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AUSTRALIAN BANKING STATISTICS, BANKING ACT 1959

PRELIMINARY STATEMENT - OCTOBER, 1960.

The figures included in this statement are preliminary and subject to confirmation or amendment when the statement of Average Liabilities and Assets is published in the Commonwealth Gazette.

The following tables contain the averages of selected liabilities and assets within Australia of the Trading Banks for October, 1960. Totals for September, 1960, are included for comparative purposes.

Liabilities

(£'000)

Bank	Deposits				Balances due to other Banks (a)	Bills Payable and all other Liabilities to Public	Total Liabilities
	Fixed	Current		Total			
		Bearing Interest	Not Bearing Interest				
Commonwealth Trading Bank	66,568	13,823	190,724	271,115	489	2,787	274,391
Australia and New Zealand Bank	32,648	10,611	187,026	230,285	9,658	2,209	242,152
The Bank of Adelaide	6,824	1,064	23,825	31,713	5,790	347	37,850
Bank of New South Wales	90,566	29,851	288,944	409,361	533	6,358	416,252
The Commercial Bank of Australia	38,246	8,195	132,945	179,386	8,455	3,965	191,806
The Commercial Banking Company of Sydney	38,092	15,471	125,785	179,348	540	9,304	189,192
The English, Scottish and Australian Bank	23,557	9,816	115,668	149,041	548	6,391	155,980
The National Bank of Australasia	67,321	19,334	182,549	269,204	8,540	1,491	279,235
<u>Total : October, 1960</u>	363,822	108,165	1,247,466	1,719,453	34,553	32,852	1,786,858
<u>Total : September, 1960</u>	365,897	104,384	1,226,192	1,696,473	35,757	31,090	1,763,320

(a) Includes short term loans from the Reserve Bank.

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Assets
(£'000)

Bank	Coin, Bullion and Notes	Cash with Reserve Bank	Commonwealth and State Government Securities			Loans to Authorised Dealers in the short- term money market	Statutory Reserve Deposit Account with Reserve Bank	Loans (other than loans to authorised dealers in the short-term money market), advances and bills discounted	All other assets	Total assets
			Treasury Bills	Seasonal Securities	Other Securities					
Commonwealth Trading Bank	8,657	1,572	1,750	..	53,232	1,900	47,277	149,783	16,521	280,692
Australia and New Zealand Bank	7,849	3,280	..	..	26,528	983	39,406	149,325	19,702	247,073
The Bank of Adelaide	1,209	201	..	..	3,676	425	5,429	23,530	4,550	39,020
Bank of New South Wales	12,036	5,576	5,500	500	49,337	4,124	70,474	276,912	27,597	452,056
The Commercial Bank of Australia	5,119	1,053	..	..	23,508	940	31,328	115,227	14,988	192,163
The Commercial Banking Company of Sydney	6,079	2,282	..	..	22,000	2,291	31,152	115,463	13,615	192,882
The English, Scottish and Australian Bank	4,765	2,189	..	..	18,017	1,518	25,585	87,465	15,149	154,688
The National Bank of Australasia	8,132	2,806	5,500	..	27,822	1,295	46,140	174,489	25,167	291,351
<u>Total : October, 1960</u>	53,846	18,959	12,750	500	224,120	13,476	296,791	1,092,194	137,289	1,849,925
<u>Total : September, 1960</u>	51,681	14,374	9,875	..	227,165	16,421	298,046	1,077,542	137,259	1,832,363