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## TRUSTEEBANK OTAGO

Notes to the Financial Statements
Note 1: Accounting Policies
General Accounting Policies
The following general accounting policies have been adopted by the Bank in the preparation of the financial statements:

- The historical cost basis is used, modified for the revaluation of land and buildings, and amortisation of government and local authority securities.
- Accrual accounting is used to match revenue and expenses.
- Reliance is placed on the fact that the Bank is a going concern.


## Particular Accounting Policies

Recognition of Income
Income shown in the profit statement is earned in the current year and includes the amortisation of premiums and discounts on the purchase of government and local authority securities. In the case of personal loans, interest is added to the advance at the commencement of the loan and brought into revenue during the appropriate financial years in accordance with the 'Rule of 78 '.

## Expenditure

Interest Credited to Depositors
Depositors accounts which are credited with interest during the year have had an appropriate adjustment made for interest accrued to 31 March.

