## RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND

Summary of Trading Banks' Monthly Returns of Assets and Liabilities as at Close of Business on Wednesday, 28 September 1955

(In accordance with section 46 of the Reserve Bank of New Zealand Act 1933)

(All Amounts in New Zealand Currency)

## LIABILITIES

	Bank of New Zealand	Australia and New Zealand Bank Limited	Bank of New South Wales	National Bank of New Zealand Limited	Commercial Bank of Australia Limited	Totals
(a) Demand liabilities in New Zealand	£ 93,358,387	£ 47,630,605	£ 29,595,013	£ 40,426,839	£ 15,151,895	£ 226,162,739
<ul> <li>(b) Time liabilities in New Zealand</li> <li>(c) Demand liabilities elsewhere than in New Zealand incurred in respect of New Zea-</li> </ul>	19,270,052	10,981,741	7,126,813	8,880,452	2,025,739	48,284,797
land business	1,151,980	1,103,451	69,890	2,689,768	551,229	5,566,318
Zealand incurred in respect of New Zealand business	212,106	193,389	271,899	206,350	54,762	938,506
New Zealand business excess of assets over	• •		••			••
liabilities	9,645,249	3,269,510		691,123	170,193	13,776,075
Totals	123,637,774	63,178,696	37,063,615	52,894,532	17,953,818	294,728,435

## ASSETS

	Bank of New Zealand	Australia and New Zealand Bank Limited	Bank of New South Wales	National Bank of New Zealand Limited	Commercial Bank of Australia Limited	Totals
(e) Reserve balances held in the Reserve Bank of New Zealand (f) Overseas assets in respect of New Zealand business—	£ 21,796,769	£ 12,474,294	£ 8,241,238	£ 9,497,919	£ 4,870,359	£ 56,880,579
(1) In London (2) Elsewhere than in London (g) (1) Gold and gold bullion held in New	6,345,497 4,511,086	854,134 769,628	2,890,252 $16,259$	$723,805 \\ 509,041$	$348,972 \\ 3,788$	11,162,660 5,809,802
Zealand	571,400 *67,775,235 1,020,377	266,765 40,385,087 2,333,876	$\begin{array}{c} 147,239 \\ 21,575,170 \\ 1,006,796 \end{array}$	318,868 $34,251,842$ $546,322$	$\begin{array}{c} \\ 85,156 \\ 10,019,544 \\ 761,579 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 1,389,428 \\ 174,006,878 \\ 5,668,950 \end{array}$
(i) Reserve Bank of New Zealand notes (k) Securities held in New Zealand— (1) Government (2) Other than Government	5,664,065 6,866,271 6,527,475	956,219 1,547,783 3,071,018	760,635 314,158 710,000	1,602,824 2,103,196 2,285,000	261,775 544,188 424,988	9,245,518 11,375,596 13,018,481
<ul> <li>(l) Value of land, buildings, furniture, fittings, and equipment held in New Zealand</li> <li>(m) New Zealand business excess of liabilities over assets</li> </ul>	2,559,599	519,892	687,467 714,401	1,055,715	633,469	5,456,142 714,401
Totals	123,637,774	63,178,696	37,063,615	52,894,532	17,953,818	294,728,435

<sup>\*</sup> Includes transfers to Long-term Mortgage Department, £355,710.

Wellington, N.Z., 21 October 1955.

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## BANK RETURNS (SUPPLEMENTARY)

Statement of the Amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Long-term Mortgage Department of the Bank of New Zealand as at 28 September 1955

	Lia	bilities			£	1		Assets			£
Capital			• •	• •	703,125	Loans	• •	• •	• •	• •	1,808,835
Debentures and debent	ture stock	• •	• •	• •	750,000	Transfers to Bank	• •	• •	• •	• •	
Transfers from Bank	• •	• •	• •	• •	355,710	Other assets	• •	• •	• •	• •	••
Other liabilities	• •	• •	• •	••	• •	•					
				:	£1,808,835						£1,808,835

<sup>(</sup>h h) Aggregate unexercised overdraft authorities, £95,514,712.