

**SUMMARY OF TRADING BANKS' MONTHLY RETURNS OF PRINCIPAL LIABILITIES AND ASSETS IN RESPECT OF  
NEW ZEALAND BUSINESS AS AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON 24 FEBRUARY 1982**

In accordance with sub-section (4) of Section 31 of the Reserve Bank of New Zealand Act 1964

*(All amounts in New Zealand Currency)*

LIABILITIES*						
(N.Z.\$ thousands)						
	Australian and New Zealand Banking Group (New Zealand) Limited	Bank of New South Wales	Bank of New Zealand	The Commercial Bank of Australia Limited	The National Bank of New Zealand Limited	Totals
1. Demand deposits in New Zealand .. ..	\$ 511,067	\$ 318,263	\$ 956,081	\$ 173,187	\$ 369,278	\$ 2,327,876
2. Time deposits in New Zealand .. ..	992,414	623,287	1,883,285	350,117	792,060	4,641,163
3. Liabilities elsewhere than in New Zealand incurred in respect of New Zealand business .. ..	28,005	5,971	5,368	23,894	119,863	183,101
4. Bills payable and all other liabilities in New Zealand, including balances due to other banks but excluding shareholders' funds .. ..	29,832	15,768	30,478	34,438	24,638	135,154
<b>ASSETS**</b>						
(N.Z.\$ thousands)						
	Australian and New Zealand Banking Group (New Zealand) Limited	Bank of New South Wales	Bank of New Zealand	The Commercial Bank of Australia Limited	The National Bank of New Zealand Limited	Totals
1. Balances at Reserve Bank of New Zealand—	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
(a) Demand deposits .. ..	1,058	409	8,560	340	7,287	17,654
(b) Time deposits .. ..	7,359	6,814	35,280	4,108	11,703	65,264
2. Reserve Bank of New Zealand notes .. ..	1,608	1,018	2,571	830	1,851	8,878
3. New Zealand Coin .. ..	99,294	96,365	120,420	51,646	175,028	542,753
4. Assets elsewhere than in New Zealand held in respect of New Zealand business .. ..	628,936	424,962	1,369,421	212,475	489,721	2,125,515
5. Advances in New Zealand and discounts of bills payable in New Zealand (excluding advances and discounts included under item 6)—	43,108	26,543	63,733	26,193	48,731	208,308
(a) Advances .. ..	535,287	242,991	735,709	190,114	344,387	2,048,488
(b) Discounts .. ..	69,245	71,971	193,854	42,615	70,095	447,780
6. Term loans in New Zealand .. ..	202,667	94,303	339,681	43,134	141,991	821,776
7. Investments held in New Zealand—	58,669	4,513	74,365	7,910	22,371	167,828
(a) Government securities	..	..	..	..	..	..
(i) Treasury Bills .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
(ii) Government Stock .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
(b) Other Investments .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
8. Cheques and bills drawn on other banks in New Zealand and balances with and due from other banks in New Zealand (excluding balances with Reserve Bank of New Zealand) .. ..	..	4,322	43,239	1,065	14,933	63,559
9. Book value of land, buildings, furniture, fittings, and equipment in New Zealand .. ..	7,335	30,277	75,710	9,224	51,749	174,295
10. All other assets in New Zealand .. ..	3,585	581	..	8,077	11	12,254

Aggregate of Unexercised Overdraft Authorities and Term Loan Authorities in New Zealand \$2,078,067.

\*Excluding shareholders' funds, contingencies, inter-branch accounts within New Zealand, and certain transit items.

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Wellington, N.Z., 18 March 1982.

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PURSUANT to section 69 of the Commerce Act 1975, the duly authorised delegate for the Examiner of Commercial Practices hereby gives notice of the following merger and takeover proposal to which he has consented.

Person by or on behalf of whom notice was given in terms of section 68 (1) of the Commerce Act 1975	Proposal	Date of Consent
Rothman Industries Ltd. .. ..	Rothman Industries Ltd. to acquire all of the issued share capital in Johnston, Kerr and Johnston Ltd.	16 February 1982

Dated at Wellington this 17th day of March 1982.

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Rothman Industries Ltd. .. ..	Rothman Industries Ltd. to acquire all of the issued share capital in Butland Tobacco Ltd.	16 February 1982

Dated at Wellington this 18th day of March 1982.

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