capital plan, which is effective through the second quarter of 2018. We completed \$277

million of Common Share repurchases, including \$271 million of Common Share repurchases in the open market and \$6 million of Common Share repurchases related to employee equity compensation programs in the third quarter of 2017 under this authorization. Over the past five years, we have repurchased over \$2 billion in common shares. Consistent with our 2016 capital plan, the Board declared a quarterly dividend of \$.095 per Common Share for the third quarter of 2017. Potential dividend increases were also included in our 2017 capital plan. In the fourth quarter of 2017, the Board plans to consider a potential increase in our quarterly common share dividend, up to \$.105 per share, consistent with the 2017 capital plan. An additional potential increase in the quarterly common share dividend, up to \$.12 per share, is expected to be considered by the Board for the second quarter of 2018.

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Demographics

We have two major business segments: Key Community Bank and Key Corporate Bank. Key Community Bank serves individuals and small to mid-sized businesses by offering a variety of deposit and investment, lending, credit card, and personalized wealth management products and business advisory services. Key Community Bank offers personal property and casualty insurance, such as home, auto, renters, watercraft, and umbrella policies. Key Community Bank also purchases motor vehicle retail installment sales contracts relating to new or used automobiles and light and medium-duty trucks via a network of dealers who regularly originate these third party installment sales contracts. These products and services are provided primarily through our relationship managers and specialists working in our 15-state branch network, which is organized into ten internally defined geographic regions: Washington, Oregon/Alaska, Rocky Mountains, Indiana/Northwest Ohio/Michigan, Central/Southwest Ohio, East Ohio/Western Pennsylvania, Atlantic, Western New York, Eastern New York, and New England. In addition, some of these product capabilities are delivered by Key Corporate Bank to clients of Key Community Bank.

Key Corporate Bank is a full-service corporate and investment bank focused principally on serving the needs of middle market clients in seven industry sectors: consumer, energy, healthcare, industrial, public sector, real estate, and technology. Key Corporate Bank delivers a broad suite of banking and capital markets products to its clients, including syndicated finance, debt and equity capital markets, commercial payments, equipment finance, commercial mortgage banking, derivatives, foreign exchange, financial advisory, and public finance. Key Corporate Bank is also a significant servicer of commercial mortgage loans and a significant special servicer of CMBS. Key Corporate Bank delivers many of its product capabilities to clients of Key Community Bank.

Further information regarding the products and services offered by our Key Community Bank and Key Corporate Bank segments is included in this report in Note 19 ("Line of Business Results").

Supervision and regulation

The following discussion provides a summary of recent regulatory developments and should be read in conjunction with the disclosure included in our 2016 Form 10-K under the heading "Supervision and Regulation" in Item 1. Business and under the heading "II. Compliance Risk" in Item 1A. Risk Factors.

Regulatory capital requirements

In July 2013, the U.S. banking agencies adopted a final rule to implement the Basel III international capital framework ("Basel III") with an effective date of January 1, 2015, and a multi-year transition period ending on December 31, 2018 ("Regulatory Capital Rules"). Consistent with Basel III, the Regulatory Capital Rules further restrict the type of instruments that may be recognized in Tier 1 and Tier 2 capital (including the phase out of trust preferred securities from Tier 1 capital for BHCs above a certain asset threshold, like KeyCorp), establish a minimum Tier 1 Common Equity Capital ratio requirement of 4.5% and capital buffers to address procyclicality concerns and absorb losses during periods of financial stress, and refine several of the methodologies used for determining risk-weighted assets. The Regulatory Capital Rules provide additional requirements for large banking organizations with over \$250 billion in total consolidated assets or \$10 billion in foreign exposure, but those additional requirements do not apply to KeyCorp nor to KeyBank. Accordingly, for purposes of the Regulatory Capital Rules, KeyCorp and KeyBank are treated as "standardized approach" banking organizations.

The Basel III capital framework and the U.S. implementation of the Basel III capital framework are discussed in more detail in Item 1. Business of our 2016 Form 10-K under the heading "Supervision and Regulation - Regulatory capital requirements."

Under the Regulatory Capital Rules, standardized approach banking organizations are required to meet the minimum capital and leverage ratios set forth in Figure 3 below. At September 30, 2017, Key had an estimated Common Equity Tier 1 Capital Ratio of 10.15% under the fully phased-in Regulatory Capital Rules. Also at September 30, 2017, based on the fully phased-in Regulatory Capital Rules, Key estimates that its capital and leverage ratios, after adjustment for market risk, would be as set forth in Figure 3.

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Figure 3. Pro Forma Ratios vs. Minimum Capital Ratios Calculated Under the Fully Phased-In Regulatory Capital Rules

Ratios (including capital conservation buffer)	Key September 2017 Pro forma		Mini Janua 1, 20	ar y	¹ Phase-in Period	Minin Janua 2019	
Common Equity Tier 1 (a)	10.15	%	4.5	%	None	4.5	%
Capital conservation buffer (b)					1/1/16-1/1/19	92.5	
Common Equity Tier 1 + Capital conservation buffer			4.5		1/1/16-1/1/19	97.0	
Tier 1 Capital	11.00	%	6.0		None	6.0	
Tier 1 Capital + Capital conservation buffer			6.0		1/1/16-1/1/19	98.5	
Total Capital	13.00	%	8.0		None	8.0	
Total Capital + Capital conservation buffer			8.0		1/1/16-1/1/19	910.5	
Leverage (c)	9.79	%	4.0		None	4.0	

⁽a) See Figure 6 entitled "GAAP to Non-GAAP Reconciliations," which presents the computation of Common Equity Tier 1 under the fully phased-in regulatory capital rules.

- Capital conservation buffer must consist of Common Equity Tier 1 capital. As a standardized approach banking (b) organization, KeyCorp is not subject to the countercyclical capital buffer of up to 2.5% imposed upon an advanced approaches banking organization under the Regulatory Capital Rules.
- As a standardized approach banking organization, KeyCorp is not subject to the 3% supplemental leverage ratio requirement, which becomes effective January 1, 2018.

Revised prompt corrective action framework

The federal prompt corrective action ("PCA") framework under the FDIA groups FDIC-insured depository institutions into one of five capital categories: "well capitalized," "adequately capitalized," "undercapitalized," "significantly undercapitalized," and "critically undercapitalized," for purposes of determining whether a bank should be required to establish a capital restoration plan and become subject to limitations on the bank's activities, capital actions, and payment of management fees.

In addition to implementing Basel III in the United States, the Regulatory Capital Rules also revised the capital category thresholds under the PCA framework for FDIC-insured depository institutions such as KeyBank. The revised PCA framework table in Figure 4 identifies the capital category thresholds for a "well capitalized" and an "adequately capitalized" institution under the Regulatory Capital Rules.

Figure 4. "Well Capitalized" and "Adequately Capitalized" Capital Category Ratios under Revised PCA Framework

Prompt Corrective Action	Capital Category		
Ratio	Well Capitalized (a)	Adequately Capitalized	1
Common Equity Tier 1 Risk-Based	6.5	% 4.5	%
Tier 1 Risk-Based	8.0	6.0	
Total Risk-Based	10.0	8.0	
Tier 1 Leverage (b)	5.0	4.0	

⁽a) A "well capitalized" institution also must not be subject to any written agreement, order, or directive to meet and maintain a specific capital level for any capital measure.

⁽b) As a "standardized approach" banking organization, KeyBank is not subject to the 3% supplemental leverage ratio requirement, which becomes effective January 1, 2018.

We believe that, as of September 30, 2017, KeyBank (consolidated) satisfied the risk-based and leverage capital requirements to be considered "well capitalized" for purposes of the revised PCA framework. However, investors should not regard this determination as a representation of the overall financial condition or prospects of KeyBank because the PCA framework is intended to serve a limited supervisory function. Moreover, it is important to note that the PCA framework does not apply to BHCs, like KeyCorp.

Recent developments

On September 27, 2017, the federal banking agencies issued a joint proposal to simplify the Regulatory Capital Rules for standardized approach banking organizations (the "Simplification Proposal"), including Key. In anticipation of the Simplification Proposal, on August 22, 2017, the agencies issued a proposal to extend the current capital treatment for certain items that are subject to the multi-year transition period for the Regulatory Capital Rules, which ends on December 31, 2018. That proposal would alleviate the burden that could result from the

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continued phase-in of those capital requirements as the agencies seek public comment on and work to finalize the Simplification Proposal.

The Simplification Proposal would amend the standardized approach for credit risk under the Regulatory Capital Rules by:

Replacing the definition for high volatility commercial real estate exposures with a simpler definition called "high volatility acquisition, development, or construction" ("HVADC") exposures. The Simplification Proposal would require a banking organization to assign a 130 percent risk weight to HVADC exposures.

Simplifying the threshold deductions for mortgage servicing assets, temporary difference deferred tax assets that are not realizable through carryback, and investments in the capital of unconsolidated financial institutions. The Simplification Proposal also would revise the risk-weight treatment for investments in the capital of unconsolidated financial institutions.

Simplifying the limitations on the amount of a third-party minority interest in a consolidated subsidiary that is includable in regulatory capital.

The Simplification Proposal also sets forth clarifying revisions to miscellaneous sections of the Regulatory Capital Rules. If the Simplification Proposal is adopted in its current form as final, it would likely have a neutral-to-low impact on Key's capital requirements, but it would meaningfully alleviate the compliance burden associated with the Regulatory Capital Rules. Comments on the Simplification Proposal are due December 26, 2017.

Capital planning and stress testing

On January 30, 2017, the Federal Reserve released a final rule to revise the capital plan and stress test rules as they apply to large, noncomplex BHCs and U.S. intermediaries of foreign banks. Under the final rule, a large noncomplex BHC is one with total consolidated assets of more than \$50 billion but less than \$250 billion, and nonbank assets of less than \$75 billion ("covered BHCs"). This includes KeyCorp.

The final rule provides relief from the compliance requirements associated with the Federal Reserve's capital plan and stress test rules. Specifically, the final rule relieves covered BHCs from the qualitative assessment portion of the Federal Reserve's CCAR program and modifies the reporting requirements for these organizations by reducing the reporting requirements applicable to covered BHCs under the FR Y-14A and by raising the materiality thresholds for specific portfolio reporting requirements.

The final rule also limits the amount of capital a covered BHC is authorized to distribute in excess of the amount set forth in its capital plan without Federal Reserve approval (the "de minimis exception"), and establishes a one-quarter blackout period during which a BHC is not permitted to submit a notice to use the de minimis exception or seek prior approval to make a capital distribution in an amount that exceeds the de minimis exception level. If exigent circumstances arise during the blackout period that require a capital distribution, a covered BHC may resubmit its capital plan and request expedited review from the Federal Reserve; however, the Federal Reserve is not required to expedite the review process.

The final rule also requires covered BHCs to measure nonbank assets on a monthly basis and report the monthly average to the Federal Reserve on a quarterly basis beginning March 31, 2017.

The final rule became effective 30 days after publication in the Federal Register, and therefore, the relief provided under the final rule from the qualitative assessment portion of the CCAR program is effective for the 2017 CCAR cycle.

On June 9, 2017, the Federal Reserve released a proposal and request for comment on certain information collection activities conducted under the series FR Y-14 schedules and reports that are used in connection with the CCAR program. As they would pertain to Key, the proposed revisions to the FR Y-14A and FR Y-14Q generally consist of modifications to reported items and instructions that would clarify the intended reporting of those items, and seek to further align reported items with the methodology, standards, and treatment in other regulatory reports or with the FR Y-14 schedules. In addition, the Federal Reserve has proposed to eliminate two schedules from the FR Y-14A to reduce the burden, but also to add a new sub-schedule to supplement the existing information collection around business plan change information. Other aspects of the proposal that do not pertain to Key would require the U.S. intermediate holding companies of foreign banks to apply the global market shock adjustment to certain reporting schedules under the FR Y-14A and FR Y-14Q.

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The comment period for the proposed rule ended on August 8, 2017. If the proposal is adopted in its final form, it is expected to have a neutral-to-low impact on Key's reporting and compliance obligations.

Liquidity requirements

In October 2014, the federal banking agencies published a final rule to implement the Basel III liquidity coverage ratio ("Basel III LCR") for U.S. banking organizations (the "Liquidity Coverage Rules") that establishes a minimum LCR for certain internationally active bank and nonbank financial companies (excluding KeyCorp) and a modified version of the LCR ("Modified LCR") for BHCs and other depository institution holding companies with over \$50 billion in consolidated assets that are not internationally active (including KeyCorp). KeyBank will not be subject to the LCR or the Modified LCR under the Liquidity Coverage Rules unless the OCC affirmatively determines that application to KeyBank is appropriate in light of KeyBank's asset size, level of complexity, risk profile, scope of operations, affiliation with foreign or domestic covered entities, or risk to the financial system.

Under the Liquidity Coverage Rules, KeyCorp must calculate a Modified LCR on a monthly basis, and was required to satisfy a minimum Modified LCR requirement of 100% by January 1, 2017. At September 30, 2017, Key's Modified LCR was above 100%. In the future, KeyCorp may change the composition of our investment portfolio, increase the size of the overall investment portfolio, and modify product offerings to enhance or optimize our liquidity position.

Net stable funding ratio

The federal banking agencies commenced the U.S. implementation of the Basel III net stable funding ratio ("NSFR") in April and May 2016, with the release of a proposed rule to implement a NSFR requirement for certain internationally active banking organizations (excluding KeyCorp) and a modified version of the minimum NSFR requirement ("Modified NSFR") for BHCs and other depository institution holding companies with over \$50 billion in consolidated assets that are not internationally active (including KeyCorp), together with quarterly public disclosure requirements. The proposed rule would require banking organizations to satisfy a minimum NSFR requirement of 1.0 on an ongoing basis. However, banking organizations subject to the Modified NSFR (like KeyCorp) would be required to maintain a lower minimum amount of available stable funding, equal to 70% of the required stable funding under the NSFR. The proposed rule would be effective on January 1, 2018. The comment period for the NPR expired on August 5, 2016. If the proposed NSFR requirement is adopted as a final rule, then similar to actions taken in connection with the implementation of the Liquidity Coverage Rules, KeyCorp may adjust its balance sheet or modify product offerings to enhance its liquidity position.

Resolution and recovery planning

BHCs with at least \$50 billion in total consolidated assets, like KeyCorp, are required to periodically submit to the Federal Reserve and FDIC a plan discussing how the company could be rapidly and efficiently resolved if the company failed or experienced material financial distress. Insured depository institutions with at least \$50 billion in total consolidated assets, like KeyBank, are also required to submit a resolution plan to the FDIC. These plans are due annually. KeyCorp and KeyBank were not required to submit resolution plans for 2016 because the FDIC and Federal Reserve deferred such requirement until December 2017. By letter dated March 24, 2017, KeyCorp received guidance from the Federal Reserve and the FDIC regarding the information requirements for certain aspects of KeyCorp's December 2017 resolution plan submission. That letter is publicly available on the Federal Reserve's website, https://www.federalreserve.gov/newsevents/pressreleases/bcreg20170324a.htm.

The Federal Reserve and FDIC make available on their websites the public sections of resolution plans for the companies, including KeyCorp and KeyBank, that submitted plans. The public section of the resolution plans of KeyCorp and KeyBank is available at http://www.federalreserve.gov/bankinforeg/resolution-plans.htm and https://www.fdic.gov/regulations/reform/resplans/.

On September 28, 2016, the OCC released final guidelines that establish standards for recovery planning by certain large OCC-regulated institutions, including KeyBank. The guidelines require such institutions to establish a comprehensive framework for evaluating the financial effects of severe stress events, and recovery actions an institution may pursue to remain a viable, going concern during a period of severe financial stress. Under the final guidelines, an institution's recovery plan must include triggers to alert the institution of severe stress events, escalation procedures, recovery options, and a process for periodic review and approval by senior management

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and the board of directors. The recovery plan should be tailored to the complexity, scope of operations, and risk profile of the institution.

Because KeyBank had average total consolidated assets of greater than \$100 billion but less than \$750 billion as reported on KeyBank's Consolidated Reports of Condition and Income for the four most recent consecutive quarters prior to January 1, 2017, it must be in compliance with the guidelines not later than January 1, 2018.

Deposit insurance and assessments

As required under the Dodd-Frank Act, in March 2015, the FDIC approved a final rule to impose a surcharge on the quarterly deposit insurance assessments of insured depository institutions having total consolidated assets of at least \$10 billion (like KeyBank). The surcharge is 4.5 cents per \$100 of the institution's assessment base (after making certain adjustments). The final rule became effective on July 1, 2016. As of July 1, 2016, KeyBank must pay a surcharge to assist in bringing the reserve ratio to the statutory minimum of 1.35%. Surcharges will continue through the quarter that the DIF reserve ratio reaches or exceeds 1.35%, but not later than December 31, 2018. If the reserve ratio does not reach 1.35% by December 31, 2018 (provided it is at least 1.15%), the FDIC will impose a shortfall assessment on March 31, 2019, on insured depository institutions with total consolidated assets of \$10 billion or more (like KeyBank). At June 30, 2017, the DIF reserve ratio was 1.24%.

In December 2016, the FDIC issued a final rule that imposes recordkeeping requirements on insured depository institutions with two million or more deposit accounts (including KeyBank) in order to facilitate rapid payment of insured deposits to customers if the institutions were to fail. The rule requires those insured depository institutions to: (i) maintain complete and accurate data on each depositor's ownership interest by right and capacity for all of the institution's deposit accounts; and (ii) develop the capability to calculate the insured and uninsured amounts for each deposit owner within 24 hours of failure. The FDIC will conduct periodic testing of compliance with these requirements, and institutions subject to the rule must submit to the FDIC a certification of compliance, signed by the KeyBank chief executive officer, and deposit insurance coverage summary report on or before the mandatory compliance date and annually thereafter. The final rule became effective on April 1, 2017, with a mandatory compliance date of April 1, 2020.

Single counterparty credit limits

In March 2016, the Federal Reserve issued an NPR proposing to establish single counterparty credit limits for BHCs with total consolidated assets of \$50 billion or more. This proposal would implement a provision in the Dodd-Frank Act and replaces proposals on this subject issued by the Federal Reserve in 2011 and 2012. Under the proposal, a covered BHC (including KeyCorp) would not be allowed to have an aggregate net credit exposure to any unaffiliated counterparty that exceeds 25% of the consolidated capital stock and surplus of the covered BHC. Globally, systemically important banks and certain other large BHCs (excluding KeyCorp) would be subject to stricter limits under the proposal. A covered BHC such as KeyCorp would be required to comply with the proposed limits and quarterly reporting to show such compliance starting two years after the effective date of a final rule. The comment period for the NPR expired on June 3, 2016.

Supervision and governance

On August 3, 2017, the Federal Reserve released a proposal to establish guidance regarding supervisory expectations for the boards of directors of banking organizations with total consolidated assets of \$50 billion or more, including KeyCorp. The proposal identifies the attributes of effective boards of directors that would be used for examiner evaluation of an organization's governance and controls. The proposal also clarifies that for all organizations supervised by the Federal Reserve, most supervisory findings should be communicated to the organization's senior

management for corrective action and not its board of directors. In addition, the proposal identifies existing supervisory expectations for boards of directors set forth in Federal Reserve SR Letters that could be eliminated or revised. Comments on the proposal are due November 30, 2017.

In a separate release, the Federal Reserve published a notice of proposed rulemaking to align its supervisory rating system for large financial institutions (including KeyCorp) with the post-crisis supervisory programs for these firms. The proposed rating system would only apply to large financial institutions, including KeyCorp, and would evaluate and assign ratings to large financial institutions based on three components: capital planning and positions, liquidity risk management and positions, and governance and controls. It is difficult to estimate the potential impact of the proposal on Key because the extent of the impact depends on the finalization of the proposal regarding supervisory

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expectations for boards of directors, and a forthcoming proposal regarding supervisory expectations relating to a firm's management of core business lines and independent risk management and controls. Moreover, implementation of the proposed rating system could involve considerable examiner discretion. Comments are due on the proposed rule by November 30, 2017.

ERISA fiduciary standard

In April 2016, the Department of Labor published final rules and amendments to certain prohibited transaction exemptions regarding which service providers would be regarded as fiduciaries under ERISA for making investment advice recommendations to: (i) certain retirement plan fiduciaries, participants, or beneficiaries; and (ii) owners or beneficiaries of individual retirement accounts and health savings accounts, among other retirement plans. The purpose of the rules is to place fiduciary obligations, rather than the lesser legal obligations that currently apply, on these service providers. Accordingly, the rules subject any financial institution making recommendations for either the purchase or sale of investments in or rollover of the respective retirement plan to certain fiduciary obligations under ERISA such as an impartial conduct standard and not selling certain investment products whose compensation may raise a conflict of interest for the advisor without entering into a contract providing certain disclosures and legal remedies to the customer. Under the Department of Labor's original rules, the impartial standard requirement for financial institutions and their advisors was to become effective April 10, 2017. However, in response to a Presidential Order, the Department of Labor extended the effective date to June 9, 2017. The contract provisions must be in place by January 1, 2018, although on August 31, 2017, the Department of Labor requested comments on a proposal to delay this date until July 1, 2019. The Department of Labor also requested comments on and will continue to review whether to modify, further delay, or rescind these rules in whole or in part.

Highlights of Our Performance

Financial performance

For the third quarter of 2017, we announced net income from continuing operations attributable to Key common shareholders of \$349 million, or \$.32 per common share. Our third quarter of 2017 results compare to net income from continuing operations attributable to Key common shareholders of \$165 million, or .16 per common share, for the third quarter of 2016. During the third quarter of 2017, our results included \$36 million of merger-related charges and a \$5 million merchant services gain adjustment, resulting in a pre-tax net impact of \$41 million, or \$.03 per common share.

Third quarter 2017 net interest income included \$48 million of purchase accounting accretion related to the acquisition of First Niagara.

Our TE net interest income was \$962 million for the third quarter of 2017, and the net interest margin was 3.15%, compared to TE net interest income of \$788 million and a net interest margin of 2.85% for the third quarter of 2016, reflecting the benefit from the First Niagara acquisition, including purchase accounting accretion, as well as higher earning asset yields and balances. Excluding purchase accounting accretion, taxable-equivalent net interest income increased \$145 million from the third quarter of 2016. For the full year of 2017, we expect net interest income to be in the range of \$3.8 billion to \$3.9 billion. Our outlook does not include any additional rate increases in 2017.

Our noninterest income was \$592 million for the third quarter of 2017, compared to \$549 million for the year-ago quarter. Growth was largely driven by a full-quarter impact of the First Niagara acquisition, as well as ongoing momentum in our core businesses. Broad-based growth across many fee income categories more than offset a decline in investment banking and debt placement fees, related to strong market conditions in the year-ago period. For the full year of 2017, we expect noninterest income to be in the range of \$2.35 billion to \$2.45 billion.

Our noninterest expense was \$992 million for the third quarter of 2017, which included \$36 million of merger-related charges. Merger-related charges for the quarter were made up of \$25 million of personnel expense and \$11 million of non-personnel expense, mostly reflected in marketing and computer processing expense. During the third quarter of 2016, we incurred \$189 million of merger-related charges.

Excluding merger-related charges, noninterest expense was \$63 million higher than the third quarter of last year. The increase from the prior year, reflected in both personnel and non-personnel expense, was primarily driven by a full-quarter impact of the First Niagara acquisition, as well as ongoing business investments and recent acquisitions, partially offset by merger cost savings. Professional fees were also elevated due to several short-term initiatives.

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While our recent acquisitions of HelloWallet and Key Merchant Services, LLC will be accretive over time, together they added \$8 million of expense for the third quarter of 2017. For the full year of 2017, we expect noninterest expense excluding merger-related charges to be in the range of \$3.7 billion to \$3.8 billion. Included within this range is approximately \$20 million in added expense from Cain Brothers, which closed early in the fourth quarter of 2017, as well as expenses related to HelloWallet and Key Merchant Services, LLC.

Average loans were \$86.8 billion for the third quarter of 2017, an increase of \$9.1 billion compared to the third quarter of 2016, primarily reflecting a full-quarter impact of the First Niagara acquisition, as well as growth in commercial and industrial loans, which was broad-based and spread across Key's commercial lines of business. We anticipate average loans to be in the range of \$87 billion to \$87.5 billion for the fourth quarter of 2017.

Average deposits totaled \$103.1 billion for the third quarter of 2017, an increase of \$8.2 billion compared to the year-ago quarter, primarily reflecting a full-quarter impact of the First Niagara acquisition, and core retail and commercial deposit growth. Our consolidated loan-to-deposit ratio was 86.2% at September 30, 2017, compared to 84.7% at September 30, 2016. We anticipate average deposits to be in the range of \$102.5 billion to \$103 billion for the fiscal year 2017.

Our provision for credit losses was \$51 million for the third quarter of 2017, compared to \$59 million for the third quarter of 2016. The third quarter 2017 provision reflects a large recovery in the commercial and industrial portfolio. Our allowance for loan and lease losses was \$880 million, or 1.02% of total period-end loans, at September 30, 2017, compared to 1.01% at September 30, 2016. For the remainder of 2017, we expect the provision for credit losses to slightly exceed net loan charge-offs to provide for loan growth.

Net loan charge-offs for the third quarter of 2017 totaled \$32 million, or .15% of average total loans, compared to \$44 million, or .23%, for the third quarter of 2016. For the remainder of 2017, we expect net loan charge-offs to average loans to remain below our targeted range of 40 to 60 basis points.

At September 30, 2017, our nonperforming loans totaled \$517 million, which represented .60% of period-end portfolio loans, compared to \$723 million, or 0.85% of period-end portfolio loans, at September 30, 2016. Nonperforming assets at September 30, 2017, totaled \$556 million and represented .64% of period-end portfolio loans and OREO and other nonperforming assets, compared to \$760 million, or .89% of period-end portfolio loans and OREO and other nonperforming assets, at September 30, 2016.

Our capital ratios remain strong. Our tangible common equity and Tier 1 risk-based capital ratios at September 30, 2017, are 8.49% and 11.11%, respectively, compared to 8.27% and 10.53%, respectively, at September 30, 2016. In addition, our Common Equity Tier 1 ratio is 10.26% at September 30, 2017, compared to 9.56% at September 30, 2016. Capital levels in the third quarter of 2017 benefited from a change in our methodology related to risk weightings for multipurpose facilities, specifically commitments that can also be used for letters of credit.

We continue to return capital to our shareholders by repurchasing Common Shares and through our quarterly common share dividend. In the third quarter of 2017, we completed \$277 million of Common Share repurchases, including \$271 million of common share repurchases in the open market and \$6 million of Common Share repurchases related to employee equity compensation programs, and paid a cash dividend of \$.095 per Common Share, under our 2017 capital plan authorization.

Figure 5 shows our continuing and discontinued operating results for the current, past, and year-ago quarters. Our financial performance for each of the past five quarters is summarized in Figure 1.

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Figure 5. Results of Operations

	Three months	Nine months ended									
in millions, except per share amounts	9/30/ 2030 /20179/30/2016 9/30/20 9 /780/2016										
Summary of operations											
Income (loss) from continuing operations attributable to Key	\$363\$ 407	\$ 171	\$1,094\$ 557								
Income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of taxes (a)	1 5	1	6 5								
Net income (loss) attributable to Key	\$364\$ 412	\$ 172	\$1,100\$ 562								
Income (loss) from continuing operations attributable to Key	\$363\$ 407	\$ 171	\$1,094\$ 557								
Less: Dividends on Preferred Stock	14 14	6	56 17								
Income (loss) from continuing operations attributable to Key common shareholders	349 393	165	1,038 540								
Income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of taxes (a)	1 5	1	6 5								
Net income (loss) attributable to Key common shareholders	\$350\$ 398	\$ 166	\$1,044\$ 545								
Per common share — assuming dilution											
Income (loss) from continuing operations attributable to Key common shareholders	\$.32 \$.36	\$.16	\$.95 \$.60								
Income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of taxes (a)		_	.01 .01								
Net income (loss) attributable to Key common shareholders (b)	\$.32 \$.36	\$.17	\$.96 \$.61								

In September 2009, we decided to discontinue the education lending business conducted through Key Education Resources, the education payment and financing unit of KeyBank. As a result of this decision, we have accounted for these businesses as a discontinued operation. For further discussion regarding the income (loss) from discontinued operations, see Note 12 ("Acquisition, Divestiture, and Discontinued Operations").

(b) EPS may not foot due to rounding.

Figure 6 presents certain non-GAAP financial measures related to "tangible common equity," "return on tangible common equity," "cash efficiency ratio," certain financial measures excluding notable items, and "Common Equity Tier 1 under the Regulatory Capital Rules (estimates)."

Notable items include certain revenue or expense items that may occur in a reporting period which management does not consider indicative of ongoing financial performance. Management believes it is useful to consider certain financial metrics with and without merger-related charges and/or other notable items in order to enable a better understanding of Company results, increase comparability of period-to-period results, and to evaluate and forecast those results.

The tangible common equity ratio and the return on tangible common equity ratio have been a focus for some investors, and management believes that these ratios may assist investors in analyzing Key's capital position without regard to the effects of intangible assets and preferred stock. Since analysts and banking regulators may assess our capital adequacy using tangible common equity, we believe it is useful to enable investors to assess our capital adequacy on these same bases. Figure 6 reconciles the GAAP performance measures to the corresponding non-GAAP measures.

As disclosed in Note 2 ("Business Combination") and Note 12 ("Acquisition, Divestiture, and Discontinued Operations"), KeyCorp completed its purchase of First Niagara on August 1, 2016. The definitive agreement and plan of merger to acquire First Niagara was originally announced on October 30, 2015. As a result of this transaction, we've recognized merger-related charges. For the second and third quarters of 2017, merger-related charges are included in the total for "notable items." The table below shows the computation of return on average tangible common equity excluding notable items, pre-provision net revenue excluding notable items, cash efficiency ratio excluding notable items, and

return on average assets from continuing operations excluding notable items. Management believes that eliminating the effects of the merger-related charges and other notable items makes it easier to analyze the results by presenting them on a more comparable basis.

The cash efficiency ratio is a ratio of two non-GAAP performance measures. Accordingly, there is no directly comparable GAAP performance measure. The cash efficiency ratio excludes the impact of our intangible asset amortization from the calculation. We also disclose the cash efficiency ratio excluding notable items. We believe these ratios provide greater consistency and comparability between our results and those of our peer banks. Additionally, these ratios are used by analysts and investors as they develop earnings forecasts and peer bank analysis.

Non-GAAP financial measures have inherent limitations, are not required to be uniformly applied, and are not audited. Although these non-GAAP financial measures are frequently used by investors to evaluate a company, they have limitations as analytical tools, and should not be considered in isolation, nor as a substitute for analyses of results as reported under GAAP.

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Figure 6. GAAP to Non-GAAP Reconciliations Three months ended									Nine mor	ntk	ns ended			
dollars in millions			6/30/201	7	3/31/201	7	12/31/20	16	9/30/201	6	9/30/201			16
Tangible common equity to														
tangible assets at period-end														
Key shareholders' equity	\$15,249		\$15,253		\$14,976		\$15,240		\$14,996					
(GAAP) Less: Intangible assets (a)	2,870		2,866		2,751		2,788		2,855					
Preferred Stock (b)	1,009		1,009		1,009		1,640		1,150					
Tangible common equity (non-GAAP)	\$11,370		\$11,378		\$11,216		\$10,812		\$10,991					
Total assets (GAAP) Less: Intangible assets (a)	\$136,733 2,870	3	\$135,824 2,866	4	\$134,470 2,751	6	\$136,453 2,788	}	\$135,80 2,855	5				
Tangible assets	\$133,863	2	\$132,95	Q	\$131,72	5	\$133,665		\$132,95	Λ				
(non-GAAP) Tangible common equity	φ133,003	,	\$132,93	0	\$131,72	3	\$155,005	,	\$132,93	U				
to tangible assets ratio	8.49	%	68.56	9	68.51	9	%8.09	%	68.27	%				
(non-GAAP)														
Notable items	A (2.6				A (0.1		4.400	,	(20 7	,	A (1.61	,	A. (27.6	,
Merger-related charges	\$(36		\$(44)	\$(81)	\$(198)	(207)	\$(161)	\$(276)
Merchant services gain	(5)	64				_				59			
Purchase accounting finalization, net	_		43		_		_		_		43			
Charitable contribution			(20	`							(20	`		
Total notable items)	À	,)	- \$(198)	(207	`	\$(79))
Income taxes	(13)	16		(30))	(74)	(75)	(27	-	(101))
Total notable items after tax	\$(28)	\$27		\$(51)	\$(124)	(132)	\$(52	-	\$(175)
Average tangible common	Ψ(20	,	Ψ21		Ψ(31	,	ψ(12-1	,	(132	,	Ψ(32	,	Ψ(173	,
equity														
Average Key shareholders'			4.7.2 00				444004				4.7.2 00		444000	
equity (GAAP)	\$15,241		\$15,200		\$15,184		\$14,901		\$13,552		\$15,208		\$11,890	1
Less: Intangible assets (average) (c)	2,878		2,756		2,772		2,874		2,255		2,802		1,473	
Preferred Stock (average)	1,025		1,025		1,480		1,274		648		1,175		410	
Average tangible common equity (non-GAAP)	\$11,338		\$11,419		\$10,932		\$10,753		\$10,649		\$11,231		\$10,007	,
Return on average tangible														
common equity from continuing	3													
operations														
Net income (loss) from														
continuing operations	\$349		\$393		\$296		\$213		\$165		\$1,038		\$540	
attributable to Key common	φ <i>3</i> 49		φ393		\$ 290		\$213		\$103		\$1,036		\$3 4 0	
shareholders (GAAP)														
Plus: Notable items, after tax	28		(27)	51		124		132		52		175	
Net income (loss) from continuing operations attributable to Key	\$377		\$366		\$347		\$337		\$297		\$1,090		\$715	
common shareholders afte	r													

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notable items (non-GAAF	')							
Average tangible common equity (non-GAAP)	11,338	11,419	10,932	10,753	10,649	11,231	10,007	
Return on average tangible								
common equity from continuing	g 12.21	%13.80	% 10.98	%7.88	%6.16	% 12.36	%7.21	%
operations (non-GAAP)								
Return on average tangible common equity from continuing	σ							
operations excluding notable	⁸ 13.19	12.86	12.87	12.47	11.10	12.98	9.54	
items (non-GAAP)								
Return on average tangible								
common equity consolidated	_							
Net income (loss) attributable to Key common shareholders	s \$350	\$398	\$296	\$209	\$166	\$1,044	\$545	
(GAAP)	Ψ330	Ψ370	\$270	Ψ207	ψ100	Ψ1,0	Ψ343	
Average tangible common	11,338	11,419	10,932	10,753	10,649	11,231	10,007	
equity (non-GAAP)	11,336	11,419	10,932	10,733	10,049	11,231	10,007	
Return on average tangible	12.25	0/ 12.00	0/ 10 00	0/ 7 72	0/ (20	0/ 10 42	0/ 7. 27	04
common equity consolidated (non-GAAP)	12.25	% 13.98	% 10.98	%7.73	% 6.20	% 12.43	%7.27	%
Pre-provision net revenue								
Net interest income (GAAP)	\$948	\$973	\$918	\$938	\$780	\$2,839	\$1,981	
Plus: Taxable-equivalent	14	14	11	10	8	39	24	
adjustment Noninterest income				-				
(GAAP)	592	653	577	618	549	1,822	1,453	
Noninterest expense	992	995	1,013	1 220	1,082	3,000	2,536	
Less: (GAAP)		993	1,013	1,220	1,062	3,000	2,330	
Pre-provision net revenue		¢ 6 4 5	¢ 402	¢246	¢255	¢ 1 700	¢022	
from continuing operation (non-GAAP)	IS \$ 302	\$645	\$493	\$346	\$255	\$1,700	\$922	
Plus: Notable items	36	(43) 81	198	207	79	276	
Pre-provision net revenue								
from continuing operation	^{IS} 603	602	574	544	462	1,779	1,198	
excluding notable items (non-GAAP)								
Cash efficiency ratio								
Noninterest expense (GAAP)	\$992	\$995	\$1,013	\$1,220	\$1,082	\$3,000	\$2,536	
Intangible asset Less:	25	22	22	27	13	69	28	
amoruzation							-	
Adjusted noninterest expense (non-GAAP)	\$967	\$973	\$991	\$1,193	\$1,069	\$2,931	\$2,508	
Less: Notable items (d)	36	60	81	207	189	177	258	
Adjusted noninterest expense								
excluding notable items	\$931	\$913	\$910	\$986	\$880	\$2,754	\$2,250	
(non-GAAP) Net interest income (GAAP)	\$948	\$973	\$918	\$938	\$780	\$2,839	\$1,981	
Taxable-equivalent								
Plus: adjustment	14	14	11	10	8	39	24	
Noninterest income	592	653	577	618	549	1,822	1,453	
(GAAP)	372	033	511	010	517	1,022	1,100	

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Total taxable-equivalent revenu (non-GAAP)	e\$1,554	\$1,640		\$1,506		\$1,566		\$1,337		\$4,700		\$3,458	
Plus: Notable items (e)	5	(103)	_		(9)	18		(98)	18	
Adjusted noninterest income excluding notable items (non-GAAP)	\$1,559	\$1,537		\$1,506		\$1,557		\$1,355		\$4,602		\$3,476	
Cash efficiency ratio (non-GAAP)	62.2	%59.3	9	65.8	%	76.2	%	0.08	%	62.4	%	72.5	%
Cash efficiency ratio excluding notable items (non-GAAP)	59.7	59.4		60.4		63.3		64.9		59.8		64.7	
Return on average total assets from continuing operations excluding notable items Income from continuing													
operations attributable to Key (GAAP)	\$363	\$407		\$324		\$233		\$171		\$1,094		\$557	
Plus: Notable items, after tax Income from continuing operations attributable to	28	(27)	51		124		132		52		175	
Key excluding notable items, after tax (non-GAAP)	\$391	\$380		\$375		\$357		\$303		\$1,146		\$732	
Average total assets from continuing operations (GAAP) Return on average total assets	\$134,356	\$132,49	1	\$132,741	1	\$134,428	}	\$123,469)	\$133,202	,	\$105,187	7
from continuing operations excluding notable items (non-GAAP)	1.15	%1.15	9	61.15	%	51.06	%	.98	%	1.15	%	.93	%

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Figure 6. GAAP to Non-GAAP Reconciliations, continued

dollars in millions	Three mont ended September 2017	
Common Equity Tier 1 under the Regulatory Capital Rules (estimates)		
Common Equity Tier 1 under current Regulatory Capital Rules	\$ 12,129	
Adjustments from current Regulatory Capital Rules to the fully phased-in Regulatory Capital Rules:		
Deferred tax assets and other intangible assets (f)	(57)
Common Equity Tier 1 anticipated under the fully phased-in Regulatory Capital Rules (g)	\$ 12,072	
Net risk-weighted assets under current Regulatory Capital Rules Adjustments from current Regulatory Capital Rules to the fully phased-in Regulatory Capital Rules:	\$ 118,233	
Mortgage servicing assets (h)	623	
Volcker Funds	_	
All other assets	49	
Total risk-weighted assets anticipated under the fully phased-in Regulatory Capital Rules (g)	\$ 118,905	
	10.15	~
Common Equity Tier 1 ratio under the fully phased-in Regulatory Capital Rules (g)	10.15	%

For the three months ended September 30, 2017, June 30, 2017, March 31, 2017, December 31, 2016, and

- (a) September 30, 2016, intangible assets exclude \$30 million, \$33 million, \$38 million, \$42 million, and \$51 million, respectively, of period-end purchased credit card relationships.
- (b) Net of capital surplus.
 - For the three months ended September 30, 2017, June 30, 2017, March 31, 2017, December 31, 2016, and September 30, 2016, average intangible assets exclude \$32 million, \$36 million, \$40 million, \$46 million, and \$47
- (c) million, respectively, of average purchased credit card relationships. For the nine months ended September 30, 2017, and September 30, 2016, average intangible assets exclude \$36 million and \$42 million, respectively, of average purchased credit card receivables.
- (d) Notable items for the three months ended September 30, 2017, include \$36 million of merger-related expense.
- Notable items for the three months ended September 30, 2017, include \$5 million adjustment related to the merchant services acquisition gain.
 - Includes the deferred tax assets subject to future taxable income for realization, primarily tax credit carryforwards,
- (f) as well as intangible assets (other than goodwill and mortgage servicing assets) subject to the transition provisions of the final rule.
 - The anticipated amount of regulatory capital and risk-weighted assets is based upon the federal banking agencies'
- (g) Regulatory Capital Rules (as fully phased-in on January 1, 2019); we are subject to the Regulatory Capital Rules under the "standardized approach."
- (h) Item is included in the 10%/15% exceptions bucket calculation and is risk-weighted at 250%.

Results of Operations

Net interest income

One of our principal sources of revenue is net interest income. Net interest income is the difference between interest income received on earning assets (such as loans and securities) and loan-related fee income, and interest expense paid on deposits and borrowings. There are several factors that affect net interest income, including:

the volume, pricing, mix, and maturity of earning assets and interest-bearing liabilities;

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the volume and value of net free funds, such as noninterest-bearing deposits and equity capital;

the use of derivative instruments to manage interest rate risk;

interest rate fluctuations and competitive conditions within the marketplace;

asset quality; and

fair value accounting of acquired earning assets and interest-bearing liabilities.

To make it easier to compare both the results across several periods and the yields on various types of earning assets (some taxable, some not), we present net interest income in this discussion on a "TE basis" (i.e., as if all income were taxable and at the same rate). For example, \$100 of tax-exempt income would be presented as \$154, an amount that, if taxed at the statutory federal income tax rate of 35%, would yield \$100.

Figure 7 shows the various components of our balance sheet that affect interest income and expense, and their respective yields or rates over the past five quarters. This figure also presents a reconciliation of TE net interest income to net interest income reported in accordance with GAAP for each of those quarters. The net interest margin, which is an indicator of the profitability of the earning assets portfolio less cost of funding, is calculated by dividing annualized TE net interest income by average earning assets.

Third quarter 2017 TE net interest income included \$48 million of purchase accounting accretion related to the acquisition of First Niagara, compared to \$19 million in the third quarter of 2016, and \$100 million in the second quarter of 2017.

TE net interest income was \$962 million for the third quarter of 2017, and the net interest margin was 3.15%, compared to TE net interest income of \$788 million and a net interest margin of 2.85% for the third quarter of 2016,

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reflecting the full quarter benefit from the First Niagara acquisition, including purchase accounting accretion, as well as higher earning asset yields and balances.

For the nine months ended September 30, 2017, TE net interest income was \$2.9 billion and the net interest margin was 3.19%, compared to TE net interest income of \$2.0 billion and a net interest margin of 2.84% for the prior year, reflecting the full year-to-date benefit from the First Niagara acquisition, growth in our core earning asset balances, higher interest rates, and managed deposit costs.

Average loans were \$86.8 billion for the third quarter of 2017, an increase of \$9.1 billion compared to the third quarter of 2016, primarily reflecting a full-quarter impact of the First Niagara acquisition, as well as growth in commercial and industrial loans, which was broad-based and spread across Key's commercial lines of business. At September 30, 2017, the remaining fair value discount on the First Niagara acquired loan portfolio was \$302 million, compared to \$345 million at June 30, 2017.

Average deposits totaled \$103.1 billion for the third quarter of 2017, an increase of \$8.2 billion compared to the year-ago quarter, primarily reflecting a full-quarter impact of the First Niagara acquisition, and core retail and commercial deposit growth.

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Figure 7. Consolidated Average Balance Sheets, Net Interest Income, and Yields/Rates from Continuing Operations Third Quarter 2017 Second Quarter 2017 Interest (a) Yield/ Average Interest (a) Yield/ Average dollars in millions Balance Rate (a) Balance Rate (a) **ASSETS** Loans (b), (c) Commercial and industrial (d) \$ 414 3.97 % \$40,666 \$41,416 \$ 409 4.04 % Real estate — commercial mortgage 14,850 169 4.51 15,096 187 4.97 2,054 23 4.51 2,204 31 5.51 Real estate — construction Commercial lease financing 4,694 46 3.89 4,690 50 4.33 Total commercial loans 652 4.11 677 4.34 63,014 62,656 Real estate — residential mortgage 3.92 5,509 52 3.77 5,493 54 4.41 Home equity loans 12,314 136 12,473 135 4.31 Consumer direct loans 1,774 33 7.26 1,743 31 7.07 29 Credit cards 1,049 30 11.34 1,044 11.04 Consumer indirect loans 3.170 37 4.64 3.077 38 5.02 Total consumer loans 290 4.85 285 23,800 23,846 4.77 962 Total loans 86,814 4.31 86,502 4.46 942 Loans held for sale 4.13 1.082 9 1,607 17 3.58 Securities available for sale (b), (e) 18,574 91 1.96 17,997 90 1.97 55 Held-to-maturity securities (b) 10,469 2.12 10,469 55 2.09 7 7 Trading account assets 889 2.74 3.00 1,042 Short-term investments 2.166 6 1.21 1,970 5 .96 Other investments (e) 5 2.46 687 3 1.87 728 Total earning assets 121,247 1,123 3.68 119,749 1,131 3.78 Allowance for loan and lease losses (868)) (864) Accrued income and other assets 13,977 13,606 Discontinued assets 1,417 1,477 Total assets \$135,773 \$133,968 LIABILITIES NOW and money market deposit accounts .27 \$54,416 .25 \$53,826 37 34 Savings deposits 6,697 5 .25 6,854 4 .21 Certificates of deposit (\$100,000 or more) 6,402 21 1.31 6,111 19 1.23 Other time deposits 9 .81 4,650 9 .77 4,664 Total interest-bearing deposits 71,589 72 .40 72,031 .36 66 Federal funds purchased and securities sold under .23 repurchase 456 .23 466 agreements Bank notes and other short-term borrowings 3 1.49 1,216 4 865 1.43 Long-term debt (f), (g) 86 2.75 74 2.68 12,631 11,046 Total interest-bearing liabilities 85,541 .75 84,759 144 .68 161 Noninterest-bearing deposits 31,516 30,748 Accrued expense and other liabilities 1,782 2,057 Discontinued liabilities (g) 1,417 1,477 Total liabilities 120,531 118,766 **EQUITY** Key shareholders' equity 15,241 15,200 Noncontrolling interests 1 2

Total equity	15,242		15,202				
Total liabilities and equity	\$135,773		\$133,968	5133,968			
Internal and a second (TEC)		2.02.07		2.10 07			
Interest rate spread (TE)		2.93 %)	3.10 %			
Net interest income (TE) and net interest margin (TE)	962	3.15 %	987	3.30 %			
TE adjustment (b)	14		14				
Net interest income, GAAP basis	\$ 948		\$ 973				

⁽a) Results are from continuing operations. Interest excludes the interest associated with the liabilities referred to in (g) below, calculated using a matched funds transfer pricing methodology.

Commercial and industrial average balances include \$117 million, \$117 million, \$114 million, \$119 million, and (d)\$107 million of assets from commercial credit cards for the three months ended September 30, 2017, June 30, 2017, March 31, 2017, December 31, 2016, and September 30, 2016, respectively.

⁽b) Interest income on tax-exempt securities and loans has been adjusted to a TE basis using the statutory federal income tax rate of 35%.

⁽c) For purposes of these computations, nonaccrual loans are included in average loan balances.

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Figure 7. Consolidated Average Balance Sheets, Net Interest Income, and Yields/Rates from Continuing Operations
First Quarter 2017 Fourth Quarter 2016 Third Quarter 2016

Average Balance Interest (a) Yield/ Average Rate (a) Balance Rate (a) Balance Rate (a) Balance Rate (a)

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Average	Interest (a	Yield/	Average	Interest (a)	Yield/	Average	Interest (a)	Yield/
Balance	interest «	Rate (a)	Balance	interest «	Rate (a)	Balance	mieresi ("	Rate (a)
\$40,002	\$ 373	3.77 %	\$39,495	\$ 365	3.68 %	\$37,318	\$ 317	3.38 %
15,187	164	4.39	14,771	168	4.50	12,879	126	3.91
2,353	26	4.54	2,222	37	6.72	1,723	21	4.67
	44				4.34			
4,635		3.76	4,624	50		4,508	38	3.33
62,177	607	3.95	61,112	620	4.04	56,428	502	3.54
5,520	54	3.94	5,554	57	4.17	4,453	45	3.96
12,611	131	4.22	12,812	129	3.99	11,968	122	4.07
1,762	30	6.97	1,785	31	6.84	1,666	30	7.20
1,067	29	11.06	1,088	29	10.78	996	27	10.80
2,996	37	4.91	3,009	42	5.50	2,186	28	5.23
23,956	281	4.75	24,248	288	4.73	21,269	252	4.73
86,133	888	4.17	85,360	908	4.24	77,697	754	3.86
1,188	13	4.28	1,323	11	3.39	1,152	10	3.48
						•		
19,181	95	1.95	20,145	92	1.82	17,972	88	1.99
9,988	51	2.04	9,121	44	1.95	6,250	30	1.86
968	7	2.75	892	6	2.54	860	4	2.12
1,610	3	.79	3,717	5	.49	5,911	7	.48
709	4	2.26	741	6	3.23	717	5	2.74
119,777	1,061	3.57	121,299	1,072	3.52	110,559	898	3.24
(855)		(855)		(847)	
13,819			13,984			13,757		
1,540			1,610			1,676		
\$134,281			\$136,038			\$125,145		
\$54,295	32	.24	\$55,444	31	.22	\$51,318	25	.20
6,351	1	.10	6,546	2	.10	4,521	1	.07
	16	1.16		15	1.11		12	
5,627			5,428			4,204		1.15
4,706	9	.76	4,849	9	.77	5,031	11	.85
70,979	58	.33	72,267	57	.32	65,074	49	.30
795	1	.32	592	1	.11	578		.16
1,802	5	1.06	934	3	1.11	1,186	2	.91
10,833	68	2.54	10,914	63	2.38	10,415	59	2.31
84,409	132	.63	84,707	124	.58	77,253	110	.57
31,099			32,424			29,844		
2,048			2,394			2,818		
1,540			1,610			1,676		
119,096			121,135			111,591		
15,184			14,901			13,552		
1			2			2		
15,185						13,554		
			14,903			•		
\$134,281			\$136,038			\$125,145		

	2.94 %		2.94 %		2.67 %
929	3.13 %	948	3.12 %	788	2.85 %
11		10		8	
\$ 918		\$ 938		\$ 780	

- (e) Yield is calculated on the basis of amortized cost.
- (f) Rate calculation excludes basis adjustments related to fair value hedges.
- (g) A portion of long-term debt and the related interest expense is allocated to discontinued liabilities as a result of applying our matched funds transfer pricing methodology to discontinued operations.

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Figure 8 shows how the changes in yields or rates and average balances from the prior year period affected net interest income. The section entitled "Financial Condition" contains additional discussion about changes in earning assets and funding sources.

Figure 8. Components of Net Interest Income Changes from Continuing Operations

	From three months				From nine months), ended September 30,				
	201	_	ember 50,	2016					
			onths ende	ledto nine months ended					
			30, 2017						
	Averægiæld/				ag <mark>e</mark> ield				
in millions						Change (a)			
INTEREST INCOME									
Loans	\$94	\$ 94	\$ 188	\$627	\$266	\$ 893			
Loans held for sale	5	2	7	13	3	16			
Securities available for sale	3		3	46	(7)39			
Held-to-maturity securities	22	3	25	78	5	83			
Trading account assets		3	3	2	2	4			
Short-term investments	(6)5	(1)	(15)12	(3)			
Other investments			_	1	1	2			
Total interest income (TE)	118	107	225	752	282	1,034			
INTEREST EXPENSE									
NOW and money market deposit accounts	1	11	12	17	30	47			
Savings deposits	1	3	4	2	7	9			
Certificates of deposit (\$100,000 or more)	7	2	9	25	(2)23			
Other time deposits	(1)(1) (2	5	(2)3			
Total interest-bearing deposits	8	15	23	49	33	82			
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under repurchase					1	1			
agreements	_		_	_	1	1			
Bank notes and other short-term borrowings	(1)2	1	4	1	5			
Long-term debt	14	13	27	38	35	73			
Total interest expense	21	30	51	91	70	161			
Net interest income (TE)	\$97	\$ 77	\$ 174	\$661	\$212	\$ 873			

⁽a) The change in interest not due solely to volume or rate has been allocated in proportion to the absolute dollar amounts of the change in each.

Noninterest income

As shown in Figure 9, noninterest income was \$592 million for the third quarter of 2017, compared to \$549 million for the year-ago quarter. For the nine months ended September 30, 2017, noninterest income was \$1.8 billion compared to \$1.5 billion for the same period one year ago. Noninterest income represented 38% and 39% of total revenue for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2017, respectively, compared to 41% and 42% for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2016, respectively.

The following discussion explains the composition of certain elements of our noninterest income and the factors that caused those elements to change.

Figure 9. Noninterest Income

	Three									
	mon	ths			Nine months					
	ende	d	Cha	nge	ended		Chan	ge		
	Sept	September			September 30,					
	30,									
dollars in millions	2017	2016	Amo	ou Protreent	2017	2016	Amou	unPercent		
Trust and investment services income	\$135	5 \$ 122	2\$13	10.7 %	\$404	\$341	\$63	18.5 %		
Investment banking and debt placement fees	141	156	(15)(9.6)	403	325	78	24.0		
Service charges on deposit accounts	91	85	6	7.1	268	218	50	22.9		
Operating lease income and other leasing gains	16	6	10	166.7	69	41	28	68.3		
Corporate services income	54	51	3	5.9	163	154	9	5.8		
Cards and payments income	75	66	9	13.6	210	164	46	28.0		
Corporate-owned life insurance income	31	29	2	6.9	94	85	9	10.6		
Consumer mortgage income	7	6	1	16.7	19	11	8	72.7		
Mortgage servicing fees	21	15	6	40.0	54	37	17	45.9		
Net gains (losses) from principal investing	3	5	(2)(40.0)	4	16	(12)(75.0)		
Other income	18	8	10	125.0	134	61	73	119.7		
Total noninterest income	\$592	2\$549	9\$43	7.8 %	\$1,822	2\$1,453	3\$369	25.4 %		

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Trust and investment services income

Trust and investment services income consists of brokerage commissions, trust and asset management commissions, and insurance income. The assets under management that primarily generate these revenues are shown in Figure 10. For the three months ended September 30, 2017, trust and investment services income increased \$13 million, or 10.7%, compared to the same period one year ago, primarily due to an increase in insurance income as a result of the First Niagara acquisition and fees earned from investment management services as a result of stronger market performance.

For the nine months ended September 30, 2017, trust and investment services income was up \$63 million, or 18.5%, from the nine months ended September 30, 2016, primarily due to an increase in insurance income and brokerage commissions as a result of the acquisition of First Niagara and higher fees earned from investment management services as a result of stronger market performance.

A significant portion of our trust and investment services income depends on the value and mix of assets under management. At September 30, 2017, our bank, trust, and registered investment advisory subsidiaries had assets under management of \$38.7 billion, compared to \$36.8 billion at September 30, 2016. The increase in assets under management, as shown in Figure 10, was primarily attributable to market appreciation over the past twelve months. Figure 10. Assets Under Management

in millions	Septembe 30, 2017	erJune 30 2017	March '31, 2017		rSeptember 30, 2016
Assets under management by investment type:					
Equity	\$ 23,342	\$22,824	1\$22,522	2\$ 21,722	\$ 21,568
Securities lending	876	807	1,095	1,148	991
Fixed income	11,009	10,819	10,497	10,386	11,016
Money market	3,433	3,163	3,303	3,336	3,177
Total assets under management	\$ 38,660	\$37,613	3\$37,417	7\$ 36,592	\$ 36,752

Investment banking and debt placement fees

Investment banking and debt placement fees consists of syndication fees, debt and equity financing fees, financial adviser fees, gains on sales of commercial mortgages, and agency origination fees. Investment banking and debt placement fees decreased \$15 million, or 9.6%, for the third quarter of 2017, related to strong market conditions in the year-ago period.

For the nine months ended September 30, 2017, investment banking and debt placement fees increased \$78 million, or 24.0%, from the same period one year ago driven by stronger market conditions.

Service charges on deposit accounts

Service charges on deposit accounts increased \$6 million, or 7.1%, for the three months ended September 30, 2017, compared to the same period one year ago. The increase from the three months ended September 30, 2016, was primarily due to the full-quarter impact of the First Niagara acquisition and higher overdraft and account analysis fees.

For the nine months ended September 30, 2017, service charges on deposits accounts increased \$50 million, or 22.9%, from the first nine months of 2016. This increase was primarily due to the full year-to-date impact of the First Niagara acquisition.

Cards and payments income

Cards and payments income, which consists of debit card, consumer and commercial credit card, and merchant services income, increased \$9 million, or 13.6%, from the year-ago quarter. This increase was primarily due to the full-quarter impact of the First Niagara acquisition and our 2017 acquisition of Key Merchant Services, LLC, which increased merchant services fees compared to the same period one year ago.

For the nine months ended September 30, 2017, cards and payments income was \$210 million, an increase of \$46 million, or 28.0%, from the same period one year ago. This increase was primarily due to the full year-to-date impact of the First Niagara acquisition and our 2017 acquisition of Key Merchant Services, LLC.

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Other income

Other income, which consists primarily of gains on sales of loans held for sale, other service charges, and certain dealer trading income, was up \$10 million, or 125.0%, from the year-ago quarter. This increase was primarily attributable to higher recoveries of loans that were charged-off by First Niagara prior to acquisition and gains on sales of loans held for sale.

For the nine months ended September 30, 2017, other income was up \$73 million, or 119.7%, from the same period one year ago. This increase was driven by a \$64 million one-time gain related to our Key Merchant Services, LLC acquisition that occurred in the second quarter of 2017 and recoveries of loans that were charged-off by First Niagara prior to acquisition, partially offset by lower trading income.

Noninterest expense

As shown in Figure 11, noninterest expense was \$992 million for the third quarter of 2017 compared to \$1.1 billion for the third quarter of 2016. The third quarter of 2017 included \$36 million of merger-related charges compared to \$189 million for the third quarter of 2016.

For the nine months ended September 30, 2017, noninterest expense was \$3.0 billion compared to \$2.5 billion for the same period one year ago. Merger-related charges for the nine months ended September 30, 2017, were \$161 million compared to \$258 million for the same period one year ago.

Figure 11. Noninterest Expense

	Thre	ee							
	mon	iths			Nine r	nonths			
	ende	ed	Chai	nge	ended		Chan	ge	
	Sept	tember			Septer	nber 30),	_	
	30,				_				
dollars in millions	201	7 2016	Amo	ouPercent	2017	2016	Amo	unPercer	ıt
Personnel (a)	\$55	8\$594	\$(36	6)(6.1)%	\$1,66	5 \$ 1,42	5\$240	16.8	%
Net occupancy	74	73	1	1.4	239	193	46	23.8	
Computer processing	56	70	(14)(20.0)	171	158	13	8.2	
Business services and professional fees	49	76	(27)(35.5)	140	157	(17)(10.8))
Equipment	29	26	3	11.5	83	68	15	22.1	
Operating lease expense	24	15	9	60.0	64	42	22	52.4	
Marketing	34	32	2	6.3	85	66	19	28.8	
FDIC assessment	21	21		_	62	38	24	63.2	
Intangible asset amortization	25	13	12	92.3	69	28	41	146.4	
OREO expense, net	3	3	_	_	8	6	2	33.3	
Other expense	119	159	(40)(25.2)	414	355	59	16.6	
Total noninterest expense	\$99	2\$1,082	2\$(90)(8.3)%	\$3,000	0\$2,53	6\$464	18.3	%
Merger-related charges (b)	36	189	(153)(81.0)	161	258	(97)(37.6))
Total noninterest expense excluding merger-related charges (c)	\$95	6\$893	\$63	7.1 %	\$2,839	9\$2,27	8\$561	24.6	%
Average full-time equivalent employees (d)	18,5	54 8 7,079	1,46	98.6 %	18,427	7 14,642	2 3,785	5 25.9	%

(a) Additional detail provided in Figure 13 entitled "Personnel Expense."

- (b) Additional detail provided in Figure 12 entitled "Merger-Related Charges."
- (c) Non-GAAP measure.
- (d) The number of average full-time equivalent employees has not been adjusted for discontinued operations.

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Figure 12. Merger-Related Charges

	months ended Change September S			Nine months ended Change September 30,			ge	
dollars in millions		72016	Amoi	un P ercent	,	2016	Amo	unPercent
Net interest income	_	\$(6)\$6	N/M	_	\$(6)\$6	N/M
Operating lease income and other leasing gains Other income Noninterest income	_ _ _)2)10)12	N/M N/M N/M	<u> </u>	`)2)10)12	N/M N/M N/M
Personnel	\$25	97	(72)(74.2)%	\$86	148	\$(62)(41.9)%
Net occupancy	(2)—	(2)N/M	2	_	2	N/M
Business services and professional fees	2	32	(30)(93.8)	13	44	(31)(70.5)
Computer processing	4	15	(11)(73.3)	11	15	(4)(26.7)
Marketing	5	9	(4)(44.4)	17	13	4	30.8
Other nonpersonnel expense	2	36	(34)(94.4)	32	38	(6)(15.8)
Noninterest expense	36	189	(153)(81.0)	161	258	(97)(37.6)
Total merger-related charges	\$36	\$207	\$(171	(82.6)%	\$161	1\$276	\$(115	5)(41.7)%

Personnel

As shown in Figure 13, personnel expense, the largest category of our noninterest expense, decreased by \$36 million, or 6.1%, for the third quarter of 2017 compared to the year-ago quarter. This decrease was primarily driven by lower severance expense as a result of the First Niagara acquisition in the third quarter of 2016. Personnel expenses were also down due to lower incentive and stock-based compensation due to strong capital market conditions in the year-ago period. Partially offsetting these declines was an increase in employee benefits expense due to the full-quarter impact of the First Niagara acquisition.

For the nine months ended September 30, 2017, personnel expense was up \$240 million, or 16.8%, from the first nine months of 2016. This increase was primarily driven by the full year-to-date impact of the First Niagara acquisition and higher incentive and stock-based compensation related to stronger overall capital markets performance during the first nine months of 2017.

Figure 13. Personnel Expense

	Three	
	months	Nine months
	ended Change	ended Change
	September	September 30,
	30,	
dollars in millions	2017 2016 Amoultercent	2017 2016 Amountercent
Salaries and contract labor	\$339\$329\$10 3.0 %	\$995 \$839 \$156 18.6 %
Incentive and stock-based compensation	134 162 (28)(17.3)	398 352 46 13.1
Employee benefits	80 73 7 9.6	252 199 53 26.6
Severance	5 30 (25)(83.3)	20 35 (15)(42.9)
Total personnel expense	\$558\$594\$(36)(6.1)%	\$1,665\$1,425\$240 16.8 %

Merger-related charges 25 97 (72)(74.2) 86 148 (62)(41.9) Total personnel expense excluding merger-related charges \$533\$497\$36 7.2 % \$1,579\$1,277\$302 23.6 %

Net occupancy

Net occupancy expense increased \$1 million, or 1.4%, for the third quarter of 2017, compared to the same period one year ago. This increase was primarily due to higher rental expenses as a result of the increase in occupied premises from the First Niagara acquisition, partially offset by lower expenses related to vacating leased properties prior to the end of the lease term.

For the nine months ended September 30, 2017, net occupancy expense increased \$46 million, or 23.8%, from the nine months ended September 30, 2016, primarily due to an increase in various net occupancy expenses resulting from the First Niagara acquisition.

Other expense

Other expense comprises various miscellaneous expense items. The \$40 million, or 25.2%, decrease in the current quarter compared to the same period one year ago reflects a charitable contribution made in accordance with Key's

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previously announced National Community Benefits Plan during the third quarter of 2016. The decrease in other expense is also attributable to lower other miscellaneous expenses.

For the nine months ended September 30, 2017, other expense increased \$59 million, or 16.6%, from the nine months ended September 30, 2016, primarily due to the full year-to-date impact of the First Niagara acquisition.

Income taxes

We recorded tax expense from continuing operations of \$134 million for the third quarter of 2017 and \$16 million for the third quarter of 2016. For the nine months ended September 30, 2017, we recorded tax expense from continuing operations of \$386 million, compared to \$141 million for the same period one year ago.

Our federal tax expense (benefit) differs from the amount that would be calculated using the federal statutory tax rate, primarily because we generate income from investments in tax-advantaged assets, such as corporate-owned life insurance and credits associated with renewable energy and low-income housing investments, and make periodic adjustments to our tax reserves. Tax expense for the three months ended September 30, 2017, and September 30, 2016, was affected by net discrete income tax benefits of \$13 million and detriments of \$7 million, respectively. The tax expense for the third quarter of 2017 was also impacted due to merger-related charges of \$36 million. Excluding those expenses, the tax expense for the third quarter of 2017 was \$143 million.

Additional information pertaining to how our tax expense (benefit) and the resulting effective tax rates were derived is included in Note 13 ("Income Taxes") beginning on page 170 of our 2016 Form 10-K.

Line of Business Results

This section summarizes the financial performance of our two major business segments (operating segments): Key Community Bank and Key Corporate Bank. Note 19 ("Line of Business Results") describes the products and services offered by each of these business segments, provides more detailed financial information pertaining to the segments, and explains "Other Segments" and "Reconciling Items."

Figure 14 summarizes the contribution made by each major business segment to our "taxable-equivalent revenue from continuing operations" and "income (loss) from continuing operations attributable to Key" for the three- and nine-month periods ended September 30, 2017, and September 30, 2016.

Figure 14. Major Business Segments — Taxable-Equivalent Revenue from Continuing Operations and Income (Loss) from Continuing Operations Attributable to Key

8 T								
	Three n	nonths	Nine m			months		
	ended		Chai	nge	ended		Change	
	Septem	ber 30,			September 30,			
dollars in millions	2017	2016	Amo	ouPretreent	2017	2016	Amou	nPercent
REVENUE FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS								
(TE)								
Key Community Bank	\$959	\$783	\$176	522.5 %	\$2,874	\$1,976	\$898	45.4 %
Key Corporate Bank	560	556	4	0.7	1,734	1,432	302	21.1
Other Segments	30	16	14	87.5	94	68	26	38.2
Total Segments	1,549	1,355	194	14.3	4,702	3,476	1,226	35.3
Reconciling Items (a)	5	(18)23	N/M	(2)(18)16	N/M
Total	\$1,554	\$1,337	\$217	716.2 %	\$4,700	\$3,458	\$1,242	235.9 %

INCOME (LOSS) FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS ATTRIBUTABLE TO KEY

\$161	\$97	\$64	66.0 %	\$503	\$259	\$244	94.2 %
190	160	30	18.8	593	404	189	46.8
23	16	7	43.8	72	55	17	30.9
374	273	101	37.0	1,168	718	450	62.7
(11)(102)91	N/M	(74)(161)87	N/M
\$363	\$171	\$192	2112.3%	\$1,094	\$557	\$537	96.4 %
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⁽a) Reconciling items consist primarily of the unallocated portion of merger-related charges and items not allocated to the business segments because they do not reflect their normal operations.

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Key Community Bank summary of operations

Positive operating leverage compared to prior year

Net income increased \$64 million, or 66%, from prior year

Average commercial and industrial loans increased \$2.7 billion, or 17.2%, from the prior year

Average deposits increased \$10.2 billion, or 14.6%, from the prior year

As shown in Figure 15, Key Community Bank recorded net income attributable to Key of \$161 million for the third quarter of 2017, compared to \$97 million for the year-ago quarter, benefiting from momentum in Key's core businesses, as well as the full-quarter impact of the First Niagara acquisition.

TE net interest income increased by \$137 million, or 25.7%, from the third quarter of 2016. The increase was primarily attributable to the full-quarter impact of the First Niagara acquisition, as well as the benefit from higher interest rates. Average loans and leases increased \$6 billion, or 14.6%, largely driven by a \$2.7 billion, or 17.2%, increase in commercial and industrial loans. Additionally, average deposits increased \$10.2 billion, or 14.6%, from one year ago.

Noninterest income was up \$39 million, or 15.6%, from the year-ago quarter, driven by the full quarter impact of the First Niagara acquisition. Strength in cards and payments, which includes the full-quarter impact of Key's merchant services acquisition in the second quarter of 2017, and higher assets under management from market growth also contributed to the increase.

The provision for credit losses increased by \$20 million, or 51.3%, and net loan charge-offs increased \$10 million from the third quarter of 2016, primarily related to the acquisition of First Niagara.

Noninterest expense increased by \$53 million, or 9%, from the year-ago quarter, largely driven by the full-quarter impact of the First Niagara acquisition, as well as core business activity, ongoing investments, recent acquisitions and seasonal trends. Personnel expense increased \$29 million, while non-personnel expense increased by \$24 million, including higher marketing expense and higher intangible amortization expense.

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Figure 15. Key Community Bank

	Three months N					onths			
	ended		Chang	e	ended		Change		
	Septem	ber 30,			Septem	ber 30,			
dollars in millions	2017	2016	Amou	nPercent	2017	2016	Amoun	t Percent	
SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS									
Net interest income (TE)	\$670	\$533	\$137	25.7 %	\$1,973	\$1,324	\$649	49.0 %	
Noninterest income	289	250	39	15.6	901	652	249	38.2	
Total revenue (TE)	959	783	176	22.5	2,874	1,976	898	45.4	
Provision for credit losses	59	39	20	51.3	152	92	60	65.2	
Noninterest expense	643	590	53	9.0	1,921	1,471	450	30.6	
Income (loss) before income taxes (TE)	257	154	103	66.9	801	413	388	93.9	
Allocated income taxes (benefit) and TE adjustments	96	57	39	68.4	298	154	144	93.5	
Net income (loss) attributable to Key	\$161	\$97	\$64	66.0 %	\$503	\$259	\$244	94.2 %	
AVERAGE BALANCES									
Loans and leases	\$47,595	5\$41,548	3\$6,047	714.6 %	\$47,376	5\$34,450	\$12,926	537.5 %	
Total assets	51,708	44,218	7,490	16.9	51,421	36,707	14,714	40.1	
Deposits	79,563	69,397	10,166	14.6	79,438	58,704	20,734	35.3	
Assets under management at period end	\$38,660	0\$36,752	2\$1,908	35.2 %	\$38,660)\$36,752	2\$1,908	5.2 %	

ADDITIONAL KEY COMMUNITY BANK DATA

	Three mo	onths ended er 30,	Change		Nine mended Septem		Change	;
dollars in millions	2017	2016	Amount	Percent	2017	2016	Amoun	t Percent
NONINTEREST INCOME								
Trust and investment services income	\$101	\$86	\$15	17.4 %	\$298	\$232	\$66	28.4 %
Services charges on deposit accounts	78	70	8	11.4	230	180	50	27.8
Cards and payments income	65	54	11	20.4	180	143	37	25.9
Other noninterest income	45	40	5	12.5	193	97	96	99.0
Total noninterest income	\$289	\$250	\$39	15.6 %	\$901	\$652	\$249	38.2 %
AVERAGE DEPOSITS OUTSTANDING								
NOW and money market deposit accounts	\$44,481	\$38,417	\$6,064	15.8 %	\$44,795	5\$32,683	5 \$ 12,11	037.1 %
Savings deposits	5,165	4,369	796	18.2	5,242	3,030	2,212	73.0
Certificates of deposits (\$100,000 or more)	4,195	2,606	1,589	61.0	4,031	2,371	1,660	70.0
Other time deposits	4,657	4,944	(287)(5.8)	4,662	3,799	863	22.7
Noninterest-bearing deposits	21,065	19,061	2,004	10.5	20,708	16,819	3,889	23.1
Total deposits	\$79,563	\$69,397	\$10,166	14.6 %	\$79,438	3\$58,704	4\$20,73	435.3 %
HOME EQUITY LOANS								
Average balance	\$12,182	\$11,703						
Combined weighted-average loan-to-value	69	%70 %	1_					
ratio (at date of origination)	09	<i>0</i> 10 %	0					
Percent first lien positions	60	55						
OTHER DATA								
Branches	1,208	1,322						
Automated teller machines	1,588	1,701						

Key Corporate Bank summary of operations

Positive operating leverage compared to prior year

- Net income up \$30 million, or 18.8%, from prior year
- Average loan and lease balances up \$3.5 billion, or 10.1%, from the prior year

As shown in Figure 16, Key Corporate Bank recorded net income attributable to Key of \$190 million for the third quarter of 2017, compared to \$160 million for the same period one year ago.

TE net interest income increased by \$13 million, or 4.7%, compared to the third quarter of 2016. Average loan and lease balances increased \$3.5 billion, or 10.1%, from the year-ago quarter, driven by growth in commercial and industrial and commercial mortgage loans. Average deposit balances decreased \$1.1 billion, or 5.1%, from the year-ago quarter, driven by the managed exit of higher cost corporate and public sector deposits.

Noninterest income was down \$9 million, or 3.2%, from the prior year. This decline was mostly due to lower investment banking and debt placement fees, resulting from weaker market conditions in the current quarter as

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compared to the prior year quarter. This decrease was partially offset by growth in mortgage servicing fees and corporate services income compared to the prior year.

During the third quarter of 2017, Key Corporate Bank benefited from a large recovery in the commercial and industrial portfolio, as well as improving credit quality in the overall portfolio. Accordingly, the provision for credit losses decreased \$34 million, or 147.8%, compared to the third quarter of 2016, with \$21 million less of net loan charge-offs.

Noninterest expense decreased by \$7 million, or 2.3%, from the third quarter of 2016. The decrease from the prior year was largely driven by lower performance-based compensation. Slightly offsetting this decrease were higher levels of operating lease expense, business services and professional fees, and cards and payments expense.

Figure 16. Key Corporate Bank

	Three months					Nine mo	nths			
	ended Change			ended		Change				
	Septemb	er 30,				Septemb	er 30,			
dollars in millions	2017	2016	Amoun	t Percer	nt	2017	2016	Amour	ıt Perce	nt
SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS										
Net interest income (TE)	\$291	\$278	\$13	4.7	%	\$907	\$716	\$191	26.7	%
Noninterest income	269	278	(9)(3.2)	827	716	111	15.5	
Total revenue (TE)	560	556	4	0.7		1,734	1,432	302	21.1	
Provision for credit losses	(11)23	(34)(147.8	3)	26	110	(84)(76.4)
Noninterest expense	303	310	(7)(2.3)	904	805	99	12.3	
Income (loss) before income taxes (TE)	268	223	45	20.2		804	517	287	55.5	
Allocated income taxes and TE adjustments	78	63	15	23.8		212	114	98	86.0	
Net income (loss)	\$190	\$160	\$30	18.8		\$592	\$403	\$189	46.9	
Less: Net income (loss) attributable to						(1)(1)		
noncontrolling interests						(1)(1)—		
Net income (loss) attributable to Key	\$190	\$160	\$30	18.8	%	\$593	\$404	\$189	46.8	%
AVERAGE BALANCES										
Loans and leases	\$38,040	\$34,56	1\$3,479	10.1	%	\$37,823	\$30,312	\$7,511	24.8	%
Loans held for sale	1,521	1,103	418	37.9		1,208	836	372	44.5	
Total assets	45,276	40,584	4,692	11.6		44,526	35,984	8,542	23.7	
Deposits	21,559	22,708	(1,149)(5.1)%	21,237	19,980	1,257	6.3	%

ADDITIONAL KEY CORPORATE BANK DATA

	Thre montende	ths	Cha	ınge	Nine mont ende	ths	Char	nge
	September				September			
	30,				30,			
dollars in millions	2017	2016	Am	oRatcent	2017	2016	Amo	ou P ercent
NONINTEREST INCOME								
Trust and investment services income	\$34	\$36	\$(2)(5.6)%	\$106	\$109	9\$(3)(2.8)%
Investment banking and debt placement fees	137	153	(16)(10.5)	394	317	77	24.3
Operating lease income and other leasing gains	13	10	3	30.0	56	38	18	47.4
Corporate services income	41	36	5	13.9	116	113	3	2.7
Service charges on deposit accounts	13	15	(2)(13.3)	37	38	(1)(2.6)

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Cards and payments income Payments and services income	10 64	10 61		- 4.9		20 171		45.0 6.4
Mortgage servicing fees	18	13	5	38.5	47	35	12	34.3
Other noninterest income	3	5	(2)(40.0)	42	46	(4)(8.7)
Total noninterest income	\$26	9\$27	8\$(9	0)(3.2)%	\$827	7\$710	5\$111	15.5 %

Other Segments

Other Segments consist of Corporate Treasury, Key's Principal Investing unit, and various exit portfolios. Other Segments generated net income attributable to Key of \$23 million for the third quarter of 2017, compared to \$16 million for the same period last year, driven by increases in operating lease income and other leasing gains and corporate-owned life insurance income.

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Financial Condition

Loans and loans held for sale

At September 30, 2017, total loans outstanding from continuing operations were \$86.5 billion, compared to \$86.0 billion at December 31, 2016. Loans related to the discontinued operations of the education lending business and excluded from total loans were \$1.4 billion at September 30, 2017, and \$1.6 billion at December 31, 2016. For more information on balance sheet carrying value, see Note 1 ("Summary of Significant Accounting Policies") under the headings "Loans" and "Loans Held for Sale" on page 107 of our 2016 Form 10-K.

During the second quarter of 2017, Key finalized the fair value of the First Niagara acquired loan portfolio, adjusting the discount from \$548 million to \$603 million. At September 30, 2017, \$302 million of the fair value discount remained. For more information on the financial statement impact of the finalization of the First Niagara acquired loan portfolio, see Note 2 ("Business Combination").

Commercial loan portfolio

Commercial loans outstanding were \$62.7 billion at September 30, 2017, an increase of \$837 million, or 1.4%, compared to December 31, 2016, primarily driven by an increase in commercial and industrial loans. Figure 17 provides our commercial loan portfolios by industry classification at September 30, 2017, and December 31, 2016.

Figure 17. Commercial Loans by Industry

September 30, 2017	Commercial	Commercial	Com	mercial	Tota	al commercial	Perce	ent of
dollars in millions	and industrial	real estate	lease	financing	loan	S	total	
Industry classification	•							
Agricultural	\$ 736	\$ 165	\$	70	\$	971	1.5	%
Automotive	2,064	472	77		2,61	3	4.2	
Business products	1,877	160	55					