

# Emerging Cards Trends, Technology, and the Benefits of an Holistic Approach to Optimization

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# What We'll Cover Today

- Current economic conditions for card services
- How technology could affect the industry
- Staying nimble in a rapidly changing payments industry



# **Current Trends in Cards**



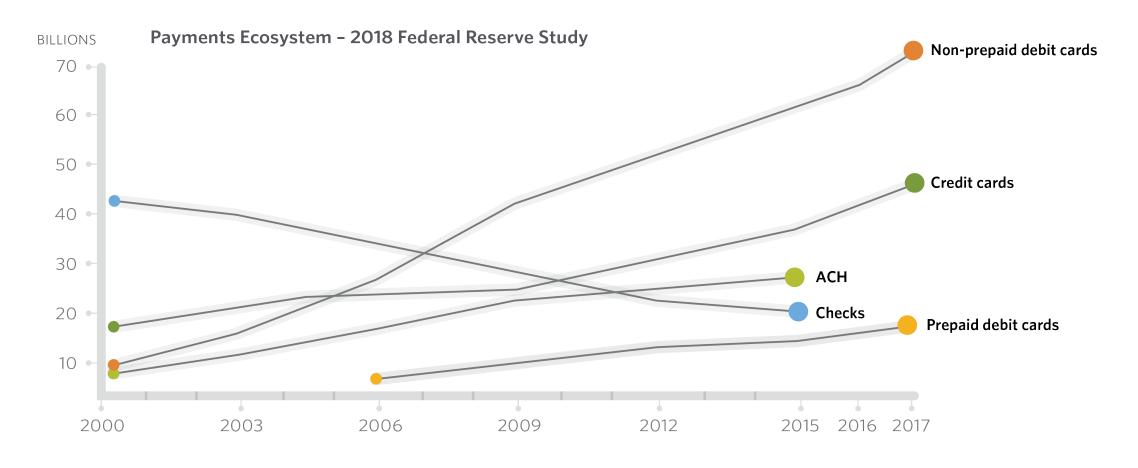
### The Economy Is Better and Non-Cash Spending Is Up

- Household debt increased 3.4% at an annual rate in Q3 2018<sup>1</sup>
- Consumer credit grew at an annual rate of 5.4%<sup>1</sup>
- Average American household has \$6,629 in credit card debt<sup>2</sup>
- Roughly three-in-10 U.S. adults (29%) say they make no cash purchases during a typical week, up slightly from 24% in 2015<sup>3</sup>
- Almost 32 million bitcoin wallets globally<sup>3</sup>





### **Credit and Debit Remain Top Choice**





### **Rising Tech Usage**

- FinTech companies continue to add payment options
- Payment options dictated by increase in overall mobile usage
- Nearly all internet users own some sort of personal mobile device
- 27% of people say they are interested in using phones as smart wallets





### Rise in Peer-to-Peer (P2P) Payment Options

**15%** 

of consumers have used at least one of the leading mobile wallets (Apple® Pay, Samsung® Pay, Android® Pay)¹







39%

have used PayPal®2



8%

have used Venmo<sup>®2</sup>



11%

have used a bank payment app, such as Zelle®







# **New to the Market: Apple® Card**

- Designed to Help Customers Lead a Healthier Financial Life
- Simple, Transparent and Secure
- Loads into Apple® Wallet
- No fees, low interest rate and daily cash rewards
- Companion Card partnering with Goldman Sachs and Mastercard<sup>®</sup>





# Card Services Technology in 2019 and Beyond



### The Next Phase of EMV<sup>®</sup>: Dual Interface Cards

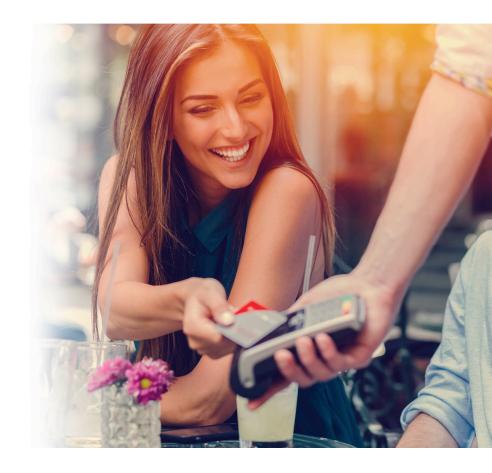
- Dual interface EMV® cards payment cards with an embedded chip and antenna enabling both contact transactions and contactless transactions will likely play a major role in the growth of contactless in the U.S.
- Roughly three million out of 12 million merchant terminals are fully EMV- and contactless-capable
- 72% of consumers found tapping a debit or credit card at the grocery store or gas pump appealing





# **Contactless Payments: The Growing Wave**

- Contactless transactions could reach
  \$1.3 trillion this year
- One-third of all in-store transactions will be contactless by 2020
- Contactless transactions are projected to reach 34% by 2022





# **Contactless Payments: Benefits to Financial Institutions**

- Average lift of approximately 30% in total spend in the first 12 months of U.S. adoption
- Purchases can translate into interchange revenue opportunities
- Gain top-of-wallet status with a differentiating product
- Potential to convert traditional, low-dollar cash payments



# Distinctive Cards Drive Usage and Build Your Brand

### Benefits of new and innovative customization options:

- Support top-of-wallet status
- Increase card usage
- Build brand awareness

#### New card innovations that stand out:

- Metal Cards
- Recyclable Plastics
- Color Core Cards
- And more...

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# **Benefits by the Numbers**



53% of cardholders receive replacement cards provided via instant issuance, which reduces the risk of fraud



Incremental usage — up to **10 transactions per card/month** 



Average of \$1 operational cost savings per card



Interchange increase



**10 weeks vs. 6 months** for Software for Purchase (SFP) Ease of implementation

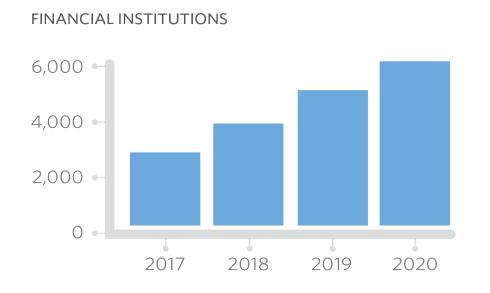


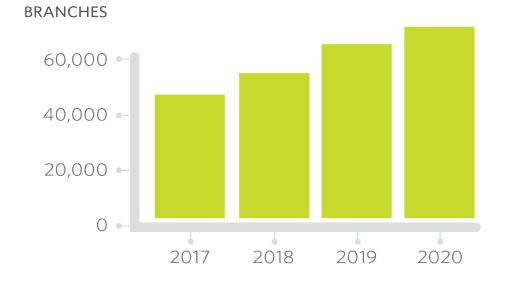
Increase in cardholder transactional volume



### **Get On the Train or Get Left Behind**

#### **U.S. Financial Firms and Branches Offering Instant Debit Cards**





Of the more than 11,000 Financial Institutions in the US, 45% offer instant card issuance to their customers

Source: Oppy, Mick, "Is Instant Issuance Right for Your Credit Union?", Credit Union Journal, November 20, 2017

Source: https://www.bankbranchlocator.com/banks-in-usa-e.html

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# **Staying Nimble in a Rapidly Changing Industry**



# **Spotting Preferences in Payment Options**

### **Cards Are Progressing**

Continuously improving through better technology, manufacturing and customization

### **Cards Are Here to Stay**

Nearly 75% of consumers do not see a need to change their current payment methods

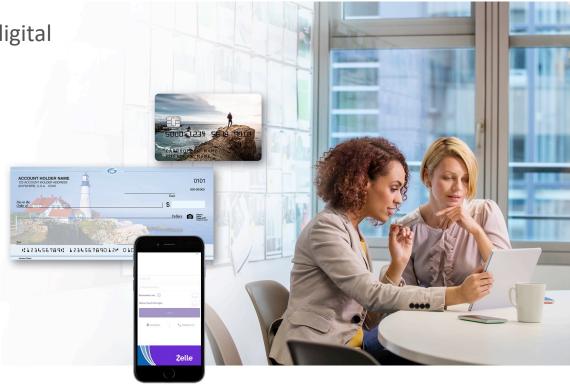




# Think Holistically About Your Payments Program

### Best-in-class card programs include a robust payments ecosystem

- It's important to have traditional, Instant issuance, and digital
- Beyond cards financial institutions should look at the entire payment program Checks, P2P, and cards, etc.
- Utilize multichannel fulfillment and distribution to complement multichannel marketing efforts





### **Key Takeaways**

- Offer omnichannel payments to meet consumers' growing needs/expectations
- Don't overlook the importance of cards in engaging, retaining customers
- EMV is in place for most financial institutions; dual-interface is the next frontier
- Instant card issuance and customization continue to drive quality customer engagement
- Significant source of interchange fee income



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