

**SAVINGS BANKS,  
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SAVINGS BANK STATISTICS

PRELIMINARY STATEMENT - OCTOBER, 1962

ALL SAVINGS BANKS : DEPOSITORS' BALANCES AND ASSETS WITHIN AUSTRALIA (a)

Depositors' Balances			Assets		
State or Territory	At end of September, 1962	At end of October, 1962	Item	At end of September, 1962	At end of October, 1962
	£'000	£'000		£'000	£'000
New South Wales	646,629	657,444	Coin, Bullion and Notes	4,786	4,740
Victoria	595,105	604,044	Deposits with Reserve Bank	165,582	176,952
Queensland	217,517	221,445	Deposits with Trading Banks	60,297	61,843
South Australia	187,872	190,859	Australian Public Securities -		
Western Australia	95,235	97,049	Commonwealth and States	866,837	874,689
Tasmania	53,533	53,780	Local and Semi-Governmental Authorities	377,944	386,596
Northern Territory	3,373	3,454	Loans to Authorized Dealers in the		
Australian Capital Territory	7,893	8,194	Short-Term Money Market	14,311	18,551
			Loans, Advances and Bills Discounted -		
			Housing	355,016	358,751
			Other	29,788	29,894
			All Other Assets	26,646	27,478
<b>Australia:</b>	<b>1,807,157</b>	<b>1,836,269</b>	<b>Total:</b>	<b>1,901,207</b>	<b>1,939,494</b>

- (a) Includes assets in Papua, New Guinea and Norfolk Island.  
 (b) Preliminary and subject to confirmation or amendment when the information is published in the Monthly Bulletin : Australian Savings Banks Statistics.

NOTE: Interest credited to Depositors' Balances during October, 1962 amounted to £136,000.

K.M. ARCHER  
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