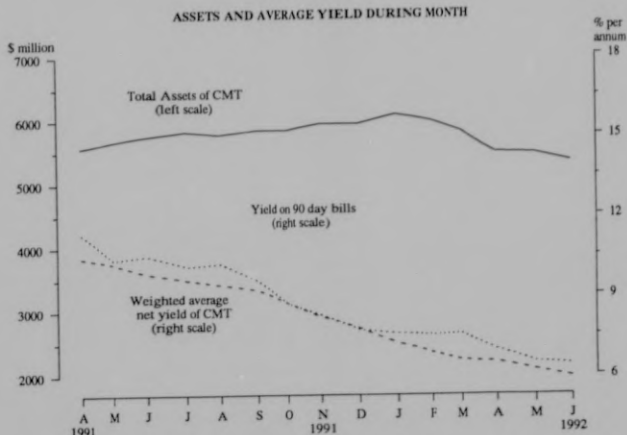


CASH MANAGEMENT TRUSTS, AUSTRALIA JUNE 1992

MAIN FEATURES



The value of total assets of Cash Management Trusts fell during June 1992, down \$127.9 million (2.3%) to \$5,348.8 million. There was also a decrease of \$406.2 million (7.1%) for the year ended June 1992.

The average term to maturity of the assets of Cash Management Trusts increased by 63 days to 60.4 days in June 1992. This is the longest average term to maturity recorded since the March 1988 term of 67.7 days.

The weighted average net yield of Cash Management Trusts fell by 0.29 per cent in the month of June to stand at 5.91 per cent. Over the year ended June 1992 the yield fell by 3.92 per cent. The 90 day bank bill rate also fell during June to 6.40 per cent.

NOTE: Some misclassification of assets has been detected as a result of the introduction of new collection forms from June 1992, resulting in revisions to information for previous periods shown in Table 3.

NOTES

The statistics of cash management trusts are compiled from returns collected under the Census and Statistics Act 1905. Rates on 90 day bank bills are obtained from the Reserve Bank.

The statistics relate to financial operations, units in issue, net yield and maturity profiles of cash management trusts.

Explanatory Notes are included at the back of this publication.

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TABLE 1. UNITS IN ISSUE, FINANCIAL OPERATIONS AND NET YIELDS

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Financial operations during the period											Weighted average net yield	Yield on 90-day bank bills(b)
Number of trusts	Units in issue at end of period	Units			Gross investment income	Fees and expenses	Borrowings at end of period	At end of period	Average for the period			
		Issued as a result of—										
		New applications	Re-invested income	Redeemed (a)								
—\$ million—											—% per annum—	
1991—												
April	19	5,519.5	765.8	78.0	861.7	52.5	6.5	—	10.30	10.41	11.30	
May	19	5,598.7	863.7	27.7	812.8	54.0	5.8	0.9	10.09	10.20	10.35	
June	19	5,659.8	860.7	25.7	872.2	49.6	5.6	—	9.68	9.83	10.50	
July	19	5,777.7	1,300.8	68.4	1,288.5	52.3	5.6	0.4	9.42	9.58	10.10	
August	19	5,720.3	833.0	30.1	956.8	51.0	5.7	—	9.28	9.40	10.20	
September	19	5,747.7	864.4	19.0	800.2	47.9	5.3	—	9.03	9.20	9.55	
October	19	5,804.5	911.9	49.4	927.9	48.5	5.5	0.8	8.40	8.70	8.70	
November	19	5,888.2	1,527.5	26.3	1,461.0	45.2	5.3	—	8.02	8.19	8.25	
December	18	5,865.5	831.1	8.8	874.7	43.9	5.6	—	7.53	7.75	7.70	
1992—												
January	18	6,042.8	955.8	53.6	798.4	41.7	5.7	—	6.90	7.20	7.55	
February	18	5,930.0	893.9	22.1	1,003.8	38.3	5.4	0.7	6.75	6.85	7.50	
March	18	5,762.5	941.1	25.2	1,106.7	38.6	5.7	0.3	6.49	6.55	7.55	
April	18	5,459.5	864.1	32.8	1,216.2	35.2	5.3	1.0	7.29	6.49	6.95	
May	18	5,432.0	1,023.7	19.6	1,071.0	33.7	5.2	0.1	6.08	6.20	6.50	
June	18	5,285.8	1,337.5	11.1	1,494.9	31.2	5.0	—	5.75	5.91	6.40	

(a) Includes income paid out on the redemption of units. (b) Rates are an average of daily market yields reported to the Reserve Bank for the week ended last Wednesday of the month. Source: Reserve Bank of Australia Bulletin.

TABLE 2. ASSETS CLASSIFIED BY TERM TO MATURITY

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At end of month	Term to maturity of assets						Total assets	Weighted average period days
	At call and up to 24 hours	Over 24 hours and up to 7 days	Over 7 days and up to 30 days	Over 30 days and up to 90 days	Over 90 days and up to 180 days	Over 180 days		
	—\$ million—							
1991—							5,573.5	44.4
April	619.9	495.5	1,460.5	2,389.8	607.8	—	5,573.5	44.4
May	405.0	655.7	2,012.8	1,841.8	747.3	7.7	5,670.2	39.8
June	387.5	531.7	2,193.6	1,872.4	760.7	9.1	5,755.0	47.9
July	777.8	528.1	1,810.8	2,174.7	484.6	51.4	5,827.5	45.3
August	581.9	594.7	2,168.5	1,881.2	460.6	92.8	5,779.7	42.4
September	425.2	446.4	1,753.9	2,441.3	600.4	178.6	5,845.8	54.4
October	622.1	377.0	1,360.9	2,710.2	662.8	118.1	5,851.1	56.5
November	576.8	784.3	1,950.7	1,820.2	688.7	126.9	5,947.6	50.3
December	847.9	434.0	1,450.2	2,297.2	800.7	121.3	5,951.3	52.5
1992—								
January	992.9	567.6	1,489.3	2,047.0	938.4	57.5	6,092.7	45.5
February	834.4	557.7	1,532.9	2,097.3	839.1	131.2	5,992.6	48.8
March	892.7	352.8	945.8	2,823.2	749.5	62.1	5,826.1	52.8
April	555.9	618.6	1,147.0	2,224.9	817.7	126.1	5,490.2	54.1
May	599.3	547.5	1,813.2	1,367.3	1,028.7	120.7	5,476.7	54.1
June	627.9	n.p.	1,419.5	1,778.4	1,092.7	n.p.	5,348.8	60.4

TABLE 3. ASSETS
(\$ million)

At end of month	Cash and deposits with banks	Deposits and loans with authorized money market dealers	Bills of exchange purchased and held										Other government and public authority securities							Total assets
			Other deposits and loans with				Other bills			Promissory notes purchased and held			Other Commonwealth Government securities			Investment income accrued				
							Bank accepted/endorsed													
			FCA Corporations		Other	Public authorities	FCA Corporations		Other	Public authorities	FCA Corporations		Other	Treasury notes	Other					
1991—	r																			
April	1,501.3	69.6	240.6	74.9	—	768.0	1,939.0	4.9	—	—	901.9	57.4	—	—	—	3.1	8.6	4.2	5,573.5	
May	1,430.6	27.0	532.3	73.0	46.4	608.6	1,993.8	14.9	—	—	779.6	113.0	34.5	—	—	4.2	9.6	2.7	5,670.2	
June	1,587.4	61.7	252.8	51.2	—	691.7	2,035.9	—	—	—	819.6	209.3	30.7	—	—	3.1	8.9	2.7	5,755.0	
July	1,449.5	89.7	517.7	161.5	13.5	767.1	1,806.1	—	56.9	—	815.1	120.1	10.0	—	—	3.1	13.9	3.3	5,827.5	
August	1,542.1	69.7	421.9	102.9	8.4	811.3	1,666.9	—	56.9	—	811.9	190.4	10.1	68.7	—	1.0	15.0	2.5	5,779.7	
September	1,521.5	33.5	393.3	72.4	72.2	721.8	1,567.0	—	93.5	—	928.1	332.3	24.8	68.8	—	1.5	12.8	2.3	5,845.8	
October	1,320.5	134.0	522.1	45.4	79.0	720.4	1,556.9	—	69.1	—	1,009.7	283.9	50.7	11.3	30.5	1.8	14.0	1.8	5,851.1	
November	1,302.9	126.0	547.2	17.1	70.5	553.8	1,750.7	—	—	—	1,209.8	243.4	47.7	21.2	30.5	9.3	15.3	2.2	5,947.6	
December	1,555.1	148.8	529.7	49.4	1.7	538.9	1,566.5	—	—	15.5	1,300.2	109.7	31.0	25.1	30.5	29.0	15.9	4.3	5,951.3	
1992—																				
January	1,443.9	99.1	894.4	71.6	2.6	704.5	1,477.9	—	—	21.5	1,223.2	45.8	18.1	25.1	40.4	9.0	12.6	3.0	6,092.7	
February	1,288.8	99.0	610.3	157.4	5.6	653.0	1,361.3	—	—	21.6	1,587.2	126.5	26.1	31.6	—	8.5	12.8	2.9	5,992.6	
March	1,353.7	68.4	474.8	173.7	12.6	590.6	1,318.1	—	—	31.7	1,609.6	99.7	39.8	11.5	—	28.3	10.4	3.2	5,826.1	
April	1,169.2	42.4	312.2	82.6	10.4	565.4	1,606.4	—	—	23.8	1,421.6	135.8	48.5	6.7	—	43.9	17.9	3.4	5,490.2	
May	1,105.2	34.4	385.7	170.0	12.3	511.8	1,630.1	—	—	16.9	1,265.2	132.9	118.3	—	—	68.9	22.7	2.3	5,476.7	
June	1,153.5		333.2	35.2	77.0	570.8	1,539.5	—	8.9	21.8	1,195.0	156.3	82.0	—	—	71.9	12.4	91.3	5,348.8	

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Introduction

For the purposes of these statistics a cash management trust is defined as a unit trust which:

- (a) is governed by a trust deed;
- (b) is open to the public; and
- (c) generally confines its investments (as authorised by the trust deed) to financial securities available through the short-term money market.

Definition and descriptions of data items

2. Detailed information on the definitions and descriptions of data items are included in the August 1991 issue of this publication.

Asset valuation

3. The value of total assets presented in Table 3 has been compiled on a 'cost plus accrued income' basis. Where trusts supply individual categories of assets on a cost of investment basis, the accrued investment income which is not yet received is supplied as a separate item.

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