

MOSCOW EXCHANGE

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# FY and 4Q 2016 Earnings Presentation

## 2016: Strong performance amid lower volatility

#### A new set of records on the trading markets

- **Primary placements** of fixed income instruments with >1 day maturity **reached a historical high** of RUB 2.5 trln
- Fee & commission income on the Derivatives Markets reached a record high of RUB 2.1 bln thanks to increased trading volumes of commodities futures, index futures and options. MOEX's Brent futures contract was the 4<sup>th</sup> most traded Brent contract globally, according to the FIA
- Money Market demonstrated another year of record-breaking fee & commission income (RUB 4.8 bln) on the back of volume growth in REPO with CCP
- FX Market's outstanding volume growth in H1 2016 positioned that market for record FY fee & commission income of RUB 4.3 bln
- Assets under custody at NSD reached a historical high of RUB 36.4 trn by the year end

#### Superior infrastructure further strengthened and achieved recognition

- DataSpace1, the only data center in Russia with Tier-III certification from Uptime Institute, became MOEX's primary data center
- The Bank for International Settlements (BIS) assigned the highest rating to the Russian financial market infrastructure based on an analysis of the legislative framework
- The legal framework for corporate actions reform went into effect. This will lower costs and risks of corporate action processing as all corporate actions will be processed in a centralized manner through a single CSD platform
- Corporate Information Center was launched by NSD, establishing a single source of corporate data with "golden copy" status, which will solve the problem of multiple, inconsistent corporate actions data

#### $\checkmark$ Additions to the product portfolio

- Repo with general collateral certificate (GCCs)
- Direct market access to the Money Market for corporate clients through M-deposits
- Deliverable futures contracts on USD/RUB, EUR/RUB and CNY/RUB
- Futures on Rouble Overnight Index Average interest rate
- The first program of overnight bonds

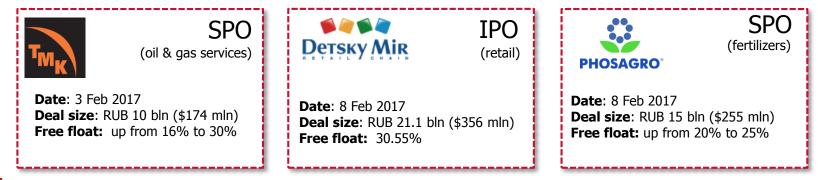


## Trend of local placements continued

#### All public capital raisings by Russian companies in 2016 were held exclusively on MOEX

Company	Sector	Date	Transaction type	Transaction value, RUB bln
europlin	Leasing	December 2016	SPO	15.0
Rüssineft	Oil & gas	November 2016	IPO	32.4
FINANCIAL GROUP FUTURE	Financials	October 2016	IPO	11.7
ALROSA	Metals & mining	July 2016	SPO	54.4
UWC UNITED WAGON COMPANY	Manufacturing & transportation	May 2016	SPO	5.0
Promsvyazbank	Financials	April 2016	SPO	2.6
RUSAGRO	Agriculture	April 2016	SPO	16.3

#### ... and a good start for 2017:





## Improved corporate governance as a result of listing modernization

#### Completion of the 1<sup>st</sup> stage of the listing reform

Following adoption of the new Corporate Governance Code in 2014, MOEX initiated a program to bring listing requirements into line with global standards and the Code:

- ✓ Listing structure simplified: 3 quotation lists (Highest, Standard, Off-the-list) replaced the previous 6
- Stricter criteria for inclusion in Highest list: at least 3 Independent Directors, history of 3 years of IFRS accounts (vs. 1 year previously), free float of at least 10%, requirement to have internal audit department and Board-approved policy on internal audit, etc
- Issuers are eligible to list in any section at IPO. This allows pension funds and insurance companies (that are authorised to buy only the highest-level stocks) to invest at the IPO stage
- ✓ Stricter requirements for Directors to be considered Independent
- Listing committee consisting of more than 30 market experts was launched at MOEX to monitor special listing situations

#### Results of the 1<sup>st</sup> stage: higher listing quality, approved dividend policies, increased number of INEDs

	June 2014		Jan 2017	
	Highest list	Standard list	Highest list	Standard list
# of Independent Directors	150	69	222	73
Issuers complying with criteria for Audit Committee	2 issuers (3.57%)	0 issuers	52 issuers (100%)	33 issuers (100%)
Issuers complying with criteria for HR and Remuneration Committee	1 issuer (1.79%)	n/a	52 issuers <b>(100%)</b>	n/a
Issuers with approved dividend policies	45 issuers (80.3%)	n/a	52 issuers (100%)	33 issuers <b>(100%)</b>

#### What's next?

✓ On 1 October 2017 the Corporate Governance Code's requirements for INEDs will fully come into force

✓ Starting January 2018, only ratings by approved rating agencies will count towards listing requirements

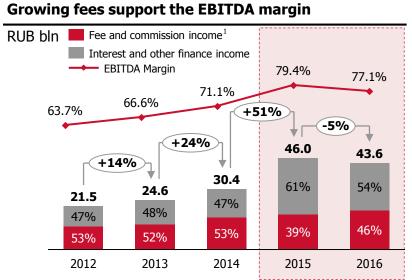


## From 2018 NCC will be regulated as CCP

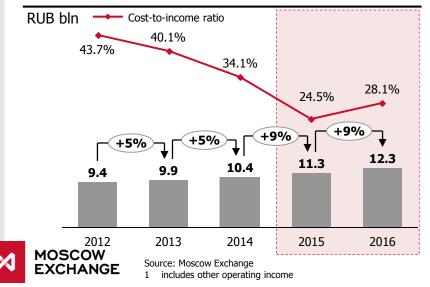
	Dec 2016 Bank of Russia developed a set of new regulatory ratios for the CCP	2017 Target capital: RUB 55.2 bln	Jan 2018 NCC operates and is regulated as a CCP, licensed as a non- banking credit organization	
2015	2016	2017	2018	
Dec 2015 Changes to law "On Clearing" to regulate NCC as a CCP instead of under banking regulation approved. Will come into force in 2018.		NCC is to apply for a new license (as a non-banking credit organization), switching from banking regulation to CCP regulation		
Capital adequacy	At all times NCC's own capital shall exceed the sum of "skin in the game", the minimum capital to maintain 11% of RWA and a reserve of 75% of annual operating expenses			
Adequacy of total resources	At all times the sum of "skin in the game" and the guarantee fund shall exceed potential losses in the event of default of the two largest counterparties			
Adequacy of initial margin	Price fluctuations of each asset shall not exceed the initial margin amount in more than 99% of cases of price changes			
Liquidity ratio	The amount of liquid assets of the CCP at any time shall exceed the amount of potential losses in the event of default of the two largest counterparties			
Collateral concentration	A certain type of asset is eligible as collateral if its addition does not make its share in total assets placed as collateral by market participants exceed 25%			

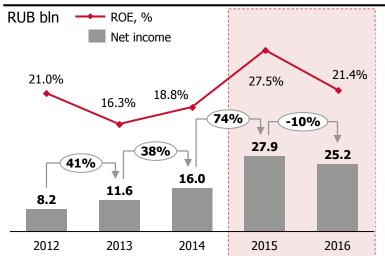


## Key financial highlights 2016

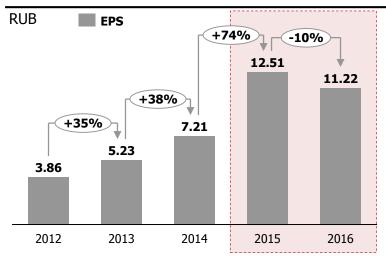


#### **Tight control over expenses**





EPS 2012-2016: CAGR of 31%

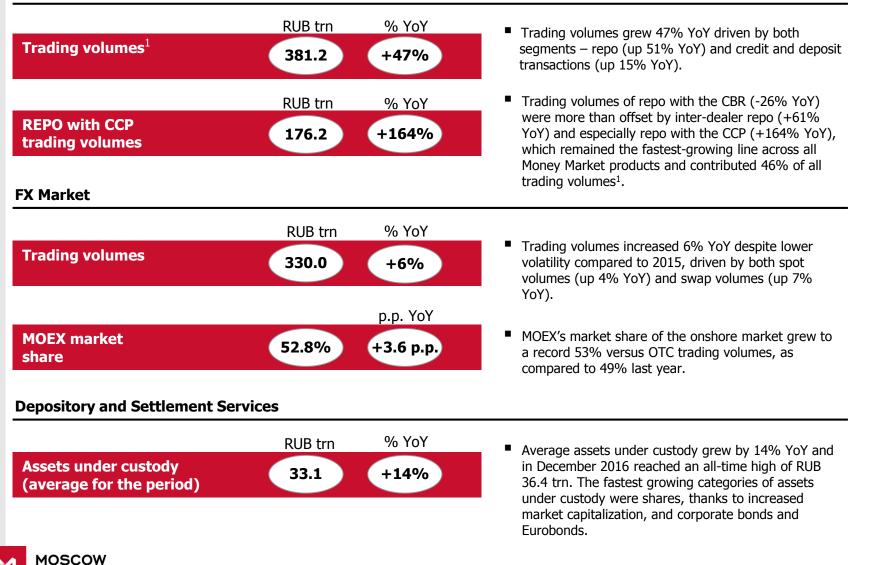


Strong ROE generation

## Trading markets in 2016

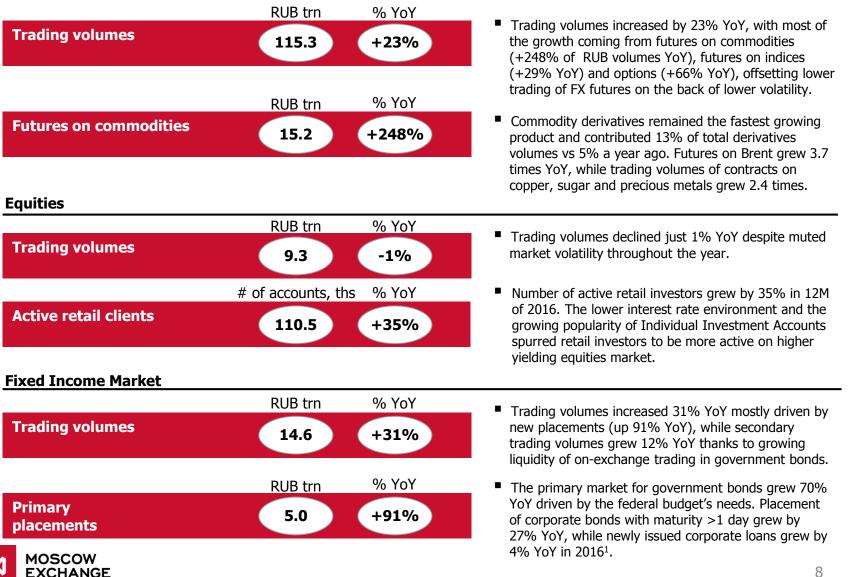
#### **Money Market**

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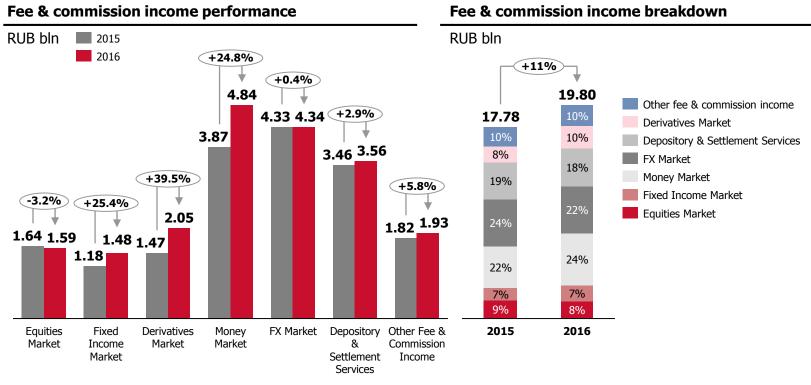


## Trading markets in 2016

#### **Derivatives Market**



## Diversified fee & commission income



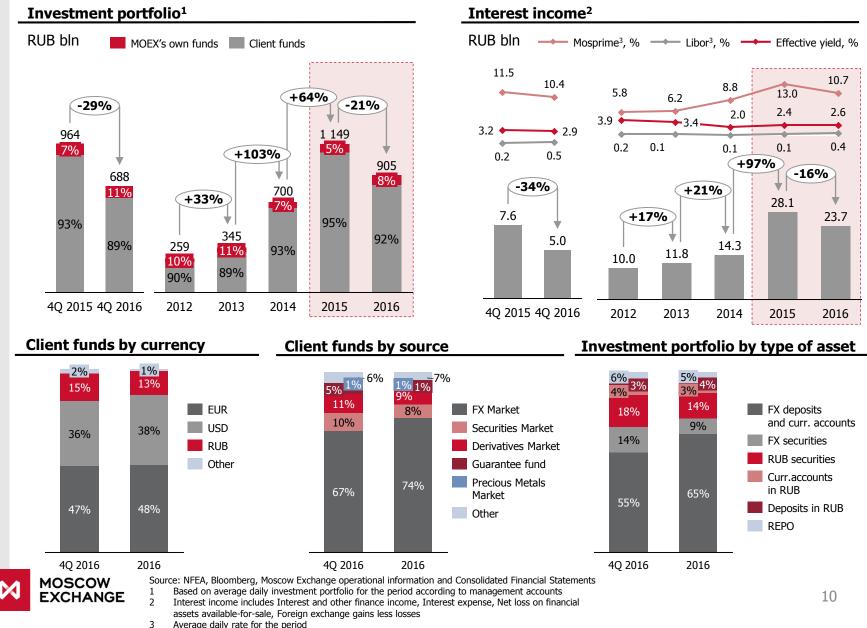
#### Key takeaways

- Fee and commission income increased by 11% YoY to RUB 19.8 bln, with the Derivatives, Fixed Income and Money Markets showing highest growth rates.
- Fee and commission income remained well-diversified. None of the seven markets contributed more than 25% of total fees and commissions.



Source: Consolidated Financial Statements Other fee & commission income includes income from sale of software and technical services and information services, listing fees and other fee income

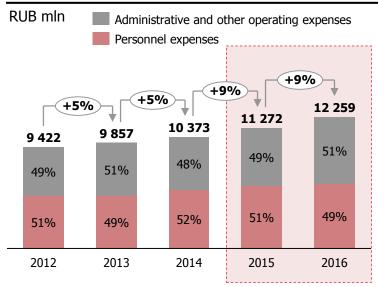
### Interest and finance income



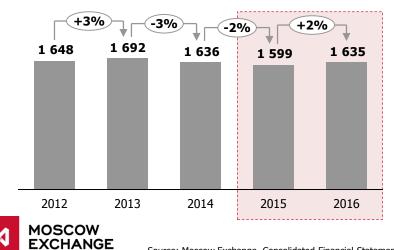
Average daily rate for the period

## **Operating expenses**

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Headcount



#### Major expense items

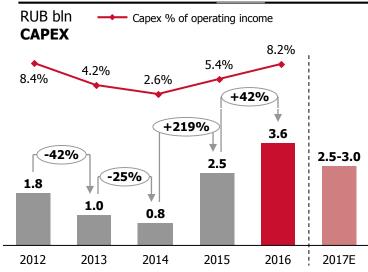
RUB mln	2015	2016	Change YoY
Personnel expenses	5,783	5,947	3%
Administrative and other operating expenses, including	5,489	6,312	15%
Amortisation of intangible assets	1 <b>,</b> 207	1 <b>,</b> 262	5%
Equipment and intangible assets maintenance	683	966	41%
Depreciation of property and equipment	593	1 <b>,</b> 032	74%
Rent and office maintenance	490	480	-2%
Taxes other than income tax	451	476	6%
Professional services	358	318	-11%
Advertising and marketing costs	323	407	26%
Fotal	11,272	12,259	<b>9</b> %
Cost income ratio	24.5%	28.1%	3.6 p.p.

#### Comments

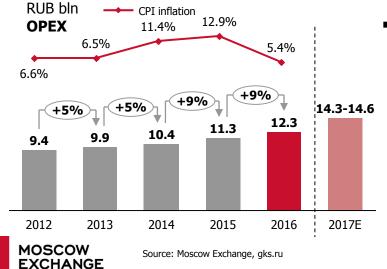
- In 2016 operating expenses grew by 9% YoY, below the FY 2016 guidance, which allowed MOEX to retain a best-inclass cost-to-income ratio.
- Administrative and other expenses increased by 15% YoY. The highest growth items were equipment and IA maintenance and depreciation of property and equipment, as MOEX successfully completed migration to Dataspace1, a new state-of-art data center.
- Personnel costs increased by 3% YoY, in line with headcount growth.

## **CAPEX and OPEX 2017**

#### Moderate capital intensity in spite of operating a technology-based business



**Effective cost management** 



- Capex 2016 peaked, and amounted to RUB 3.6 bln, in line with guidance.
- In 2017 and onwards capex is expected to normalize at RUB 2.5-3.0 bln/year.
- The scope of key capital expenditures includes:
  - New IT architecture to add functionality of single collateral pool
  - Hardware upgrade
  - Corporate actions reform

- In 2017 operating expenses growth is expected to be in the range of 17-19% driven by:
  - Double-digit administrative expenses growth as a result of higher D&A and IT maintenance costs following migration to the new datacenter and increased IT footprint
  - Personnel expenses growth above inflation mostly due to selective salary increases and approval of the new share-based compensation scheme

## Priorities and key sources of growth

- DMA for corporates to FX and Money Markets
- Repo with General Collateral Certificates to improve efficiency of repo trades
- Development of short-term and ultra shortterm bonds, securitization
- Development of grain and sugar markets
  Value-added market data sales
  Centralized clearing of OTC derivatives
  E-voting services

Grow

footprint

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- Introduction of unified collateral pool across all markets
- Risk-netting between asset classes
- Development of collateral management services
- Development of cross-margining
- Development of unified data storage across the Group

- Retail investors: support of fintech for individuals, on-line marketing tools, product and brand development, educational efforts
- International flow: Sponsored Market Access (SMA) to FX Market, development of international clearing membership on FX and derivatives markets, EMIR/CFTC accreditation
- Corporate players on FX, Money and Commodities markets
- Focus on corporate governance to further market quality improvement

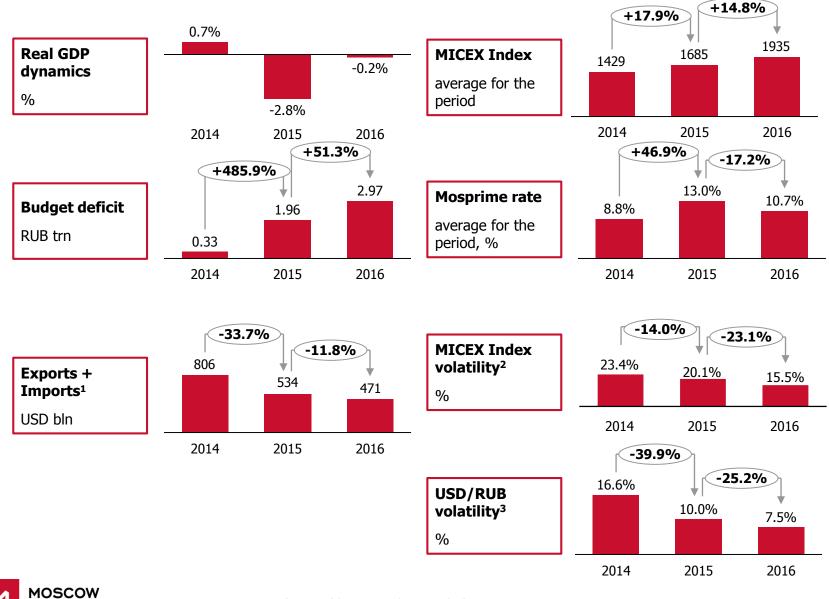
- Benefit from<br/>structural• New equities offerings by both privately-<br/>owned and state-owned companiesopportunities• Dublic debt increase driver by both the
  - Public debt increase driven by both the government and corporates
  - Retail investors shift towards securities market
  - Pension funds access to MOEX's Innovations and Investment section



## Appendix



### Macroeconomic and market environment in 2016



Source: Rosstat, Ministry of Finance of the Russian Federation, Federal Customs Service, CBR, NFEA, MOEX

1 Source for 2014-2015 - Rosstat, 2016 - Federal Customs Service

2 Calculated as annualized standard deviation of daily returns

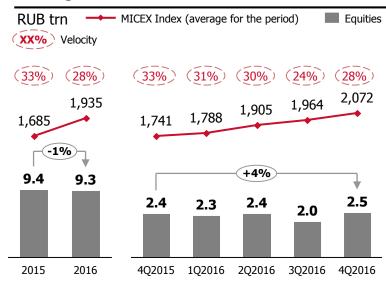
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3 Calculated as daily standard deviation for the period divided by the average value for the period

## Equities Market: lower volatility, growing index

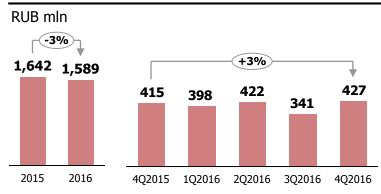
Trading volumes<sup>1</sup>

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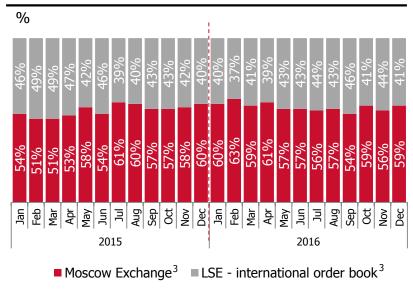


#### Fee & commission income

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#### Russian equities trading volumes<sup>2</sup>, MOEX vs LSE



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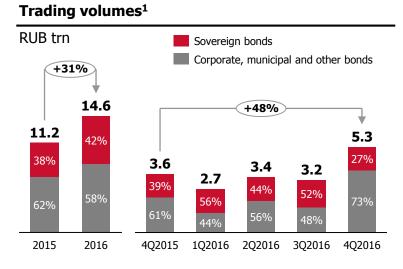
- Average velocity of the Equities Market was 28% in 2016. Trading volumes decreased by 1% YoY while the average market capitalization increased by 17%.
- Fee and commission income decreased 3%, due to the lower trading volumes.
- MOEX's average market share vs LSE for dual-listed stocks was 58% in 2016.



Source: Moscow Exchange operational information and Consolidated Financial Statements, Liquidmetrix, WFE

- 1 Volumes on both primary and secondary markets
- 2 Moscow Exchange and London Stock Exchange data for Russian dual-listed companies
  - Only electronic order book deals

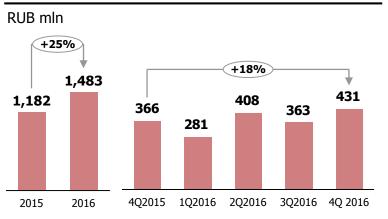
## **Fixed Income Market:** growth in fees driven by new primary placements

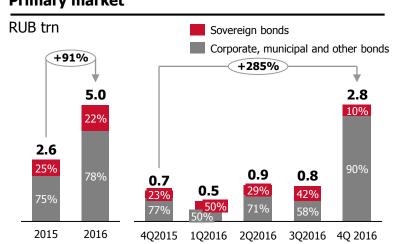


#### Fee & commission income

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#### **Primary market**

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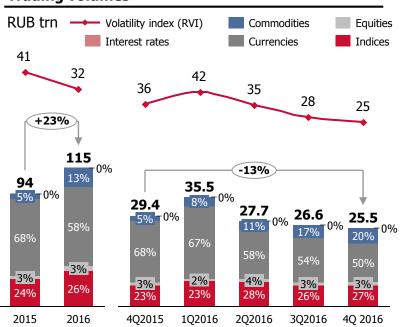
- Fee and commission income grew by 25% in 2016 primarily due to placements and secondary trading of sovereign bonds and placements of corporate and other bonds.
- Total trading volumes in 2016 increased by 31%. Around • 70% of the increase in volumes came from primary placements.
- The need to finance the increased budget deficit resulted in a 70% growth of government bonds issuance. Placements of corporate and other non-sovereign bonds increased 98%, in large part due to a new product, overnight corporate bonds, which contributed RUB 1.4 bln to new placements.



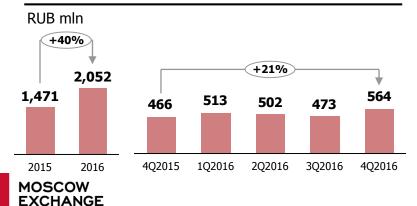
## Derivatives Market: commodities continue standout performance

Trading volumes

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#### Fee & commission income



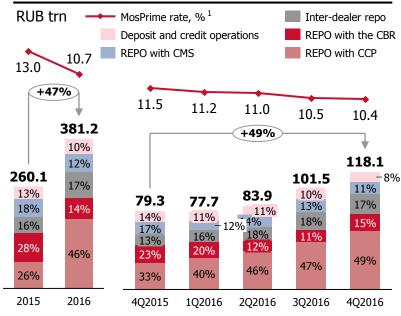
**Open interest** RUB bn, daily average +33% +35% 753.5 681.1 712.4 623.2 635.6 513.0 557.5 2015 2016 402015 1Q2016 2Q2016 302016 402016 Comments

- Trading volumes increased by 23% in RUB terms in 2016. Fee income outperformed trading volumes and grew by 40% YoY thanks to a shift to higher-margin products and a change in the fee structure in 4Q 2016. The average effective fee increased from 0.16 bp last year to 0.18 bp in 2016.
- Commodity derivatives were the fastest growing types of contracts, with futures and options on commodities growing 3.5x and 19.3x YoY respectively. Options trading volumes increased by 66% YoY in RUB terms. The growth was driven by options on commodities (19.3x YoY) and on indices (+72% YoY).
- Average open interest grew by 33% YoY from RUB 513.0 bln to RUB 681.1 bln.
- From Oct 3<sup>rd</sup> a new tariff structure, linking fees to prices of underlying assets, came into effect on the Derivatives Market. The new structure harmonizes tariffs with the rest of the product portfolio and unifies tariffs among derivatives on the underlying assets of the same type.

## **Money Market**: demand for on-exchange services continues to grow

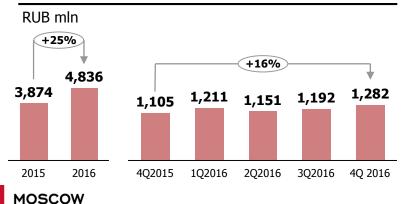
#### **Trading volumes**

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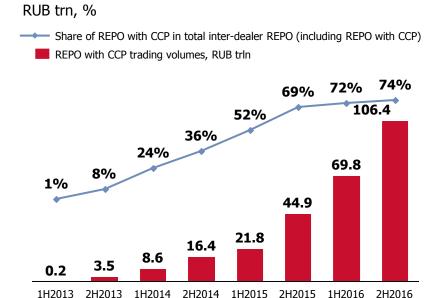


#### Fee & commission income

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#### Trading volumes for REPO with CCP

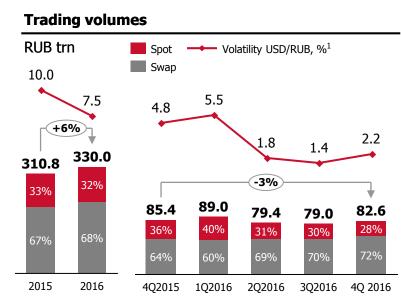


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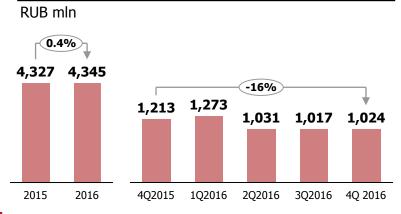
- Fee and commission income increased by 25% YoY. The biggest contributor to growth was repo with the CCP (trading volumes up 2.6x YoY).
- Average REPO maturity declined from 6.6 days to 3.4 days due to lower demand for longer term REPO. However, average maturity of REPO with the CCP grew from 1.8 to 2.3 days following the introduction of 1-week REPO at the beginning of 2016.

Source: Moscow Exchange operational information and Consolidated Financial Statements 1 Overnight rate, average for the period

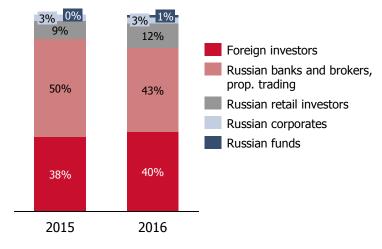
## FX Market: normalization of volatility



#### Fee & commission income



#### Share in MOEX spot FX market by investor type



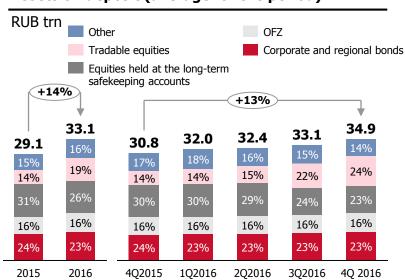
#### Comments

- Trading volumes increased by 6% despite markedly lower FX volatility. Fees stayed flat (+0.4% YoY).
- Swaps remained in strong demand among market participants as a liquidity management tool and contributed 68% to total trading volumes versus 67% a year ago.
- The market share of MOEX's FX Market vs OTC increased from 49.2% in 2015 to 52.8% in 2016.



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## **Depository and settlement:** continued growth of assets under custody



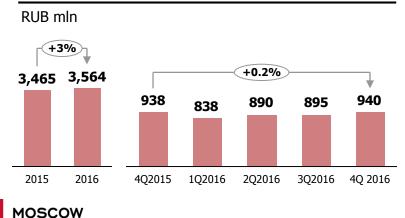
#### Assets on deposit (average for the period)

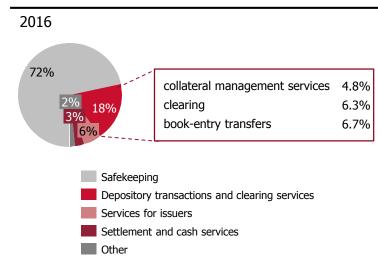
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#### Fee & commission income

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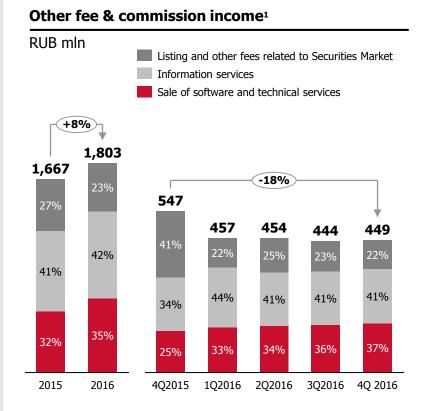


#### Fee & commission income breakdown

#### Comments

- The increase in assets under custody was driven by increased market cap of the Equities Market and new bond placements, both by corporates and the government.
- On 1 July 2016, the legal framework for corporate actions reform went into effect. Corporate Information Center was launched by NSD, forming a single source of corporate data with "golden copy" status, which aims to solve the problem of multiple, inconsistent corporate actions data.
- NSD played a key role in the Finance Ministry's Eurobond placements in September and May 2016, acting as lead depository as well as fiscal and settlement agent.

## Other fee and commission income: growth in fees driven by sales of software and technical services



#### Comments

- Listing and other fees related to the Securities Market declined by 8% YoY mostly due to higher demand to absorb larger placement sizes, which led to a lower number of new placements.
- Fee income from sale of information services and software and technical services grew by 9% YoY and 21% YoY, respectively, driven by product development and expansion of the client base.



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