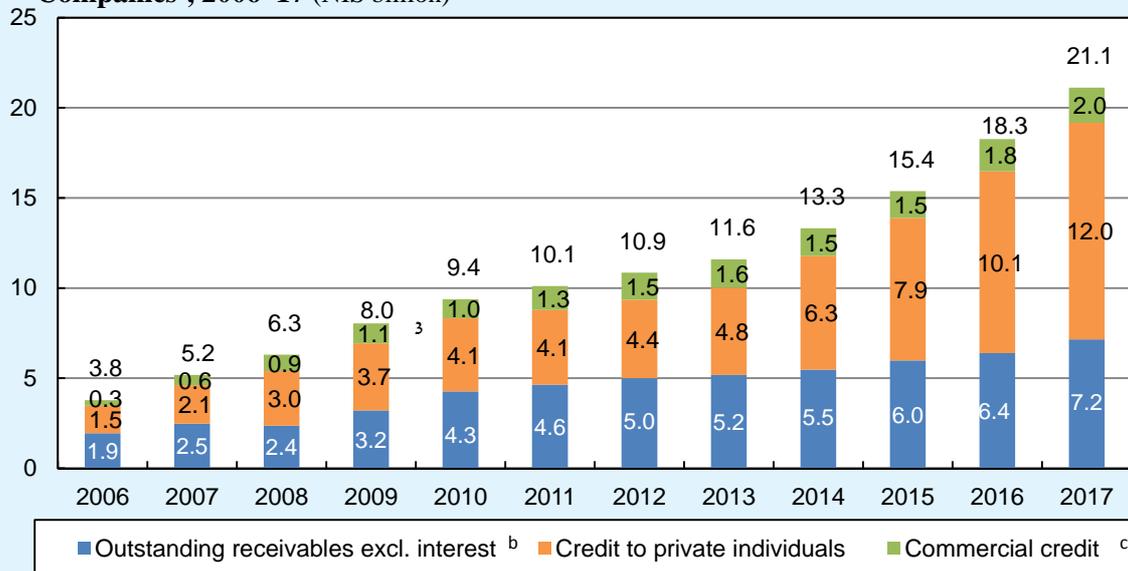


Credit, mainly to individuals, continued to increase rapidly.

Figure 1.32
Outstanding Receivables and Credit Under Responsibility of the Credit Card
Companies^a, 2006–17 (NIS billion)



^a Credit card companies: Cal, Leumi Card, IsraCard and Poalim Express.

^b Outstanding receivables excluding interest includes ordinary transactions, transactions in installments funded by merchant, and other transactions.

^c Until 2012, commercial credit includes credit backed by the banks.