

**SAVINGS BANKS,
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COMMONWEALTH BUREAU OF CENSUS AND STATISTICS, CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA

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SAVINGS BANK STATISTICS

PRELIMINARY STATEMENT - JULY, 1962

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

Depositors' Balances			Assets		
State or Territory	At end of June, 1962	At end of July, 1962 (b)	Item	At end of June, 1962	At end of July, 1962 (b)
	£'000	£'000		£'000	£'000
New South Wales	625,021	630,543	Coin, Bullion and Notes	4,934	4,991
Victoria	570,849	577,403	Deposits with Reserve Bank	154,616	154,217
Queensland	205,852	209,953	Deposits with Trading Banks	60,786	60,637
South Australia	180,990	183,551	Australian Public Securities -		
Western Australia	90,528	92,237	Commonwealth and States	832,565	843,650
Tasmania	51,230	51,675	Local and Semi-Governmental Authorities	352,728	359,544
Northern Territory	3,085	3,202	Loans to Authorized Dealers in the		
Australian Capital Territory	7,331	7,570	Short-Term Money Market	13,790	16,080
			Loans, Advances and Bills Discounted -		
			Housing	345,744	348,297
			Other	28,603	28,891
			All Other Assets	30,197	27,145
<u>Australia:</u>	1,734,886	1,756,134	<u>Total:</u>	1,823,963	1,843,452

(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 Bank Statistics.

NOTE: Interest credited to Depositors' Accounts during July, 1962 amounted to £70,000.

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