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Operating Highlights

Cathay Life Insurance

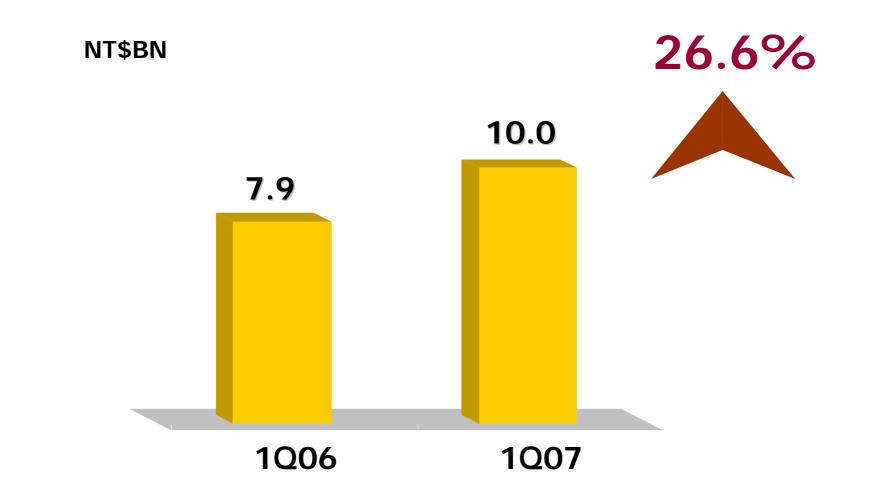
Cathay United Bank

Cathay Century

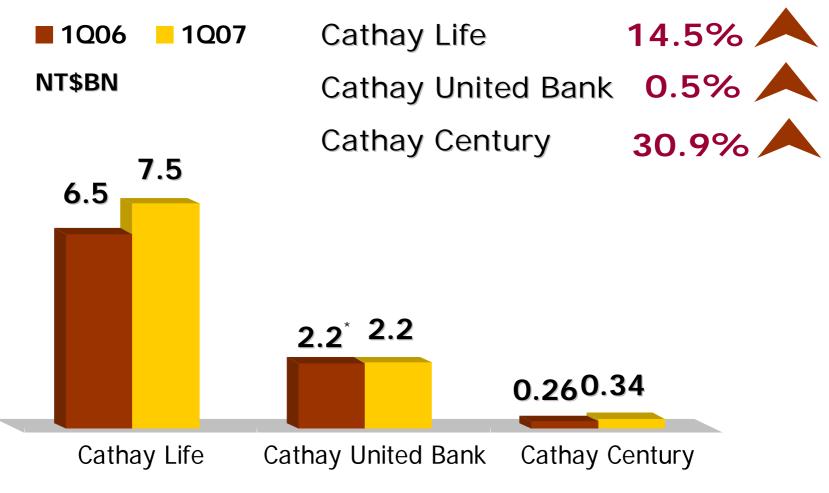
Embedded Value & Appraisal Value



Cathay FHC net income

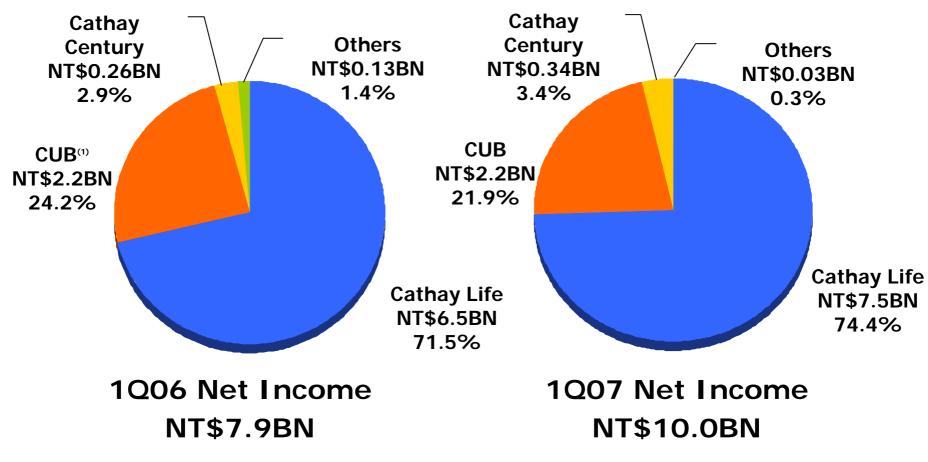






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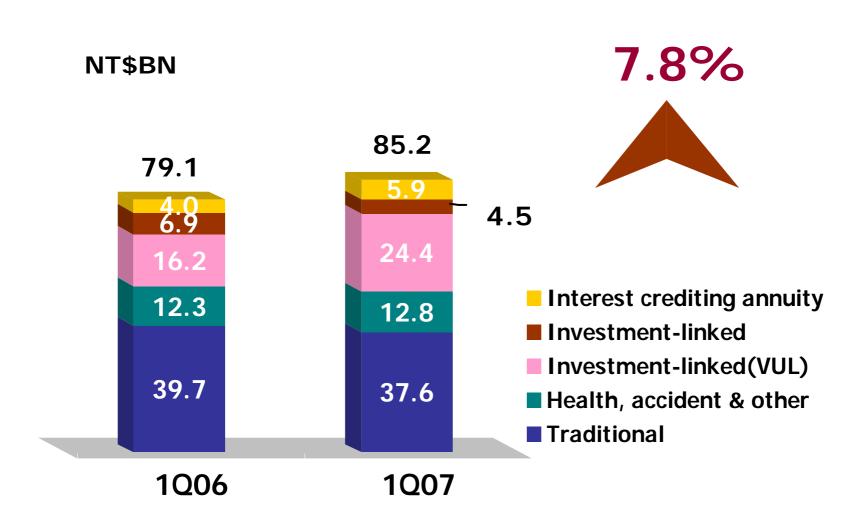
Net income contribution



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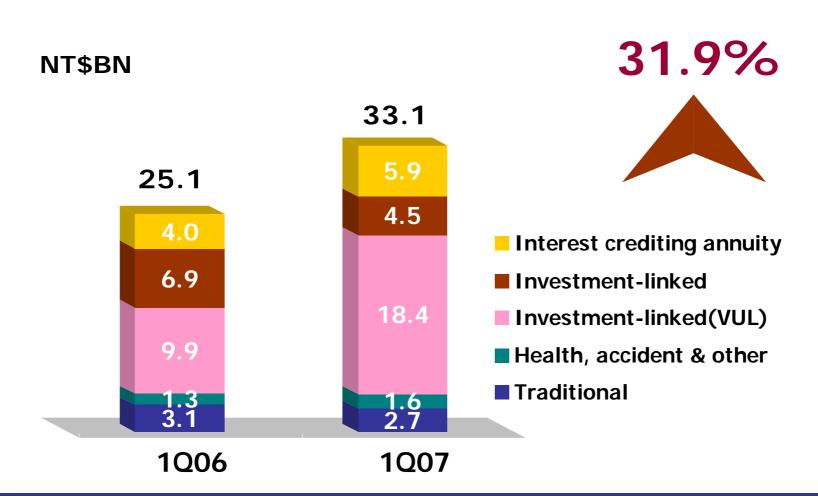
(2): Pie charts are calculated on a sum-of-parts basis

Cathay Life - Total premium

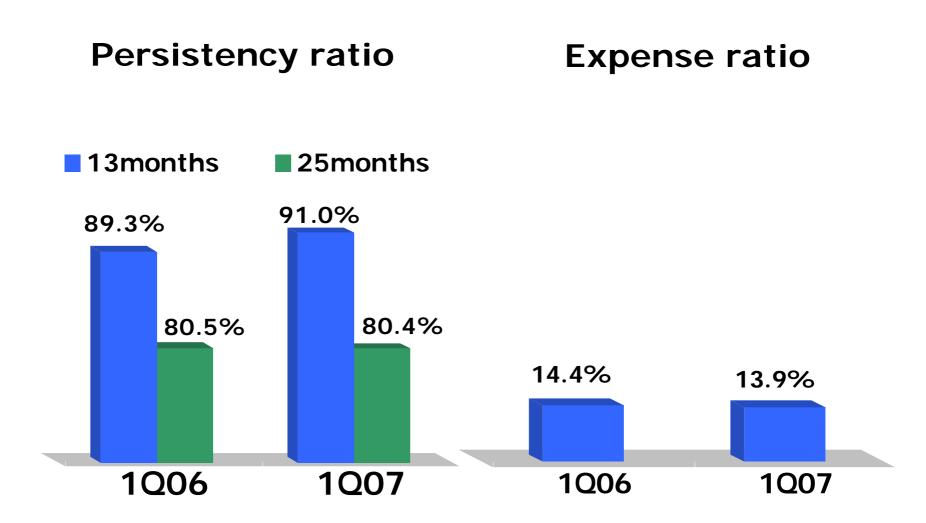




Cathay Life - First year premium



Cathay Life - Operational indicators





Cathay Life - Investment portfolio

	FYC	06	1Q07		_	
	Amt. (NT\$BN)	%	Amt. (NT\$BN)	%	Weight Change	Amount Change
Cash & cash equivalents	304.7	15.6%	243.4	12.2%	-3.4%	-61.3
Equities - Domestic	174.8	8.9%	234.1	11.7%	2.8%	59.3
Equities - International	30.0	1.5%	47.1	2.4%	0.9%	17.1
Bonds - Domestic	194.0	9.9%	205.2	10.3%	0.4%	11.2
Bonds - International ⁽¹⁾	617.4	31.6%	636.5	31.9%	0.3%	19.1
Mortgage loans	308.3	15.7%	319.7	16.1%	0.4%	11.4
Policy loans	175.8	9.0%	177.1	<mark>8.9</mark> %	-0.1%	1.3
Real estate	113.7	5.8%	117.3	5.9%	0.1%	3.6
Others	38.9	2.0%	12.5	0.6%	-1.4%	-26.4
Total investments ⁽²⁾⁽³⁾	1,957.6	100.0%	1,992.9	100.0%		

Note (1) : Includes foreign currency and related adjustments

Note (2) : Excluded separate account assets

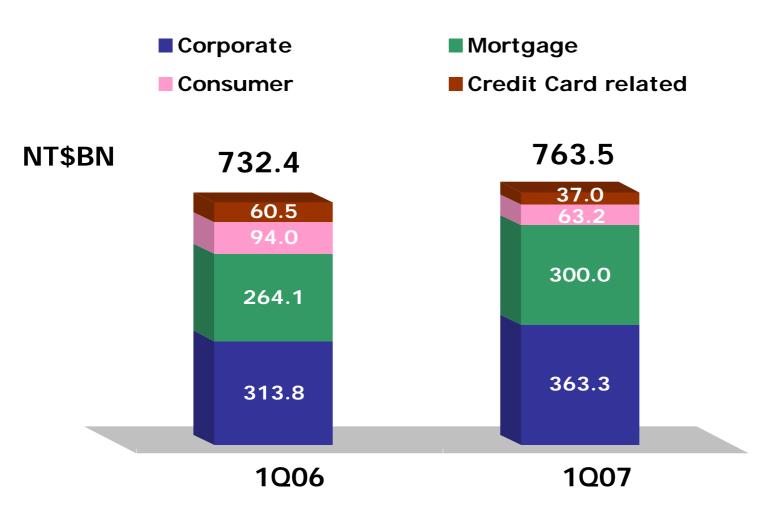
Note (3) : Total investment only includes funds available to invest

Cathay United Bank – Key metrics

NT\$BN	1006	FY06	1Q07
Total loans	732.4	755.2	763.5
Personal unsecured loans	91.0	60.1	54.3
Loan-to-deposit ratio	78.2%	75.8%	75.6%
Net interest margin	2.45%	2.17%	1.72%
Fee income	1.51	5.74	1.35
Gross provisions	4.8	31.9	2.4

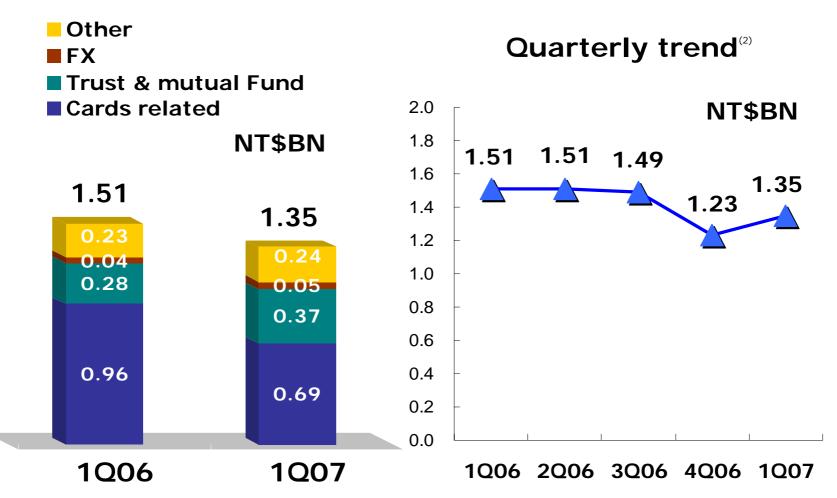
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CUB - Loan breakdown



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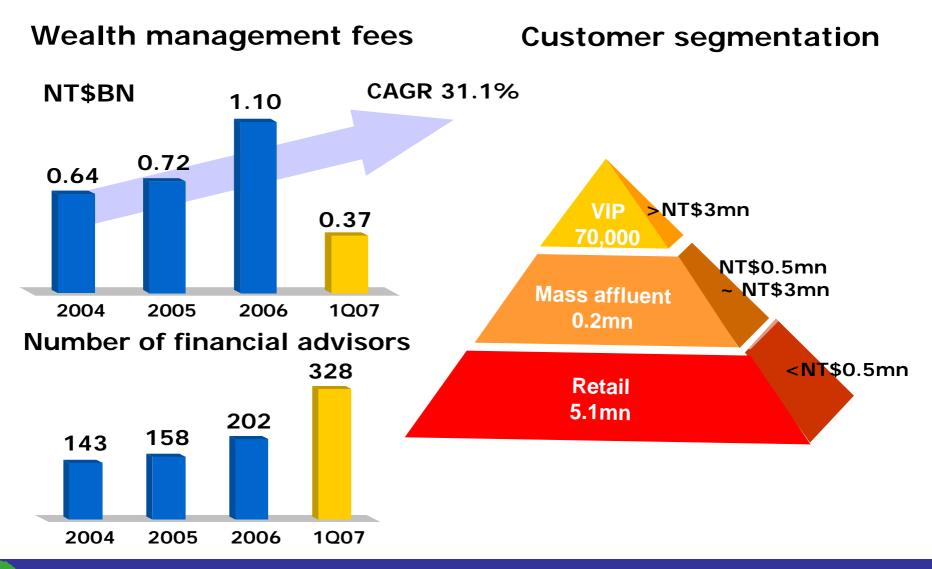
CUB - Fee income



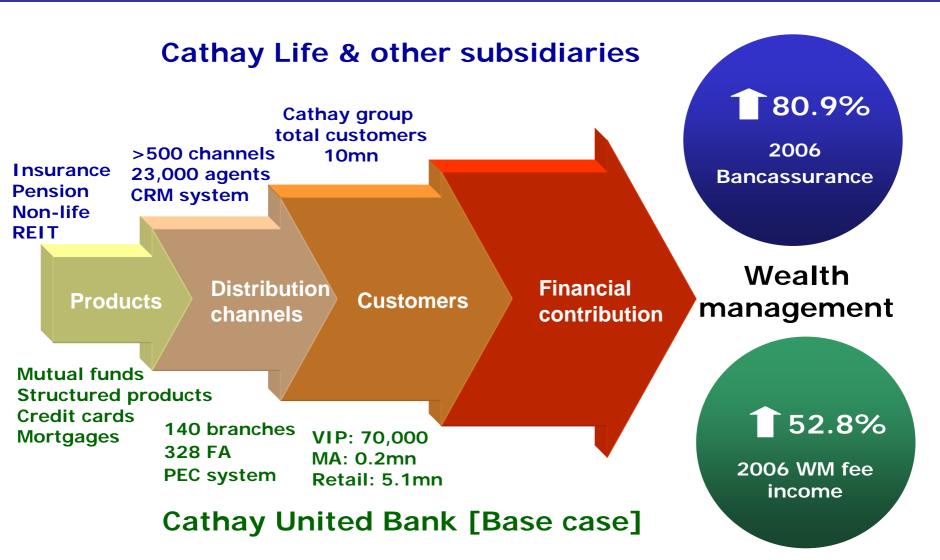
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(2): Fee income of Lucky Bank in each of the past five quarters was NT\$ 0.01BN

CUB - Wealth management

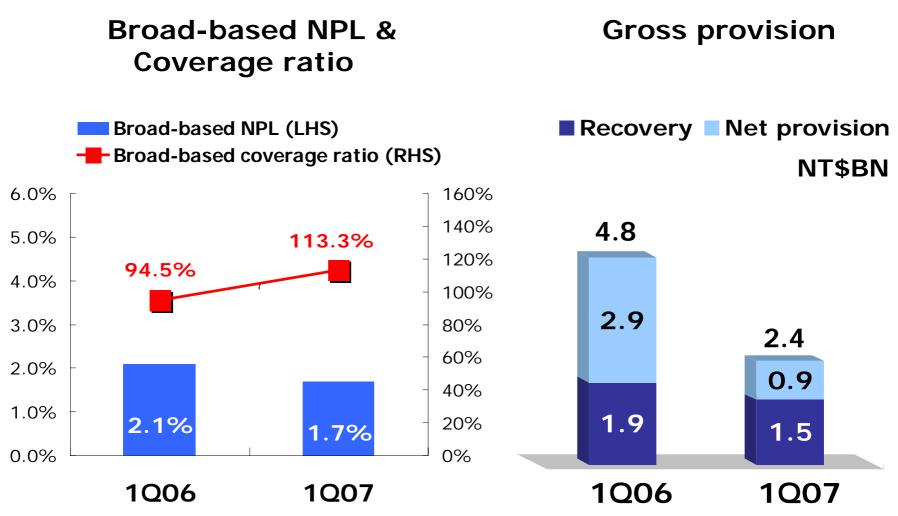


Dual-core model differentiates Cathay from other peers



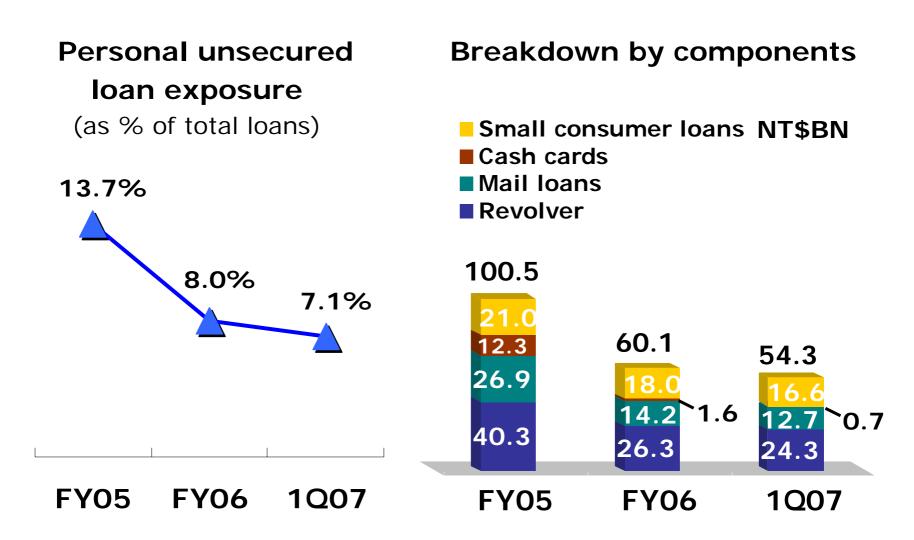


CUB - Credit quality

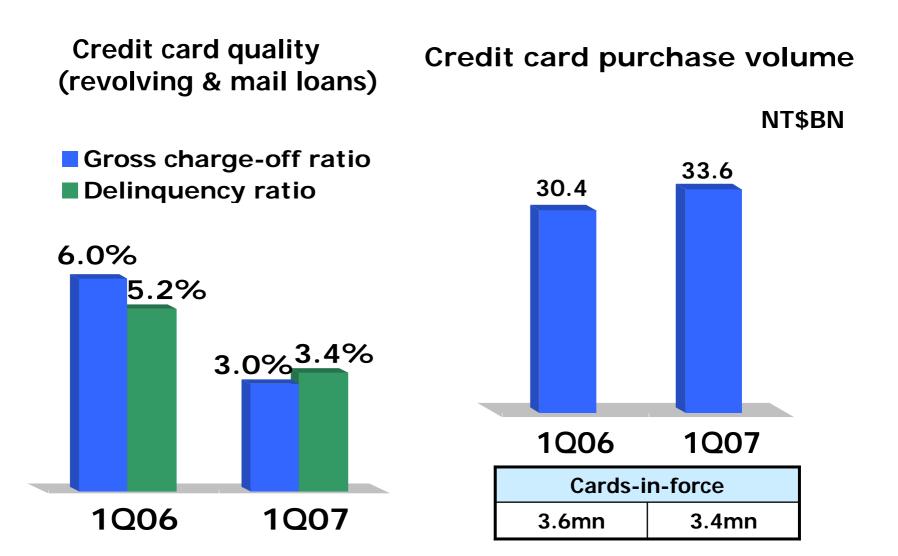


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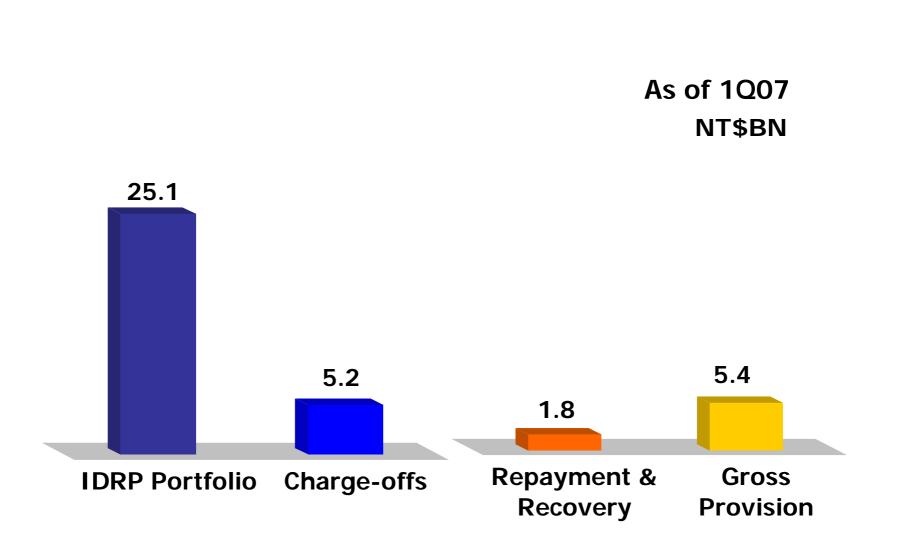
CUB – Personal unsecured loans



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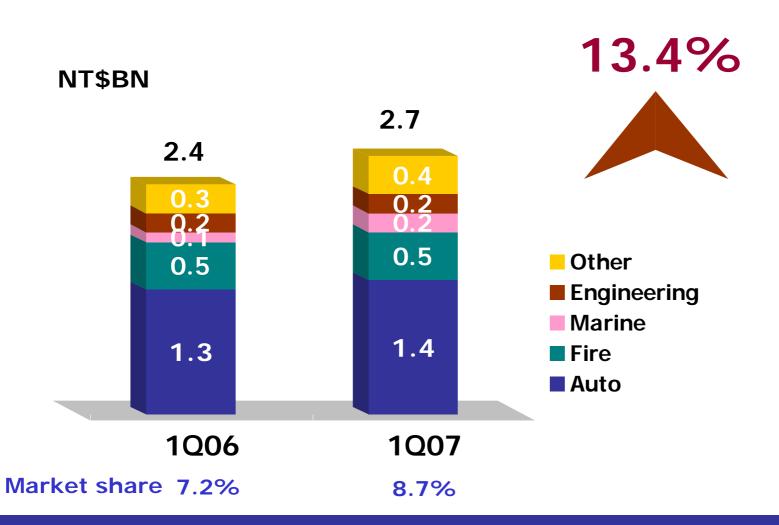


CUB – IDRP portfolio status



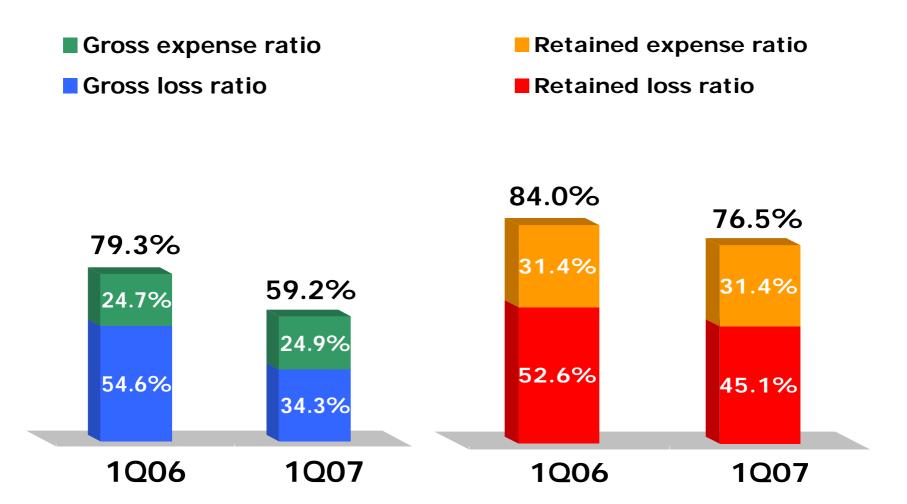


Cathay Century - Premium breakdown





Cathay Century- Combined ratio







Operating Highlights

Cathay Life Insurance

Cathay United Bank

Cathay Century

Embedded Value & Appraisal Value



Embedded Value & Appraisal Value

NT\$BN, except for per share figures

Valuation date	2006/12/31		
Solvency requirement	RE	BC	
Investment yield	5	%	
Discount rate	9.7%	11.7%	
Adjusted net worth	134	127	
Value of in force business	208	179	
Embedded Value	342	306	
EV per share	67.4 (38.0)	60.4 (34.1)	
Value of 1 year's new business	28	24	
Appraisal Value	664	552	
AV per share	130.9 (73.8)	108.9 (61.4)	

Note : 1. per share = per share of Cathay Life; (per share) = per share of Cathay FHC

- 2. EV/AV calculation does not include business of Cathay Life in China
- 3. EV/AV calculation does not factor in the possibility of the lift of overseas investment cap
- 4. EV/AV are based on internal calculation and the method is in line with the past



NT\$BN, except for per share figures

Valuation date	2006/12/31		
Solvency requirement	RE	BC	
Discount rate	10.	7%	
Investment yield	4.75%	5.25%	
Adjusted net worth	127	134	
Value of in force business	160	224	
Embedded Value	287	358	
EV per share	56.7 (32.0)	70.5 (39.8)	
Value of 1 year's new business	25	26	
Appraisal Value	564	642	
AV per share	111.2 (62.7)	126.7 (71.4)	

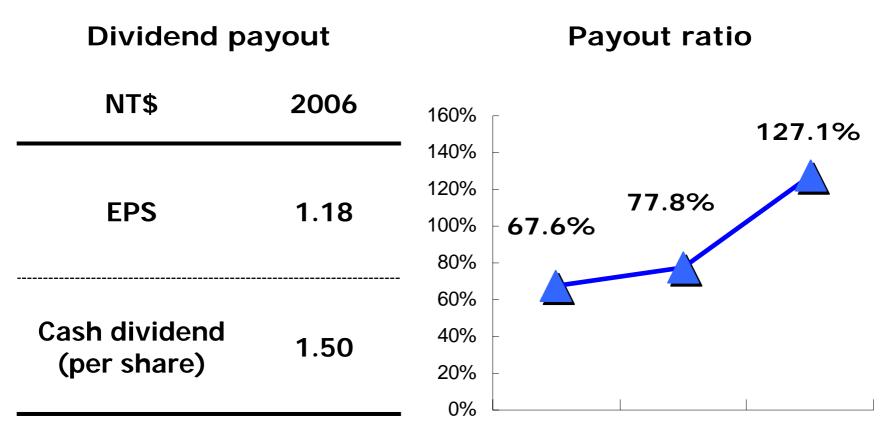


NT\$BN

Valuation date	2005/12/31	2006/12/31
Embedded Value	267 – 298	306-342
Value of 1 year's new business	22 – 26	24-28
Appraisal Value	499 - 591	552-664



Dividend policy



FY04 FY05 FY06





Cathay Financial Holdings Summary Financial Data			FY06/ FY05			1Q07/ 1Q06
(NT\$BN)	FY2005	FY2006	% Chg	1Q 2006	1Q 2007	% Chg
Statement of Income Data						
Interest income	0.9	1.1	16.5%	0.2	0.3	14.5%
Income from subsidiaries						
Cathay Life	17.9	15.0	-16.2%	6.5	7.5	14.9%
Cathay United Bank Cathay Century	3.8 0.6	(3.8) 0.7	16.7%	2.2 0.3	2.2 0.3	0.5% 13.3%
Other	0.0	0.7	300.0%	0.3	0.3	-80.0%
Total income from subsidiaries	22.4	12.3	-45.0%	9.1	10.0	10.3%
Adjustments ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾	(0.1)	0.2	-260.1%	0.0	0.0	-90.3%
Total income from subsidiaries, net	22.3	12.5	-43.9%	9.1	10.0	10.0%
Gain on foreign exchange ⁽³⁾	0.3	(0.0)	-107.8%	0.0	0.1	
Other income	0.0	0.2		0.0	0.0	
Operating costs	(1.2)	(1.7)	35.5%	(0.6)	(0.3)	-47.5%
Administrative and general expenses	(0.3)	(0.2)	-29.8%	(0.0)	(0.0)	-18.8%
Income taxes	(0.2)	(0.4)	128.5%	0.1	(0.1)	
Cumulative effect of changes in accounting principles		(0.9)		(0.9)	0.0	-100.0%
Net income	21.8	10.6	-51.5%	7.9	10.0	25.9%
EPS (NT\$)	2.57	1.18		0.93	1.09	
Balance Sheet Data						
Long-term investments in stock	188.2	205.5		204.9	213.1	
Total assets	204.5	223.8		223.1	230.8	
Total consolidated assets	3,064.9	3,447.5		3,169.5	3,533.8	
Total shareholders' equity	187.7	216.1		206.9	229.8	
Operating Metrics	10.001				4= 667	
ROAE	12.0%	5.2%		16.1%	17.9%	
ROAA	0.8%	0.3%		1.0%	1.1%	

Notes:

(1) Adjustments include eliminations related to cross-holdings of CFH shares at subsidiaries.

(2) In 2003, CFH also adjusted for a difference in the accounting treatment of losses on the disposal of delinquent assets.

(3) Gain on foreign exchange is seperated from non-operating revenues in 2005 and 2006.

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Cathay Life Summary Financial Data (NT\$BN)	FY 2005	FY2006	FY06/ FY05 % Chg	1Q 2006	1Q 2007	1Q07/ 1Q06 % Chg
Summary Statement of Income Data						
Premiums income ⁽¹⁾	276.0	287.6	4.2%	61.7	61.2	-0.8%
Investment income		20110	,.	• • • •	0	01070
Interest income	54.5	62.6	14.9%	14.8	16.7	12.9%
Gain on disposal of investment	11.8	7.7	-35.1%	14.2	5.0	-64.7%
Other investment income, net	12.2	12.2	-0.3%	(9.4)	6.4	-168.6%
Total investment income, net ⁽²⁾	78.5	82.5	5.0%	19.7	28.2	43.1%
Other income	2.5	1.6	-37.7%	0.3	0.5	82.8%
Insurance claims payment	(137.0)	(157.6)	15.1%	(32.6)	(39.5)	21.2%
Provisions for reserves	()	,				
Provisions	(284.1)	(298.4)	5.0%	(62.2)	(63.5)	2.0%
Recoveries	117.0	133.1	13.8%	25.2	30.5	21.0%
Total provisions for reserves, net	(167.1)	(165.3)	-1.1%	(37.0)	(33.0)	-10.8%
Commissions and operating expense						
Brokerage expenses	(25.9)	(27.2)	5.2%	(6.6)	(6.3)	-5.7%
Marketing, administrative and general expenses	(10.2)	(10.4)	1.3%	(2.9)	(2.7)	-6.8%
Total commissions and operating expenses	(36.1)	(37.6)	4.1%	(9.6)	(9.0)	-6.0%
Other operating expenses	(2.1)	(2.7)	23.6%	(0.6)	(0.6)	0.3%
Operating income	14.7	8.5	-42.2%	1.9	7.8	306.2%
Non-operating income	2.3	1.7	-27.3%	0.3	0.4	10.4%
Non-operating expense	(0.3)	(0.3)	-14.8%	(0.0)	(0.0)	-77.7%
Income taxes	1.2	1.8	49.1%	1.0	(0.7)	-177.4%
Cumulative effect of changes in accounting principles	-	3.3		3.3	0.0	
Net income	17.9	15.0	-16.0%	6.5	7.5	14.5%
Balance Sheet Data						
Total assets	1,867.8	2,140.8		1,957.7	2,214.9	
Total stockholders' equity	97.6	119.8		111.3	124.6	
Operating Metrics						
First year premium	112.7	108.2		25.1	33.1	
Expense ratio	12.5%	12.4%		14.4%	13.9%	
13-mos persistency ratio	90.6%	90.0%		89.3%	91.0%	
25-mos persistency ratio	81.8%	82.2%		80.5%	80.4%	
ROAE	19.1%	13.8%		25.0%	24.5%	
ROAA	1.0%	0.8%		1.4%	1.4%	

Notes:

(1) Excludes investment-linked products premium income.

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Cathay United Bank

Summary Financial Data

(NT\$BN)

(NI\$DN)			FY05			1Q07
Summary Statement of Income Data	FY2005	FY2006	% Chg	1Q 2006 ⁽¹⁾	1Q 2007	% Chg
Interest income	39.5	40.5	2.6%	10.6	9.7	-8.5%
Interest expense	(12.9)	(17.0)	31.7%	(3.8)	(4.8)	25.6%
Net interest income	26.6	23.5	-11.5%	6.8	4.9	-27.6%
Net operating income except interest income						
Net handling fee	5.5	4.5	-17.1%	1.1	1.0	-7.5%
Gains on financial assets and liabilities at fair value through P	0.4	(0.4)	-211.4%	0.1	0.3	161.8%
Realized gains on available-for-sale financial assets	0.6	0.5	-16.8%	0.1	0.0	-63.5%
Realized gains on held-to-maturity financial assets	0.0	0.0		0.0	(0.0)	-
Invst inc - equity method	0.2	0.1	-68.3%	0.1	0.1	-
Realized gain - equity method	0.0	1.3		(0.0)	0.0	-
Gain on foreign exchg - net	0.4	0.4	21.6%	0.1	0.2	63.8%
Impairment gain/loss	(0.8)	(0.3)	-66.6%	(0.0)	0.0	-267.5%
Gains on reversal of foreclosed properties impairment	0.9	0.4	-57.2%	0.2	0.0	-
Losses on disposal of foreclosed properties	(0.7)	0.5	-172.3%	(0.1)	0.0	-100.0%
other income-net	0.4	(0.0)	-112.0%	0.0	0.1	609.7%
Net operating income	33.4	30.5	-8.7%	8.4	6.7	-20.4%
Provisions for possible losses ⁽²⁾	(15.0)	(25.8)	72.1%	(2.9)	(0.9)	-68.4%
Operating expenses	(13.4)	(11.7)	-12.4%	(3.2)	(3.0)	-5.0%
Operating income	5.1	(6.9)	-235.3%	2.4	2.8	17.3%
Income taxes	(1.3)	2.4	-290.7%	(0.8)	(0.6)	-32.6%
Cumulative effect of changes in accounting principles	0.0	0.73		0.7	-	-
Net income	3.9	(3.8)	-198.3%	2.3	2.2	-2.0%
Balance Sheet Data						
Total assets	1074.1	1,177.7		1,197.7	1,283.3	
Total shareholders' equity	77.9	72.1		84.2	78.5	
Operating Metrics						
Cost income ratio	40.0%	38.3%		37.7%	45.2%	
ROAE	4.9%	-5.0%		10.9%	11.7%	
ROAA	0.4%	-0.3%		0.8%	0.7%	
Assets Quality						
NPL ratio (international standard)	1.7%	1.8%		2.1%	1.7%	
Coverage ratio (international standard)	144.1%	129.5%		94.5%	113.3%	

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Notes:

(1) Financial results of Lucky Bank are adjusted in 1Q06 numbers.

(2) FY06, 1Q06, 1Q07 provisions net of NT\$6.0bn, NT\$1.9bn and NT\$1.5bn bad debt recoveries, respectively.

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Cathay Century Summary Financial Data (NT\$MM)

			FY06/			1Q07/
			FY05			1Q06
Summary Statement of Income Data	FY 2005	FY 2006	% Chg	1Q 2006	1Q 2007	% Chg
Premiums income	8,912.2	9,896.5	11.0%	2,424.1	2,749.0	13.4%
Reinsurance premiums ceded	(2,988.5)	(3,098.5)	3.7%	(792.3)	(872.4)	10.1%
Premiums income, net	5,923.7	6,798.0	14.8%	1,631.8	1,876.6	15.0%
Investment						
Interest income	263.4	318.5	20.9%	72.7	87.3	20.0%
Other investment income, net	40.5	58.6	44.8%	74.8	49.0	-34.4%
Total investment income	303.9	377.1	24.1%	147.5	136.3	-7.6%
Other operating income	401.5	223.7	-44.3%	73.5	82.8	12.7%
Insurance claims payment, net	(3,098.6)	(3,005.8)	-3.0%	(766.3)	(818.3)	6.8%
Provisions for reserves						
Provisions	(5,032.5)	(5,830.8)	15.9%	(4,805.6)	(5,329.0)	10.9%
Recoveries	4,428.9	4,677.8	5.6%	4,553.5	5,043.5	10.8%
Total provisions for reserves, net	(603.6)	(1,153.0)	91.0%	(252.1)	(285.5)	13.3%
Commissions, operating and other expenses	(2,187.5)	(2,395.4)	9.5%	(590.1)	(568.8)	-3.6%
Operating income	739.2	844.7	14.3%	244.3	423.1	73.2%
Non-operating income	12.1	3.7	-69.8%	0.6	1.2	102.7%
Non-operating expense	(0.0)	(0.1)	182.6%	(0.0)	(0.0)	-
ncome taxes	(160.8)	(178.6)	11.1%	(44.9)	(83.9)	86.9%
Cumulative effect of changes in accounting principles	-	60.1	-	60.1	0.0	-
Net income	590.5	729.8	23.6%	260.1	340.4	30.9%
Summary Balance Sheet Data						
Total assets	12,692.6	14,675.9	15.6%	13,332.6	15,379.0	
Total stockholders' equity	3,194.2	3,571.6	11.8%	3,468.2	3,903.3	
Operating Metrics						
Written Combined ratio	104.5%	66.7%		79.3%	59.2%	
Net Combined ratio	86.0%	82.4%		84.0%	76.5%	
ROAE	18.5%	21.6%		31.2%	36.4%	
ROAA	4.9%	5.3%		8.0%	9.1%	

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Shares Outstanding (Millions of shares)

	As of 3/31/2007
Total shares issued	9,266.2
Treasury shares CFH Cross holdings of subsidiaries	66.7
Cathay Life Cathay United Bank Cathay Century Lucky Bank Total cross-holdings of subsidiaries	0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0
Total treasury shares	66.7
Total shares outstanding	9,199.5

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Capital Adequacy Metrics

	Capital Adequacy Metrics (As of 31-Dec2006)	Legal Requirement
Cathay Financial Holdings Double leverage ratio ⁽¹⁾ (As of 31 March, 2007)	93.90%	n/a
Cathay Life RBC Ratio ⁽¹⁾	250% - 400%	200%
Cathay Century RBC Ratio ⁽¹⁾	523.97%	200%
Cathay United Bank BIS Ratio	12.34%	8%

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⁽¹⁾ Preliminary
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