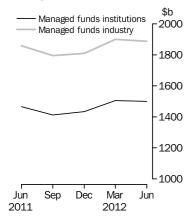


MANAGED FUNDS

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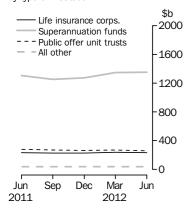
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Managed Funds



Unconsolidated Assets

by type of institution



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KEY FIGURES

| | Mar Qtr 2012 \$m | Jun Qtr 2012 \$m |
|--|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Total managed funds industry | 1 898 576 | 1 886 134 |
| Consolidated assets total managed funds institutions Cross invested assets between managed funds institutions Unconsolidated assets total managed funds institutions | 1 504 864 386 574 1 891 438 | 1 500 148 381 745 1 881 894 |
| Life insurance corporations | 238 155 | 234 876 |
| Superannuation (pension) funds | 1 347 847 | 1 349 449 |
| Public offer (retail) unit trusts | 267 415 | 259 762 |
| All other managed funds institutions | 38 020 | 37 807 |

KEY POINTS

TOTAL MANAGED FUNDS INDUSTRY

- At 30 June 2012, the managed funds industry had \$1,886.1b funds under management, a decrease of \$12.4b (1%) on the March quarter 2012 figure of \$1,898.6b. This decrease was primarily driven by valuation changes.
- The main valuation effects that occurred during the June quarter 2012 were: the S&P/ASX 200 decreased 5.6%, the price of foreign shares (represented by the MSCI World Index) decreased 5.8% and the A\$ depreciated 2.0% against the US\$.

CONSOLIDATED ASSETS OF MANAGED FUNDS INSTITUTIONS

- At 30 June 2012, the consolidated assets of managed funds institutions were \$1,500.1b, a decrease of \$4.7b (0%) on the March quarter 2012 figure of \$1,504.9b.
- The asset types that decreased were shares, \$12.0b (3%); units in trusts, \$7.1b (4%); overseas assets, \$6.7b (3%); other non-financial assets, \$3.1b (17%); and loans and placements, \$1.2b (3%). These were partially offset by increases in deposits, \$16.0b (8%); land, buildings and equipment, \$5.6b (3%); bonds, etc., \$1.6b (2%); other financial assets, \$1.1b (3%); short term securities, \$0.9b (1%); and derivatives, \$0.2b (11%).

CROSS INVESTED ASSETS

 At 30 June 2012, there were \$381.7b of assets cross invested between managed funds institutions.

UNCONSOLIDATED ASSETS

At 30 June 2012, the unconsolidated assets of public offer (retail) unit trusts decreased \$7.7b (3%); life insurance corporations decreased \$3.3b (1%); common funds decreased \$0.1b (1%); and cash management trusts decreased \$0.1b (0%). Superannuation (pension) funds increased \$1.6b (0%); while friendly societies were flat.

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REVISIONS

There have been revisions in all the series as a result of revised administrative and survey data. These revisions have impacted on:

- Superannuation, investment managers, common funds and friendly societies data were revised back to the September quarter 2005;
- Life insurance offices data was revised back to the December quarter 2009;
- Public offer (retail) unit trusts data was revised back to the December quarter 2011;
 and
- Cash management trusts data was revised for the March quarter 2012.

ABBREVIATIONS

\$b billion (thousand million) dollars

\$m million dollars

A\$ Australian dollars

ABS Australian Bureau of Statistics

APRA Australian Prudential Regulation Authority

FUM funds under management

S&P 500 Standard & Poor's 500 Index

S&P/ASX 200 Standard and Poor's Australian Stock Exchange top 200

US United States (of America)

US\$ United States dollars

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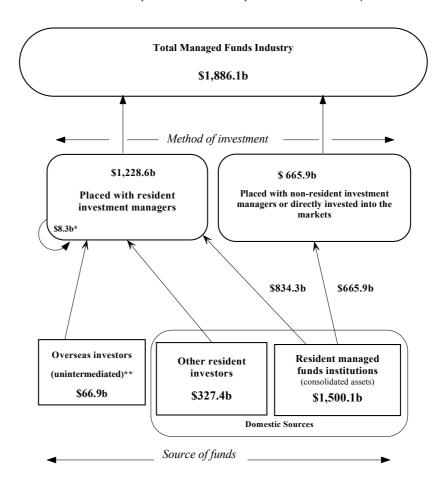
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MANAGED FUNDS INDUSTRY At 30 June 2012, the managed funds industry had \$1,886.1b funds under management, a decrease of \$12.4b (1%) on the March quarter 2012 figure of \$1,898.6b. This decrease was primarily driven by valuation changes. Decreases were recorded in funds managed by Australian investment managers on behalf of Australian entities other than managed funds institutions, \$6.5b (2%); the consolidated assets of managed funds institutions, \$4.7b (0%); and funds managed by Australian investment managers on behalf of overseas investors, \$1.4b (2%).

The following diagram shows the values of the Total Managed Funds Industry At 30 June 2012 and the relationships between the components of this industry.



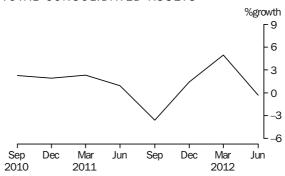
- * Indicates funds invested by resident investment managers with other resident investment managers. These are deducted to derive the total managed funds industry.
- $\ensuremath{^{**}}$ These funds do not include investments held by Australian nominees on behalf of overseas investors.

MANAGED FUNDS INSTITUTIONS

Consolidated assets of managed funds institutions At 30 June 2012, the consolidated assets of managed funds institutions were \$1,500.1b, a decrease of \$4.7b (0%) on the March quarter 2012 figure of \$1,504.9b.

Consolidated assets of managed funds institutions continued

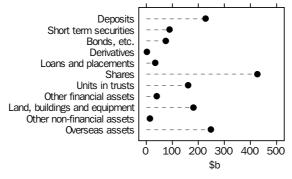




Consolidated assets by types of asset

The asset types to decrease during the quarter were shares, \$12.0b (3%); units in trusts, \$7.1b (4%); overseas assets, \$6.7b (3%); other non-financial assets, \$3.1b (17%); and loans and placements, \$1.2b (3%). These were partially offset by increases in deposits, \$16.0b (8%); land, buildings and equipment, \$5.6b (3%); bonds, etc., \$1.6b (2%); other financial assets, \$1.1b (3%); short term securities, \$0.9b (1%); and derivatives, \$0.2b (11%).

MANAGED FUNDS INSTITUTIONS ASSETS



UNCONSOLIDATED ASSETS

Life insurance corporations

At 30 June 2012, total unconsolidated assets of life insurance corporations were \$234.9b, a decrease of \$3.3b (1%) on the March quarter 2012 figure of \$238.2b.

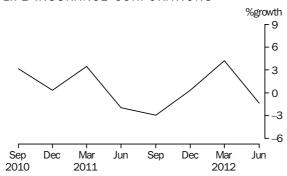
Decreases were recorded in units in trusts, \$7.2b (5%); shares, \$1.0b (5%); and loans and placements, \$0.5b (16%).

These were partially offset by increases in assets overseas, \$2.4b (18%); deposits, \$1.2b (11%); short term securities, \$0.7b (10%); bonds, etc., \$0.6b (3%); other financial assets, \$0.3b (7%); derivatives, \$0.2b (63%); and other non-financial assets, \$0.1b, (4%). Land, buildings and equipment remained flat.

Cross investment within life insurance corporations was 1.9b, which was flat compared with the previous quarter.

Life insurance corporations continued





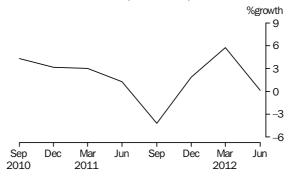
Superannuation (pension) funds

At 30 June 2012, total unconsolidated assets of superannuation funds were \$1,349.4b, an increase of \$1.6b (0%) on the March quarter 2012 figure of \$1,347.8b.

Increases were recorded in deposits, \$11.9b (6%); land, buildings and equipment, \$2.5b (3%); other financial assets, \$2.2b (11%); short-term securities, \$1.9b (3%); bonds, etc., \$1.2b (3%); derivatives, \$0.5b (3%); and loans and placements, \$0.1b (1%).

These were partially offset by decreases in shares, \$8.2b (2%); assets overseas, \$6.3b (3%); net equity of pension funds in life office reserves, \$3.2b (2%); and units in trusts, \$1.0b (1%). Other non-financial assets remained flat.

SUPERANNUATION (PENSION) FUNDS



Public offer (retail) unit trusts

At 30 June 2012, total unconsolidated assets of public offer (retail) unit trusts were \$259.8b, a decrease of \$7.7b (3%) on the March quarter 2012 figure of \$267.4b.

Decreases were recorded in other non-financial assets, \$4.1b (63%); shares, \$3.0b (8%); assets overseas, \$2.7b (8%); other financial assets, \$1.0b (13%); loans and placements, \$0.9b (5%); units in trusts, \$0.2b (0%); and bonds, etc., \$0.1b (2%).

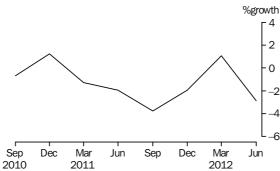
These were partially offset by increases in land, buildings and equipment, \$3.1b (3%); deposits, \$1.0b (25%); and short-term securities, \$0.2b (7%). Derivatives was flat.

Cross investment within public offer (retail) unit trusts was \$26.6b, an increase of \$0.5b (2%) on the previous quarter.

Investor funds decreased \$6.3b (3%) to \$201.8b; debt securities on issue decreased \$0.7b (8%) to \$8.7b; loans and placements decreased \$1.0b (3%) to \$30.6b; while other liabilities increased \$0.4b (2%) to \$18.7b.

Public offer (retail) unit trusts continued

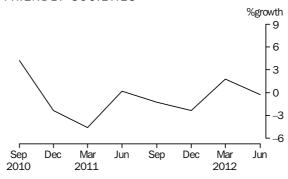




Friendly societies

At 30 June 2012, total unconsolidated assets of friendly societies were \$5.9b. This was flat compared with the previous quarter.

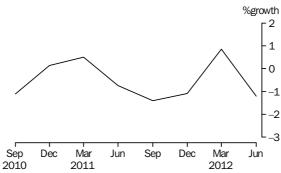
FRIENDLY SOCIETIES



Common funds

At 30 June 2012, total unconsolidated assets of common funds were \$7.5b, a decrease of \$0.1b (1%) on the previous quarter.

COMMON FUNDS



Cash management trusts

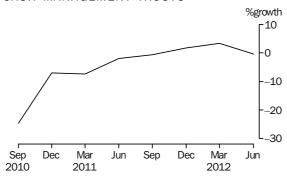
At 30 June 2012, total unconsolidated assets of cash management trusts were \$24.4b, a decrease of 0.1b (0%) on the March quarter 2012 figure of 24.5b.

A decrease was recorded in short term securities, \$2.0b (12%). This was largely offset by an increase in deposits, \$1.9b (37%). Bonds, etc., derivatives and units in trusts remained flat.

Cross investment within cash management trusts was \$1.3b at 30 June 2012. This was flat compared with the previous quarter. Investor funds were \$24.3b. This was flat compared with the previous quarter.

Cash management trusts continued





RESIDENT INVESTMENT MANAGERS

Source of funds under management

At 30 June 2012, total funds under management were \$1,228.6b, a decrease of \$17.3b (1%) on the March quarter 2012 figure of \$1,245.9b.

At 30 June 2012, the value of funds under management on behalf of managed funds institutions was \$834.3b, a decrease of \$9.4b (1%) on the March quarter 2012 figure of \$843.7b. Decreases were recorded in public offer (retail) unit trusts, \$5.3b (5%); superannuation funds, \$4.0b (1%); and life insurance corporations \$0.5b (0%). An increase was recorded in cash management trusts, \$0.5b (3%). Common funds and friendly societies were flat.

At 30 June 2012, the value of funds under management on behalf of sources other than managed funds was \$327.4b, a decrease of \$6.5b (2%) on the March quarter 2012 figure of \$333.9b. Decreases were recorded in funds under management on behalf of national government, \$3.3b (7%); wholesale financial trusts, \$2.3b (2%); government compensation schemes, \$0.6b (7%); other sources, \$0.4b (1%); non-government trading corporations, \$0.3b (1%); and other investment managers, \$0.2b (2%). An increase was recorded in funds under management on behalf of general insurance, \$0.5b (1%). Charities, and state and local government were flat.

The value of funds under management on behalf of overseas sources at 30 June 2012 was 66.9b, a decrease of 1.4b (2%) on the March quarter 2012 figure of 68.3b.

ASSETS OF MANAGED FUNDS, at 30 June 2012

| | Assets invested through | | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------|----------------|
| | resident | Assets | Unconsolidated |
| | investment | invested | assets of |
| | managers | directly | managed funds |
| | \$m | \$m | \$m |
| Life insurance corporations | 161 299 | 73 577 | 234 876 |
| Superannuation funds | 538 708 | 810 740 | 1 349 449 |
| Public offer unit trusts | 111 865 | 147 897 | 259 762 |
| Friendly societies | 1 126 | 4 724 | 5 850 |
| Common funds | 4 092 | 3 428 | 7 520 |
| Cash management trusts | 17 201 | 7 236 | 24 437 |
| Total | 834 291 | 1 047 602 | 1 881 894 |
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${\tt SUMMARY\ MANAGED\ FUNDS\ INDUSTRY,\ Total\ funds\ under\ management\ at\ end\ of\ period}$

| | 2008-09 | 2009–10 | Sep Qtr 2010 | Dec Qtr 2010 | Mar Qtr 2011 | Jun Qtr 2011 | Sep Qtr 2011 | Dec Qtr 2011 | Mar Qtr 2012 | Jun Qtr 2012 |
|--|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m |
| • | • • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • |
| MANAGED FUNDS INDUSTRY Consolidated assets of managed | 1 566 034 | 1 716 713 | 1 755 861 | 1 806 957 | 1 846 219 | 1 858 524 | 1 793 670 | 1 809 810 | 1 898 576 | 1 886 134 |
| funds institutions Funds managed by resident investment managers on behalf of Australian entities other than | 1 245 167 | 1 361 515 | 1 392 512 | 1 419 531 | 1 452 381 | 1 465 839 | 1 413 139 | 1 433 744 | 1 504 864 | 1 500 148 |
| managed funds institutions Funds managed by resident investment managers on behalf | 293 641 | 318 804 | 320 873 | 340 883 | 343 742 | 338 528 | 322 186 | 318 172 | 333 926 | 327 415 |
| of overseas investors less Funds managed by resident investment managers on behalf of other resident investment | 40 226 | 51 154 | 54 808 | 60 181 | 63 879 | 65 759 | 65 838 | 65 031 | 68 316 | 66 918 |
| managers | 13 000 | 14 760 | 12 332 | 13 638 | 13 783 | 11 602 | 7 493 | 7 137 | 8 530 | 8 347 |



SUMMARY MANAGED FUNDS INSTITUTIONS, Assets at end of period

| • | • • • • • • | • • • • • | • • • • • | • • • • • | • • • • • • | • • • • • • | • • • • • | • • • • • | • • • • • • | • • • • • |
|--|---------------|---------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | 2008-09 | 2009–10 | Sep Qtr 2010 | Dec Qtr 2010 | Mar Qtr 2011 | Jun Qtr 2011 | Sep Qtr 2011 | Dec Qtr 2011 | Mar Qtr 2012 | Jun Qtr 2012 |
| | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| CONSOLIDATED ASSETS TOTAL MANAGED FUNDS INSTITUTIONS | 1 245 167 | 1 361 515 | 1 392 512 | 1 419 531 | 1 452 381 | 1 465 839 | 1 413 139 | 1 433 744 | 1 504 864 | 1 500 148 |
| Deposits | 158 655 | 163 254 | 168 188 | 170 465 | 174 021 | 192 789 | 199 163 | 202 004 | 212 372 | 228 350 |
| Short term securities | 96 822 | 98 657 | 85 179 | 84 488 | 79 627 | 78 526 | 84 457 | 85 658 | 88 155 | 89 038 |
| Bonds, etc. | 73 345 | 80 927 | 76 589 | 72 124 | 73 312 | 71 734 | 71 460 | 70 618 | 73 926 | 75 557 |
| Derivatives | 3 885 | 4 060 | 3 711 | 2 438 | 2 251 | 2 187 | 2 160 | 2 194 | 1 763 | 1 951 |
| Loans and placements | 40 406 | 39 214 | 39 631 | 39 397 | 35 064 | 34 875 | 34 222 | 34 573 | 35 340 | 34 155 |
| Shares | 313 299 | 376 705 | 409 092 | 427 139 | 450 733 | 436 285 | 394 825 | 409 479 | 438 901 | 426 856 |
| Units in trusts | 149 664 | 168 563 | 177 534 | 182 511 | 184 855 | 185 161 | 162 501 | 162 101 | 167 431 | 160 309 |
| Other financial assets | 31 385 | 32 235 | 32 129 | 34 829 | 35 873 | 41 307 | 38 246 | 39 636 | 39 292 | 40 436 |
| Land, buildings and equipment | 149 665 | 153 844 | 154 854 | 158 766 | 158 903 | 167 165 | 167 839 | 169 780 | 175 168 | 180 771 |
| Other non-financial assets | 18 777 | 17 514 | 16 939 | 16 373 | 16 167 | 17 153 | 20 015 | 19 345 | 18 099 | 14 969 |
| Overseas assets | 209 265 | 226 542 | 228 667 | 231 002 | 241 577 | 238 658 | 238 250 | 238 356 | 254 417 | 247 756 |
| CROSS INVESTED ASSETS BETWEEN MANAGED FUNDS | | | | | | | | | | |
| INSTITUTIONS | 324 765 | 363 376 | 378 659 | 392 095 | 399 314 | 391 660 | 372 226 | 370 933 | 386 574 | 381 745 |
| Life insurance corporations | 32 191 | 35 080 | 34 558 | 34 690 | 33 753 | 32 286 | 30 723 | 29 589 | 30 805 | 30 111 |
| Superannuation (pension) funds | 269 847 | 293 071 | 307 799 | 319 485 | 326 443 | 322 726 | 303 615 | 308 208 | 325 548 | 321 234 |
| Public offer (retail) unit trusts | 19 731 | 32 473 | 33 591 | 35 212 | 36 525 | 33 985 | 35 333 | 29 940 | 26 928 | 27 178 |
| Friendly societies | 599 | 878 | 892 | 867 | 856 | 841 | 741 | 1 316 | 1 532 | 1 462 |
| Common funds | 474 | 547 | 487 | 492 | 478 | 510 | 487 | 472 | 457 | 465 |
| Cash management trusts | 1 922 | 1 327 | 1 331 | 1 348 | 1 259 | 1 312 | 1 327 | 1 408 | 1 304 | 1 295 |
| UNCONSOLIDATED ASSETS TOTAL | | | | | | | | | | |
| MANAGED FUNDS INSTITUTIONS | 1 569 932 | 1 724 891 | 1 771 170 | 1 811 626 | 1 851 695 | 1 857 500 | 1 785 365 | 1 804 677 | 1 891 438 | 1 881 894 |
| Life insurance corporations | 210 895 | 223 540 | 230 577 | 231 411 | 239 411 | 234 766 | 227 835 | 228 545 | 238 155 | 234 876 |
| Superannuation (pension) funds | 1 030 935 | | 1 212 618 | 1 250 816 | | 1 305 232 | | 1 274 524 | | |
| Public offer (retail) unit trusts | 268 581 | 287 981 | 286 029 | 289 550 | 285 877 | 280 333 | 269 782 | 264 560 | 267 415 | 259 762 |
| Friendly societies | 5 977 | 6 143 | 6 402 | 6 252 | 5 965 | 5 976 | 5 902 | 5 763 | 5 866 | 5 850 |
| Common funds | 8 124 | 7 834 | 7 747 | 7 758 | 7 797 | 7 739 | 7 631 | 7 548 | 7 612 | 7 520 |
| Cash management trusts | 45 420 | 36 894 | 27 797 | 25 838 | 23 923 | 23 453 | 23 315 | 23 737 | 24 542 | 24 437 |
| • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | |



LIFE INSURANCE CORPORATIONS, Unconsolidated assets and liabilities, Amounts outstanding at end of period

| | 2008-09 | 2009–10 | Sep Qtr 2010 | Dec Qtr 2010 | Mar Qtr 2011 | Jun Qtr 2011 | Sep Qtr 2011 | Dec Qtr 2011 | Mar Qtr 2012 | Jun Qtr 2012 |
|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m |
| | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 210 895 | 223 540 | 230 577 | 231 411 | 239 411 | 234 766 | 227 835 | 228 545 | 238 155 | 234 876 |
| Assets (held) in Australia | 200 838 | 212 645 | 220 685 | 222 181 | 228 011 | 223 570 | 214 876 | 216 285 | 224 948 | 219 303 |
| Deposits accepted by: | 7 816 | 7 261 | 8 042 | 7 538 | 7 582 | 8 464 | 9 560 | 9 746 | 10 172 | 11 332 |
| Banks | 7 101 | 6 408 | 5 849 | 5 695 | 5 687 | 6 191 | 7 668 | 8 283 | 8 632 | 9 562 |
| Other depository corporations | 714 | 853 | 2 193 | 1 844 | 1 896 | 2 273 | 1 892 | 1 464 | 1 541 | 1 770 |
| Short term securities | 10 349 | 10 446 | 9 632 | 8 921 | 8 588 | 6 868 | 8 134 | 7 138 | 7 487 | 8 221 |
| Bills of exchange | 2 991 | 979 | 1 219 | 468 | 544 | 343 | 462 | 89 | 132 | 190 |
| Treasury notes Bank certificates of deposit | 5 655 | 254 6 810 | 199 6 212 | 243 6 166 | np 6 061 | np 4 307 | np 5 283 | np 4 906 | 422 5 209 | 480 4 894 |
| Commercial paper | 1 703 | 2 403 | 2 004 | 2 044 | np | 4 307 np | 5 265 np | 4 900 np | 1 724 | 2 657 |
| Bonds, etc. issued by: | 18 179 | 18 362 | 18 074 | 17 437 | 18 580 | 17 993 | 17 763 | 18 249 | 20 010 | 20 610 |
| Non-financial corporations | 6 517 | 6 761 | 6 405 | 6 516 | 6 167 | 5 876 | 5 908 | 5 955 | 6 938 | 7 319 |
| Banks | 3 841 | 3 899 | 3 805 | 3 621 | 4 848 | 4 554 | 4 266 | 4 175 | 4 485 | 4 498 |
| Securitisers | 359 | 124 | 141 | 186 | 489 | 428 | 414 | 432 | 903 | 724 |
| Other financial corporations | 371 | 664 | 613 | 621 | 673 | 744 | 771 | 746 | 615 | 535 |
| National government | 1 145 | 1 896 | 2 223 | 2 203 | 2 397 | 2 614 | 2 565 | 2 967 | 2 357 | 2 502 |
| State and local government | 5 946 | 5 018 | 4 887 | 4 290 | 4 006 | 3 777 | 3 839 | 3 975 | 4 712 | 5 032 |
| Derivatives | 1 286 | 620 | 498 | 530 | 288 | 305 | 534 | 535 | 334 | 543 |
| Loans and placements | 3 594 | 2 586 | 2 746 | 2 581 | 2 080 | 2 526 | 2 172 | 2 317 | 3 363 | 2 820 |
| Mortgages | 214 | 186 | 180 | 173 | np | np | np | np | np | 138 |
| Other loans and placements | 3 380 | 2 400 | 2 565 | 2 408 | np | np | np | np | np | 2 682 |
| Non-financial corporations | 2 013 | 1 645 | 1 700 | 1 856 | np | np | np | np | np | 1 324 |
| Life insurance corporations Other residents | 1 367 | — 754 | — 866 | — 552 | — 555 | 931 | 731 | 987 | 1 864 | 1 359 |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| Equities Shares issued by: | 149 238 16 391 | 165 061 16 351 | 173 642 17 847 | 177 242 17 506 | 182 203 23 143 | 178 899 20 332 | 167 425 18 613 | 169 016 18 427 | 174 665 20 038 | 166 482 19 044 |
| Shares issued by: Listed | 13 099 | 12 986 | 14 310 | 14 069 | 14 220 | 13 424 | 11 684 | 11 468 | 13 125 | 19 044 |
| Non-financial corporations | 9 556 | 9 757 | 10 800 | 10 838 | 10 765 | 10 140 | 8 800 | 8 395 | 9 556 | 8 591 |
| Banks | 3 255 | 3 090 | 3 348 | 3 041 | 3 203 | 3 029 | 2 668 | 2 845 | 3 310 | 3 286 |
| Life insurance corporations | 166 | 45 | 52 | 68 | 49 | 23 | 15 | 15 | 11 | 9 |
| Other financial corporations | 122 | 94 | 109 | 123 | 205 | 231 | 201 | 212 | 247 | 220 |
| Unlisted | 3 292 | 3 365 | 3 537 | 3 436 | 8 923 | 6 908 | 6 928 | 6 959 | 6 913 | 6 938 |
| Non-financial corporations | 1 251 | 1 367 | 1 581 | 1 452 | 518 | 512 | 511 | 511 | 531 | 572 |
| Banks | 210 | 216 | 216 | 215 | 230 | 230 | 231 | 252 | 251 | 251 |
| Life insurance corporations | 940 | 939 | 939 | 934 | 1 876 | 1 878 | 1 884 | 1 888 | 1 885 | 1 885 |
| Other financial corporations | 891 | 842 | 800 | 835 | 6 299 | 4 288 | 4 302 | 4 308 | 4 246 | 4 229 |
| Units in trusts | 132 847 | 148 710 | 155 795 | 159 736 | 159 060 | 158 567 | 148 812 | 150 589 | 154 627 | 147 438 |
| Listed | 4 152 | 3 882 | 2 508 | 2 438 | 1 793 | 1 599 | 1 464 | 1 509 | 1 806 | 1 830 |
| Public offer (retail) unit trusts | 4 152 | 3 882 | 2 508 | 2 438 | 1 793 | 1 599 | 1 464 | 1 509 | 1 806 | 1 830 |
| Unlisted | 128 695 | 144 828 | 153 287 | 157 298 | 157 267 | 156 968 | 147 348 | 149 080 | 152 821 | 145 609 |
| Public offer (retail) unit trusts | 24 668 | 28 086 | 28 863 | 29 268 | 27 238 | 26 072 | 24 465 | 23 292 | 24 202 | 23 305 |
| Wholesale financial trusts | 101 013 2 118 | 114 078 1 811 | 121 832 1 818 | 125 670 1 565 | 127 693 | 125 719 | 117 159 | 119 908 | 121 428 | 114 408 1 793 |
| Cash management trusts Other trusts | 896 | 853 | 774 | 795 | np np | np np | np np | np np | np np | 6 102 |
| Other financial assets | | | | | | | | | 3 997 | |
| Land, buildings and equipment | 4 278 1 722 | 3 408 1 719 | 3 400 1 743 | 3 366 1 767 | 3 765 1 812 | 3 789 1 829 | 3 937 1 848 | 4 175 1 876 | 1 866 | 4 265 1 869 |
| Other non-financial assets | 4 375 | 3 182 | 2 907 | 2 798 | 3 112 | 2 897 | 3 504 | 3 233 | 3 053 | 3 162 |
| Assets overseas | 10 057 | 10 896 | 9 892 | 9 231 | 11 401 | 11 196 | 12 959 | 12 260 | 13 208 | 15 573 |
| Shares and units in trusts | 5 861 | 6 392 | 6 714 | 6 325 | 8 232 | 7 788 | 8 625 | 7 794 | 8 666 | 9 010 |
| Debt securities | 2 243 | 2 235 | 2 297 | 2 107 | 2 302 | 2 543 | 3 436 | 3 514 | 3 904 | 5 825 |
| Other | 1 953 | 2 269 | 881 | 798 | 867 | 866 | 898 | 952 | 638 | 738 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | 210 895 | 223 540 | 230 577 | 231 411 | 239 411 | 234 766 | 227 835 | 228 545 | 238 155 | 234 876 |
| Net policy liabilities | 184 547 | 198 294 | 203 870 | 205 573 | 205 544 | 204 081 | 194 593 | 196 570 | 203 851 | 200 998 |
| Debt securities issued | 2 143 | 1 884 | 1 868 | 1 603 | 2 443 | 2 072 | 2 080 | 2 044 | 2 501 | 2 157 |
| Loans and placements | 1 810 | 1 319 | 1 158 | 941 | 2 890 | 1 048 | 1 102 | 1 013 | 1 160 | 749 |
| Other liabilities | 6 966 | 5 664 | 6 681 | 6 453 | 6 913 | 6 025 | 8 248 | 7 199 | 7 802 | 7 884 |
| Share capital and reserves | 15 428 | 16 380 | 17 000 | 16 841 | 21 621 | 21 540 | 21 813 | 21 720 | 22 840 | 23 088 |
| | | | | | | | | | | |

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SUPERANNUATION (PENSION) FUNDS, Unconsolidated assets and liabilities, Amounts outstanding at end of period

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PUBLIC OFFER (RETAIL) UNIT TRUSTS, Unconsolidated assets and liabilities, Amounts outstanding at end of period

| | | | | 5 0. | | | | 5 0: | | |
|---|------------------|--------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| | 2008-09 | 2009–10 | Sep Qtr 2010 | Dec Qtr 2010 | Mar Qtr 2011 | Jun Qtr 2011 | Sep Qtr 2011 | Dec Qtr 2011 | Mar Qtr 2012 | Jun Qtr 2012 |
| | 2006-09 | 2009-10 | 2010 | 2010 | 2011 | 2011 | 2011 | 2011 | 2012 | 2012 |
| | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m |
| • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 268 581 | 287 981 | 286 029 | 289 550 | 285 877 | 280 333 | 269 782 | 264 560 | 267 415 | 259 762 |
| Assets (held) in Australia | 218 477 | 244 273 | 244 382 | 248 939 | 245 724 | 241 614 | 234 755 | 231 643 | 234 503 | 229 528 |
| Deposits accepted by: | 6 283 | 6 265 | 5 958 | 5 521 | 5 288 | 4 557 | 4 327 | 4 276 | 3 920 | 4 905 |
| Banks | 6 047 | 6 178 | 5 896 | 5 347 | 5 211 | 4 193 | 4 091 | 3 990 | 3 675 | 4 620 |
| Other depository corporations | 236 | 87 | 62 | 174 | 77 | 364 | 236 | 286 | 245 | 285 |
| Short term securities | 2 321 | 3 522 | 2 866 | 2 945 | 2 758 | 2 798 | 3 227 | 2 320 | 2 616 | 2 805 |
| Bills of exchange | 175 | 174 | 156 | 153 | 143 | 133 | 158 | 154 | 75 | np |
| Treasury notes | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Bank certificates of deposit | 1 859 | 2 108 | 1 819 | 1 900 | 1 660 | 1 399 | 1 686 | 1 221 | 1 607 | 1 225 |
| Commercial paper | 287 | 1 240 | 891 | 892 | 955 | 1 266 | 1 383 | 945 | 934 | np |
| Bonds, etc. issued by: | 6 282 | 5 483 | 4 969 | 5 126 | 5 342 | 4 803 | 4 828 | 4 574 | 4 971 | 4 894 |
| Non-financial corporations | 1 648 | 1 389 | 1 329 | 1 586 | 1 616 | 1 594 | 1 856 | 1 644 | 1 685 | 1 673 |
| Banks Securitisers | 256 104 | 380 132 | 317 92 | 377 93 | 421 94 | 376 89 | 447 89 | 441 29 | 493 24 | 443 20 |
| Other financial corporations | 2 686 | 2 358 | 2 007 | 2 070 | 2 139 | 1 926 | 1 628 | 1 555 | 1 855 | 1 937 |
| National government | 867 | 752 | 753 | 615 | 668 | 411 | 249 | 412 | 369 | 236 |
| State and local government | 721 | 472 | 471 | 385 | 404 | 407 | 559 | 493 | 545 | 585 |
| Derivatives | 2 598 | 3 434 | 3 213 | 1 908 | 1 963 | 1 882 | 1 626 | 1 657 | 1 426 | 1 408 |
| Loans and placements | 26 063 | 24 605 | 24 564 | 24 243 | 20 902 | 19 826 | 19 790 | 19 516 | 18 992 | 18 056 |
| Mortgages | 5 757 | 4 401 | 4 133 | 3 702 | 3 526 | 3 213 | 3 014 | 2 714 | 2 384 | 2 264 |
| Other loans and placements | 20 306 | 20 204 | 20 431 | 20 541 | 17 376 | 16 613 | 16 776 | 16 802 | 16 608 | 15 792 |
| Non-financial corporations | 12 010 | 11 813 | 11 984 | 12 173 | 10 820 | 10 509 | 10 956 | 10 874 | 11 093 | 10 565 |
| Other residents | 8 296 | 8 391 | 8 447 | 8 368 | 6 556 | 6 104 | 5 820 | 5 928 | 5 515 | 5 227 |
| Equities | 79 607 | 107 828 | 109 637 | 109 488 | 111 527 | 106 313 | 99 503 | 94 886 | 95 591 | 92 428 |
| Shares issued by: | 32 471 | 40 292 | 39 376 | 37 549 | 38 905 | 36 074 | 31 290 | 34 633 | 36 046 | 33 043 |
| Listed | 27 638 | 34 775 | 33 868 | 32 792 | 33 937 | 31 057 | 26 593 | np | np | np |
| Non-financial corporations | 21 160 | 26 510 | 25 374 | 24 926 | 25 834 | 23 404 | 19 970 | 18 525 | 19 761 | 17 171 |
| Banks Other financial corporations | 4 709 1 769 | 5 799 2 466 | 6 149 2 345 | 5 569 2 297 | 6 029 2 074 | 5 640 2 013 | 4 585 2 038 | 4 781 | 4 953 | 4 842 |
| · | | | | | | | | np | np | np |
| Unlisted | 4 833 | 5 517 | 5 508 | 4 757 | 4 968 | 5 017 | 4 697 | np | np | np |
| Non-financial corporations Financial corporations | 4 825 8 | 5 482 35 | 5 473 35 | 4 721 36 | 4 932 36 | 4 928 89 | 4 654 43 | np | np 117 | np |
| · | | | | | | | | np | | np |
| Units in trusts | 47 136 | 67 536 | 70 261 | 71 939 | 72 622 | 70 239 | 68 213 | 60 253 | 59 545 | 59 385 |
| Listed Public offer (retail) unit trusts | 2 730 2 730 | 3 397 3 397 | 3 237 3 237 | 3 646 3 646 | 3 150 3 150 | 2 888 2 888 | 3 334 3 334 | 2 464 2 464 | 2 567 2 567 | 3 196 3 196 |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| Unlisted | 44 406 15 777 | 64 139 28 357 | 67 024 29 721 | 68 293 | 69 472 32 182 | 67 351 | 64 879 31 119 | 57 789 | 56 978 | 56 189 23 394 |
| Public offer (retail) unit trusts Wholesale financial trusts | 15 777 21 336 | 28 35 <i>1</i> 28 845 | 30 320 | 30 794 30 110 | 30 253 | 30 408 30 854 | 27 804 | 26 453 25 400 | 23 488 27 544 | 23 394 26 980 |
| Cash management trusts | 915 | 559 | 491 | 519 | 444 | 384 | 27 304 | 428 | 371 | 327 |
| Other trusts | 6 378 | 6 378 | 6 492 | 6 870 | 6 593 | 5 705 | 5 683 | 5 508 | 5 575 | 5 488 |
| Other financial assets | 5 569 | 4 139 | 4 241 | 7 988 | 6 544 | 7 374 | 7 341 | 9 665 | 7 601 | 6 626 |
| Land, buildings and equipment | 85 561 | 84 228 | 83 807 | 86 513 | 85 910 | 88 209 | 88 132 | 88 896 | 92 946 | 96 051 |
| Other non-financial assets | 4 193 | 4 769 | 5 127 | 5 207 | 5 490 | 5 852 | 5 981 | 5 853 | 6 440 | 2 355 |
| Assets overseas | 50 104 | 43 708 | 41 647 | 40 611 | 40 153 | 38 719 | 35 027 | 32 917 | 32 912 | 30 234 |
| Shares and units in trusts | 33 014 | 28 013 | 27 799 | 27 580 | 27 722 | 25 861 | 23 672 | 22 503 | 23 164 | 21 197 |
| Debt securities | 1 210 | 774 | 713 | 575 | 545 | 518 | 518 | np | np | np |
| Other | 15 880 | 14 921 | 13 135 | 12 456 | 11 886 | 12 340 | 10 837 | np | np | np |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES & INVESTOR FUNDS | 268 581 | 287 981 | 286 029 | 289 550 | 285 877 | 280 333 | 269 782 | 264 560 | 267 415 | 259 762 |
| Investor funds | 194 373 | 221 237 | 220 217 | 224 688 | 222 548 | 216 036 | 207 355 | 200 239 | 208 015 | 201 763 |
| Debt securities | 10 563 | 7 663 | 7 049 | 9 832 | 7 307 | 6 116 | 6 940 | 8 043 | 9 444 | 8 699 |
| Loans and placements | 40 289 | 35 380 | 36 418 | 31 824 | 35 506 | 35 162 | 33 088 | 33 610 | 31 616 | 30 588 |
| Other liabilities | 23 356 | 23 701 | 22 345 | 23 206 | 20 516 | 23 019 | 22 399 | 22 668 | 18 340 | 18 712 |

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FRIENDLY SOCIETIES, Unconsolidated assets and liabilities, Amounts outstanding at end of period

| | | | Sep Qtr | Dec Qtr | Mar Qtr | Jun Qtr | Sep Qtr | Dec Qtr | Mar Qtr | Jun Qtr |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | 2008–09 | 2009–10 | 2010 | 2010 | 2011 | 2011 | 2011 | 2011 | 2012 | 2012 |
| | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m |
| • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 5 977 | 6 143 | 6 402 | 6 252 | 5 965 | 5 976 | 5 902 | 5 763 | 5 866 | 5 850 |
| Assets (held) in Australia | 5 799 | 5 970 | 6 237 | 6 086 | 5 809 | 5 815 | 5 737 | 5 602 | 5 708 | 5 696 |
| Deposits accepted by: | 635 | 385 | 371 | 302 | 246 | 224 | 243 | 256 | 259 | 284 |
| Banks | np | 305 80 | 304 67 | 260 42 | 190 56 | 171 53 | 189 54 | 215 41 | 208 51 | 224 60 |
| Other depository corporations | np | | | | | | | | | |
| Short term securities | 1 146 | 568 | 629 | 578 | 625 | 631 | 634 | 490 | 457 | 474 |
| Bills of exchange | 169 | 189 | 302 | 259 | np | np | 250 | 237 | 243 | 253 |
| Treasury notes | 750 | 270 | | - 245 | | | - 204 | - 052 | - 01.4 | |
| Bank certificates of deposit Commercial paper | 752 225 | 379 — | 326 1 | 315 4 | 363 | 361 | 384 | 253 — | 214 | 221 |
| , , | | | | | np | np | | | | _ |
| Bonds, etc. issued by: | 390 | 306 | 310 | 323 | 345 | 350 | 333 | 460 | 315 | 311 |
| Non-financial corporations | _ | _ | _ | _ | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| Banks | 114 | 137 | 119 | 123 | 124 | 119 | 94 | 95 | 96 | 89 |
| Securitisers Other financial corporations | 32 11 | 25 4 | 21 3 | 20 1 | 22 3 | 19 10 | 19 2 | 21 123 | 160 | 161 |
| National government | 108 | 80 | 103 | 121 | 3 137 | 146 | 157 | 160 | 30 | 27 |
| State and local government | 125 | 60 | 64 | 58 | 57 | 54 | 59 | 59 | 28 | 32 |
| g | | | | | | | | | | 02 |
| Derivatives | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | | - 077 | - 014 | - 012 | 200 |
| Loans and placements Mortgages | 295 274 | 288 247 | 284 249 | 261 239 | 261 232 | 253 220 | 277 207 | 214 146 | 213 129 | 200 126 |
| Other loans and placements | 214 | 41 | 35 | 239 | 232 | 33 | 70 | 68 | 84 | 74 |
| · | | | | | | | | | | |
| Equities Shares issued by: | 2 913 68 | 4 051 40 | 4 259 28 | 4 234 27 | 4 157 18 | 4 136 | 4 071 8 | 3 987 9 | 4 299 | 4 247 21 |
| Non-financial corporations | 44 | 40 11 | 13 | 27 11 | 14 | 11 9 | 6 | 9 7 | 17 12 | 21 16 |
| Banks | 5 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 4 |
| Other financial corporations | 19 | 20 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| · · | 2 845 | | | | | | | | | 4 226 |
| Units in trusts Public offer (retail) unit trusts | 2 845 398 | 4 011 393 | 4 231 472 | 4 207 471 | 4 139 452 | 4 125 458 | 4 063 408 | 3 978 993 | 4 282 1 028 | |
| Wholesale financial trusts | 2 250 | 3 151 | 3 341 | 3 345 | 3 286 | 3 289 | 3 360 | 2 699 | 2 803 | np 2 804 |
| Cash management trusts | 197 | 466 | 417 | 391 | 401 | 378 | 295 | 286 | 451 | np |
| Other trusts | _ | 1 | 1 | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | p |
| | 140 | 124 | 100 | 107 | 57 | 104 | 70 | 02 | 67 | 07 |
| Other financial assets Land, buildings and equipment | 149 186 | 134 191 | 103 202 | 107 203 | 57 52 | 104 53 | 72 43 | 83 43 | 67 29 | 87 30 |
| Other non-financial assets | 84 | 46 | 79 | 203 78 | 66 | 64 | 43 64 | 43 69 | 69 | 63 |
| Assets overseas | 178 | 173 | 165 | 166 | 156 | 161 | 165 | 161 | 158 | 154 |
| | | | 6 402 | 6 252 | | | 5 902 | | | |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES Net policy liabilities | 5 977 5 385 | 6 143 5 459 | 6 402 5 695 | 6 252 5 502 | 5 965 5 495 | 5 976 5 477 | 5 902 5 445 | 5 763 5 368 | 5 866 5 426 | 5 850 5 411 |
| Debt securities | 5 385 21 | 5 459 | 5 695 | 5 502 | 5 495 | 5 477 | 5 445 | 3 308 | J 420 | 5 411 |
| Loans and placements | 74 | 83 | 154 | 150 | 71 | 69 | | 27 | 34 | 35 |
| Other liabilities | 261 | 131 | 150 | 156 | 58 | 71 | 53 | 32 | 55 | 54 |
| Share capital and reserves | 236 | 470 | 403 | 444 | 341 | 359 | 332 | 336 | 351 | 350 |
| | | | | | | | | | | |

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COMMON FUNDS, Unconsolidated assets and liabilities, Amounts outstanding at end of period

| Sep Qtr Dec Qtr Mar Qtr Jun Qtr Sep Qtr Dec Qtr Mar Qtr Jun 2008–09 2009–10 2010 2010 2011 2011 2011 2012 20 \$m | \$m |
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| | \$m |
| \$m \$m \$m \$m \$m \$m \$m | 520 |
| | |
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| | |
| (| 520 |
| | 772 |
| | 764 8 |
| | |
| | 875 |
| | 084 |
| Treasury notes — — — — — — — — — | _ |
| | 639 |
| Commercial paper 110 70 66 62 58 56 221 191 181 1 | 152 |
| Bonds, etc. issued by: 1 048 1 004 910 918 868 486 254 237 227 2 | 221 |
| Non-financial corporations 23 29 28 26 26 11 11 3 3 | 3 |
| 201110 | 122 |
| Securitisers 91 70 67 75 69 69 66 63 60 | 57 |
| Other financial corporations 254 213 115 160 125 214 22 18 22 | 13 |
| National government 149 148 147 147 147 1 1 1 1 1 | 1 |
| State and local government 344 374 405 367 347 45 10 16 23 | 25 |
| Derivatives — 5 — — — — — — — — | _ |
| Loans and placements 1 800 1 614 1 589 1 584 1 563 1 593 1 569 1 539 1 506 1 4 | 478 |
| | 356 |
| Other loans and placements 78 95 103 98 102 137 129 134 116 1 | 122 |
| Equities 2 968 3 095 3 058 3 090 3 128 3 217 3 081 2 996 3 164 3 1 | 112 |
| Shares issued by: 640 584 580 580 580 714 704 667 727 7 | 719 |
| Non-financial corporations 384 331 327 327 327 461 451 434 457 4 | 449 |
| Banks 254 253 253 253 253 253 253 232 270 2 | 270 |
| Other financial corporations 2 — — — — — — — — — — — — — | _ |
| Units in trusts 2 328 2 511 2 478 2 510 2 548 2 503 2 377 2 329 2 437 2 3 | 393 |
| | 343 |
| Wholesale financial trusts 1 734 1 851 1 881 1 898 1 948 1 917 1 827 1 800 1 888 1 8 | 856 |
| Cash management trusts — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — | _ |
| Other trusts 198 208 213 218 224 213 192 191 208 1 | 194 |
| Other financial assets 72 51 58 58 57 73 55 57 60 | 62 |
| Land, buildings and equipment — — — — — 2 — — 1 | _ |
| Other non-financial assets — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — | _ |
| Assets overseas 394 479 374 360 366 94 — — — | _ |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES & INVESTOR FUNDS 8 124 7 834 7 747 7 758 7 797 7 739 7 631 7 548 7 612 7 5 | 520 |
| Investor funds 8 097 7 749 7 682 7 731 7 780 7 719 7 624 7 536 7 605 7 5 | 508 |
| Debt securities — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — | _ |
| Loans and placements 7 67 48 10 — 3 3 5 4 | 3 |
| Other liabilities 20 18 17 17 17 17 4 7 3 | 9 |

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CASH MANAGEMENT TRUSTS, Unconsolidated assets and liabilities, Amounts outstanding at end of period

| | 0000 00 | 0000 10 | Sep Qtr | Dec Qtr | Mar Qtr | Jun Qtr | Sep Qtr | Dec Qtr | Mar Qtr | Jun Qtr |
|---|---------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|
| | 2008–09 | 2009–10 | 2010 | 2010 | 2011 | 2011 | 2011 | 2011 | 2012 | 2012 |
| | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m | \$m |
| ••••• | • • • • • • • | • • • • • • | • • • • • • | • • • • • • | • • • • • • | • • • • • • | • • • • • • | | • • • • • • | |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 45 420 | 36 894 | 27 797 | 25 838 | 23 923 | 23 453 | 23 315 | 23 737 | 24 542 | 24 437 |
| Assets (held) in Australia | 45 420 | 36 894 | 27 797 | 25 838 | 23 923 | 23 453 | 23 315 | 23 737 | 24 542 | 24 437 |
| Deposits accepted by: | 4 797 | 5 501 | 4 439 | 5 790 | 5 343 | 4 775 | 6 284 | 4 782 | 5 261 | 7 204 |
| Banks | 4 267 | 4 572 | 3 521 | 4 367 | 4 039 | 3 348 | 4 996 | 3 510 | 4 000 | 5 987 |
| Other depository corporations | 530 | 929 | 918 | 1 423 | 1 304 | 1 427 | 1 288 | 1 272 | 1 261 | 1 217 |
| Short term securities | 35 509 | 27 698 | 19 732 | 17 343 | 15 825 | 15 875 | 14 509 | 16 402 | 16 436 | 14 423 |
| Bills of exchange accepted/endorsed by: | 7 826 | 4 137 | 2 819 | 1 524 | 1 322 | 875 | 1 130 | 1 406 | 1 382 | 1 235 |
| Banks | 7 787 | 4 107 | 2 800 | 1 503 | np | 866 | 1 130 | 1 406 | 1 382 | 1 235 |
| Other financial corporations | 39 | 30 | 19 | 21 | np | 9 | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Treasury notes | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Bank certificates of deposit | 26 160 | 19 444 | 12 991 | 12 184 | 11 447 | 11 074 | 9 716 | 12 042 | 12 015 | 10 412 |
| Commercial paper issued by: | 1 523 | 4 117 | 3 922 | 3 635 | 3 056 | 3 926 | 3 663 | 2 954 | 3 039 | 2 776 |
| Securitisers | 41 | 1 361 | 825 | 1 131 | 1 079 | 825 | 812 | 988 | 1 027 | np |
| Other financial corporations | 1 482 | 2 655 | 3 006 | 1 884 | 1 494 | 2 429 | 2 303 | 1 561 | 1 725 | 1 475 |
| Other residents | _ | 101 | 91 | 620 | 483 | 672 | 548 | 405 | 287 | np |
| Bonds, etc. issued by: | np | 2 272 | 2 236 | 1 306 | 1 455 | 1 443 | 1 146 | 1 103 | 1 495 | 1 465 |
| Non-financial corporations | np | 498 | 489 | np | np | np | np | np | np | 4 |
| Banks | np | 297 | 467 | 430 | 469 | 395 | 350 | 333 | np | np |
| Securitisers | np | 35 | 25 | 24 | np | np | np | np | 9 | np |
| Other financial corporations | np | 1 442 | 1 255 | np | 944 | np | 775 | 752 | 1 116 | np |
| National government | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| State and local government | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | np |
| Derivatives | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | 2 | 3 | _ |
| Loans and placements | 14 | 2 | 3 | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Equities | 1 916 | 1 303 | 1 327 | 1 346 | 1 258 | 1 310 | 1 325 | 1 408 | 1 304 | 1 295 |
| Shares | _ | | | | | | | _ | _ | |
| Units in trusts | 1 916 | 1 303 | 1 327 | 1 346 | 1 258 | 1 310 | 1 325 | 1 408 | 1 304 | 1 295 |
| Public offer (retail) unit trusts | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Wholesale financial trusts | 1 916 | 1 303 | 1 327 | 1 346 | 1 257 | 1 310 | 1 325 | 1 408 | 1 304 | 1 295 |
| Cash management trusts Other trusts | 1 910 | 1 303 | 1 321 | 1 340 | 1 237 | 1 310 | 1 323 | 1 400 | 1 304 | 1 293 |
| | _ | _ | _ | _ | | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Other financial assets | np | 118 | 58 | 53 | 42 | 50 | 51 | 40 | 43 | 50 |
| Non-financial assets | _ | _ | 2 | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Assets overseas | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES & INVESTOR FUNDS | 45 420 | 36 894 | 27 797 | 25 838 | 23 923 | 23 453 | 23 315 | 23 737 | 24 542 | 24 437 |
| Investor funds | 45 349 | 36 787 | 27 671 | 25 714 | 23 799 | 23 305 | 23 207 | 23 618 | 24 369 | 24 339 |
| Other liabilities | 71 | 107 | 126 | 124 | 124 | 148 | 108 | 119 | 173 | 98 |

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RESIDENT INVESTMENT MANAGERS, SOURCE OF FUNDS, Amounts under management at end of period

Dec Qtr Sep Qtr Mar Qtr Jun Qtr Sep Qtr Dec Qtr Mar Qtr Jun Qtr 2008-09 2009-10 2010 2010 2011 2011 2011 2011 2012 2012 \$m \$m

| AL FUNDS UNDER | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------|
| ANAGEMENT | 1 050 335 | 1 155 054 | 1 182 407 | 1 231 865 | 1 253 509 | 1 238 844 | 1 186 391 | 1 186 287 | 1 245 930 | 1 228 6 |
| unds from Australian | | | | | | | | | | |
| sources | 1 010 109 | 1 103 900 | 1 127 599 | 1 171 684 | 1 189 630 | 1 173 085 | 1 120 553 | 1 121 256 | 1 177 614 | |
| Managed Funds | 716 468 | 785 096 | 806 726 | 830 801 | 845 888 | 834 557 | 798 367 | 803 084 | 843 688 | 834 2 |
| Life insurance | | | | | | | | | | |
| corporations | 153 855 | 158 886 | 158 678 | 159 582 | 160 296 | 162 847 | 162 870 | 161 777 | 161 846 | 161 2 |
| Superannuation funds | 415 172 | 473 370 | 502 573 | 520 878 | 536 123 | 526 448 | 497 701 | 508 166 | 542 683 | 538 7 |
| Public offer (retail) unit | | | | | | | | | | |
| trusts | 108 420 | 120 314 | 123 208 | 128 348 | 127 731 | 124 063 | 115 992 | 111 332 | 117 167 | 111 8 |
| Friendly societies | 1 249 | 1 272 | 1 272 | 1 271 | 1 257 | 1 107 | 1 180 | 1 150 | 1 157 | 1 1 |
| Common funds | 3 964 | 4 133 | 4 239 | 4 211 | 4 188 | 4 184 | 4 113 | 4 114 | 4 093 | 4 0 |
| Cash management trusts | 33 808 | 27 121 | 16 756 | 16 511 | 16 293 | 15 908 | 16 511 | 16 545 | 16 742 | 17 2 |
| Total other sources | 293 641 | 318 804 | 320 873 | 340 883 | 343 742 | 338 528 | 322 186 | 318 172 | 333 926 | 327 4 |
| National government | 62 595 | 55 862 | 51 753 | 50 105 | 50 056 | 49 537 | 50 295 | 47 717 | 48 362 | 45 0 |
| State and local | | | | | | | | | | |
| government | 31 831 | 34 014 | 35 651 | 38 932 | 40 167 | 43 673 | 41 804 | 42 169 | 44 320 | 44 3 |
| Government | | | | | | | | | | |
| compensation schemes | 9 739 | 8 367 | 9 335 | 9 623 | 9 919 | 9 510 | 9 654 | 9 535 | 9 666 | 9 0 |
| Wholesale financial trusts | 108 319 | 129 989 | 135 713 | 141 797 | 143 213 | 139 964 | 132 467 | 128 493 | 136 223 | 133 9 |
| General insurance | 33 544 | 33 674 | 34 124 | 34 690 | 34 506 | 32 175 | 33 059 | 36 152 | 36 684 | 37 2 |
| Non-government trading | | | | | | | | | | |
| corporations | 13 052 | 17 197 | 19 201 | 21 394 | 21 794 | 23 135 | 20 820 | 20 538 | 22 082 | 21 7 |
| Charities | 1 982 | 1 769 | 1 752 | 1 790 | 1 780 | 1 690 | 1 665 | 1 706 | 1 703 | 1 6 |
| Other investment | | | | | | | | | | |
| managers | 13 000 | 14 760 | 12 332 | 13 638 | 13 783 | 11 602 | 7 493 | 7 137 | 8 530 | 8 3 |
| Other sources | 19 579 | 23 172 | 21 012 | 28 914 | 28 524 | 27 242 | 24 929 | 24 725 | 26 356 | 25 9 |
| unds from overseas | | | | | | | | | | |
| sources | 40 226 | 51 154 | 54 808 | 60 181 | 63 879 | 65 759 | 65 838 | 65 031 | 68 316 | 66 9 |

EXPLANATORY NOTES

INTRODUCTION

1 The statistics presented in this publication have been compiled from the ABS's Survey of Financial Information, Australian Prudential Regulation Authority (APRA)'s Survey of Superannuation Funds, and the Australian Taxation Office (ATO)'s Self Managed Superannuation Fund Regulatory Return. Some brief notes on the concepts, sources and methods employed follow. A full description and glossary are provided on the ABS web site, http://www.abs.gov.au select Economy under Topics @ a Glance then Finance, then Finance Releases.

MANAGED FUNDS INDUSTRY

- 2 The term "managed funds" is used loosely in the financial community to embrace two broad types of institutions. The first are managed funds institutions (eg life insurance corporations, superannuation funds and unit trusts, etc) which buy assets on their own account. The second are investment or fund managers which provide, on a fee for service basis, professional investment services for the managed funds institutions, as well as others with substantial funds to invest. The managed funds industry is difficult to measure because of large amounts of financial interaction between managed funds institutions and investment managers, and between investment managers themselves. Consequently double counting of funds which are "churning" through the system needs to be addressed in order to derive a true measure of the managed funds industry.
- **3** The approach taken by the ABS is to provide a measure of the managed funds industry which includes the consolidated position of the managed funds institutions plus funds under management of investment managers on behalf of clients other than managed funds institutions, less any cross investment between fund managers. This measure is wider than the measure provided by the consolidated assets of managed funds institutions view.

MANAGED FUNDS INSTITUTIONS

- **4** Managed funds institutions are those financial intermediaries which operate in the managed funds market by acquiring assets and incurring liabilities on their own account. Typically, these institutions arrange for the 'pooling' of funds from a number of investors for the purpose of investing in a particular type or mix of assets, with a view to receiving an ongoing return or capital gain. However, funds of a speculative nature that do not offer redemption facilities (e.g. agriculture and film trusts) and funds not established for investment purposes (e.g. health funds and general insurance funds) are excluded.
- **5** The types of managed funds institutions covered by the statistics in this publication are: Life Insurance Corporations, Superannuation Funds (which includes self managed funds), Public Offer (Retail) Unit Trusts, Friendly Societies, Common Funds, and Cash Management Trusts.

RESIDENT INVESTMENT MANAGERS

- **6** An investment manager is an organisation that specialises in the investment of a portfolio of assets on behalf of, and subject to directions given by clients, such as superannuation funds and life insurance corporations. The funds which investment managers invest remain the asset of their clients and are not brought to account on the balance sheet of the investment manager. The ultimate responsibility for the investment remains with the client.
- **7** For the purposes of this publication, investment managers need to satisfy the following criteria:
 - be Australian resident entities (see relevant definition);
 - offer pooled investment products (eg. wholesale and/or retail trusts) which are registered with Australian Securities and Investments Commission (ASIC); and individual portfolios, eg mandates for institutional investors and/or separately managed accounts (SMAs) for individuals;
 - be managers who actively invest on behalf of clients, where clients retain ownership of the assets; and

EXPLANATORY NOTES continued

RESIDENT INVESTMENT
MANAGERS continued

- predominately rely on management fees, rather than dividends and interest income, for the major part of their income.
- **8** Investment managers are generally subsidiaries of life insurance offices, banks, merchant banks, or organisations related to these types of institutions. They can be either separately constituted legal entities or form a segment of a particular financial institution.

ASSETS, VALUATION AND TIME SERIES COMPARISONS

- **9** The data tabulated in this publication are the stocks of assets held by the various types of institution, classified by type of asset. The classification of assets in this publication follows that contained in the ABS publication *Australian National Accounts*, *Financial Accounts* (cat. no. 5232.0). Definitions of the various types of instruments are given in the glossary on the ABS web site.
- **10** Providers of managed funds statistics are requested to report assets at their market value.
- **11** Movements between periods in the levels of assets of managed funds institutions reflect three key components: transactions in particular assets; valuation changes arising from price changes in the assets; and occasionally reclassifications between institution types.

SUPERANNUATION (PENSION) FUNDS

- **12** From the June quarter 1995 until the December quarter 2004, the ABS conducted a quarterly Survey of Superannuation Funds. This survey was used by the Australian Prudential Regulation Authority (APRA) to compile "Superannuation Trends" and by the ABS to compile superannuation fund data in *Managed Funds, Australia* (cat. no. 5655.0).
- **13** From the December quarter 2004, this data source was replaced by a new quarterly data collection conducted by APRA for superannuation funds with assets greater than \$50m, supplemented by estimates for other APRA regulated funds and estimates of self-managed funds regulated by the ATO.
- **14** Prior to December 2004, the ABS estimated asset detail for some superannuation funds using quarterly information from funds with total assets over \$60m. From December 2004, the type of assets held by superannuation funds has been refined by the introduction of a range of compilation methods, depending on the size of the superannuation fund. Where possible, quarterly asset details provided by the superannuation fund itself is the basis of the compilation; otherwise, its annual asset detail is the basis of the compilation.

METHOD OF CONSOLIDATION

15 Estimates of the consolidated assets of managed funds are derived by eliminating any cross-investment that takes place between the various types of funds. For example, investments by superannuation funds in public unit trusts are excluded from the assets of superannuation funds in a consolidated presentation. It is not possible, however, to apportion cross-investment at the level of detail presented in the unconsolidated tables.

RELATED MATERIAL

- 16 Time series electronic spreadsheets for the tables in this publication are available free on the ABS web site http://www.abs.gov.au from the Downloads tab of this Issue. Users may wish to refer to material available on the ABS web site http://www.abs.gov.au select Economy under Topics @ a Glance then Finance, then Finance Releases.
- **17** Users of statistics relating to the managed funds industry in Australia may be interested in the following ABS releases:
 - Australian National Accounts: Financial Accounts (cat. no. 5232.0) quarterly
 - Information Paper: Changes to Managed Funds, Australia to incorporate revised international standards 2010 (cat.no. 5655.0.55.002)

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RELATED MATERIAL continued

18 Users may also wish to refer to the Australian Prudential Regulation Authority (APRA) web site, particularly APRA Super Trends <www.apra.gov.au/statistics>, and the Australian Taxation Office (ATO) web site page for self managed superannuation funds <<ht><http://www.ato.gov.au/superfunds/pathway.asp?pc=001/149/030/004>>

APRA

The Australian Prudential Regulation Authority (APRA) is the prudential regulator of the Australian financial services industry. It oversees banks, credit unions, building societies, general insurance and reinsurance companies, life insurance corporations, friendly societies, registered financial corporations and large to medium superannuation funds.

Assets overseas

Assets overseas includes all physical assets located outside of Australia and financial claims (eg equity and debt securities) on non-residents whether purchased overseas or in Australia and irrespective of the currency in which they are denominated (see definition Resident/non resident). Respondents to the ABS Survey of Financial Information are requested to report assets at their market value in \$AUS equivalent.

ATO

The Australian Taxation Office (ATO) is the Government's principal revenue collection agency and is responsible for the regulation and reporting of self-managed super funds (SMSFs)

Bank certificates of deposit

A certificate of deposit is similar to a promissory note except that the drawer is a bank. Most bank issued certificates of deposit with an original term to maturity of one year or less are negotiable certificates of deposit (NCD). Transferable certificates of deposit with an original term to maturity greater than one year are included in bonds etc.

Bills of exchange

A bill of exchange is an unconditional order drawn (issued) by one party, sent to another party for acceptance and made out to, or to the order of, a third party, or to bearer. It is a negotiable instrument with an original term to maturity of 180 days or less. Although merchant banks were the promoters of the bill market in Australia, today almost all bills are bank accepted. Acceptance of a bill obliges the acceptor to pay the face value of the bill to the holder upon maturity.

Bonds, etc

Debt securities are divided into short term and long term using original term to maturity as the classificatory criterion. Long term securities are those with an original term to maturity of more than one year. Bonds are long term securities, which represent the issuer's pledge to pay the holder, on a date which, at the time of issue, is more than one year in the future, the sum of money shown on the face of the document. Until that future date the issuer usually promises to pay coupon interest to the holder quarterly or half-yearly at a rate which is fixed at the time the security is issued. These securities are therefore known as fixed interest securities in the professional market.

Bonds etc includes the following types of securities:

- Treasury Bonds. These are issued to corporations and the general public by the Commonwealth Government.
- Inscribed stock which are issued by State government owned borrowing authorities and enterprises. These are known as semi government securities by professional traders
- Debentures, transferable certificates of deposit and unsecured notes, which are collectively called corporate securities or medium term notes by brokers.
- Asset-backed bonds, such as mortgage-backed securities.
- Convertible notes, prior to conversion.

Debt securities

Debt securities are securities which represent borrowed funds which must be repaid by the issuer. It includes short and long term securities.

Deposits

Deposits are credit account balances with domestic deposit-taking institutions as defined by the Australian Prudential Regulatory Authority (APRA). These are banks and all corporations registered under the Financial Sector (Collection of Data) Act 2001 except for intragroup financiers. Bonds, debentures, notes and transferable certificates of deposit issued by deposit-taking institutions are classified as bonds etc and negotiable certificates of deposit issued by banks have been classified as bank certificates of deposit.

Cash management trusts

A cash management trust is a unit trust which is governed by a trust deed which generally confines its investments (as authorised by the trust deed) to financial securities available through the short term money market. Cash management trusts issue units in the trust that are redeemable by the unit holder on demand.

Commercial paper

Commercial paper, also called promissory notes or one name paper in the professional market - is a written promise to pay a specified sum of money to the bearer at an agreed date. It is usually issued for terms ranging from 30 to 180 days and is sold to an investor at a simple discount to the face value. A promissory note is different from a bill of exchange in that it is not 'accepted' by a bank and is not endorsed by the parties which sell it in the market place.

Common funds

Common funds are operated by Trustee Companies under relevant State Trustee Companies Acts. They permit trustee companies to combine depositors' funds and other funds held in trust in an investment pool, and invest the funds in specific types of securities and/or assets. Cash and non cash common funds have the same investment strategy and economic functions as cash management trusts and public unit trusts respectively. However they do not operate in the same manner, in that they do not issue units, nor do they necessarily issue prospectuses.

Derivatives

Derivatives are financial instruments whose value depends on the value of an underlying asset, an index or reference rate. Derivative contracts involve future delivery, receipt or exchange of financial items such as cash or another derivative instrument, or future exchange of real assets for financial items where the contract may be tradeable and has a market value. It includes options, interest rate swaps, currency swaps, credit default swaps, futures, forward rate agreements, forward foreign-exchange contracts and employee stock options.

Equities

This category comprises shares traded on an organised stock exchange, shares in unlisted companies, convertible notes after conversion, preference shares and units issued by both listed and unlisted unit trusts. Trust units are included in this classification because they have important characteristics of equities, such as entitlement to a share of the profits and of (on liquidation) the residual assets of the trust.

Friendly societies

Friendly societies are organisations which are registered and regulated as such with APRA, and provide investment, health, educational and welfare benefits to their members.

Investment managers - resident

An investment manager is an organisation that specialises in the investment of a portfolio of assets on behalf of, and subject to directions given by clients, such as superannuation funds and life insurance corporations. The funds which investment managers invest remain the asset of their clients and are not brought to account on the balance sheet of the investment manager. The ultimate responsibility for the investment remains with the client.

For the purposes of this publication, investment managers should satisfy the following criteria:

- be Australian resident entities (see resident/non-resident definition);
- offer pooled investment products (eg. wholesale and/or retail trusts) which are registered with ASIC; and individual portfolios (eg mandates for institutional investors and/or separately managed accounts (SMAs)) for individuals;
- be managers who actively invest on behalf of clients who retain ownership of the assets; and
- predominately rely on management fees, rather than dividends and interest income, as the major part of their income.
- Investment managers are generally subsidiaries of life insurance offices, banks, merchant banks, or organisations related to these types of institutions. They can be either separately constituted legal entities or form a segment of a particular financial institution.

Land and buildings

Land and buildings refers to land and buildings held and the value of units in unitised buildings. New acquisitions are reported at acquisition cost and existing assets are reported at the latest available market valuation.

Life insurance corporations

This includes all corporations regulated by APRA which provide life insurance. Most of the investment funds of life insurance offices are held in Statutory Funds. Statutory Funds of Life Insurance Offices have been set up under Commonwealth Government legislation and are analogous to trust funds. The legislation requires that the assets of any statutory fund must be kept separate and distinct from the assets of other statutory funds and any other assets of the company. All income received must be paid into and become an asset of the appropriate statutory fund and these assets are only available to meet the liabilities and expenses of that fund.

Loans and placements

Loans are financial assets that are created when a creditor lends funds directly to a debtor, and are evidenced by documents that are not negotiable. The category includes overdrafts, instalment loans, mortgages, hire-purchase credit and loans to finance trade credit. Undrawn lines of credit are not recognised as a liability as they are contingent. Accounts payable/receivable are treated as a separate category in Other Financial Assets. It also includes liabilities of entities not described as deposit taking institutions, eg State treasuries, and these are referred to as placements.

Managed funds

The term managed funds is used to describe the investments undertaken by those managed funds institutions and resident investment managers who engage in financial transactions in the managed funds market in Australia.

Managed funds institutions

Managed funds institutions are those financial intermediaries which operate in the managed funds market by acquiring and incurring financial assets and liabilities respectively on their own balance sheet. Typically these institutions arrange for the 'pooling' of funds from a number of investors for the purpose of investing in a particular type or mix of assets, with a view to receiving an ongoing return or capital gain. However, funds of a speculative nature that do not offer redemption facilities (e.g. agriculture and film trusts) and funds not established for investment purposes (e.g. health funds and general insurance funds) are excluded. Included are life insurance corporations, superannuation (pension) funds, public offer (retail) unit trusts, friendly societies, common funds and cash management trusts.

Non-financial assets

Non-financial assets comprise all those assets which are not financial in nature: i.e. physical assets. For the purposes of these statistics they are broken down into only two categories - land and buildings, and other types of non-financial asset.

Other financial assets

This covers any other financial claims on residents that do not fit into any other category, such as trade credit and interest accruals.

Other non-financial assets

Other non-financial assets refers to all assets which are non financial in nature, not classified to overseas assets and are not land and buildings.

Other trusts

This covers trusts that do not fit into any other category. It may include wholesale non-financial trusts, such as property syndicates, film trusts, agricultural trusts and solicitors trusts.

Public offer (retail) unit trusts

A public offer (retail) unit trust is a trust which is governed by a trust deed; is or has been open to the general public to buy units; and allows unit holders to redeem or dispose of their units within a reasonable period of time on a well developed secondary market (eg ASX) or has readily accessible redemption facilities offered by the management company in association with the trust.

Residents/non-residents

Residents are persons, companies and other entities ordinarily domiciled in Australia. It includes Australian based branches and subsidiaries of foreign businesses. All foreign branches and subsidiaries of Australian businesses are included in non-resident entities.

Securitisers

These entities issue asset-back securities, so called because these securities are backed by specific assets, usually residential mortgages. The securities can be short term (eg. commercial paper) or long term (eg. bonds).

Short term securities

Debt securities are divided into short term and long term using original term to maturity as the classificatory criterion. Short term securities are those with an original term to maturity of one year or less. Issuers of promissory notes and bills of exchange do negotiate roll-over facilities which allow them to use these instruments as sources of floating-rate long term funds. However, in these statistics the existence of roll-over facilities does not convert what are legally short term instruments into long term ones.

There are four types of short term securities shown in this publication: bills of exchange, Treasury notes, bank certificates of deposit and commercial paper. All of these are issued at a discount to face value and are traded on well-established secondary markets with bills of exchange and certificates of deposit being the most actively traded. Professional traders call these short term instruments money market securities. Treasury notes are inscribed stock in that ownership is recorded in a register maintained by the issuer and a non-transferable certificate of ownership is issued, but the owner does not physically hold the documents. The other short term securities are bearer securities, that is the owner is not registered with the issuer but physically holds the documents. Bearer securities are payable to the holder on maturity and transferable by delivery.

Superannuation (pension) funds

Superannuation funds are indefinitely continuing funds maintained for the provision of benefits for either members of the fund, or the dependants of members in the event of retirement or death of the member. The statistics include both public and private sector superannuation funds that either directly invest on their own behalf, or use fund managers on a fee for service basis. It includes superannuation funds regulated under

the Superannuation Industry (Supervision) Act 1993 by APRA and self managed superannuation funds (SMSFs) regulated by the Australian Taxation Office.

Treasury notes

Treasury notes are inscribed instruments issued by the Commonwealth Government with original maturity terms of five, 13 or 26 weeks.

Wholesale financial trusts

Wholesale financial trusts invest in financial assets and are only open to institutional investors (eg life insurance corporations, superannuation funds) and high net worth individuals due to high entry levels. However some are indirectly open to the public via distribution channels such as platforms. Wholesale non-financial trusts, such as property syndicates are excluded; these are included with Other trusts.

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