







Manitoba's Economy



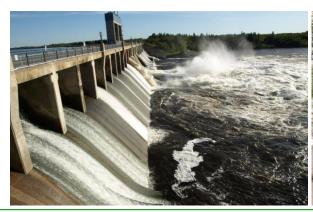
- One of ten Canadian provinces (fifth-largest in population)
- Centrally located in North America with a comprehensive transportation and communication network
- Total Area 650,000 km² (about 4.5 times the area of New York)
- Population: 1.32 million, the secondfastest growing province in 2015 and 2016
- Capital: Winnipeg, Pop. 811,900
- Extensive natural resources
 (minerals, forests, fertile soil, freshwater lakes)
- Sound credit rating: Moody's: Aa2 (stable) and S&P: A+ (stable)



Broad and Balanced Industrial Base



- The Manitoba economy has a relatively well-balanced industrial base with a majority of medium-sized industries each contributing over 5% to total value-added output
- The range in contribution from the smallest to the largest industry is the narrowest among provinces: many similar sized sectors
- Manitoba is the most stable economy among provinces with steadiest growth in:
 - Real GDP
 - Employment
 - Labour income
 - International merchandise exports
 - Manufacturing sales





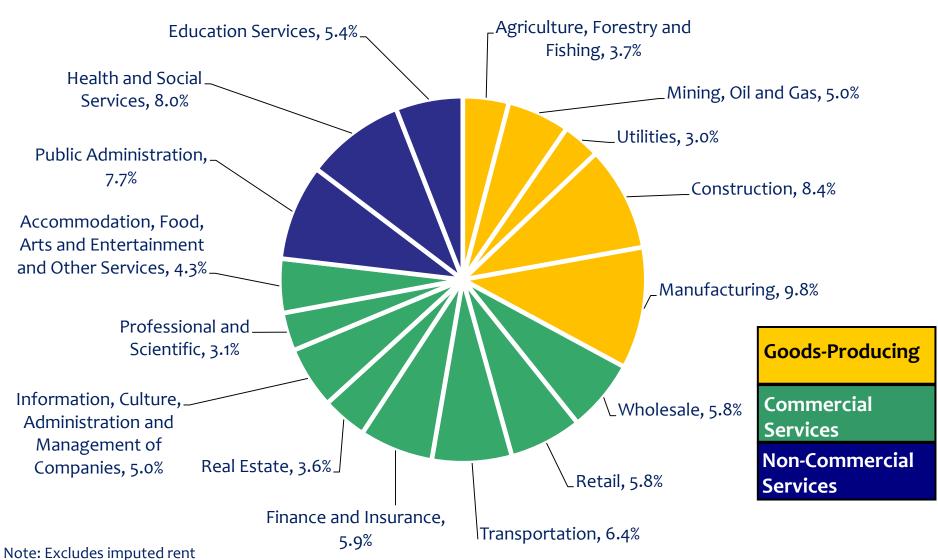




Diversified Industries



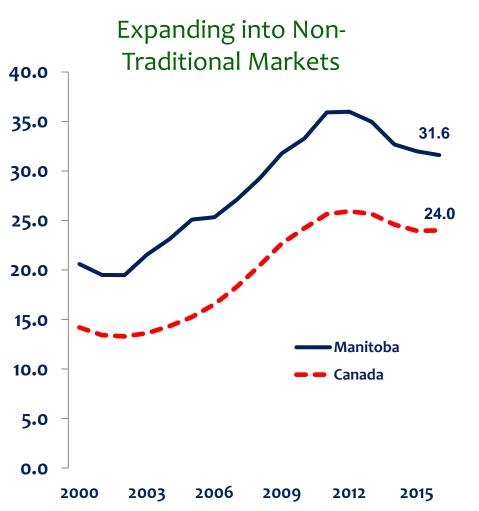
GDP By Industry Shares, 2016



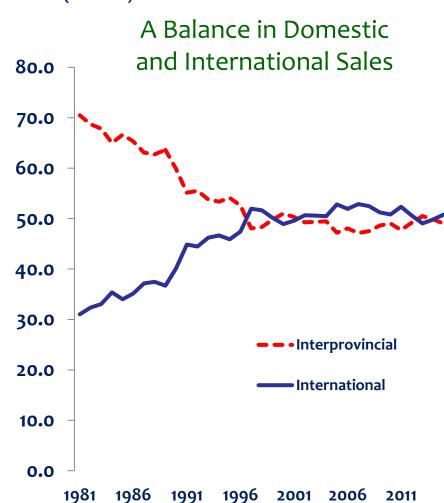
Broad and Balanced Export Market







Manitoba's Share of Interprovincial and International Exports, 1981 – 2015 (Per Cent)





Source: Statistics Canada

Manitoba's Broad Export Base



Grains, Oilseeds and Livestock

Aerospace Components and Service

- Transit and Inter-City Buses
- Processed Food Products
- Machinery and Equipment
- Mining and Oil Extraction
- Electricity (Mostly Hydro)
- Industrial Chemicals
- Pharmaceuticals

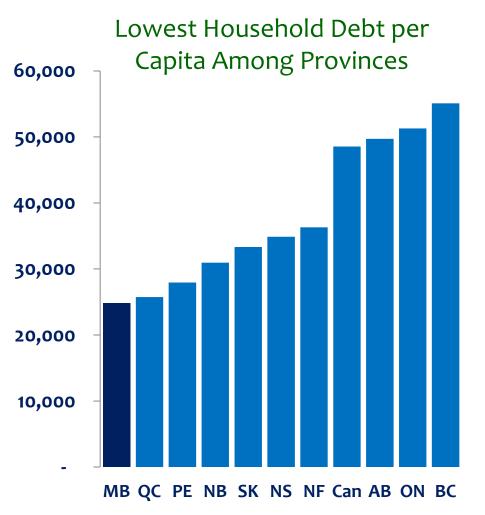


Firm Household Finances











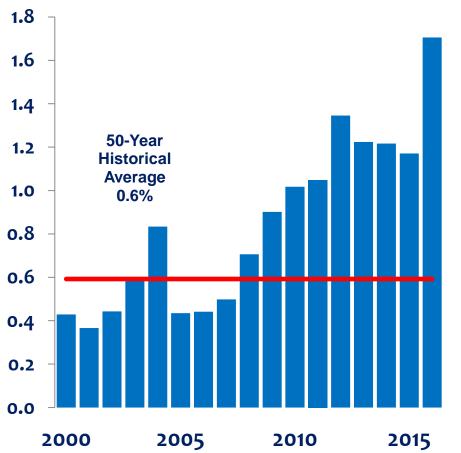


Expanding Population

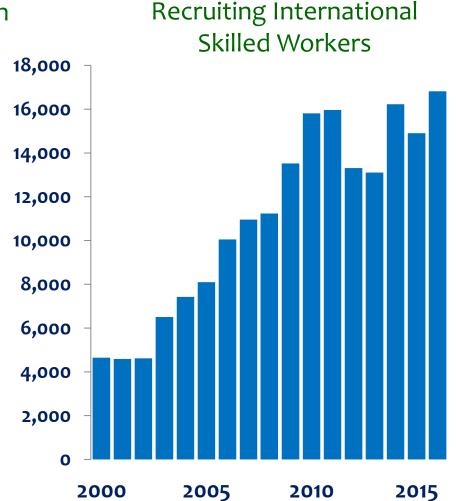


Annual Population Growth, 2000 – 2016 (Per Cent)

Manitoba Exceeded Canada's Population Growth in each of the Last Six Years



International Immigration, 2000 – 2016 (Persons)





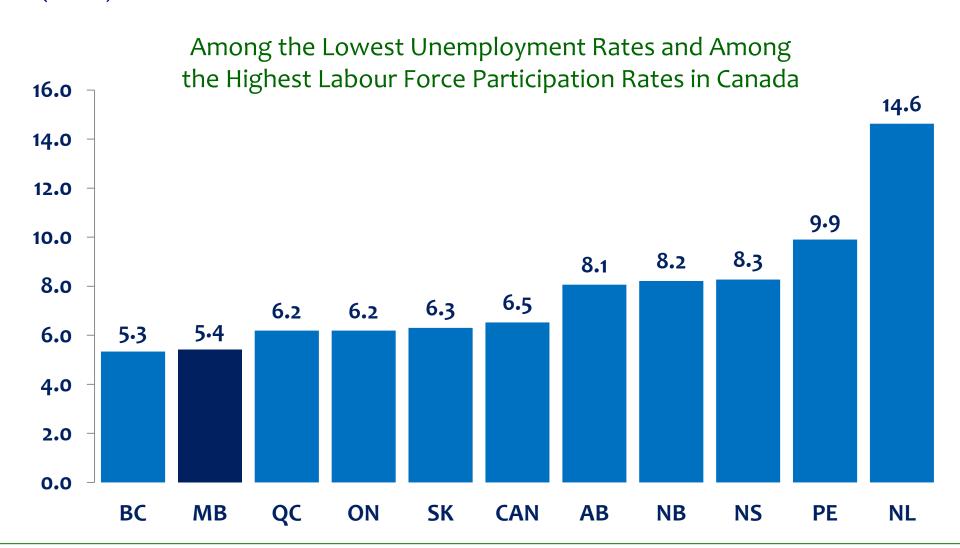
Source: Statistics Canada

Low Unemployment Rate



Unemployment Rate, 2017 Year-To-Date

(Per Cent)



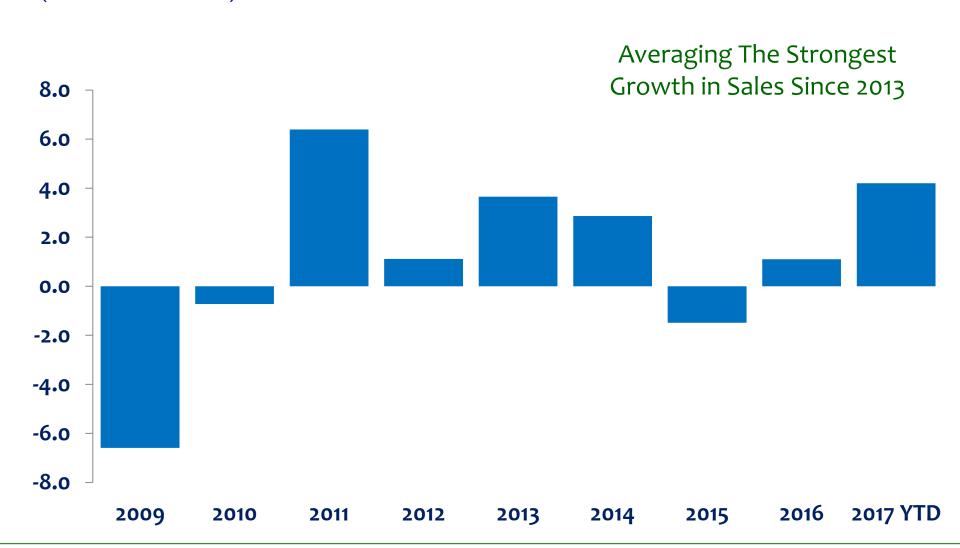


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Improving Demand Condition in 2017





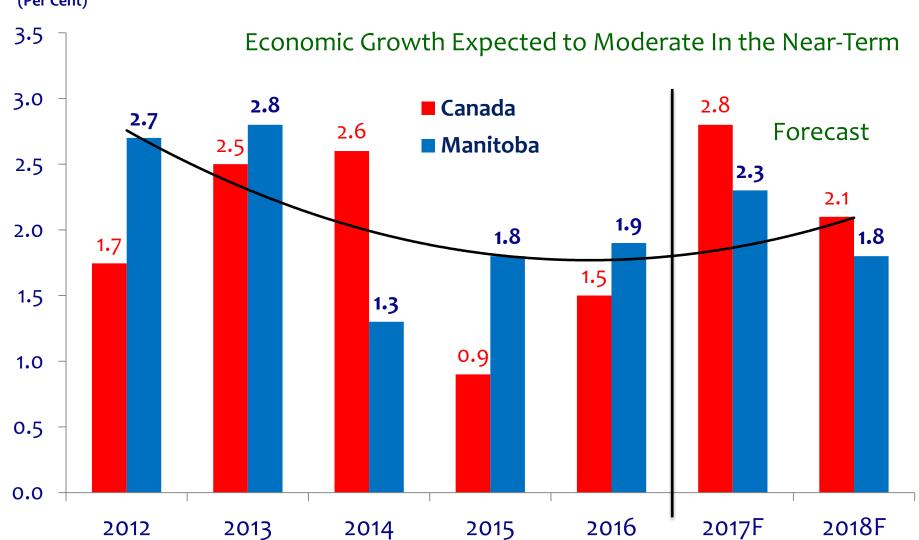




Economic Performance











Manitoba Finance Survey of Economic Forecasts (As at September 2017)

	2017f		2018f	
	Manitoba	Canada	Manitoba	Canada
	Percent Growth Unless Noted			
Real GDP	2.3	2.8	1.8	2.1
Nominal GDP	4.6	5.5	3.6	4.1
Employment	1.4	1.6	0.8	1.0
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.4	6.5	5.4	6.3
Consumer Prices	1.7	1.8	2.1	2.0



Budget 2017: Responsible Recovery

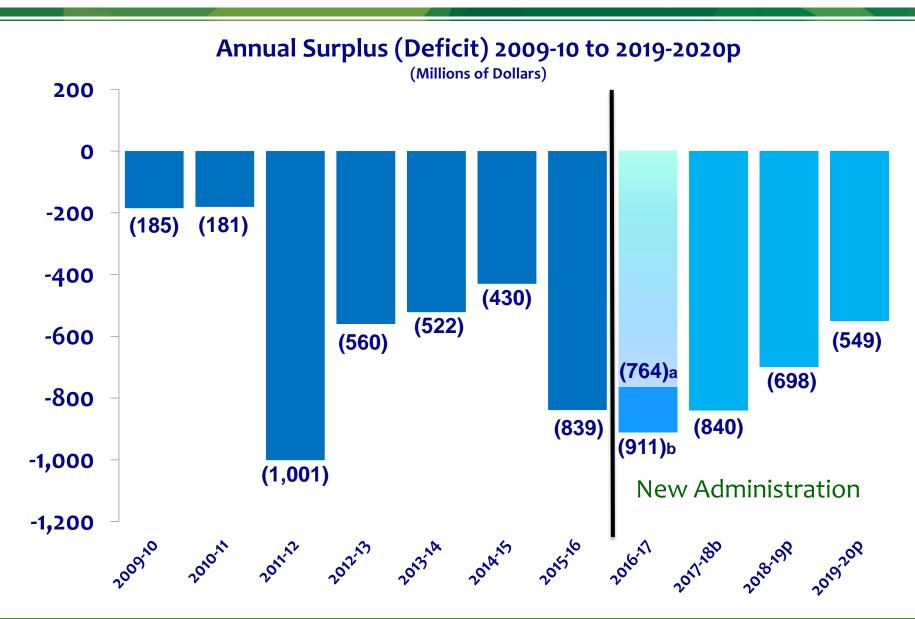
 Restoring credit ratings, meeting budget targets, stabilizing net debt to GDP and sustainable investment in strategic infrastructure

Foundation for Strong Fiscal Fundamentals

- Fiscal Performance Review of core government departments
- Review of all tax credits
- New legislation:
 - The Fiscal Responsibility and Taxpayer Protection Act
 - The Public Service Sustainability Act
 - The Health Sector Bargaining Unit Review Act
 - The Red Tape Reduction and Government Efficiency Act





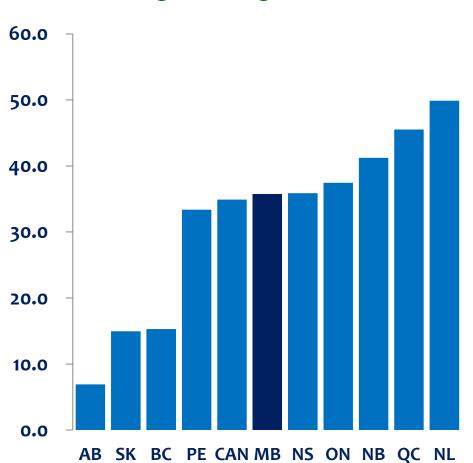


Comparable Among Peers

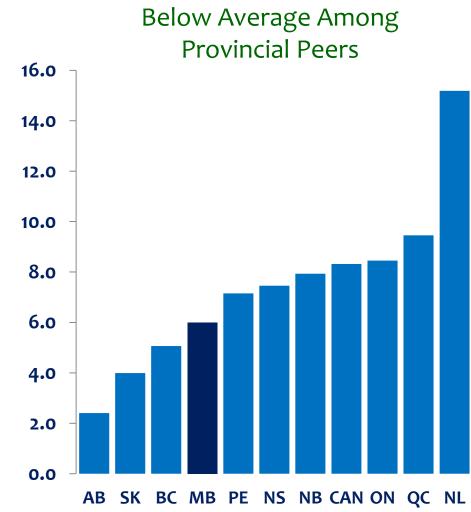




Average Among Provincial Peers

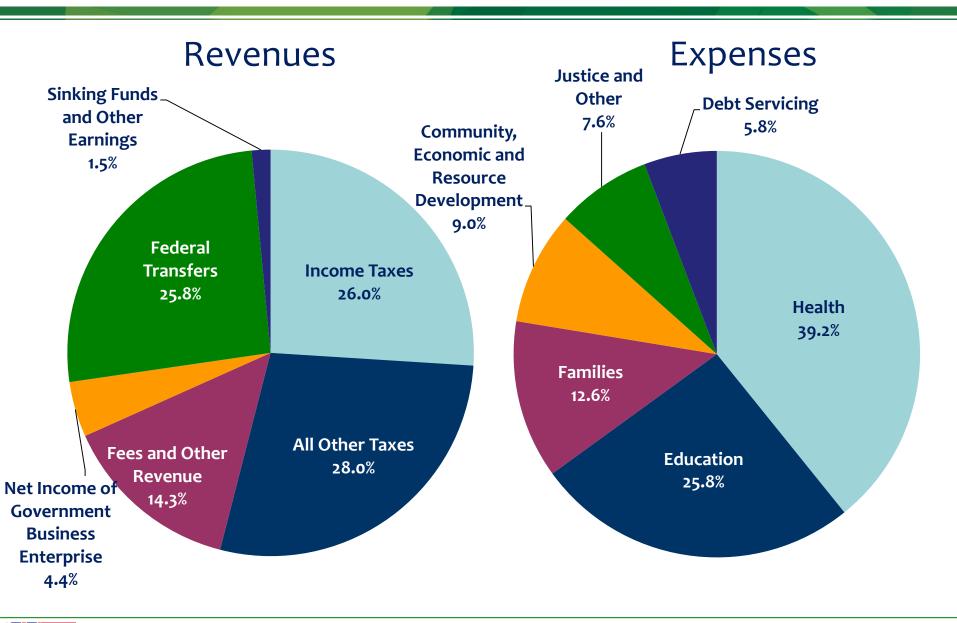


Interest on Debt to Revenue, 2017 - 2018B (Cent/Revenue)







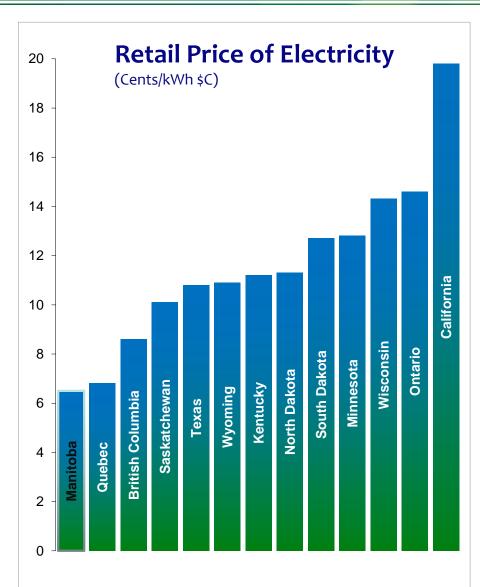




North America's Clean Energy Leader



- 97.5% of electricity generation is hydro, 2.3% is wind and 0.2% is thermal.
- Roughly 1/4 of the electricity generated is exported outside of Manitoba (U.S., Canada).
- Manitoba Hydro's current generation capacity is 5,680 MW, with an additional 4,400 MW more of potential generation identified.





Manitoba Hydro Capital Initiatives



 Manitoba Hydro is currently investing in both a major generation project and transmission project.



Keeyask

Hydro Generating Station Project

Design Capacity:

695 MW

Anticipated Completion: 2021/22

Anticipated Cost: \$8.7B



Bipole III

Transmission Line Project

Design Capacity:

1,364 km

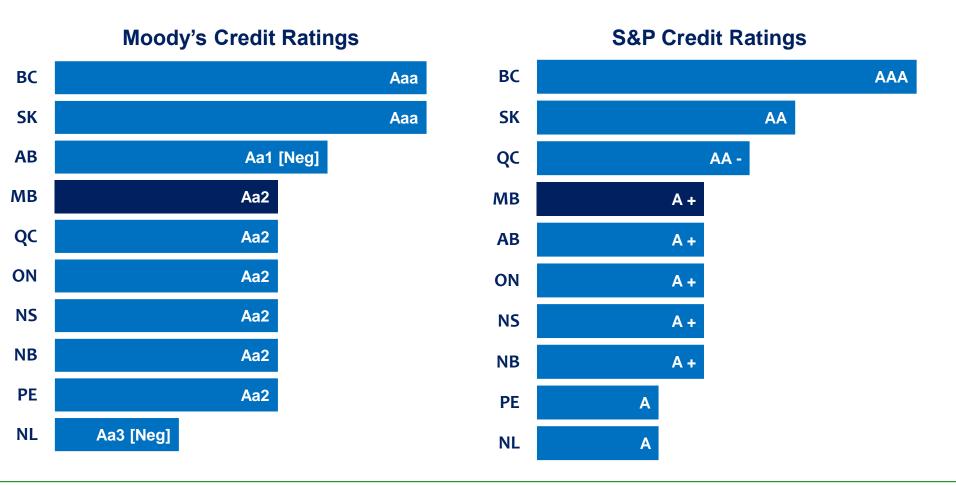
Anticipated Completion: 2018/19

Anticipated Cost: \$5.0B

Manitoba – Credit Ratings Profile

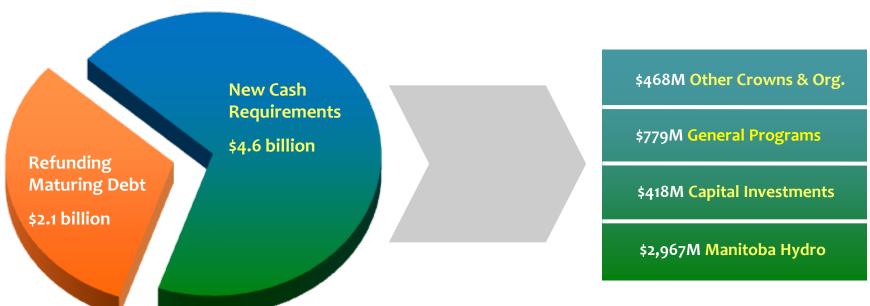


- Manitoba's credit rating remains strong given elevated global economic uncertainty.
- Manitoba's credit rating is generally the highest among non-resource rich provincial economies.







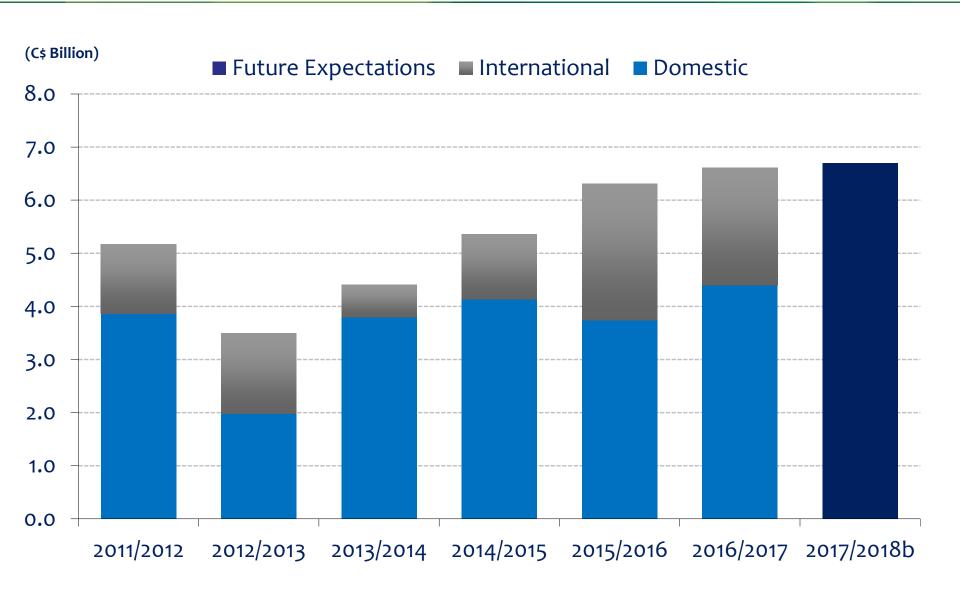


- Budget 2017 was tabled on April 11, 2017.
- Expected borrowing requirements for fiscal year 2017/18 are C\$6.7 billion.
- Planned funding through both domestic and international capital markets.
- To date, we have funded \$4.5 billion, 67% of our needs for fiscal 2017/2018.



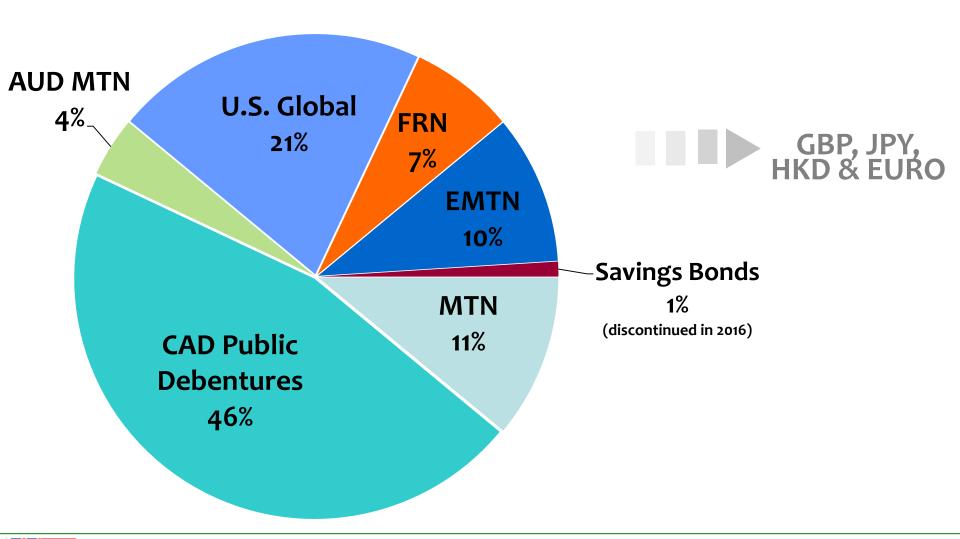
Borrowing Program





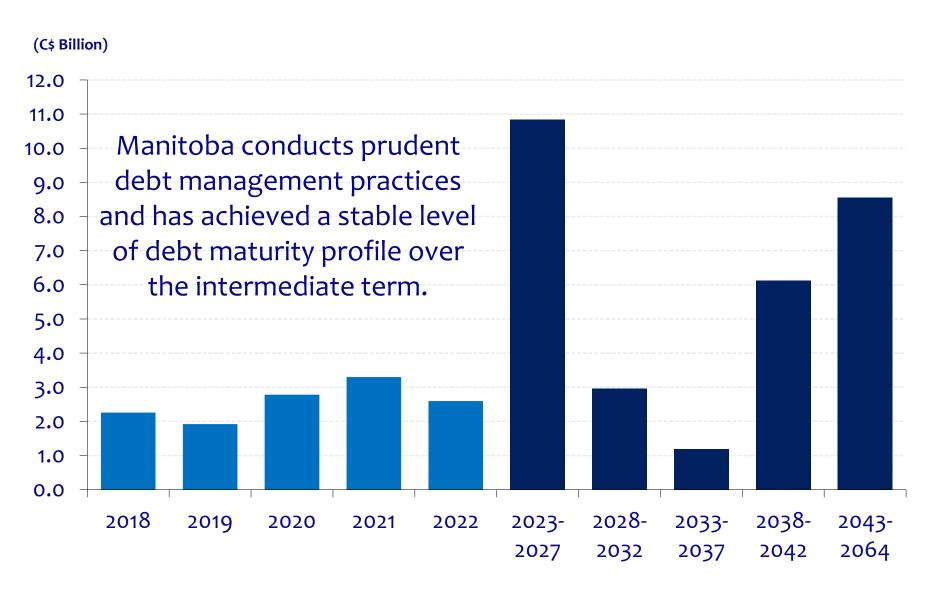






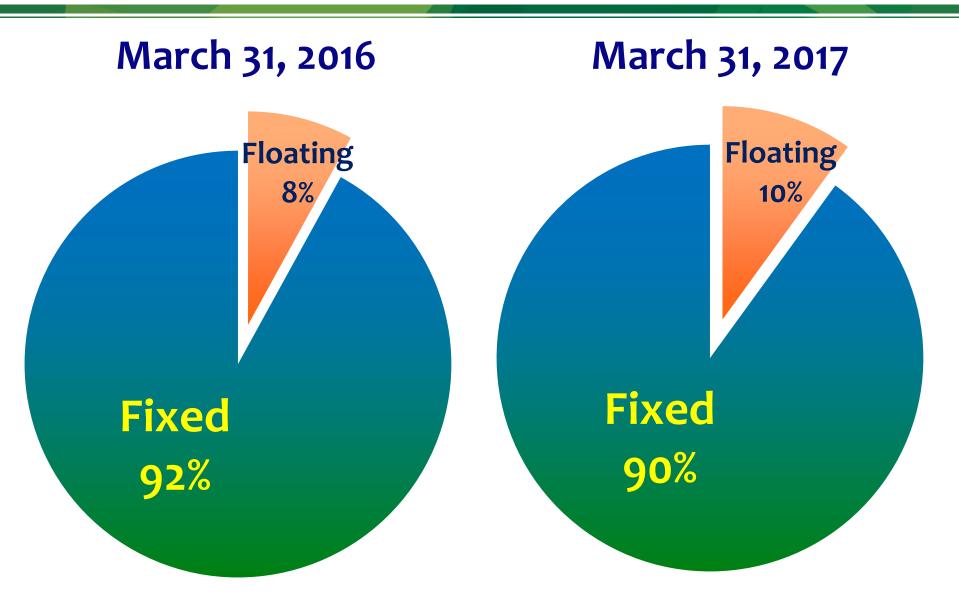
Debt Maturity Profile













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