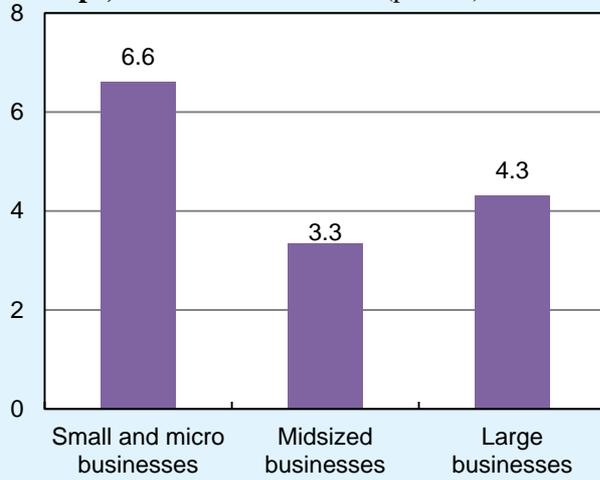


Credit to small and micro businesses increased more than credit to the other business segments.

Figure 1.18
Rate of Change in Outstanding Credit to the Business Activity Segments^a, the Five Banking Groups, 12/2016 and 12/2017 (percent)



^a The data relate to activity in Israel.