

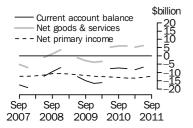
## BALANCE OF PAYMENTS AND INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT POSITION

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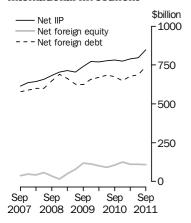
#### **Current Account**

Main aggregates
Trend estimates at current prices (a)



(a) Trend breaks have been applied to Mar qtr 2008, Jun qtr 2008, Mar qtr 2009, Jun qtr 2001, Mar qtr 2011 and Sep qtr 2011 for the balances on current account and goods and services.

### **International Investment**



### INQUIRIES

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	Jun Qtr 2011 \$m	Sep Qtr 2011 \$m	Jun Qtr 2011 to Sep Qtr 2011 % change	
BALANCE ON CURRENT ACCOUNT				
Trend estimates	-6 929	-6 061	13	
Seasonally adjusted	-6 660	-5 637	15	
BALANCE ON GOODS AND SERVICES				
Trend estimates	6 108	6 419	5	
Seasonally adjusted	6 218	6 801	9	
NET PRIMARY INCOME				
Trend estimates	-12 948	-12 410	4	
Seasonally adjusted	-12 784	-12 364	3	
LEVELS AT END OF PERIOD				
International Investment Position	797 651	848 283	6	
Net foreign equity	111 418	107 778	-3	
Net foreign debt	686 233	740 504	8	
KEY POINTS				

# BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

- The current account deficit, seasonally adjusted, fell \$1,023m (15%) to \$5,637m in the September quarter 2011. The surplus on the balance of goods and services rose \$583m (9%) to \$6,801m. The primary income deficit fell \$420m (3%) to \$12,364m.
- In seasonally adjusted chain volume terms, the deficit on goods and services rose \$1,930m (17%) from \$11,340m in the June quarter 2011 to \$13,270m in the September quarter 2011. This is expected to detract 0.6 percentage points from growth in the September quarter 2011 volume measure of GDP.

### INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT POSITION (IIP)

• Australia's net IIP liability position was \$848.3b at 30 September 2011, an increase of \$50.6b on 30 June 2011. Australia's net foreign debt liability increased \$54.3b to a liability position of \$740.5b. Australia's net foreign equity liability decreased \$3.6b to a liability position of \$107.8b.

### NOTES

#### FORTHCOMING ISSUES

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December 2011 6 March 2012

March 2012 5 June 2012 June 2012 4 September 2012

REVISIONS

In original terms, data have been revised back to September quarter 1981. See page 10 – *Revisions* for details.

Revisions have been made to incorporate the latest data relating to international merchandise trade. The 'capital goods n.e.s.' component of the goods debits series has been revised from July 2011 onwards since the release of the September 2011 issue of the *International Trade in Goods and Services* (cat. no. 5368.0).

The revised goods debits data aligns with the data to be published in the September quarter 2011 *Australian National Accounts: National Income, Expenditure and Product* (cat. no. 5206.0) to be released on 7 December 2011.

# CHANGES IN THIS AND FORTHCOMING ISSUES

Changes in this issue:

- Seasonally adjusted and trend estimates
- Chain volume estimates, implicit price deflators and terms of trade indexes
- Selected international accounts ratios table 35.

Changes in forthcoming issues:

Changes in time series spreadsheets table 83.

See page 11 – Changes in this and forthcoming issues for details.

# COMMODITY VALUE ADJUSTMENTS

Iron ore and coal

for this issue, no value adjustments have been applied to the 'metal ores and minerals' or 'coal, coke and briquettes' components. All previous adjustments applied to these components have been removed.

### Capital expenditure

the balance of payments goods debits component 'capital goods n.e.s.' includes an estimate of expenditure on capital goods that have changed ownership but have not yet crossed the Customs frontier.

### RELATED RELEASES

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### **ABBREVIATIONS**

**\$b** billion (thousand million) dollars

**\$m** million dollars

ABS Australian Bureau of Statistics

ANZSIC Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification

ARIMA autoregressive integrated moving average

BEC Classification by Broad Economic Categories

**BOP** Balance of Payments

BPM6 Balance of Payments and International Investment Position Manual, Sixth

Edition

CVM chain volume measure

EPI export price index

FISIM financial intermediation services indirectly measured

GDP gross domestic product

GNI gross national income

IIP International Investment Position

IPD implicit price deflator

IPI import price index

ITPI International Trade Price Indexes

n.e.s. not elsewhere specified

n.i.e. not included elsewhere

RBA Reserve Bank of Australia

SITC Standard International Trade Classification

TWI trade-weighted index

### TIME SERIES DATA

#### TIME SERIES DATA

Tables 1 to 36 of this publication are available free on the ABS website <www.abs.gov.au> from the 'Downloads' tab of this issue with longer time series. A number of these tables present more detailed breakdowns than included in the publication and a number of additional tables are also available free on the ABS website.

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### REVISIONS

SUMMARY OF REVISIONS SINCE THE LAST ISSUE OF THIS PUBLICATION Table 36 summarises revisions, in original current price terms, since the last issue of this publication, for the last three years and six quarters.

Incorporation of the latest survey and administrative data has resulted in revisions to the balance of payments and IIP series. The balance of payments has been revised back to September quarter 1981. In original current price terms, these revisions have:

- decreased the 2006–07 current account deficit by \$278m
- decreased the 2007–08 current account deficit by \$1,382m
- decreased the 2008–09 current account deficit by \$1,508m
- increased the 2009–10 current account deficit by \$2,727m
- decreased the 2010–11 current account deficit by \$337m
- increased the current account deficit for September quarter 2010 by \$699m
- decreased the current account deficit for December quarter 2010 by \$100m
- increased the current account deficit for March quarter 2011 by \$26m
- decreased the current account deficit for June quarter 2011 by \$961m.

The international investment position has been revised back to September quarter 2007. The revisions resulted in an increase of \$16,530m in Australia's net IIP liability as at 30 June 2011 to a liability position of \$797,651m.

Full detailed revisions in time series are available in table 36. Summary of revisions for this publication on the ABS website www.abs.gov.au from the 'Download' tab of this issue.

Seasonally adjusted and trend series have been revised due to the incorporation of revised estimates, the incorporation of estimates for the latest quarter, the annual seasonal re–analysis and the rederivation of seasonal factors under the concurrent seasonal adjustment methodology. For details on the seasonal re–analysis see page 11 – Seasonally adjusted and trend estimates.

Chain volume estimates, implicit price deflators and terms of trade indexes have been revised as a result of the incorporation of revised estimates and seasonal factors, the introduction of a new reference year and the introduction of revised weights for goods credits. For details see page 11 – Chain volume estimates, implicit price deflators and terms of trade indexes.

### CHANGES IN THIS AND FORTHCOMING ISSUES

CHANGES IN THIS ISSUE Seasonally adjusted and trend estimates The seasonally adjusted and trend estimates of goods and services have been revised as a result of the annual seasonal re–analysis. This re–analysis reviews the seasonal and trading day factors in more detail than is possible in the quarterly processing cycle and assesses the appropriateness of any prior corrections. The results of this review have introduced trend breaks to the 'capital goods n.e.s.' component for the March and September quarters 2011.

Chain volume estimates, implicit price deflators and term of trade indexes A new reference year 2009–10, has been introduced into the chain volume estimates, implicit price deflators and terms of trade indexes. Additivity has been preserved in the quarters in and subsequent to the new reference year. Re–referencing affects the levels, but not the movements, of chain volume estimates, implicit price deflators and terms of trade indexes.

Quantity re-valuation is used for selected goods credits components. The relative values used by quantity revaluation for all quarters from September quarter 2009 have been updated to 2009–10 weights, replacing the relative values for 2008–09 used in the June quarter 2011 issue. This has resulted in revisions to the growth rates of chain volume estimates, implicit price deflators and terms of trade indexes for all periods from September quarter 2009.

Selected international accounts ratios – table 35

The updated annual GDP and GNI estimates released in the *Australian System of National Accounts*, *2010–11* (cat. no. 5204.0) released on 28 October 2011 will be revised and incorporated into the quarterly national accounts with the September quarter 2011 issue of *Australian National Accounts: National Income and Expenditure* (cat. no. 5206.0) to be released on 7 December 2011. The revised estimates will change the level of the quarterly and annual GDP and GNI used in the ratios for tables 35 and 85 of this publication. As the ratios using the currently available GDP and GNI would be inconsistent with the revised data, the ratios have been suppressed in this issue. Tables 35 and 85 in the Time Series data released in conjunction with this publication will be updated with the release of the quarterly national accounts on 7 December 2011.

CHANGES IN
FORTHCOMING ISSUES
Changes in time series
Table 83

The series IDs in 'Table 83. Exchange rates - Financial year' will change from the next issue:

	Current	New
Data Item Description	Series ID	Series ID
United States Dollar; Period average -;	A3538164A	A3604466X
United Kingdom Pound; Period average -;	A3538163X	A3604465W
Euro; Period average -;	A3538165C	A3604467A
Japanese Yen; Period average -;	A3538161V	A3604463T
Special Drawing Rights; Period average -;	A3538166F	A3604468C
United States Dollar; End of period -;	A3538171X	A3605367K
United Kingdom Pound; End of period -;	A3538170W	A3605364C
Euro; End of period -;	A3538172A	A3605363A
Japanese Yen; End of period -;	A3538168K	A3605365F
Special Drawing Rights; End of period -;	A3538173C	A3605368L
Trade Weighted Index; Period average -;	A3538162W	A3604464V
Trade Weighted Index; End of period -;	A3538169L	A3605366J

### RELATED RELEASES

TRADE IN SERVICES DATA
CUBES

The data cube *International Trade in Services by Country, by State and by Detailed Services Category, Financial Year, 2010–11* (cat. no. 5368.0.55.003) was released on the ABS website on 11 November 2011.

AUSTRALIAN HARMONIZED EXPORT COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION

The Australian Harmonized Export Commodity Classification (AHECC) – Electronic Publication, Jan 2012 (cat. no. 1233.0) was released on the ABS website on 22 August 2011. A revised version of this publication was released on 15 November 2011 to include changes to the following tables:

- Table 2. Key of changes
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- Table 24. AHECC Complete File (including free standing descriptors).

INFORMATION PAPER: CHANGES TO AHECC AND CUSTOMS TARIFF The *Information Paper: Changes to AHECC and Customs Tariff* (cat. no. 5368.0.55.017) will be released on 8 December 2011. This information paper will provide correspondences between the statistical codes of the AHECC and Customs Tariff, and related classifications used for the dissemination of merchandise trade data as follows:

- Correspondences between Customs Tariff 2011 and 2012
- AHECC correspondences to Standard International Trade Classification Rev. 4,
   Broad Economic Category, Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial
   Classification 2006; and free standing descriptors
- Customs Tariff correspondences to Standard International Trade Classification
   Rev. 4, Broad Economic Category, Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial
   Classification 2006, Balance of Payments Broad Economic Category; and free standing descriptors.

The Customs Tariff 2012 is available from the Australian Customs and Border Protection Service website *www.customs.gov.au*, select 'Tariff' then 'Working tariff 2012'.

### ANALYSIS AND COMMENTS

### BALANCE OF PAYMENTS

CURRENT ACCOUNT

In original current price terms, the September quarter 2011 current account deficit was \$8,049m, a rise of \$3,734m (87%) on the June quarter 2011 deficit.

Current account balances, in seasonally adjusted and trend terms at current prices, are shown in the following table.

## BALANCE ON CURRENT ACCOUNT IN CURRENT PRICES—September Quarter 2011

	CHANGE	IN:
Current prices	Current prices	Current prices
\$m	\$m	%
ADJUSTE	D	• • • • •
-5 637 6 801 9 494 -2 693	1 023 583 1 219 -636	15.4 9.4 14.7 –30.9
-12 364 -74	420 20	3.3 21.3
N D	• • • • • • •	• • • • •
-6 061 6 419 8 991 -2 572 -12 410 -70	868 311 657 -346 538 19	12.5 5.1 7.9 –15.5 4.2 21.3
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VOLUMES AND PRICES

Goods and Services

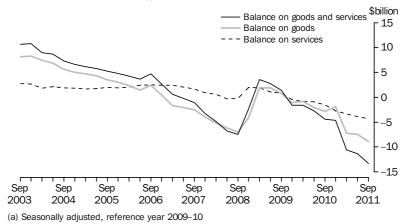
In seasonally adjusted chain volume terms, the balance on goods and services was a deficit of \$13,270m, a rise of \$1,930m (17%) on the June quarter 2011 deficit of \$11,340m. The September quarter 2011 result is the highest deficit on record.

The net deficit on goods rose 1,482m (20%) on the June quarter 2011 deficit of 7,426m. Goods credits rose 1,845m (4%) and goods debits rose 3,327m (6%). The net deficit on services rose 450m (12%) on the June quarter 2011 deficit of 3,913m.

The increase in the balance on goods and services deficit, in seasonally adjusted chain volume terms, is expected to detract 0.6 percentage points from growth in the September quarter 2011 volume measure of GDP, assuming no significant revision to the GDP chain volume estimate for the June quarter 2011.

Goods and Services continued

### GOODS AND SERVICES, CHAIN VOLUME MEASURES (a)

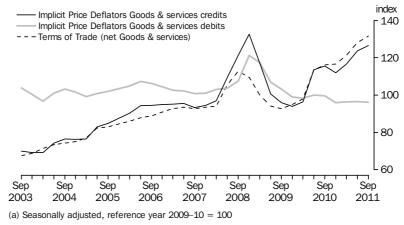


Terms of Trade and Implicit Price Deflator Australia's seasonally adjusted terms of trade on net goods and services rose 2.7% to 131.5 with an increase of 2.4% in the implicit price deflator (IPD) for goods and services credits and a decrease of 0.3% in the IPD for goods and services debits.

In trend terms, the terms of trade for net goods and services rose 3.0% to 132.2.

The September quarter 2011 terms of trade, in both trend and seasonally adjusted terms, were the highest on record.

### IMPLICIT PRICE DEFLATOR AND TERMS OF TRADE (a)



Goods

The trend estimate of net goods at current prices was a surplus of \$8,991m, a rise of \$657m (8%) on the June quarter 2011 surplus of \$8,334m.

In seasonally adjusted terms at current prices, net goods recorded a surplus of \$9,494m, a rise of \$1,219m (15%) on the June quarter 2011 surplus of \$8,275m.

GOODS, Price and volume analysis: Seasonally Adjusted—September Quarter 2011

	CHANGE IN:				
	Current prices	Current prices	Chain volume measures	Implicit price deflators	
	\$m	%	%	%	
Exports	3 963	6.1	3.6	2.3	
Rural goods Non–rural goods Net exports of goods under merchanting Non–monetary gold	296 2 741 6 919	3.5 5.1 85.7 26.9	5.8 2.7 80.0 11.4	-2.2 2.4 1.5 13.9	
Imports	2 744	4.8	5.7	-0.8	
Consumption goods Capital goods Intermediate and other merchandise goods Non–monetary gold	898 1 566 -252 531	5.9 11.4 -0.9 46.2	6.0 10.8 1.5 27.9	-0.1 0.5 -2.4 14.3	

Services

SERVICES, Price and volume analysis: **Seasonally Adjusted**—September Quarter 2011

CHANGE IN: Implicit Chain Current Current volume price prices prices measures deflators % \$m % **Exports** -528 -4.2 -4.9 0.8 Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned by others -1 -12.5-12.50.7 Maintenance and repair services n.i.e. 44.4 5 55.6 0.7 Transport -28 -1.8-2.91.1 -509 -7.3 Travel -6.60.8 Other services 4 0.1 -0.40.6 **Imports** 107 0.7 -0.9 1.7 Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned by others -100.0-1 Maintenance and repair services n.i.e. -74 -48.4 -49.41.7 **Transport** 103 2.8 0.9 1.9 Travel 32 0.5 -1.01.5 Other services 47 -0.5 1.2 1.7 

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GOODS CREDITS

The trend estimate of goods credits at current prices rose \$3,122m (5%) to \$68,662m in the September quarter 2011.

In seasonally adjusted terms at current prices, goods credits rose \$3,963m (6%) to \$69,466m, with volumes up 4% and prices up 2%.

Rural Goods

Exports of rural goods, in seasonally adjusted terms at current prices, rose \$296m (4%) to \$8,752m, with volumes up 6% and prices down 2%. The main component contributing to the rise was other rural, up \$226m (6%), with volumes up 7%.

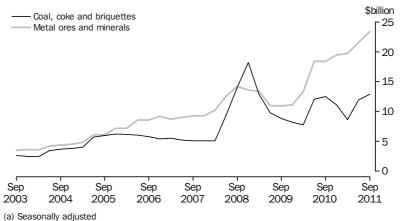
Non-rural Goods

Exports of non-rural goods, in seasonally adjusted terms at current prices, rose \$2,741m (5%) to \$56,360m, with volumes up 3% and prices up 2%. The main components contributing to the rise were:

- metal ores and minerals, up \$1,833m (8%), with volumes up 7% and prices up 2%
- coal, coke and briquettes, up \$966m (8%), with volumes up 5% and prices up 3%
- other manufactures, up \$228m (6%), with volumes up 4% and prices up 2%.

Partly offsetting these increases was the other mineral fuels component, down \$465m (7%), with volumes down 8% and prices up 1%.

### SELECTED MAJOR COMMODITIES, CURRENT PRICES(a)



Net Exports of Goods Under Merchanting Net exports of goods under merchanting, in seasonally adjusted terms at current prices, rose \$6m (86%) to \$13m, with volumes up 80% and prices up 2%.

Non-monetary Gold

Exports of non-monetary gold, in seasonally adjusted terms at current prices, rose \$919m (27%) to \$4,340m, with volumes up 11% and prices up 14%.

GOODS DEBITS

The trend estimate of goods debits at current prices rose \$2,465m (4%) to \$59,671m in the September quarter 2011.

In seasonally adjusted terms at current prices, goods debits rose \$2,744m (5%) to \$59,972m, with volumes up 6% and prices down 1%.

Consumption Goods

Imports of consumption goods, in seasonally adjusted terms at current prices, rose \$898m (6%) to \$16,238m, with volumes up 6%. The main components contributing to the rise were:

- non-industrial transport equipment, up \$703m (21%), with volumes up 22% and prices down 1%
- consumption goods n.e.s., up \$111m (2%), with volumes up 4% and prices down 2%.

Capital Goods

Imports of capital goods, in seasonally adjusted terms at current prices, rose 1,566m (11%) to 15,289m with volumes up 11%. The main components contributing to the rise were:

- capital goods n.e.s., up \$725m (26%), with volumes up 24% and prices up 1%
- $\blacksquare$  industrial transport equipment n.e.s., up \$422m (26%), with volumes up 27%
- machinery and industrial equipment, up \$418m (10%), with volumes up 9% and prices up 1%.

Intermediate and Other Merchandise Goods Imports of intermediate and other merchandise goods, in seasonally adjusted terms at current prices, fell 252m (1%) to 26,764m, with volumes up 1% and prices down 2%. The main components contributing to the fall were:

- fuels and lubricants, down \$660m (7%), with volumes up 1% and prices down 8%
- iron and steel, down \$184m (18%), with volumes down 17% and prices down 1%.

Partly offsetting these decreases was the processed industrial supplies n.e.s. component, up 551m (10%), with volumes up 9%.

Non-monetary Gold

Imports of non-monetary gold, in seasonally adjusted terms at current prices, rose \$531m (46%) to \$1,680m, with volumes up 28% and prices up 14%.

SERVICES

The trend estimate of net services at current prices was a deficit of \$2,572m, a rise of \$346m (16%) on the June quarter 2011 deficit of \$2,226m.

In seasonally adjusted terms at current prices, net services recorded a deficit of \$2,693m, a rise of \$636m (31%) on the June quarter 2011 deficit of \$2,057m.

Services Credits

Services credits, in seasonally adjusted terms at current prices, fell \$528m (4%) to \$12,118m with volumes down 5% and prices up 1%. The main component contributing to the fall was travel, down \$509m (7%), with volumes down 7% and prices up 1%.

In seasonally adjusted terms, tourism related service credits fell \$538m (6%) to \$7,794m.

Services Debits

Services debits, in seasonally adjusted terms at current prices, rose \$107m (1%) to \$14,810m, with volumes down 1% and prices up 2%. The main component contributing to the rise was transport, up \$103m (3%), with volumes up 1% and prices up 2%.

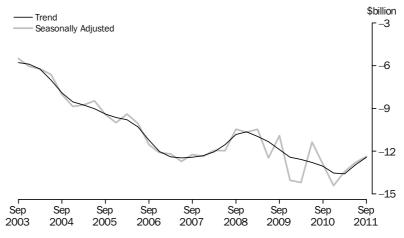
In seasonally adjusted terms, tourism related service debits rose \$30m to \$8,321m.

PRIMARY INCOME

The trend estimate of the net primary income deficit at current prices decreased \$538m (4%) in the September quarter 2011 to \$12,410m.

In seasonally adjusted terms, the net primary income deficit decreased \$420m (3%) in the September quarter 2011 to \$12,364m.

### NET PRIMARY INCOME



#### Primary Income Credits

Primary income credits, in seasonally adjusted terms at current prices, increased \$286m (3%) to \$10,325m. The main contributors to the increase were:

- a \$253m (6%) increase in direct investment assets, income on equity and investment fund shares
- a \$110m (4%) increase in portfolio investment assets, investment income on equity and investment fund shares.

Partly offsetting these increases was a \$101m (4%) decrease in portfolio investment assets, interest.

### Primary Income Debits

Primary income debits, in seasonally adjusted terms at current prices, decreased 135m (1%) to 22,688m. The main contributor to the decrease was a 716m (9%) decrease in portfolio investment liabilities, interest.

Partly offsetting this decrease was a \$450m (5%) increase in direct investment liabilities, income on equity and investment fund shares.

#### SECONDARY INCOME

In trend terms, the net secondary income deficit at current prices, fell  $$19m\ (21\%)$  in the September quarter 2011 to \$70m.

In seasonally adjusted terms, the net secondary income deficit at current prices, fell 20m (21%) in the September quarter 2011 to 74m.

### FINANCIAL ACCOUNT

The balance on financial account, in original terms, recorded a net inflow of \$8.0b, with a net inflow of \$4.3b of equity and a net inflow of \$3.7b of debt.

The financial account surplus increased \$3.3b from \$4.7b in June quarter 2011 to \$8.0b in September quarter 2011.

Direct investment recorded a net inflow of \$5.3b in September quarter 2011, a decrease of \$12.9b from the net inflow of \$18.2b in June quarter 2011, where:

- direct investment liabilities recorded an inflow of \$18.8b, an increase of \$3.6b on the inflow of \$15.2b in June quarter 2011
- direct investment assets recorded an outflow of \$13.5b, a turnaround of \$16.5b on the inflow of \$2.9b in June quarter 2011.

Portfolio investment recorded a net inflow of \$21.6b, a turnaround of \$25.7b on the net outflow of \$4.0b in June quarter 2011, where:

- equity and investment fund shares recorded a net inflow of \$0.9b
- debt securities recorded a net inflow of \$20.7b, where portfolio investment liabilities debt securities increased \$2.3b from \$15.5b of issues in June quarter 2011 to \$17.8b in September quarter 2011.

Financial derivatives recorded a net outflow of \$17.8b, an increase of \$14.1b from the net outflow of \$3.7b in June quarter 2011. The main contributor was deposit—taking corporations, except the central bank with a net outflow of \$11.8b.

Other investment recorded a net outflow of \$0.7b, a turnaround of \$1.4b from the net inflow of \$0.7b in June quarter 2011.

Reserve assets recorded a net outflow of \$0.3b, a decrease of \$6.1b from the net outflow of \$6.4b in June quarter 2011.

### INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT POSITION

ANALYSIS

Australia's net international investment position at 30 September 2011 was a net foreign liability of \$848.3b, up \$50.6b on the 30 June 2011 position of \$797.7b.

The changes contributing to this result are shown in the following table.

## ${\tt INTERNATIONAL\ INVESTMENT\ POSITION,\ Summary-September\ Quarter\ 2011}$

	Net international investment position	Net foreign equity	Net foreign debt
	\$m	\$m	\$m
Position at beginning of period	797 651	111 418	686 233
Changes in position reflecting			
Transactions	8 029	4 316	3 713
Price changes	33 235	19 713	13 522
Exchange rate changes	10 496	-25 751	36 246
Other adjustments	-1 129	-1 919	790
Total changes	50 631	-3 640	54 271
Position at end of period	848 283	107 778	740 504

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### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

CONDITIONS

Economic indicators showed moderate increases for most countries in the September quarter 2011. According to the Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD), preliminary real GDP estimates in seasonally adjusted terms showed positive quarterly growth for: Japan (1.5%), Germany (0.5%), UK (0.5%), USA (0.5%), France (0.4%) and OECD total (0.6%).

Australia's international investment activities decreased substantially during the quarter:

- foreign asset transactions were \$21.2b in September quarter 2011 compared to \$32.6b in June quarter 2011
- foreign liability transactions were \$29.3b in September quarter 2011 compared to \$37.4b in June quarter 2011.

The Australian share market, as measured by the MSCI global index, decreased 13.4% in September quarter 2011, following a 4.7% decrease in June quarter 2011. There were decreases in all major markets: Germany –25.4%, France –24.5%, Hong Kong –20.5%, Europe ex UK –15.3%, Singapore –14.6%, USA –14.5%, United Kingdom –13.6%, Canada –12.9%, Japan –11.5%, Switzerland –11.0% and New Zealand –1.5%. A market price change of \$80.4b was recorded for foreign equity assets and –\$60.7b in foreign equity liabilities during September quarter 2011.

According to Reuters, the composite corporate benchmark yield decreased in Australia from 6.40% to 6.10%, UK (4.60% to 4.00%), USA (4.00% to 3.10%), Germany (3.90% to 3.40%) and Japan (1.40% to 1.20%). Long term government bond yields decreased in all major markets over September quarter 2011. The 10 year government bond yields decreased in the UK (3.38% to 2.42%), USA (3.18% to 1.92%), Germany (3.01% to 1.86%) and Japan (1.14% to 1.03%). In Australia, the rate decreased from 5.16% to 4.20%. This is reflected in the market price changes for both portfolio debt securities liabilities (\$13.0b) and assets (\$1.4b) in September quarter 2011.

The Australian dollar depreciated against a number of the major currencies in the September quarter 2011. It decreased against the Japanese yen (–13.3%), Chinese renminbi (–10.0%), US dollar (–8.9%), Hong Kong dollar (–8.8%), UK pound sterling (–6.0%), Singapore dollar (–3.9%), Malaysian ringgit (–3.8%), European euro (–2.6%), Canadian dollar (–2.2%), New Zealand dollar (–1.5%) and Swiss franc (–1.5%). The Trade Weighted Index (TWI) recorded a decrease of 6.9%. The net impact of exchange rate changes was an increase of \$33.7b in foreign assets and \$44.2b in foreign liabilities.

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN IPD, EPI AND IPI<sup>2</sup>

In original terms, the IPD for total goods credits rose 2.5% and the chain Laspeyres price index for goods exports rose 2.7%. The export price index (EPI) rose 4.0% during the September quarter 2011.

In original terms, the IPD for total goods debits fell 0.4% and the chain Laspeyres price index for goods imports rose 0.3%. The import price index (IPI) remained steady at 117.1 during the September quarter 2011.

<sup>2</sup> In this commentary movements in indexes are based on data to four decimal places.

RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN IPD, EPI AND IPI continued

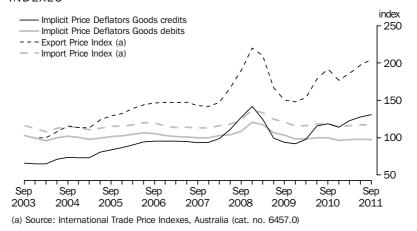
Differences between the IPD and International Trade Price Indexes can arise due to a number of methodological factors including differences in pricing points, timing, coverage and weights. In the September quarter 2011, the difference between the IPD and EPI were mainly due to the 'cereal grains and cereal preparations', 'other rural' and 'coal, coke and briquettes' components.

### GOODS AND SERVICES, Price comparison—September Quarter 2011

	CHANGES IN			•••••
	Seasonally adjusted	Original		
	Implicit	Implicit	International	Chain
	price	price	Trade price	Laspeyres
	deflators	deflators	indexes(a)	price indexes
	%	%	%	%
Exports				
Goods	2.3	2.5	4.0	2.7
Services	0.8	0.8	na	0.9
Imports				
Goods	-0.8	-0.4	_	0.3
Services	1.7	1.7	na	1.6

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## IMPLICIT PRICE DEFLATORS AND INTERNATIONAL TRADE PRICE INDEXES



Commodity Price Indexes

The RBA Commodity Price Index<sup>3</sup> (average monthly index) for rural commodities decreased 3.5% between the June 2011 and September 2011 quarters while the EPI for rural goods total increased 2.0%.

The RBA Commodity Price Index for non-rural commodities increased 3.8% while the EPI for non-rural goods total (excluding non-monetary gold) increased 3.4%.

Differences between the RBA Commodity Price Index and ABS price measures are largely a consequence of methodological differences used in the construction of the respective indexes, including coverage of included commodities and timing of source data.

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<sup>(</sup>a) Source: International Trade Price Indexes, Australia (cat. no. 6457.0)

<sup>3</sup> For RBA Commodity Price Index methodology, see paragraph 23 of the Explanatory Notes.



	2008–09	2009–10		Jun Qtr	Sep Qtr	Dec Qtr	Mar Qtr	Jun Qtr	Sep Qtr
		2009-10	2010–11	2010	2010	2010	2011	2011	2011
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
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CURRENT ACCOUNT	-37 272	-56 018	-33 229	-3 328	-8 811	-9 687	-10 416	-4 315	-8 049
Goods and Services	7 353	-4 621	20 918	8 041	5 377	4 283	2 970	8 288	5 439
Credits	284 571	253 762	297 545	74 275	75 571	74 729	69 055	78 190	82 850
	277 218	-258 383	-276 627	-66 234	-70 194	-70 446	–66 085	-69 902	-77 411
Goods Credits	10 733	-3 244	27 708 246 975	8 725	7 238	6 012	4 173	10 285	8 867 70 742
	231 623 220 890	201 751 -204 995	-219 267	61 472 -52 747	62 621 -55 383	61 800 -55 788	56 727 -52 554	65 827 -55 542	-61 875
Services	-3 380	-1 377	-6 790	-684	-1 861	-1 729	-1 203	-1 997	-3 428
Credits	-3 360 52 948	52 011	50 570	12 803	12 950	12 929	12 328	12 363	-3 428 12 108
Debits	-56 328	-53 388	-57 360	-13 487	-14 811	-14 658	-13 531	-14 360	-15 536
Primary income	-44 376	-50 327	-53 613	-10 980	-14 099	-13 915	-13 222	-12 377	-13 511
Credits	43 364	34 285	40 184	10 207	10 071	10 282	9 589	10 242	10 242
Debits	-87 741	-84 612	-93 798	-21 186	-24 171	-24 197	-22 811	-22 619	-23 753
Secondary income	-249	<b>-1</b> 070	-534	-389	-89	-55	-164	-226	23
Credits	6 667	6 315	6 605	1 574	1 601	1 620	1 690	1 694	1 749
Debits	-6 916	-7 385	-7 139	-1 963	-1 690	-1 675	-1 854	-1 920	-1 726
CAPITAL AND FINANCIAL ACCOUNT	38 139	54 763	33 503	3 324	9 093	9 639	10 222	4 549	7 913
Capital account	-611	-291	-556	-93	-51	-202	-138	-165	-116
Acquisition/disposal of non-produced,									
non-financial assets	-244	-4	-29	-10	65	-76	-6	-12	_
Credits Debits	2 -246	22 –26	73 –102		71 -6	2 -78	— -6	 -12	_
									440
Capital transfers Credits	–367 —	–287 —	-527 	-83 	-116 —	-126 	-132 	-153 	-116 
Debits	-367	-287	-527	-83	-116	-126	-132	-153	-116
Financial account	38 750	55 054	34 059	3 417	9 144	9 841	10 360	4 714	8 029
Direct investment	17 336	20 668	24 791	-2 131	-5 652	5 741	6 543	18 158	5 253
Assets	-30 999	-19 387	-15 053	-9 511	-13 078	-4 556	-347	2 928	-13 547
Liabilities	48 335	40 055	39 843	7 380	7 426	10 298	6 890	15 230	18 800
Portfolio investment	48 539	70 085	33 829	18 489	18 940	22 040	-3 110	-4 042	21 629
Assets	4 467	-91 693	-59 896	-1 369	-9 516	-12 408	-18 354	-19 617	1 371
Liabilities	44 072	161 777	93 725	19 858	28 456	34 449	15 245	15 575	20 258
Financial derivatives	-3 491	-9 762	-11 269	-5 627	4 747	-5 747	-6 604	-3 665	-17 798 1 FG9
Assets Liabilities	30 782 -34 273	34 033 -43 795	42 348 -53 617	780 –6 407	3 648 1 100	15 633 -21 380	11 468 -18 072	11 600 -15 265	1 568 -19 366
Other investment	-11 738	-31 866	-10 093	-7 005	-6 670	-11 073	6 963	687	-719
Assets	-11 738 -50 927	-31 866 -23 437	-10 093 -36 221	-7 005 -9 083	-6 670 4 649	-11 073 -12 803	-6 937	-21 130	-719 -10 295
Liabilities	39 189	-8 429	26 128	2 079	-11 319	1 730	13 900	21 817	9 575
Reserve assets	-11 896	5 929	-3 199	-308	-2 222	-1 121	6 567	-6 423	-336
NET ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	-867	1 255	-273	4	-281	49	194	-235	136

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<sup>(</sup>a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the Explanatory Notes.

	Position		Position			
	at beginning of period	Transactions	Price changes	Exchange rate changes	Other adjustments	at end of period
Period	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
NET INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT POSITION						
2008-09	657 553	38 750	-17 618	29 397	-4 512	703 571
2009–10	703 571	55 054	15 169	5 498	-1 428	777 864
2010–11	777 864	34 059	-47 286	34 763	-1 749	797 651
2009–10	=== 0.11			40.000	404	004
June	770 341	3 417	15 515	-10 929	-481	777 864
2010-11 September	777 864	9 144	-21 345	18 075	-665	783 073
December	783 073	9 841	-21 477	3 493	-700	774 231
March	774 231	10 360	-1 857	5 985	543	789 262
June	789 262	4 714	-2 608	7 209	-927	797 651
2011–12 September	797 651	8 029	33 235	10 496	-1 129	848 283
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		NET FOR	REIGN EQI	JITY		
2008-09	56 601	65 739	4 170	-41 856	-6 721	77 932
2009–10	77 932	-10 718	18 937	9 322	-3 694	91 780
2010–11	91 780	-4 754	-50 492	77 875	-2 991	111 418
2009–10						
June	100 759	3 259	11 786	-23 742	-283	91 780
2010–11	04 700		40.505	44.000	4 000	400 707
September December	91 780	-9 327 13 667	-19 525 -14 944	44 838 21 220	-1 030 -920	106 735
March	106 735 125 757	-11 055	-14 944 -6 809	21 220	-920 196	125 757 110 535
June	110 535	1 961	-9 214	9 373	-1 237	111 418
2011–12						
September	111 418	4 316	19 713	-25 751	-1 919	107 778
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		NET FO	REIGN DE	ВТ		
2008-09	600 952	-26 989	-21 788	71 253	2 211	625 639
2009–10	625 639	65 772	-3 768	-3 823	2 265	686 084
2010–11	686 084	38 813	3 205	-43 113	1 243	686 233
2009–10						
June	669 582	158	3 729	12 813	-198	686 084
2010–11	606.004	10 170	4.040	00.700	200	670 000
September December	686 084 676 338	18 470 -3 826	-1 819 -6 533	-26 763 -17 726	366 220	676 338 648 473
March	648 473	21 415	4 952	3 539	347	678 727
June	678 727	2 753	6 606	-2 163	310	686 233
2011–12						
September	686 233	3 713	13 522	36 246	790	740 504

<sup>(</sup>a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the Explanatory Notes.



	Position	CHANGES IN PO		Position		
	at beginning of period	Transactions	Price changes	Exchange rate changes	Other adjustments	at end of period
Period	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
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		TOTAL FO	REIGN AS	SSETS		
2008-09	-1 083 291	-58 573	130 759	-73 031	-5 094	-1 089 230
2009–10	-1 089 230	-94 554	-38 212	28 192	-3 495	-1 197 299
2010–11	-1 197 299	-72 021	-81 263	112 544	<b>−5</b> 746	-1 243 783
2009–10						
June	-1 192 010	-19 492	48 189	-32 542	-1 444	-1 197 299
2010–11 September	-1 197 299	-16 519	-55 768	64 502	-1 717	-1 206 800
December	-1 197 299 -1 206 800	-15 256	-31 634	25 833	-1 717 -1 702	-1 229 559
March	-1 229 559	-7 603	-7 973	128	-637	-1 245 644
June	-1 245 644	-32 643	14 112	22 081	-1 690	-1 243 783
2011–12						
September	-1 243 783	-21 238	56 331	-33 654	<b>−1 636</b>	-1 243 980
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		FOREIGN A	133E13 -	EQUITY		
2008–09	-580 845	-18 365	131 501	-41 856	-3 313	-512 879
2009–10	-512 879	-58 842	-12 763	9 322	-3 887	-579 050
2010–11	-579 050	-55 645	-66 207	77 875	-4 196	-627 223
2009–10						
June	-614 064	-2 341	62 229	-23 742	-1 133	-579 050
2010–11	E70.0E0	20.827	44.062	44.020	1 240	601.252
September December	-579 050 -601 252	-20 827 -11 530	-44 863 -32 972	44 838 21 220	–1 349 –1 123	-601 252 -625 659
March	-625 659	-10 330	-8 787	2 446	-353	-642 683
June	-642 683	-12 957	20 416	9 373	-1 371	-627 223
2011-12						
September	-627 223	-7 724	80 369	-25 751	-1 388	-581 716
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		FOREIGN	ASSETS -	DEBT		
2008-09	-502 445	-40 209	-742	-31 175	-1 781	-576 352
2009–10	-576 352	-35 712	-25 449	18 871	393	-618 249
2010–11	-618 249	-16 376	-15 056	34 669	-1 549	-616 560
2009–10						
June	-577 946	-17 151	-14 040	-8 801	-311	-618 249
2010–11	040.040	4.000	10.001	40.005	200	005 540
September December	-618 249 -605 548	4 308 -3 726	-10 904 1 339	19 665 4 614	–368 –578	-605 548 -603 900
March	-603 900 -603 900	-3 726 2 727	815	-2 318	-284	-602 960
June	-602 960	-19 686	-6 305	12 709	-319	-616 560
2011–12						
September	-616 560	-13 514	-24 038	-7 904	-248	-662 264

<sup>(</sup>a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the Explanatory Notes.

<sup>(</sup>b) For information about the quality of data for the latest quarter, see paragraph 6 of the Explanatory Notes.

Period         at beginning of period         Transactions         Price changes rate changes         Exchange rate changes         Other odulusments         at end period period           Period         \$m         \$m         \$m         \$m         \$m         \$m         \$m           TOTAL FOREIN LIAB/LITIES           2008-09         1 740 844         97 323         -148 376         102 428         581         1 792 801         1975 163         2010-11         1975 163         2009-10         1 975 163         2009-10         1 975 163         2009-10         33 976         -77 782         3 997         2041 435         2009-10         1 995 351         22 909         -32 674         2 1614         963         1 975 163         20 14 435         2010-11         September 1 987 163         2 5 663         3 4 423         -46 427         1 052         1 989 874         2 5 097         10 157         -22 340         1 002         2 903 790         10 167         -22 340         1 002         2 20 37 90         10 167         -22 340         1 002         2 903 790         10 167         -22 340         1 002         2 903 790         10 167         -22 340         1 002         2 903 790         10 167         -22 340         1 002         2 903 790         10 167		Position	CHANGES IN PO		Position		
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2008-09	Period	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
2009-10	• • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • •	TOTAL FOR	REIGN LIAB	ILITIES	• • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • • •
2010-11	2008–09	1 740 844	97 323	-148 376	102 428	581	1 792 801
2009-10	2009–10	1 792 801	149 608	53 381	-22 694	2 067	1 975 163
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Explanatory Notes.

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 (b) For information about the quality of data for the latest quarter, see paragraph 6 of the Explanatory Notes.



Jun Qtr Sep Otr Dec Otr Mar Qtr Jun Otr Sep Otr 2010 2011 2010 2010 2011 2011 SEASONALLY ADJUSTED **CURRENT ACCOUNT** -5 458 -8 472 -11 189 -7 165 -6 660 -5 637 **Goods and Services** 6 169 5 951 6 094 2 334 6 218 6 801 Credits 74 442 73 961 73 586 71 723 78 149 81 583 Debits -68 273 -68010-67 492 -69 389 -71 931 -74 782 Goods 7 158 7 652 8 275 6 8 5 6 4 327 9 4 9 4 60 894 59 427 Credits 61 332 60 991 65 503 69 466 6 781 7 203 7 159 7 591 8 456 8 752 Rural goods(b) 49 929 50 487 49 776 48 046 Non-rural goods(b) 53 619 56 360 Net exports of goods under merchanting(c) 70 67 75 75 13 Non-monetary gold(c) 4 552 3 226 3 884 3 723 3 421 4 340 Debits -54 476 -53 833 -53 242 -55 100 -57 228 -59 972 Consumption goods -16 290 -16376-16044-15 770 -15340-16 238 Capital goods -12 901 -12360-12364-13537-13723-15289Intermediate and other merchandise goods -22 929 -23 904 -23 257 -24 745 -27016-26 764 Non-monetary gold(c) -2357-1193-1577-1048-1149-1680Services -687 -1207-1558-1993-2057-2693Credits 13 109 12 971 12 692 12 296 12 646 12 118 Debits -13796-14177-14250-14289-14703Primary income -11 369 -12 927 -14 417 -13 424 -12 784 -12 364 Credits 9 994 9 672 10 039 10 178 10 298 10 325 Debits -21 364 -23 105-24715-23 096 -22 823 -22688Secondary income -258 -74 -189 -149 -100 -94 1 718 Credits(d) 1 597 1 601 1 605 1 682 1 751 -1 782 -1 855 -1 790 -1 753 -1 825 Debits(d) -1811TREND ESTIMATES (e) **CURRENT ACCOUNT** -7 817 -7 295 -7 818 -8 404 -6 929 -6 061 Goods and Services 5 215 5 966 5 875 5 2 7 9 6 108 6 419 Credits 75 209 72 271 73 575 73 824 77 922 80 915 Debits -67 055 -67 609 -67 949 -69 929 Goods 6 013 7 136 7 427 7 178 8 334 8 991 Credits 59 228 60 671 61 125 62 696 65 540 68 662 Rural goods(b) 6 765 7 040 7 301 7 728 8 262 8 790 50 065 Non-rural goods(b)(f) 49 044 50 157 51 231 53 440 55 900 Net exports of goods under merchanting 57 77 74 52 27 13 3 362 3 489 3 593 3 685 3 810 3 959 Non-monetary gold Debits -53 215 -53 535 -53 698 -55 518 -57 206 -59 671 Consumption goods -16 205 -16266-16074-15 929 -15969-16 116 Capital goods(g) -12440-12527-12471-13 440 -13786Intermediate and other merchandise goods -22 804 -24 953 -26 156 -27 100 -23 112 -23 819 -1 766 -1 630 -1334-1 197 Non-monetary gold -1295-1420-1 898 Services -798 -1 169 -1 553 -2 226 -2572Credits 13 042 12 904 12 699 12 513 12 382 12 254 Debits -13840-14073-14252-14 411 -14608-14826-12 789 -13 062 -13 572 -12 948 -12 410 Primary income -13 547 Credits 9 601 10 120 10 156 9 987 10 023 10 133 Debits -22 390 -23 182 -23 702 -23 559 -22 971 -22 543 Secondary income -243 -199 -146 -111 -89 -70 Credits 1 591 1 600 1 625 1 669 1 715 1 753 Debits -1834-1799-1771-1780-1823(a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the (e) Caution should be used when interpreting recent trend Explanatory Notes. estimates as they may be affected by unusual economic (b) For all time periods, estimates for sugar, sugar preparations factors. For details on trend estimates see paragraph 14 of and honey are included in Non-rural goods. the Explanatory Notes. (c) This component is not seasonally adjusted. A trend break of \$7.8b to June quarter 2010 has been In using this seasonally adjusted series, care should be applied to Non-rural goods and related aggregrates.

exercised because of the difficulties associated with reliably

estimating the seasonal pattern.

and related aggregrates.

Trend breaks of \$0.9b to March quarter 2011 and \$0.8b to

September guarter 2011 have been applied to Capital goods

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### ${\tt GOODS} \ \, {\tt AND} \ \, {\tt SERVICES(a)(b):} \ \, {\bm{Chain}} \ \, {\bm{Volume}} \ \, {\bm{Measures}} \ \, {\bm{and}} \ \, {\bm{Indexes}}$

	2008-09	2009–10	2010–11	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Qtr 2011
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	CHAI	N VOLUME	MEASURES	- ORIGIN	NAL (\$M)	• • • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • •
Goods and services	-3 562	-4 621	-30 913	-239	-4 800	-6 820	-10 264	-9 029	-14 615
Credits	241 050	253 762	254 405	66 240	65 550	66 949	58 284	63 622	65 770
Goods	187 975	201 751	204 841	53 313	52 762	54 213	46 213	51 654	54 139
Services	54 023	52 011	49 564	12 730	12 789	12 736	12 071	11 968	11 631
Debits	-244 612	-258 383	-285 318	-66 479	-70 350	-73 769	-68 548	-72 651	-80 385
Goods Services	-195 181 -49 296	-204 995 -53 388	-224 250 -61 068	-52 805 -13 686	-55 343 -15 007	-58 076 -15 693	-53 967 -14 581	-56 864 -15 787	-63 588 -16 797
Services	-49 290	-55 566	-01 008	-13 000	-13 007	-13 093	-14 361	-13 767	-10 /9/
	СН	AIN VOLU	JME MEASU	JRES – SEA	SONALLY	ADJUSTED	(\$M)	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	
Goods and services				-2 760	-4 387	-4 624	-10 579	-11 340	-13 270
Credits				65 581	63 968	65 701	61 477	63 239	64 486
Goods				52 372	51 179	53 202	49 441	51 020	52 865
Services	• •			13 026	12 789	12 500	12 036	12 219	11 620
Debits				-68 340	-68 355	-70 326	-72 056 FC 007	-74 579	-77 756
Goods Services				-54 411 -13 969	-54 022 -14 333	-55 095 -15 230	-56 687 -15 370	-58 446 -16 132	-61 773 -15 983
Gervices		· ·	· ·	10 000	1+ 000	15 250	13 370	10 102	10 000
	IMPLIC	CIT PRICI	E DEFLATO	RS - SEASC	NALLY AD	JUSTED (	INDEX)(c)	• • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • •
Goods and Services									
Credits				113.5	115.6	112.0	116.7	123.6	126.5
Goods Services				117.1 100.6	119.2 101.4	114.5 101.5	120.2 102.2	128.4 103.5	131.4 104.3
<b>Debits</b> Goods				<b>99.9</b> 100.1	<b>99.5</b> 99.7	<b>96.0</b> 96.6	<b>96.3</b> 97.2	<b>96.4</b> 97.9	<b>96.2</b> 97.1
Services				98.8	98.9	93.6	93.0	91.1	92.7
						• • • • • • • •			
	С	HAIN LAS	SPEYRES P	RICE INDEX	ES - ORIO	GINAL (IND	DEX)		
Goods and Services									
Credits	116.1	100.0	117.3	112.2	115.4	111.6	119.0	123.0	126.0
Goods Services	121.2	100.0	121.2	115.4	119.2	114.2	123.2	128.1	131.5
	98.1	100.0	102.2	100.5	101.3	101.7	102.5	103.3	104.3
<b>Debits</b> Goods	<b>112.6</b> 112.3	<b>100.0</b> 100.0	<b>97.6</b> 98.6	<b>100.0</b> 100.4	<b>100.4</b> 101.0	<b>96.1</b> 97.1	<b>97.0</b> 98.5	<b>97.1</b> 99.1	<b>97.6</b> 99.3
Services	114.0	100.0	94.0	98.7	98.7	93.4	92.9	91.1	92.6
				SEASONALL					
Goods and Services	104.2	100.0	120.6	113.6	116.2	116.7	121.2	128.1	131.5
Goods	108.9	100.0	123.3	117.0	119.6	118.4	123.7	131.1	135.3
Services	85.8	100.0	108.6	101.9	102.5	108.5	109.9	113.6	112.5
• • • • • • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • •			E – TREND			• • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • •	• • • • • •
Goods and Services				112.3	115.4	119.3	122.9	128.3	132.2
Goods				115.0	118.3	122.1	125.5	131.7	135.9
Services				102.4	103.9	107.2	110.4	112.4	113.1
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. not applicable				(c)	The implicit n	rice deflators ar	e indirectly seas	nally adjusted	hy taking the

<sup>..</sup> not applicable

<sup>(</sup>a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the Explanatory Notes.

<sup>(</sup>b) Reference year for chain volume measures, price and terms of trade indexes is 2009–10. See paragraphs 17 to 22 of the Explanatory Notes.

<sup>(</sup>c) The implicit price deflators are indirectly seasonally adjusted by taking the ratio of seasonally adjusted current price values to seasonally adjusted chain volume measures.

<sup>(</sup>d) Quarterly figures are derived from seasonally adjusted data. Annual series are derived from original data.

## GOODS CREDITS: Original

				Jun Qtr	Sep Qtr	Dec Qtr	Mar Qtr	Jun Qtr	Sep Qtr
	2008-09	2009–10	2010–11	2010	2010	2010	2011	2011	2011
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
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GOODS CREDITS	231 623	201 751	246 975	61 472	62 621	61 800	56 727	65 827	70 742
General Merchandise	213 814	187 201	232 497	56 850	59 320	57 841	52 937	62 399	66 389
Rural goods	29 429	25 589	30 453	7 015	7 058	7 061	7 548	8 786	8 535
Meat and meat preparations	7 454	6 350	6 930	1 822	1 715	1 857	1 567	1 791	1 782
Cereal grains and cereal preparations	6 881	5 266	7 361	1 368	1 482	1 478	2 114	2 287	2 005
Wool and sheepskins	2 322	2 306	3 048	642	496	804	878	870	672
Other rural	12 772	11 667	13 114	3 183	3 365	2 922	2 989	3 838	4 076
Non-rural goods	184 385	161 612	202 044	49 835	52 262	50 780	45 389	53 613	57 854
Metal ores and minerals	52 057	53 611	79 400	18 596	19 209	19 564	18 754	21 873	23 762
Coal, coke and briquettes	54 954	36 777	44 102	12 013	12 563	11 199	8 483	11 857	12 961
Other mineral fuels	20 706	18 964	23 619	5 475	6 074	5 836	5 419	6 290	6 596
Metals (excl. non-monetary gold)	12 394	10 735	12 689	3 104	3 015	3 182	3 281	3 211	3 244
Machinery	8 900	7 977	8 448	2 069	2 233	2 246	1 887	2 082	2 294
Transport equipment	5 090	4 073	3 900	1 001	984	986	875	1 055	1 004
Other manufactures	17 601	16 375	16 288	4 122	4 230	4 323	3 715	4 020	4 491
Other non-rural (incl. sugar and beverages)	11 052	11 711	12 008	3 087	3 567	3 049	2 581	2 811	3 086
Beverages	2 639	2 345	2 168	579	610	577	460	521	558
Sugar, sugar preparations & honey	1 500	2 067	np	581	826	507	139	np	np
Other	6 913	7 299	np	1 927	2 131	1 965	1 982	np	np
Goods procured in ports by carriers	1 631	1 389	1 590	368	387	395	394	414	416
Net exports of goods under merchanting	301	250	224	70	75	75	67	7	13
Goods acquired under merchanting (negative exports)	-2 386	-1 799	-1 726	-450	-578	-626	-247	-275	-282
Goods sold under merchanting	2 687	2 049	1 950	520	653	701	314	282	295
Non–monetary gold	17 508	14 300	14 254	4 552	3 226	3 884	3 723	3 421	4 340

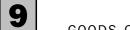
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## GOODS DEBITS(a): Original

	2008-09	2009–10	2010–11	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Qtr 2011
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
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GOODS DEBITS	-220 890	-204 995	-219 267	-52 747	-55 383	-55 788	-52 554	-55 542	-61 875
General Merchandise	-209 587	-198 132	-214 300	-50 390	-54 190	-54 211	-51 506	-54 393	-60 195
Consumption goods	-61 419	-62 333	-63 558	-15 331	-17 188	-17 405	-14 490	-14 475	-17 109
Food and beverages, mainly for consumption	-8 857	-8 712	-8 951	-1 991	-2 398	-2 454	-2 015	-2 084	-2 467
Household electrical items	-5 488	-5 505	-4 861	-1 289	-1 381	-1 482	-876	-1 122	-1 235
Non-industrial transport equipment	-13 247	-16 288	-15 953	-4 453	-4 305	-4 556	-3 751	-3 341	-4 131
Textiles, clothing and footwear	-8 287	-7 514	-8 412	-1 727	-2 264	-2 051	-2 184	-1913	-2 322
Toys, books and leisure goods	-5 277	-4 675	-4 443	-1 104	-1264	-1 386	-821	-972	-1 191
Consumption goods n.e.s.	-20 263	-19 639	-20 938	-4 767	<i>–</i> 5 576	<i>–</i> 5 476	-4 843	-5 043	-5 763
Capital goods	-50 422	-47 507	-51 872	-12 621	-12 637	-13 091	-12 717	-13 427	-15 780
Machinery and industrial equipment	-18488	-15 561	-15 726	-3 923	-4 024	-3 996	-3 731	-3 975	-4 841
ADP equipment	-7 257	-7 633	-7 786	-2 254	-2 104	-1 872	-1 702	-2 108	-2 006
Telecommunications equipment	-6 431	-6 051	-6 999	-1 561	-1 763	-2 116	-1 544	-1 576	-1734
Civil aircraft and confidentialised items(b)	-5 524	-5 051	-5 322	-1 143	-1007	-1 429	-1 409	-1477	-1 405
Industrial transport equipment n.e.s.	-6 538	-6 811	-6 854	-1 961	-1805	-1 765	-1 741	-1 543	-2 144
Capital goods n.e.s.	-6 184	-6 400	-9 185	<b>−1</b> 779	-1 934	-1 913	-2 590	-2 748	-3 650
Intermediate and other merchandise goods	-97 746	-88 292	-98 870	-22 438	-24 365	-23 715	-24 299	-26 491	-27 306
Food and beverages, mainly for industry	-1 186	-1035	-1 223	-252	-284	-302	-303	-334	-303
Primary industrial supplies n.e.s.	-1 901	-1 346	-1 713	-327	-427	-459	-351	-476	-471
Fuels and lubricants	-28 292	-26 494	-32 072	-7 037	-6 808	-7 415	-8 189	-9 660	-9 000
Parts for transport equipment	-8 599	-8 221	-8 880	-2 083	-2 250	-2 091	-2 193	-2 346	-2 553
Parts for ADP equipment	-1 067	-973	-906	-263	-247	-238	-206	-215	-193
Other parts for capital goods	-14 312	-13 755	-14 299	-3 284	-3 693	-3 621	-3 290	-3 695	-3 551
Organic and inorganic chemicals	-5 384	-4 355	-4 471	-1 076	-1 189	-1 063	-1 190	-1 029	-1 172
Paper and paperboard	-2 403	-2 299	-2 339	-564	-680	-613	-542	-504	-613
Textile yarn and fabrics	-1 344	<b>-1 170</b>	-1 135	-271	-316	-277	-263	-279	-299
Iron and steel	-5 528	-3 258	-3 764	-897	-1065	-934	-828	-937	-898
Plastics	-3 028	-2 733	-2 886	-709	-796	-705	-663	-722	-772
Processed industrial supplies n.e.s.	-21 919	-20 026	-21 917	-5 112	-5 492	-5 259	-5 609	-5 557	-6 578
Other merchandise goods(b)	-1 203	-1 231	-1 597	-205	-732	-368	-234	-263	-409
Goods procured in ports by carriers	-1 580	-1 396	-1 668	-358	-386	-370	-438	-474	-494
Non–monetary gold	-11 303	-6 863	<i>−</i> 4 967	-2 357	- <b>1 193</b>	-1 577	-1 048	- <b>1 149</b>	-1 680

<sup>(</sup>a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the Explanatory Notes.

<sup>(</sup>b) From September quarter 2008, commodities subject to a 'no commodity details' or 'no value details' restriction are included in Civil aircraft and confidentialised items. For earlier periods, commodities subject to a 'no commodity details' or 'no value details' restriction are included in Other merchandise goods.



## GOODS CREDITS: Seasonally Adjusted

	Jun Qtr	Sep Qtr	Dec Qtr	Mar Qtr	Jun Qtr	Sep Qtr
	2010	2010	2010	2011	2011	2011
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
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GOODS CREDITS	61 332	60 991	60 894	59 427	65 503	69 466
General Merchandise	56 710	57 690	56 935	55 637	62 075	65 113
Rural goods	6 781	7 203	7 159	7 591	8 456	8 752
Meat and meat preparations	1 775	1 715	1 699	1 778	1 745	1 785
Cereal grains and cereal preparations	1 276	1 555	1 848	1 804	2 125	2 142
Wool and sheepskins	626	635	701	840	850	864
Other rural	3 105	3 298	2 910	3 168	3 736	3 962
Non-rural goods	49 929	50 487	49 776	48 046	53 619	56 360
Metal ores and minerals	18 408	18 363	19 469	19 709	21 571	23 404
Coal, coke and briquettes(a)	12 054	12 469	11 115	8 607	11 898	12 864
Other mineral fuels(b)	5 717	5 706	5 583	5 895	6 543	6 078
Metals (excl. non-monetary gold)(b)	2 999	3 005	3 120	3 494	3 111	3 220
Machinery	2 108	2 119	2 106	2 097	2 127	2 173
Transport equipment	1 015	982	850	1 031	1 070	980
Other manufactures	4 156	4 041	4 130	4 064	4 058	4 286
Other non-rural (incl. sugar and beverages)	3 096	3 421	3 016	2 748	2 817	2 945
Beverages	577	562	554	529	519	514
Sugar, sugar preparations & honey	592	728	497	237	np	np
Other(c)	1 927	2 131	1 965	1 982	np	np
Goods procured in ports by carriers(b)	377	380	387	401	424	410
Net exports of goods under merchanting(c)	70	75	75	67	7	13
Non-monetary gold(c)	4 552	3 226	3 884	3 723	3 421	4 340

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Only a length-of-quarter adjustment has been applied to this component.

<sup>(</sup>b) In using these seasonally adjusted series, care should be exercised because of the difficulties associated with reliably estimating the seasonal pattern.

<sup>(</sup>c) This component is not seasonally adjusted.

	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Qtr 2011
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
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GOODS DEBITS	-54 476	-53 833	-53 242	-55 100	-57 228	-59 972
General Merchandise	-52 119	-52 640	-51 665	-54 052	-56 079	-58 292
Consumption goods Food and beverages, mainly for consumption Household electrical items Non-industrial transport equipment Textiles, clothing and footwear Toys, books and leisure goods Consumption goods n.e.s.  Capital goods Machinery and industrial equipment ADP equipment Telecommunications equipment Civil aircraft and confidentialised items(b)(c) Industrial transport equipment n.e.s.	-16 290 -2 198 -1 334 -4 581 -1 993 -1 159 -5 025 -12 901 -4 157 -2 107 -1 614 -1 143 -2 049	-16 376 -2 300 -1 291 -4 263 -2 103 -1 149 -5 270 -12 360 -3 892 -2 062 -1 762 -1 007 -1 710	-16 044 -2 188 -1 228 -4 226 -2 073 -1 185 -5 145 -12 364 -3 692 -1 867 -1 807 -1 429 -1 722	-15 770 -2 167 -1 166 -4 125 -2 043 -1 049 -5 221 -13 537 -3 988 -1 889 -1 788 -1 409 -1 805	-15 340 -2 302 -1 153 -3 345 -2 204 -1 019 -5 317 -13 723 -4 205 -1 961 -1 638 -1 477 -1 616	-16 238 -2 363 -1 145 -4 048 -2 170 -1 084 -5 428 -15 289 -4 623 -1 955 -1 719 -1 405 -2 038
Capital goods n.e.s.  Intermediate and other merchandise goods Food and beverages, mainly for industry Primary industrial supplies n.e.s.(d) Fuels and lubricants(b) Parts for transport equipment Parts for ADP equipment Other parts for capital goods Organic and inorganic chemicals Paper and paperboard Textile yarn and fabrics Iron and steel Plastics(d) Processed industrial supplies n.e.s. Other merchandise goods(c)(e) Goods procured in ports by carriers(b)  Non-monetary gold(b)	-1 831 -22 929 -257 -379 -7 037 -2 130 -255 -3 259 -1 123 -632 -283 -971 -738 -5 302 -205 -358 -2 357	-1 926 -23 904 -281 -415 -6 808 -2 156 -249 -3 694 -1 195 -626 -292 -999 -759 -5 311 -732 -386 -1 193	-1 847 -23 257 -291 -391 -7 415 -2 081 -240 -3 461 -1 054 -583 -272 -902 -670 -5 158 -368 -370 -1 577	-2 658 -24 745 -311 -390 -8 189 -2 250 -212 -3 478 -1 139 -566 -278 -851 -707 -5 703 -234 -438 -1 048	-2 824 -27 016 -340 -533 -9 660 -2 399 -206 -3 670 -1 078 -556 -292 -1 016 -750 -5 780 -263 -474 -1 149	-3 549 -26 764 -301 -451 -9 000 -2 451 -195 -3 538 -1 186 -565 -276 -832 -737 -6 331 -409 -494 -1 680

<sup>(</sup>a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the Explanatory Notes.

<sup>(</sup>b) This component is not seasonally adjusted.

<sup>(</sup>c) From September quarter 2008, commodities subject to a 'no commodity details' or 'no value details' restriction are included in Civil aircraft and confidentialised items. For earlier periods, commodities subject to a 'no commodity details' or 'no value details' restriction are included in Other merchandise goods.

<sup>(</sup>d) In using these seasonally adjusted series, care should be exercised because of the difficulties associated with reliably estimating the seasonal pattern.

<sup>(</sup>e) From September quarter 1981, this component is not seasonally adjusted.



	Jun Qtr	Sep Qtr	Dec Qtr	Mar Qtr	Jun Qtr	Sep Qtr
	2010	2010	2010	2011	2011	2011
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
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GOODS CREDITS	52 372	51 179	53 202	49 441	51 020	52 865
General Merchandise	48 260	48 162	49 666	46 067	48 015	49 516
Rural goods	6 513	6 936	6 741	6 657	7 177	7 593
Meat and meat preparations	1 651	1 635	1 640	1 607	1 584	1 683
Cereal grains and cereal preparations	1 369	1 663	1 703	1 550	1 817	1 922
Wool and sheepskins	588	609	598	613	559	562
Other rural	2 905	3 028	2 800	2 887	3 215	3 426
Non-rural goods	41 757	41 227	42 925	39 410	40 839	41 923
Metal ores and minerals(b)	13 574	12 767	14 962	13 350	14 156	15 087
Coal, coke and briquettes(b)(c)	9 743	9 311	9 519	8 177	8 269	8 692
Other mineral fuels(b)(d)	5 078	5 377	4 985	4 720	4 964	4 552
Metals (excl. non-monetary gold)(d)	2 820	2 958	2 984	3 121	3 005	3 049
Machinery	2 104	2 133	2 197	2 194	2 314	2 343
Transport equipment	1 012	997	909	1 078	1 165	1 044
Other manufactures	4 114	4 011	4 230	4 049	4 060	4 204
Other non-rural (incl. sugar and beverages)	2 831	3 306	2 768	2 370	2 567	2 610
Beverages	579	542	561	509	514	503
Sugar, sugar preparations & honey	562	828	475	217	np	np
Other(e)	1 706	1 936	1 732	1 645	np	np
Goods procured in ports by carriers(d)	361	366	371	350	339	342
Net exports of goods under merchanting(e)	54	56	57	48	5	9
Non–monetary gold(e)	4 136	2 961	3 479	3 327	3 000	3 341

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<sup>(</sup>a) Reference year for chain volume measures is 2009–10. See paragraph 17 of the Explanatory Notes.

<sup>(</sup>b) From September quarter 2005, this chain volume measures series is independently seasonally adjusted to the corresponding current price value. See paragraph 12 of the Explanatory Notes.

<sup>(</sup>c) Only a length-of-quarter adjustment has been applied to this component.

<sup>(</sup>d) In using these seasonally adjusted series, care should be exercised because of the difficulties associated with reliably estimating the seasonal pattern.

<sup>(</sup>e) This component is not seasonally adjusted.



	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Qtr 2011
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
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GOODS DEBITS	-54 411	-54 022	-55 095	-56 687	-58 446	-61 773
General Merchandise	-52 309	-52 935	-53 688	-55 747	-57 450	-60 498
Consumption goods Food and beverages, mainly for consumption Household electrical items Non-industrial transport equipment Textiles, clothing and footwear Toys, books and leisure goods Consumption goods n.e.s.  Capital goods Machinery and industrial equipment ADP equipment Telecommunications equipment Civil aircraft and confidentialised items(c)(d)	-16 283 -2 173 -1 381 -4 625 -1 979 -1 172 -4 968 -13 152 -4 231 -2 155 -1 660 -1 144	-16 402 -2 298 -1 399 -4 357 -2 019 -1 150 -5 179 -12 563 -3 881 -2 191 -1 797 -1 000	-16 780 -2 303 -1 438 -4 354 -2 122 -1 272 -5 291 -13 255 -3 853 -2 191 -1 950 -1 542	-16 542 -2 260 -1 359 -4 290 -2 075 -1 143 -5 415 -14 789 -4 222 -2 281 -1 979 -1 551	-16 291 -2 394 -1 423 -3 480 -2 298 -1 140 -5 556 -15 603 -4 570 -2 556 -1 882 -1 701	-17 268 -2 441 -1 416 -4 243 -2 148 -1 221 -5 798 -17 292 -4 966 -2 567 -2 020 -1 611
Industrial transport equipment n.e.s. Capital goods n.e.s.	-2 127 -1 855	-1 717 -1 978	-1 724 -1 995	-1 841 -2 916	-1 674 -3 221	-2 122 -4 006
Intermediate and other merchandise goods Food and beverages, mainly for industry Primary industrial supplies n.e.s.(e) Fuels and lubricants(f) Parts for transport equipment Parts for ADP equipment Other parts for capital goods Organic and inorganic chemicals Paper and paperboard Textile yarn and fabrics Iron and steel Plastics(e) Processed industrial supplies n.e.s. Other merchandise goods(d)(g)	-22 861 -259 -350 -6 733 -2 099 -263 -3 326 -1 235 -649 -274 -958 -5 419 -204	-23 970 -268 -406 -6 976 -2 121 -256 -3 748 -1 242 -640 -269 -900 -734 -5 300 -722	-23 653 -280 -375 -7 121 -2 106 -272 -3 695 -1 147 -610 -270 -884 -741 -5 405 -377	-24 417 -288 -359 -7 234 -2 302 -249 -3 739 -1 258 -615 -273 -822 -777 -5 884 -237	-25 555 -293 -489 -7 454 -2 488 -260 -4 085 -1 139 -618 -278 -957 -812 -5 985 -264	-25 938 -266 -429 -7 535 -2 534 -248 -3 906 -1 147 -617 -250 -792 -826 -6 524 -410
Goods procured in ports by carriers(c)	-357 2.157	-386 1.086	-371 1 407	-381 020	-434 - <b>997</b>	-454 1 275
Non-monetary gold(c)	-2 157	<b>−1</b> 086	<b>−1 407</b>	-939	-997	-1 275

- (a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the

  Explanatory Notes.

  (e) In using these seasonally adjusted series, care should be exercised because of the difficulties associated with reliab
- (b) Reference year for chain volume measures is 2009–10.See paragraph 17 of the Explanatory Notes.
- (c) This component is not seasonally adjusted.
- (d) From September quarter 2008, commodities subject to a 'no commodity details' or 'no value details' restriction are included in Civil aircraft and confidentialised items. For earlier periods, commodities subject to a 'no commodity details' or 'no value details' restriction are included in Other merchandise goods.
- (e) In using these seasonally adjusted series, care should be exercised because of the difficulties associated with reliably estimating the seasonal pattern.
   (f) From September quarter 2005, this chain volume measures
  - f) From September quarter 2005, this chain volume measures series is independently seasonally adjusted to the corresponding current price value. See paragraph 12 of the Explanatory Notes.
- (g) From September quarter 1981, this component is not seasonally adjusted.



## ${\tt GOODS\ CREDITS,\ Implicit\ Price\ Deflators(a)(b):\ \textbf{Original\ and\ Seasonally\ Adjusted}}$

	ORIGINAL			SEASON	IALLY AD.	JUSTED(c	:)		
	2008–09	2009–10	2010–11	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Qtr 2011
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GOODS CREDITS	123.2	100.0	120.6	117.1	119.2	114.5	120.2	128.4	131.4
General Merchandise	125.4	100.0	121.2	117.5	119.8	114.6	120.8	129.3	131.5
Rural goods	116.4	100.0	110.7	104.1	103.9	106.2	114.0	117.8	115.3
Meat and meat preparations	109.1	100.0	107.2	107.5	104.9	103.6	110.7	110.1	106.1
Cereal grains and cereal preparations	144.1	100.0	109.3	93.2	93.5	108.5	116.4	116.9	111.5
Wool and sheepskins	98.9	100.0	128.1	106.5	104.2	117.3	137.0	151.9	153.6
Other rural	111.3	100.0	109.9	106.9	108.9	103.9	109.7	116.2	115.7
Non-rural goods	126.8	100.0	122.9	119.6	122.5	116.0	121.9	131.3	134.4
Metal ores and minerals	112.2	100.0	143.8	135.6	143.8	130.1	147.6	152.4	155.1
Coal, coke and briquettes(d)	177.6	100.0	125.0	123.7	133.9	116.8	105.3	143.9	148.0
Other mineral fuels(e)	118.2	100.0	117.8	112.6	106.1	112.0	124.9	131.8	133.5
Metals (excl. non-monetary gold)(e)	108.8	100.0	105.1	106.4	101.6	104.5	111.9	103.5	105.6
Machinery	107.6	100.0	95.6	100.2	99.3	95.9	95.6	91.9	92.8
Transport equipment	111.2	100.0	94.0	100.3	98.5	93.5	95.6	91.9	93.9
Other manufactures	110.3	100.0	99.6	101.0	100.7	97.6	100.4	99.9	102.0
Other non-rural (incl. sugar and beverages)	107.8	100.0	109.1	109.4	103.5	109.0	115.9	109.7	112.8
Beverages	112.2	100.0	102.0	99.7	103.8	98.7	104.0	101.0	102.1
Sugar, sugar preparations & honey	78.4	100.0	np	105.4	87.9	104.7	109.2	np	np
Other(f)	114.7	100.0	np	112.9	110.1	113.5	120.5	np	np
Goods procured in ports by carriers(e)	111.4	100.0	111.6	104.6	103.8	104.4	114.4	125.0	119.9
Net exports of goods under merchanting(f)	112.2	100.0	133.7	129.6	132.8	131.9	140.9	143.4	145.5
Non–monetary gold(f)	95.4	100.0	111.7	110.1	109.0	111.6	111.9	114.0	129.9

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<sup>(</sup>a) Reference year for price indexes is 2009–10. See paragraph 19 of the Explanatory Notes.

<sup>(</sup>b) Quarterly figures are derived from seasonally adjusted data. Annual figures are derived from original data.

<sup>(</sup>c) The implicit price deflators are indirectly seasonally adjusted by taking the ratio of seasonally adjusted current price values to seasonally adjusted chain volume measures.

<sup>(</sup>d) Only a length-of-quarter adjustment has been applied to this component.

<sup>(</sup>e) In using these seasonally adjusted series, care should be exercised because of the difficulties associated with reliably estimating the seasonal pattern.

<sup>(</sup>f) This component is not seasonally adjusted.



### GOODS DEBITS, Implicit Price Deflators(a)(b): Original and Seasonally Adjusted

	ORIGINAL			SEASON	IALLY AD.	JUSTED(c	:)		
				Jun Qtr		-	Mar Qtr	-	
	2008–09	2009–10	2010–11	2010	2010	2010	2011	2011	2011
	index	index	index	index	index	index	index	index	index
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GOODS DEBITS	113.2	100.0	97.8	100.1	99.7	96.6	97.2	97.9	97.1
General Merchandise	113.7	100.0	97.5	99.6	99.4	96.2	97.0	97.6	96.4
Consumption goods	107.8	100.0	96.3	100.0	99.8	95.6	95.3	94.2	94.0
Food and beverages, mainly for consumption	108.7	100.0	96.7	101.1	100.1	95.0	95.9	96.2	96.8
Household electrical items	114.0	100.0	86.5	96.6	92.3	85.4	85.8	81.0	80.9
Non-industrial transport equipment	101.0	100.0	96.8	99.0	97.9	97.1	96.1	96.1	95.4
Textiles, clothing and footwear	115.1	100.0	98.8	100.7	104.1	97.7	98.5	95.9	101.0
Toys, books and leisure goods	114.6	100.0	94.4	98.9	100.0	93.1	91.8	89.4	88.8
Consumption goods n.e.s.	106.8	100.0	97.7	101.1	101.8	97.2	96.4	95.7	93.6
Capital goods	116.5	100.0	92.3	98.1	98.4	93.3	91.5	88.0	88.4
Machinery and industrial equipment	112.6	100.0	95.2	98.3	100.3	95.8	94.5	92.0	93.1
ADP equipment	130.8	100.0	84.5	97.8	94.1	85.2	82.8	76.7	76.2
Telecommunications equipment	120.4	100.0	92.0	97.3	98.1	92.7	90.4	87.0	85.1
Civil aircraft and confidentialised items(d)(e)	120.8	100.0	91.9	99.9	100.7	92.7	90.8	86.8	87.2
Industrial transport equipment n.e.s.	106.1	100.0	98.5	96.3	99.6	99.9	98.0	96.5	96.0
Capital goods n.e.s.	113.2	100.0	90.8	98.7	97.4	92.6	91.2	87.7	88.6
Intermediate and other merchandise goods	116.5	100.0	101.3	100.3	99.7	98.3	101.3	105.7	103.2
Food and beverages, mainly for industry	119.8	100.0	108.3	99.2	104.8	104.0	107.8	116.0	113.0
Primary industrial supplies n.e.s.(f)	146.4	100.0	105.2	108.3	102.2	104.3	108.7	109.0	105.1
Fuels and lubricants	113.8	100.0	111.4	104.5	97.6	104.1	113.2	129.6	119.4
Parts for transport equipment	108.9	100.0	98.5	101.5	101.7	98.8	97.7	96.4	96.7
Parts for ADP equipment	130.5	100.0	87.4	97.0	97.2	88.3	85.2	79.4	78.6
Other parts for capital goods	111.6	100.0	93.7	98.0	98.5	93.7	93.0	89.8	90.6
Organic and inorganic chemicals	128.5	100.0	93.4	90.9	96.2	91.9	90.5	94.7	103.4
Paper and paperboard	113.4	100.0	94.2	97.4	97.7	95.5	92.1	90.0	91.6
Textile yarn and fabrics	120.2	100.0	104.1	103.2	108.5	100.7	101.8	104.9	110.3
Iron and steel	124.3	100.0	105.6	101.3	111.0	102.0	103.5	106.1	105.1
Plastics(f)	112.9	100.0	94.2	104.2	103.4	90.4	91.0	92.3	89.3
Processed industrial supplies n.e.s.	120.4	100.0	97.1	97.8	100.2	95.4	96.9	96.6	97.0
Other merchandise goods(d)(g)	110.7	100.0	99.8	100.7	101.4	97.6	98.9	99.7	99.7
Goods procured in ports by carriers(e)	118.6	100.0	106.1	100.3	99.9	99.8	114.9	109.3	108.9
Non-monetary gold(e)	96.6	100.0	112.1	109.3	109.8	112.1	111.6	115.3	131.8

<sup>(</sup>a) Reference year for price indexes is 2009–10. See paragraph 19 of the Explanatory Notes.

 $<sup>\</sup>hbox{(b)} \quad \hbox{Quarterly figures are derived from seasonally adjusted data. Annual figures are derived from original data.}$ 

<sup>(</sup>c) The implicit price deflators are indirectly seasonally adjusted by taking the ratio of seasonally adjusted current price values to seasonally adjusted chain volume measures.

<sup>(</sup>d) From September quarter 2008, commodities subject to a 'no commodity details' or 'no value details' restriction are included in Civil aircraft and confidentialised items. For earlier periods, commodities subject to a 'no commodity details' or 'no value details' restriction are included in Other merchandise goods.

<sup>(</sup>e) This component is not seasonally adjusted.

<sup>(</sup>f) In using these seasonally adjusted series, care should be exercised because of the difficulties associated with reliably estimating the seasonal pattern.

 $<sup>\</sup>mbox{(g)} \quad \mbox{From September quarter 1981, this component is not seasonally adjusted.}$ 



### SERVICES CREDITS(a): Original

	2008-09	2009–10	2010–11	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Qtr 2011
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
SERVICES CREDITS	52 948	52 011	50 570	12 803	12 950	12 929	12 328	12 363	12 108
Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned by others	45	48	33	8	9	9	7	8	7
Maintenance and repair services n.i.e.	86	57	49	9	14	18	8	9	14
Transport	7 342	6 189	6 339	1 441	1 701	1 595	1 601	1 442	1 581
Passenger(b)	3 410	2 610	2 714	550	682	727	761	544	580
Freight Other	851 2 127	436 2 188	403 2 253	129 550	106 605	94 560	96 541	107 547	108 564
Postal and courier services(c)	954	955	2 255 969	212	308	214	203	244	329
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Travel	31 086	32 918	30 968	8 026	8 037	7 836	7 629	7 466	7 182
Business	2 696	2 808	3 276	719	761	753	900	862	864
Personal Education valeted	28 390	30 110 17 995	27 692	7 307 4 689	7 276 4 406	7 083 3 737	6 729	6 604 4 039	6 318 3 727
Education-related Other services(d)	16 725 11 665	12 115	15 753 11 939	2 618	2 870	3 346	3 571 3 158	2 565	2 591
Construction	103	128	68	32	23	15	20	10	7
Insurance and pension services	366	337	348	95	81	77	80	110	110
Financial services	1 548	1 070	1 083	248	240	251	283	309	303
Charge for the use of intellectual property n.i.e.	872	986	929	255	202	303	176	248	233
Telecommunications, computer and information services	2 076 290	1 743 233	1 712 152	436 44	408	464 40	428 35	412 33	401 33
Telecommunication services Computer and information services	1 786	1 510	1 560	392	44 364	424	393	33 379	368
Computer and information services  Computer services	1 496	1 228	1 308	323	303	350	341	314	301
Information services	34	39	81	15	20	32	14	15	14
Other services	256	243	171	54	41	42	38	50	53
Other business services	7 779	6 911	7 369	1 843	1 825	1 984	1 616	1 944	1 924
Research and development services	601 3 731	525 3 109	539 3 097	136 813	132 736	168 851	108 734	131 776	136 739
Professional and management consulting services  Legal, accounting, management consulting, public relations	3 / 31	3 109	3 091	013	130	931	134	110	139
and other professional services	3 342	2 765	2 745	733	668	740	642	695	655
Advertising, market research and public opinion polling	389	344	352	80	68	111	92	81	84
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Technical, trade-related and other business services	3 447	3 277	3 733	894	957	965	774	1 037	1 049
Architectural, engineering and other technical services Waste treatment and de-pollution, agricultural and mining	1 626	1 678	1 938	500	474	472	425	567	546
services	281	240	308	70	94	121	36	57	65
Operational leasing services	347	388	236	82	72	53	54	57	93
Trade-related commission services	731	525	807	124	203	210	162	232	214
Other business services n.i.e.	462	446	444	118	114	109	97	124	131
Developed authorial and represtigned consists	797	770	820	194	200	167	264	100	126
Personal, cultural and recreational services  Audiovisual and related services	163	772 140	164	31	200 34	167 27	264 71	189 32	136 19
Other personal, cultural and recreational services	634	632	656	163	166	140	193	157	117
Government goods and services n.i.e.	848	852	852	216	210	210	216	216	210
MEMORANDUM ITEMS:									
Gross inward insurance premiums receivable	829	775	911	215	214	215	200	282	270
Gross inward insurance claims payable	-539	-5 <b>1</b> 9	-627	-147	-147	-145	-138	-197	-187
Tourism related services(e)	34 496	35 528	33 682	8 576	8 719	8 563	8 390	8 010	7 762

<sup>(</sup>a) More detailed data are available for this table in spreadsheet format on the ABS (c) Postal and courier services includes indirect commissions for sea transport. website <www.abs.gov.au> with a one quarter lag.

Passenger transport services includes agency fees and commissions for air transport.

<sup>(</sup>d) Other personal travel includes health-related travel.

<sup>(</sup>e) For a more detailed explanation of tourism related services, see paragraph 30 of the Explanatory Notes.



### SERVICES DEBITS(a)(b): Original

	2008-09	2009–10	2010–11	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Qtr 2011
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
SERVICES DEBITS	-56 328	-53 388	-57 360	-13 487	-14 811	-14 658	-13 531	-14 360	-15 536
Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned by others	_	_	-1	_	_	_	_	-1	_
Maintenance and repair services n.i.e.	-193	-294	-342	-78	-52	-64	-73	-153	-79
Transport	-15 832	-13 727	-14 749	-3 571	-3 951	-3 805	-3 396	-3 597	-3 966
Passenger(c)	-5 835	-5 118	-6 103	-1 344	-1 558	-1 572	-1 424	-1 549	-1 614
Freight	-9 388	-8 142	-8 244	-2 143	-2 257	-2 147	-1 880	-1 960	-2 232
Other	-437	-309	-288	-68	-73	-71	-73	-71	-74
Postal and courier services(d)	-172	-158	-114	-16	-63	-15	-19	-17	-46
Travel	-22 082	-23 285	-25 374	<i>–</i> 5 732	-6 675	-6 308	-5 897	-6 494	-7 433
Business	-3 022	-2 949	-2 781	-735	-717	-699	-718	-647	-659
Personal	-19 060	-20 336	-22 593	-4 997	-5 958	-5 609	-5 179	-5 847	-6 774
Education-related	-829	-878	-914	-181	-317	-189	-226	-182	-334
Other services(e)	-18 231	-19 458	-21 679	-4 816	-5 641	-5 420	-4 953	-5 665	-6 440
Construction	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Insurance and pension services	-599	-559	-572	-148	-140	-138	-143	-151	-150
Financial services	-886	-654	-699	-145 -165	-166	-215	-143 -163	-151 -155	-150 -151
Charges for the use of intellectual property n.i.e.	-3 526	-3 587	-3 814	-960	-920	-983	-950	-961	-944
Telecommunications, computer and information services	-2 248	-1 991	-2 014	-479	-490	-571	-485	-468	-462
Telecommunication services	-607	-480	-393	-97	-100	-114	-109	-70	-70
Computer and information services	-1 641	-1 511	-1 621	-382	-390	-457	-376	-398	-392
Computer services	-1 411	-1 252	-1 337	-315	-316	-383	-311	-327	-322
Information services	-45	-28	-76	-9	-19	-21	-17	-19	-24
Other services	-185	-231	-208	-58	-55	-53	-48	-52	-46
Other business services	-8 549	-7 090	-7 432	-1 816	-1 901	-1 971	-1 761	-1 799	-1 753
Research and development services	-267	-238	-232	-65	-42 652	-70	-48	-72	-80 500
Professional and management consulting services	-3 332	-2 702	-2 598	-608	-652	-704	-611	-631	-598
Legal, accounting, management consulting, public	2.462	0.527	0.404	FFO	611	CEO.	E63	E00	ECE
relations and other professional services	-3 163 -169	-2 537 -165	-2 404 -194	–559 –49	-611 -41	-650 -54	-563 -48	-580 -51	-565 -33
Advertising, market research and public opinion polling		-103		-49					-33
Technical, trade-related and other business services	-4 950	-4 <b>1</b> 50	-4 602	-1 143	-1 207	-1 197	-1 102	-1 096	-1 075
Architectural, engineering and other technical services	-1 895	-1 900	-2 552	-603	-661	-634	-667	-590	-549
Waste treatment and de-pollution, agricultural and mining									
services	-839	-531	-543	-122	-146	-204	-73	-120	-113
Operational leasing services	-905	-628	-535	-146	-140	-127	-122	-146	-154
Trade–related commission services	-220	-197	-277	-55	-57	-53	-80	-87	-92
Other business services n.i.e.	-1 091	-894	-695	-217	-203	-179	-160	-153	-167
Personal, cultural and recreational services	-1 565	-1 313	-1 475	-316	-294	-381	-441	-359	-376
Audiovisual and related services	-1 378	-1 106	-1 202	-270	-252	-310	-337	-303	-318
Other personal, cultural and recreational services	-187	-207	-273	-46	-42	-71	-104	-56	-58
Government goods and services n.i.e.	-848	-888	-888	-222	-222	-222	-222	-222	-222
MEMORANDUM ITEMS:									
Gross outward insurance premiums payable	-975	-1 055	-1 087	-294	-260	-254	-284	-289	-270
Gross outward insurance claims receivable	630	675	713	189	169	164	187	193	200
Tourism related services(f)	-27 917	-28 403	-31 477	-7 076	-8 233	-7 880	-7 321	-8 043	-9 047

 <sup>—</sup> nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

<sup>(</sup>a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the Explanatory Notes.

<sup>(</sup>b) More detailed data are available for this table in spreadsheet format on the ABS website <www.abs.gov.au> with a one quarter lag.

<sup>(</sup>c) Passenger transport services includes agency fees and commissions for air transport.

<sup>(</sup>d) Postal and courier services includes indirect commissions for sea transport.

<sup>(</sup>e) Other personal travel includes health-related travel.

<sup>(</sup>f) For a more detailed explanation of tourism related services, see paragraph 30 of the Explanatory Notes.



commissions for air transport.

# ${\sf SERVICES,\ Summary}(a)\colon \textbf{Seasonally\ Adjusted\ and\ Trend\ Estimates}$

	Jun Qtr	Sep Qtr	Dec Otr	Mar Qtr	Jun Qtr	Sep Qtr
	2010	2010	2010	2011	2011	2011
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
CEACONA	LLY ADJUS	TED	• • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • •
SEASONA	ALLY ADJUS	IED				
Services Credits	13 109	12 971	12 692	12 296	12 646	12 118
Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned by others		9	9	7	8	7
Maintenance and repair services n.i.e.(b) Transport	9 1 562	14 1 667	18 1 543	8 1 563	9 1 566	14 1 538
Passenger(c)	647	721	687	666	642	613
Freight(d)	122	103	98	101	100	106
Other Postal and courier services(e)	563 229	596 247	532 226	566 230	560 265	556 263
Travel	8 276	8 042	7 819	7 454	7 690	7 181
Other services	3 255	3 238	3 302	3 264	3 373	3 377
Services Debits	-13 796	-14 177	-14 250	-14 289	-14 703	-14 810
Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned by others Maintenance and repair services n.i.e.(b)	5(b) — -78	 _52	 -64		-1 -153	_ -79
Transport	-3 708	-3 817	-3 606	-3 608	-3 722	-3 825
Passenger(c)	-1 333	-1 492	-1 547	-1 533	-1 541	-1 539
Freight	-2 290	-2 213 -73	-1 968 -71	–1 978 –73	-2 089 -71	-2 184
Other(b)  Postal and courier services(e)(d)	-68 -18	-73 -39	-71 -20	-13 -24	-71 -21	-74 -28
Travel	-5 951	-6 109	-6 230	-6 337	-6 750	-6 782
Other services(d)	-4 059	-4 199	-4 350	-4 271	-4 077	-4 124
MEMORANDUM ITEMS:						
Tourism related services credits(f)	8 923	8 763	8 506	8 120	8 332	7 794
Tourism related services debits(f)	-7 284	-7 601	-7 777	-7 870	-8 291	-8 321
TREND	ESTIMATES	8	• • • • • •	• • • • • •		• • • • • •
Services Credits	13 042	12 904	12 699	12 513	12 382	12 254
Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned by others		9	8	8	7	7
Maintenance and repair services n.i.e. Transport	12 1 594	14 1 598	13 1 588	12 1 565	10 1 551	11 1 547
Passenger(c)	674	690	692	669	640	616
Freight	110	107	101	99	102	104
Other	570	568	562	556	557	562
Postal and courier services(e)	240	233	233	240	253	264
Iravel	8 201	8 028	7 813	7 623	7 469	7 310
Other services	3 226	3 256	3 277	3 305	3 344	3 378
Services Debits	-13 840	-14 073	-14 252	-14 411	-14 608	-14 826
Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned by others	-74	 _60	 _67	 _90	-108	
Maintenance and repair services n.i.e. Transport	-74 -3 719	-3 728	-3 670	-3 652	-3 705	-3 802
Passenger(c)	-1 397	-1 466	-1 525	-1 545	-1 541	-1 538
Freight	-2 217	-2 163	-2 049	-2 012	-2 070	-2 166
Other Postal and courier services(e)	-72 -33	-71 -27	-71 -25	-72 -23	-72 -23	–73 –25
Travel	-5 967	-6 076	-6 230	-6 426	-6 635	-6 831
Other services	-4 080	-4 210	-4 285	-4 243	-4 <b>1</b> 59	-4 081
MEMORANDUM ITEMS:	1 000	1210	1 200	1210	1 100	1 001
Tourism related services credits(f)	8 875	8 718	8 505	8 292	8 108	7 927
Tourism related services debits(f)	-7 364	-7 542	-7 755	-7 971	-8 176	-8 369
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(a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the Explanatory	exerc	ised because	e of the diffic	culties assoc	iated with re	eliably
Notes.		nating the sea				•
<ul><li>(b) This component is not seasonally adjusted.</li><li>(c) Passenger transport services includes agency fees and</li></ul>	(e) Post	al and courier	r services inc	iudes indire	ot commissio	ons for sea
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paragraph 30 of the Explanatory Notes.

(f) For a more detailed explanation of tourism related services, see



# SERVICES CREDITS(a): Chain Volume Measures and Implicit Price Deflators

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	2008-09	2009–10	2010–11	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Qtr 2011
CH				- ORIGINA		• • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • •
Services Credits	54 023	52 011	49 564	12 730	12 789	12 736	12 071	11 968	11 631
Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned		52 011	49 304	12 /30	12 709	12 /30	12 071	11 900	11 631
by others	46	48	32	8	9	9	7	8	7
Maintenance and repair services n.i.e.	88	57	48	9	14	18	8	9	13
Transport Passenger(b)	7 392 3 422	6 189 2 610	6 222 2 676	1 428 547	1 671 671	1 569 715	1 571 751	1 411 539	1 527 561
Freight	797	436	408	127	105	98	98	107	109
Other	2 169	2 188	2 190	541	591	546	524	529	541
Postal and courier services(c)	975	955	948	211	304	210	198	237	317
Travel	31 789	32 918	30 349	7 986	7 941	7 719	7 477	7 212	6 883
Other services	14 690	12 799	12 912	3 301	3 154	3 421	3 008	3 329	3 201
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Services Credits				13 026	12 789	12 500	12 036	12 219	11 620
Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned									
by others(d)				8	9	9	7	8	7
Maintenance and repair services n.i.e.(d) Transport				9 4 F24	14	18 1 529	8 4 E 4 E	9 4 F02	13 1 479
Passenger(b)				1 534 631	1 628 699	686	1 545 668	1 523 624	584
Freight(e)				121	103	103	103	100	107
Other				554	583	519	549	541	534
Postal and courier services(c)				227	244	222	225	258	255
Travel				8 232	7 935	7 688	7 291	7 412	6 868
Other services				3 237	3 203	3 256	3 186	3 268	3 254
IMPL				ORIGINAL		• • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • •
Services Credits	98.0	100.0	102.0	100.6	101.3	101.5	102.1	103.3	104.1
Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned									
by others	97.9	100.0	102.3	100.5	101.5	101.9	102.7	103.2	103.9
Maintenance and repair services n.i.e.	97.9	100.0	102.1	100.5	101.4	101.9	102.7	103.1	103.9
Transport  Passandar(h)	99.3 99.6	100.0	101.9	100.9	101.8	101.6	101.9	102.2	103.5
Passenger(b) Freight	106.8	100.0 100.0	101.4 98.9	100.6 101.2	101.7 100.9	101.6 95.9	101.3 98.1	101.0 100.4	103.4 99.4
Other	98.1	100.0	102.9	101.6	102.4	102.6	103.2	103.5	104.2
Postal and courier services(c)	97.9	100.0	102.2	100.4	101.4	101.8	102.6	103.1	103.8
Travel	97.8	100.0	102.0	100.5	101.2	101.5	102.0	103.5	104.3
Other services	97.9	100.0	102.1	100.5	101.1	101.5	102.5	103.3	103.8
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Services Credits							100.0	102 E	104.2
Services Credits			• •	100.6	101.4	101.5	102.2	103.5	104.3
Manufacturing conjugation on abjected insulta assessed				100.5	101.5	101.9	102.7	103.2	103.9
Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned by others(d)							102.7	103.2	103.9
by others(d)				100.5	101.4	101.9	102.7		
				100.5	101.4 102.4	101.9	102.7	102.8	104.0
by others(d) Maintenance and repair services n.i.e.(d) Transport Passenger(b)								102.8 102.9	
by others(d) Maintenance and repair services n.i.e.(d) Transport Passenger(b) Freight(e)				101.8 102.5 101.2	102.4 103.2 100.1	100.9 100.2 95.5	101.2 99.8 98.0	102.8 102.9 99.9	105.0 99.3
by others(d) Maintenance and repair services n.i.e.(d) Transport Passenger(b) Freight(e) Other				101.8 102.5 101.2 101.6	102.4 103.2 100.1 102.3	100.9 100.2 95.5 102.5	101.2 99.8 98.0 103.1	102.8 102.9 99.9 103.5	105.0 99.3 104.2
by others(d) Maintenance and repair services n.i.e.(d) Transport Passenger(b) Freight(e) Other Postal and courier services(c)				101.8 102.5 101.2 101.6 100.7	102.4 103.2 100.1 102.3 101.3	100.9 100.2 95.5 102.5 101.8	101.2 99.8 98.0 103.1 102.3	102.8 102.9 99.9 103.5 102.9	105.0 99.3 104.2 103.3
by others(d) Maintenance and repair services n.i.e.(d) Transport Passenger(b) Freight(e) Other				101.8 102.5 101.2 101.6	102.4 103.2 100.1 102.3	100.9 100.2 95.5 102.5	101.2 99.8 98.0 103.1	102.8 102.9 99.9 103.5	105.0 99.3 104.2

<sup>..</sup> not applicable

<sup>(</sup>a) Reference year for chain volume measures and price indexes is 2009–10. See paragraphs 17 and 19 of the Explanatory Notes.

<sup>(</sup>b) Passenger transport services includes agency fees and commissions for air transport.

<sup>(</sup>c) Postal and courier services includes indirect commissions for sea transport.

<sup>(</sup>d) This component is not seasonally adjusted.

<sup>(</sup>e) In using these seasonally adjusted series, care should be exercised because of the difficulties associated with reliably estimating the seasonal pattern.



# SERVICES DEBITS(a)(b): Chain Volume Measures and Implicit Price Deflators

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CHAIN VOLUME   MEASURES		2008-09	2009–10	2010–11	-		-	-	-	, -
Services Debits										
Maintenance and repair services n.i.e.   -16   -294   -374   -79   -53   -70   -80   -17   -47	С	HAIN VOL	UME ME	EASURES	- ORIGINA	L (\$M)				
Maintenance and repair services n.l.e.   -165   -794   -314   -79   -53   -30   -300   -370   -397   -4017   Transport   -14 -249   -13 727   -15 027   -3 612   -3940   -3901   -3400   -3907   -4010   -1289   -1589   -1547   -1571   -1646   -1593   -1582   -1592   -1482   -1593   -1582   -1593   -1547   -1571   -1468   -1593   -1582   -1593   -1582   -1593   -1582   -1593   -1582   -1593   -1582   -1593   -1582   -1593   -1582   -1593   -1583   -1547   -1571   -1467   -1593   -1582   -1593   -1582   -1593   -1582   -1593   -1582   -1593   -1582   -1593   -1582   -1593   -1582   -1593   -1582   -1593   -1582   -1593   -1582   -1593   -1583   -1593   -1583   -1593   -1		-49 296	-53 388	-61 068	-13 686	-15 007	-15 693	-14 581	-15 787	-16 797
Maintenance and repair services n.i.e.		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Passenger(c)		-165	-294	-374	-79	-53	-70	-80	-172	-87
Characteristics	·									
Other Postal and courier services(d) 149 8 909 293 1-88 1-73 1-72 1-75 1-74 1-74 Postal and courier services(d) 1-149 06 2-3 285 2-73 43 5-812 1-803	9									
Postal and courier services (d)	9									
Travel										
### Chain volume   New York   Ne	• •									
Services Debits										
Services Debits								• • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • •
Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned by others(e)		OLOWIL W	LASUNL	J - JLA				45.050	40.400	45.000
Owned by others(e)         ————————————————————————————————————					-13 969	-14 333	-15 230	-15 370	-16 132	-15 983
Transport					_	_	_	_	_	_
Passenger(c)	Maintenance and repair services n.i.e.(e)				-79	-53	-70	-80	-172	-87
Freight   -2-306   -2-206   -2-050   -2-050   -2-145   -2-247   Postal and courier services(d)(f)   -2-306   -	·									
Other(e)	=									
Postal and courier services(d)(f)	9									
Travel Other services(f) <td>· ·</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td>	· ·									
Other services (f)         IMPLICIT PRICE DEFLATORS - ORIGINAL (INDEX)         IMPLICIT PRICE DEFLATORS - ORIGINAL (INDEX)           Services Debits         114.3         100.0         93.9         98.5         98.7         93.4         92.8         91.0         92.5           Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned by others         117.3         100.0         91.5         99.1         98.7         92.1         91.5         89.0         90.5         99.1         99.7         97.3         99.3         99.1         99.7         99.5         99.3         99.1         99.5         99.3         99.1         99.7         99.3         99.3         99.1         99.7         99.7         99.3         99.3         99.1         99.7         99.7         99.3         99.3         100.1         98.5         99.3         99.1         99.7         99.3         99.3         99.3         100.1         98.5         99.3         99.1         99.7         99.7         99.3         99.3         100.0         99.5         99.9         100.3         99.6         97.5         99.3         100.5         99.7         99.6         97.5         99.3         100.5         99.7         99.6										
Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned by others   114.3   100.0   93.9   98.5   98.7   93.4   92.8   91.0   92.5   98.7   93.4   92.8   91.0   92.5   93.4   92.8   93.0   92.5   93.4   93.4   93.5   9										
Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned by others   11/13   100.0   93.9   98.5   98.7   93.4   92.8   91.0   92.5   93.4   94.8   9		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	OF DEEL	ATORC	OBICINAL	(INDEX)		• • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • •
Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned by others         —										
owned by others         -		114.3	100.0	93.9	98.5	98.7	93.4	92.8	91.0	92.5
Transport         111.1         100.0         98.2         98.9         100.3         97.5         97.3         97.3         99.1           Passenger(c)         102.5         100.0         99.1         99.1         100.7         100.1         98.5         97.2         102.0           Freight         116.7         100.0         97.5         98.8         100.1         98.8         96.6         97.5         97.3           Other         104.6         100.0         98.2         99.3         100.5         98.7         97.4         96.0         100.3           Postal and courier services(d)         115.3         100.0         92.7         96.7         96.2         89.8         89.3         86.8         88.3           Travel         114.4         100.0         92.2         98.5         98.1         91.6         91.1         88.6         90.1           IMPLICIT PRICE DEFLATORS - SEASONALLY ADJUSTED (INDEX)           Othersevices Deflutationg services on physical inputs										

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- (a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the Explanatory Notes.
- (b) Reference year for chain volume measures and price indexes is 2009–10. See paragraphs 17 and 19 of the Explanatory Notes.
- transport.
- (d) Postal and courier services includes indirect commissions for sea transport.
- (e) This component is not seasonally adjusted.
- (f) In using these seasonally adjusted series, care should be exercised because of the difficulties associated with reliably estimating the seasonal pattern.

## PRIMARY INCOME CREDITS(a): Original

	2008-09	2009–10	2010–11	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Qtr 2011
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
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PRIMARY INCOME CREDITS	43 364	34 285	40 184	10 207	10 071	10 282	9 589	10 242	10 242
Compensation of employees	1 717	1 704	1 794	416	420	392	571	411	419
Investment income	41 647	32 581	38 390	9 791	9 651	9 890	9 018	9 831	9 823
Direct investment assets	20 322	12 753	17 636	4 536	4 654	4 809	3 776	4 397	4 445
Income on equity and investment fund shares	19 608	11 968	16 559	4 287	4 473	4 525	3 492	4 068	4 161
Dividends and withdrawals from income of quasicorporations	3 664	4 147	4 042	1 148	760	947	899	1 435	827
Direct investor in direct investment enterprises	3 664	4 147	4 042	1 148	760	947	899	1 435	827
Direct investment enterprises in direct investor (reverse									
investment) Between fellow enterprises	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
'	na	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Reinvested earnings	15 944	7 821	12 517	3 138	3 713	3 578	2 593	2 633	3 334
Interest	714	785	1 077	249	181	284	284	328	284
Direct investor in direct investment enterprises	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Direct investment enterprises in direct investor (reverse									
investment)	np	np	np	np	np 8	np	np 4	np	np 5
Between fellow enterprises	na	17	25	4		9	•	3	_
Portfolio investment assets	18 346	17 915	18 895	4 774	4 561	4 644	4 750	4 940	4 829
Investment income on equity and investment fund shares	9 243	8 482	8 869	2 289	2 179	2 080	2 147	2 463	2 573
Dividends on equity excluding investment fund shares Investment income attributable to investment fund	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
shareholders	9 243	8 482	8 869	2 289	2 179	2 080	2 147	2 463	2 573
Dividends	4 912	5 624	6 894	2 214	1 834	1 537	1 493	2 031	1 411
Reinvested earnings	4 331	2 858	1 975	75	345	543	654	433	1 162
Interest	9 103	9 434	10 026	2 486	2 382	2 564	2 603	2 477	2 255
Short-term	38	26	106	10	19	39	34	14	6
Long-term	9 065	9 407	9 919	2 476	2 363	2 525	2 568	2 463	2 249
Other investment assets	2 133	1 490	1 503	388	349	351	397	407	456
Withdrawals from income of quasicorporations		np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Interest	1 923	1 328	1 383	346	320	326	364	373	412
Investment income attributable to policyholders in insurance,									
pension schemes and standardised guarantee schemes	210	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Reserve assets	847	422	356	92	87	86	96	87	92
Income on equity and investment fund shares	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Interest	847	422	356	92	87	86	96	87	92

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<sup>(</sup>a) More detailed data are available for this table in spreadsheet format on the ABS website <www.abs.gov.au>.



### PRIMARY INCOME DEBITS(a)(b): Original

	2008-09	2009–10	2010–11	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Qtr 2011
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
•••••	• • • • • •		• • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • •
PRIMARY INCOME DEBITS	-87 741	-84 612	-93 798	-21 186	-24 171	-24 197	-22 811	-22 619	-23 753
Compensation of employees Investment income	-3 182 -84 559	-3 239 -81 373	-3 342 -90 456	-794 -20 392	-827 -23 344	-771 -23 426	-887 -21 924	-857 -21 762	-856 -22 897
Direct investment liabilities Income on equity and investment fund shares Dividends and withdrawals from income of quasicorporations Direct investor in direct investment enterprises Direct investment enterprises in direct investor (reverse investment) Between fellow enterprises	-35 413 -31 487 -8 436 np	-35 430 -31 237 -7 659 np	-43 543 -38 387 -7 682 np	-9 579 -8 429 -1 167 -1 167	-11 382 -10 181 -812 -812		-9 491 -8 080 -2 868 -2 867	-10 974 -9 630 -1 528 np	-11 512 -10 120 -2 550 np
Reinvested earnings	-23 052	-23 578	-30 705	-7 262	-9 369	-8 021	-5 213	-8 102	-7 570
Interest Direct investor in direct investment enterprises Direct investment enterprises in direct investor (reverse investment) Between fellow enterprises	-3 926 -3 635 -291 na	-4 193 -2 609 -118 -1 466	-5 155 -3 540 -114 -1 501	-1 150 -765 -14 -371	-1 202 -790 -32 -380	-1 199 -760 -35 -404	-1 411 -1 024 -25 -361	-1 343 -966 -22 -356	-1 392 -1 053 -14 -326
Portfolio investment liabilities Investment income on equity and investment fund shares Dividends on equity excluding investment fund shares Investment income attributable to investment fund shareholders Dividends Reinvested earnings	-43 914 -10 308 -9 078 -1 230 -1 230	-1 400 -43 179 -11 343 -9 601 -1 742 -1 742		-531 -10 212 -2 324 -1 791 -533 		-11 085 -2 962 -2 323 -639 -639	-301 -11 724 -4 047 -3 485 -562	-330 -10 046 -2 494 -1 783 -712 	-320 -10 527 -3 691 -3 128 -564 
Interest Short-term Long-term	-33 606 -1 596 -32 010	-31 836 -926 -30 909	-30 951 -758 -30 193	-7 888 -141 -7 747	-7 599 -172 -7 427	-8 123 -186 -7 937	-7 678 -192 -7 486	-7 552 -208 -7 344	-6 836 -194 -6 642
Other investment liabilities Withdrawals from income of quasicorporations Interest Investment income attributable to policyholders in insurance,	-5 231  -5 118	-2 765  -2 638	-2 744  -2 610	-601  -569	-647  -614	-646  -613	-708  -675	-742  -708	-857  -821
pension schemes, and standardised guarantee schemes	-113	-127	-134	-32	-33	-33	-33	-35	-36

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np not available for publication but included in totals where applicable, unless otherwise indicated

<sup>(</sup>a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the Explanatory Notes.

<sup>(</sup>b) More detailed data are available for this table in spreadsheet format on the ABS website <www.abs.gov.au>.



# $\label{eq:primary_primary_primary_primary_primary} \textbf{PRIMARY INCOME}(a) \colon \textbf{Seasonally Adjusted and Trend Estimates}$

	• • • • • •		• • • • •	• • • • •	• • • • •	• • • • •
	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Qtr 2011
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
SEASONAL	LY ADJUS	TED	• • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • •
PRIMARY INCOME CREDITS	9 994	10 178	10 298	9 672	10 039	10 325
Compensation of employees(b) Investment income	437 9 558	459 9 720	453 9 845	450 9 222	434 9 605	455 9 870
Direct investment assets Income on equity and investment fund shares Interest(c)	4 361 4 134 227	4 706 4 523 183	4 738 4 431 307	3 965 3 684 281	4 233 3 927 305	4 467 4 180 287
Portfolio investment assets Investment income on equity and investment fund shares(b)(d)	4 689 2 289	4 586 2 179	4 687 2 080	4 766 2 147	4 852 2 463	4 862 2 573
Interest(c)	2 400	2 407	2 607	2 619	2 389	2 288
Other investment assets(c) Reserve assets	416 92	340 87	334 86	395 96	433 87	448 92
PRIMARY INCOME DEBITS	-21 364	-23 105	-24 715	-23 096	-22 823	-22 688
Compensation of employees Investment income	-814 -20 550	-815 -22 291	-813 -23 902	-837 -22 259	-875 -21 948	-844 -21 844
Direct investment liabilities	-9 124	-10 844	-11 857	-10 358	-10 468	-10 966
Income on equity and investment fund shares(b) Interest(c)	−7 986 −1 138	-9 660 -1 184	-10 607 -1 250	-8 966 -1 392	-9 142 -1 326	−9 592 −1 375
Portfolio investment liabilities Investment income on equity and investment fund	-10 825	-10 800	-11 399	-11 192	-10 738	-10 021
shares Interest(b)(e)	-2 937 -7 888	-3 201 -7 599	-3 276 -8 123	-3 514 -7 678	-3 187 -7 552	-3 185 -6 836
Other investment liabilities(c)	-601	-647	-646	-708	-742	-857
TREND	ESTIMATE	s	• • • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • •
PRIMARY INCOME CREDITS	9 601	10 120	10 156	9 987	10 023	10 133
Compensation of employees Investment income	437 9 164	447 9 672	455 9 701	448 9 539	445 9 578	446 9 687
Direct investment assets	4 117	4 585	4 561	4 304	4 230	4 289
Income on equity and investment fund shares	3 908	4 351	4 296	4 012	3 931	3 997
Interest	209	234	265	292	299	292
Portfolio investment assets Investment income on equity and investment fund shares	4 588 2 169	4 640 2 159	4 695 2 139	4 761 2 218	4 833 2 391	4 851 2 556
Interest	2 419	2 481	2 556	2 542	2 441	2 295
Other investment assets Reserve assets	370 89	359 88	356 89	384 90	424 91	455 91
PRIMARY INCOME DEBITS	-22 390	-23 182	-23 702	-23 559	-22 971	-22 543
Compensation of employees Investment income	-813 -21 577	-813 -22 369	-822 -22 880	-840 -22 719	-854 -22 117	-860 -21 683
Direct investment liabilities	-10 080	-10 729	-11 026	-10 920	-10 646	-10 610
Income on equity and investment fund shares Interest	-8 964 -1 116	-9 531 -1 198	-9 752 -1 274	-9 590 -1 330	-9 285 -1 361	−9 240 −1 370
Portfolio investment liabilities	-10 867	-11 015	-11 199	-11 095	-10 707	-10 249
Investment income on equity and investment fund						
shares	-2 962	-3 165 -7 850	-3 332 -7 868	-3 355 -7 740	-3 287 -7 420	-3 212 -7 037
		-3 165 -7 850 -626	-3 332 -7 868 -654	-3 355 -7 740 -703	-3 287 -7 420 -764	-3 212 -7 037 -824

- (a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the Explanatory (c) These components are not seasonally adjusted.
- Notes.

  (d) From September quarter 1981, this component is not seasonally adjusted series, care should be exercised because of the difficulties associated with reliably estimating the seasonal pattern. estimating the seasonal pattern.
- - seasonally adjusted.

# SECONDARY INCOME(a): Original

	2008–09	2009–10	2010–11	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Qtr 2011
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
••••••	• • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • •
SECONDARY INCOME	-249	-1 070	-534	-389	-89	-55	-164	-226	23
Credits	6 667	6 315	6 605	1 574	1 601	1 620	1 690	1 694	1 749
General government	1 857	1 574	1 707	367	395	419	476	417	473
Other sectors  Personal transfers  Workers' remittances	4 810 na na	4 741 na na	4 898 na na	1 207 na na	1 206 na na	1 201 na na	1 214 na na	1 277 na na	1 276 na na
Other current transfers  Non-life insurance premiums and claims Other	4 810 1 163 3 647	4 741 1 181 3 560	4 898 1 331 3 567	1 207 314 893	1 206 315 891	1 201 310 891	1 214 324 890	1 277 382 895	1 276 386 890
Debits	<b>-6 916</b>	-7 385	− <b>7 139</b>	-1 963	<b>−1</b> 690	<i>−</i> 1 675	-1 854	-1 920	-1 726
General government	-1 213	-1 296	-1 227	-348	-285	-299	-307	-336	-285
Other sectors  Personal transfers  Workers' remittances	-5 703 -807 -807	-6 089 -867 -867	-5 912 -897 -897	-1 615 -135 -135	-1 405 -269 -269	-1 376 -179 -179	-1 547 -314 -314	-1 584 -135 -135	-1 441 -269 -269
Other current transfers Non–life insurance premiums and claims Other	-4 896 -1 149 -3 747	-5 222 -1 192 -4 030	-5 015 -1 337 -3 678	-1 480 -336 -1 144	-1 136 -315 -821	-1 197 -308 -889	-1 233 -326 -907	-1 449 -388 -1 061	-1 172 -359 -813

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<sup>(</sup>a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the Explanatory Notes.

# CAPITAL ACCOUNT(a): Original

				lun Otu	Can Otu	Dec Qtr	May Oty	Jun Qtr	Con Otu
	2008-09	2009–10	2010–11	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	2010	Mar Qtr 2011	2011	Sep Qtr 2011
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
	• • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • •
CAPITAL ACCOUNT	-611	-291	-556	-93	-51	-202	-138	-165	-116
Credits Acquisitions/disposals of non-produced non-financial	2	22	73	_	71	2	_	_	_
assets	2	22	73	_	71	2	_	_	_
Capital transfers	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
General government	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Debt forgiveness Other capital transfers	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other sectors	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Debt forgiveness Other capital transfers	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Debits	-613	-313	-629	-93	-122	-204	-138	-165	-116
Acquisitions/disposals of non–produced non–financial assets	-246	-26	-102	-10	-6	-78	-6	-12	_
Capital transfers	-367	-287	-527	-83	-116	-126	-132	-153	-116
General government	-367	-287	-527	-83	-116	-126	-132	-153	-116
Debt forgiveness	-221	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other capital transfers	-146	-287	-527	-83	-116	-126	-132	-153	-116
Other sectors	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Debt forgiveness Other capital transfers	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_

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<sup>(</sup>a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the Explanatory Notes.



	2008–09	2009–10	2010–11	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Qtr 2011
	\$m								
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •				• • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • •
DIRECT INVESTMENT	17 336	20 668	24 791	-2 131	-5 652	5 741	6 543	18 158	5 253
Assets	-30 999	-19 387	-15 053	-9 511	-13 078	<i>−</i> 4 556	-347	2 928	-13 547
Equity and investment fund shares Equity other than reinvestment of	-22 139	-13 412	-17 333	-5 843	-13 663	-4 541	2 058	-1 188	-6 157
earnings Direct investor in direct	-6 <b>1</b> 96	-5 591	-4 816	-2 705 nn	-9 950 nn	-963 nn	4 651	1 445	-2 823 nn
investment enterprises Direct investment enterprises in direct investor (reverse	np								
investment) Between fellow enterprises	np na	np np							
Reinvestment of earnings	-15 944	-7 821	-12 517	-3 138	-3 713	-3 578	-2 593	-2 633	-3 334
Debt instruments Direct investor claims on direct	-8 860	-5 975	2 280	-3 667	585	-16	-2 405	4 116	-7 390
investment enterprises Direct investment enterprises claims on direct investor	-9 013	-6 140	2 072	-4 995	683	-1 009	-3 028	5 427	-7 561
(reverse investment) Between fellow enterprises	154 na	1 451 -1 286	1 292 -1 083	1 518 -191	187 –285	1 140 -147	663 -40	-699 -612	-51 222
Liabilities	48 335	40 055	39 843	7 380	7 426	10 298	6 890	15 230	18 800
Equity and investment fund shares Equity other than reinvestment of	39 657	34 254	37 367	8 044	5 789	13 315	3 396	14 867	9 624
earnings Direct investment enterprises	16 605	10 675	6 662	782	-3 580	5 293	-1 817	6 765	2 054
to direct investor Direct investor to direct investment enterprises	16 546	10 045	6 410	812	-3 482	5 117	-2 057	6 831	2 127
(reverse investment)	60	np							
Between fellow enterprises	na	np							
Reinvestment of earnings	23 052	23 578	30 705	7 262	9 369	8 021	5 213	8 102	7 570
Debt instruments  Direct investment enterprises	8 678	5 801	2 477 1 159	-664	1 636 992	-3 017	3 495 2 676	362	9 176 1 955
liabilities to direct investor  Direct investor liabilities to direct investment enterprises (reverse	13 846	6 253	1 159	1 878	992	-3 052	2010	542	1 955
investment)	-5 168	100	-4 073	-475	-95	-1 101	-1 081	-1 796	np
Between fellow enterprises	na	-552	5 391	-2 067	739	1 136	1 900	1 617	np
PORTFOLIO INVESTMENT	48 539	70 085	33 829	18 489	18 940	22 040	-3 110	-4 042	21 629
Assets	4 467	-91 693	-59 896	<b>-1</b> 369	-9 516	-12 408	-18 354	-19 617	1 371
Equity and investment fund shares  Central bank	3 775	-45 431 	–37 886	3 503	-7 166	-6 860	-12 125	–11 736	-1 521
Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank	np								
General government	-7 2 <b>1</b> 0	-13 591	-12 180	-1 876	-1 308	-3 369	-2 786	-4 7 <b>1</b> 7	-1 235
Other sectors	np								
Debt securities Central bank	692 —	-46 261 —	-22 009 	-4 872 —	-2 350 —	-5 549 —	-6 230 —	-7 881 —	2 892 —
Short-term Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations,									
except the central bank	-304	-7 474	-800	-2 336	162	-983	1 250	-1 228	614
Short-term	364	-3 132	-1 698	-864	404	-156	1 296	-3 243	1 499
Long-term	-668	-4 342	899	-1 472	-243	-827	-47	2 015	-885

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Assets cont.	4 467	-91 693	-59 896	-1 369	-9 516	-12 408	-18 354	-19 617	1 371
Debt securities cont.	692	-46 261	-22 009	-4 872	-2 350	<i>−</i> 5 549	-6 230	-7 881	2 892
General government	-5 957	-10 733	-2 627	-1 053	-1 078	-814	-392	-343	1 115
Short-term	-299	-7	66	9	-4 4 074	30	38	2	49
Long-term	-5 658	-10 726	-2 693	-1 062	-1 074	-844	-430	-345	1 066
Other sectors Short-term	6 953 671	-28 054 69	-18 583 -483	-1 483 -122	-1 433 362	-3 752 -224	−7 088 −634	-6 310 13	1 163 428
Long-term	6 282	-28 123	-18 100	-1 361	-1 795	-3 528	-6 453	-6 323	736
Liabilities	44 072	161 777	93 725	19 858	28 456	34 449	15 245	15 575	20 258
Equity and investment fund shares	44 447	13 742	13 638	-2 461	5 718	11 888	-4 019	51	2 416
Deposit-taking corporations,	40 405	0.000	4.454	0.500	400	0.000	E 47	4.000	400
except the central bank Other sectors	13 435 31 012	3 080 10 662	-4 151 17 789	-2 530 69	-430 6 148	-2 306 14 194	547 –4 567	-1 962 2 014	466 1 950
Debt securities	-375	148 035	80 087	22 319	22 738	22 561	19 264	15 524	17 841
Central bank	-373		-				19 204 —		
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations,									
except the central bank Short-term	-28 173 -54 701	85 744 17 501	23 405 10 128	5 313 3 102	1 682 -5 677	10 238 10 255	4 087 665	7 397 4 884	-7 312 -2 367
Long-term	26 528	68 243	13 277	2 211	7 359	-17	3 422	2 512	-4 945
General government	16 819	51 999	41 132	12 659	13 300	12 112	7 795	7 926	18 959
Short-term	1 405	4 064	5 766	2 726	2 326	1 720	-346	2 065	-4 048
Long-term	15 414	47 935	35 366	9 932	10 973	10 392	8 140	5 860	23 007
Other sectors	10 979	10 292	15 551	4 347	7 756	210	7 383	202	6 194
Short-term Long-term	5 305 5 674	-2 777 13 069	2 623 12 928	2 839 1 508	-267 8 023	1 522 -1 312	994 6 389	374 –172	4 949 1 245
FINANCIAL DERIVATIVES	<b>-3 491</b>	<b>-9 762</b>	- <b>11 269</b>	<b>-5 627</b>	4 747	-5 747	<b>-6 604</b>	-3 665	<b>-17 798</b>
Assets Central bank	30 782	34 033	42 348 —	780 —	3 648	15 633 —	11 468 —	11 600 —	1 568 —
Deposit-taking corporations, except									
the central bank	31 913	29 291	36 534	1 401	3 620	12 883	11 859	8 172	1 181
General government Other sectors	398	6 713 -1 971	8 998	1 890	765 –737	2 809 -59	2 075 -2 467	3 349 79	1 975
	-1 529		-3 184	-2 511					-1 588
Liabilities Central bank	-34 273 —	-43 795 —	-53 617 —	-6 407 —	1 100 —	-21 380 —	–18 072 —	-15 265 —	-19 366 —
Deposit-taking corporations, except									
the central bank	-28 598	-42 562	-47 634	-4 362	2 234	-19 845	-15 873	-14 149	-12 956
General government Other sectors	-4 165 -1 510	-1 552 318	-2 798 -3 186	-1 207 -838	-210 -925	-1 254 -281	-492 -1 707	-842 -273	–585 –5 825
OTHER INVESTMENT	-11 738	-31 866	-10 093	-7 005	-6 670	-11 073	6 963	687	-719
Assets	-50 927	-23 437	-36 221	-9 083	4 649	-12 803	-6 937	-21 130	-10 295
Other equity	na	1	-426	_	_	-130	-263	-33	-46
Currency and deposits Central bank	-29 066 	–17 198 —	-12 463 	-5 819 	-134 	-11 390 	2 774	-3 713 	-360 
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations,									
except the central bank	-28 727	-13 517	-16 261	-3 262	-1 061	-14 223	3 028	-4 004 nn	-236
Short-term Long-term	np np	np np	np np	np np	np np	np np	np np	np np	np np
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Assets cont.	-50 927	-23 437	-36 221	-9 083	4 649	-12 803	-6 937	-21 130	-10 295
Currency and deposits cont.	-29 066	-17 198	-12 463	-5 819	-134	-11 390	2 774	-3 713	-360
General government	-741	-719	-1 049	649	-567	407	141	-1 030	759
Short-term Long-term	-741 —	-719 —	-1 049 —	649 —	–567 —	407 —	141 —	-1 030 —	759 —
Other sectors	402	-2 962	4 847	-3 206	1 494	2 426	-396	1 322	-883
Short-term	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Long-term	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Loans Central bank	-23 282 	-4 359 	-17 642 	–476 —	4 559 —	-1 594 	-8 434 	-12 172 	-11 388
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_			_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations,									
except the central bank	-20 700	-4 050	-18 786	568	5 127	-1 849	-9 031	-13 033	-11 330
Short-term Long-term	-18 053 -2 647	1 330 -5 380	-10 099 -8 687	2 616 -2 048	1 674 3 453	-639 -1 210	-3 390 -5 641	-7 744 -5 289	–3 752 –7 578
<del>-</del>	-2 041	-3 300	-0 001	-2 040	3 433	-1 210	-5 041	-3 203	-1 316
General government Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other sectors	-2 582	-309	1 144	-1 044	-568	254	597	860	-58
Short-term	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Long-term	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Insurance, pension, and	4.040	022	402	057	101	4.47	407	44	110
standardised guarantee schemes Central bank	-1 012 —	233 —	193 —	–257 —	161 —	147 —	–127 —	11 —	–116 —
Deposit-taking corporations,									
except the central bank General government	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other sectors	-1 012	233	193	-257	161	147	-127	11	-116
Trade credit and advances	1 717	-2 687	-2 535	-2 051	1 124	-498	-701	-2 460	577
Central bank	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Short-term Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations	56	-444	-490	-437	83	7	-291	-289	-306
Short-term	np	np	-490 np	np	np	np	-291 np	-209 np	-300 np
Long-term	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
General government Short-term	-978 	-1 017 —	-379 —	-426 	458	-139 —	-79 —	-619 	185
Long-term	-978	-1 017	-379	-426	458	-139	-79	-619	185
Other sectors	2 639	-1 226	-1 666	-1 187	583	-365	-332	-1 552	698
Short-term Long-term	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Other accounts receivable	np 717	np	np -3 348	np -481	np	np	np	np	np
Central bank	/1/ —	573 —	-3 348 	-481	-1 061 —	662 —	-185 	-2 764 —	1 039 —
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations,				_		_			
except the central bank Short-term	1 017	592	-1 438	-318	-871	679	428	-1 674	699 nn
Long-term	np np	np np	np np	np np	np np	np np	np np	np np	np np
General government	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_

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Assets cont.	-50 927	-23 437	-36 221	-9 083	4 649	-12 803	-6 937	-21 130	-10 295
Other accounts receivable cont.	717	573	-3 348	-481	-1 061	662	-185	-2 764	1 039
Other sectors	-300	-19	-1 910	-163	-191	-17	-612	-1 090	340
Short-term	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Long-term	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Liabilities	39 189	-8 429	26 128	2 079	-11 319	1 730	13 900	21 817	9 575
Other equity	na	128	-114	17	-7	-6	-102	_	_
Currency and deposits	17 609	3 518	25 611	3 121	3 129	-2 887	15 588	9 782	7 448
Central bank	566	-544	416	-51	33	127	-4	260	77
Short-term	566	-544	416	-51	33	127	-4	260	77
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations,									
except the central bank	17 043	4 061	25 194	3 172	3 096	-3 015	15 592	9 522	7 371
Short-term	6 678	-16 127	12 184	-8 855	6 163	-6 330	2 597	9 754	-3 576
Long-term	10 365	20 188	13 010	12 028	-3 067	3 315	12 995	-232	10 947
General government	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other sectors	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Loans	21 449	-16 002	-335	-2 607	-14 586	6 011	-2 286	10 526	1 934
Central bank	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
IMF credit and loans from IMF	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other short term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other long term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations,									
except the central bank	28 777	-9 900	469	-1 910	-12 847	6 450	-1 408	8 273	3 020
Short-term	25 074	-2 900	-1 520	2 796	-9 944	6 089	-854	3 189	10 584
Long-term	3 703	-6 999	1 989	-4 706	-2 903	361	-554	5 085	-7 564
General government	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other sectors	-7 328	-6 102	-804	-697	-1 739	-440	-878	2 253	-1 086
Short-term	1 283	-821	np	99	np	np	np	np	np
Long-term	-8 612	-5 281	np	-796	np	np	np	np	np
Insurance, pension, and									·
standardised guarantee schemes	201	55	172	35	25	3	105	39	-18
Central bank	_	_		_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations,									
except the central bank	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
General government	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other sectors	201	55	172	35	25	3	105	39	-18

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Liabilities cont.	39 189	-8 429	26 128	2 079	-11 319	1 730	13 900	21 817	9 575
Trade credit and advances	-72	-493	142	407	-173	-228	-38	581	168
Central bank	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations	-189	-297	-157	87	192	-67	-176	-107	-6
Short-term Long-term	-189 	np np	np np	np np	np np	np np	np np	np np	np np
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General government Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other sectors	116	-196	299	320	-365	-161	137	687	173
Short-term	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Long-term	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Other accounts payable	3	-480	653	1 106	293	-1 162	632	890	44
Central bank	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank	547	-91	982	1 168	-339	-425	215	1 531	-521
Short-term	699	np	np	np	–339 np	-425 np	np	np	-321 np
Long-term	-152	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
General government	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other sectors	-544	-389	-329	-62	632	-738	417	-641	566
Short-term	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Long-term	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Special drawing rights	_	4 845	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
RESERVE ASSETS	-11 896	5 929	-3 199	-308	-2 222	-1 121	6 567	-6 423	-336
Monetary gold	-1	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Gold bullion	na	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Unallocated gold accounts	na	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Special drawing rights	9	-5 502	8	-1	-1	9	-1	1	72
Reserve position in the IMF	-712	-235	-333	_	_	_	_	-333	-379
Other reserve assets	-11 194	11 666	-2 874	-308	-2 221	-1 130	6 568	-6 091	-30
Currency and deposits	-2 752	6 414	<i>−</i> 6 909	1 711	-3 113	1 232	1 595	-6 622	-669
Claims on monetary authorities	-1 233	1 650	-2 047	1 132	-1 276	-172	1 008	-1 607	782
Claims on other entities	-1 233 -1 518	4 764	-2 047 -4 862	579	-1 276 -1 838	1 403	587	-5 015	-1 450
Securities	-8 442	5 252	4 035	-2 019	892	-2 362	4 973	531	639
Debt securities	-8 442	5 252	4 034	-2 019 -2 019	890	-2 362 -2 362	4 973	532	639
Short-term	na	4 623	2 488	-1 432	-429	-2 060	4 785	192	1 099
Long-term	na	629	1 545	-587	1 319	-302	188	340	-460
Equity and investment fund shares	na	_	1	_	2	_	_	-1	_
Financial derivatives	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other claims	na	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_

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	beginning of period	Transactions	Price changes	rate changes	Other adjustments	end of period
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
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FOREIGN ASSETS	-1 243 783	-21 238	56 331	-33 654	-1 636	-1 243 980
DIRECT INVESTMENT	-387 930	-13 547	45 321	-14 087	-819	-371 062
Equity and investment fund shares	-330 583	-6 157	45 325	-12 229	-860	-304 504
Direct investor in direct investment enterprises Direct investment enterprises in direct investor	np	np	np	np	np	np
(reverse investment)	np	np	np	np	np	np
Between fellow enterprises	-34	np	np	_	_	-29
Debt instruments  Direct investor claims on direct investment	-57 347	-7 390	-3	-1 858	42	-66 557
enterprises	-38 639	-7 561	-3	-1 751	17	-47 938
Direct investment enterprises claims on direct investor (reverse investment)	12.011	E4		20	0	12.004
Between fellow enterprises	-13 811 -4 897	-51 222	_	–30 –77	9 16	–13 884 –4 736
PORTFOLIO INVESTMENT	-482 597	1 371	36 409	-15 520	-498	-460 834
Equity and investment fund shares	-295 796	-1 521	34 997	-13 484	-528	-276 331
Central bank	-302	_	_	-23	_	-325
Deposit-taking corporations, except the central						
bank	np	np	638	-8	_	np
General government Other sectors	-41 858	-1 235	2 743	-3 179		-43 529
	np	np	31 617	-10 274	-528	np
Debt securities	-186 800	2 892	1 412	-2 036	30	-184 502
Central bank Short-term	_		_	_	_	
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations, except the central						
bank	-21 945	614	640	846	_	-19 845
Short-term	-5 424	1 499	7	_	_	-3 917
Long-term	-16 521	-885	633	845	_	-15 927
General government	-16 885	1 115	435	-1 116	_	-16 451
Short-term	-168	49	_	-10	_	-129
Long-term	-16 717	1 066	435	-1 106	_	-16 322
Other sectors	-147 971	1 163	337	-1 766	30	-148 206
Short-term	-1 925	428	-143	-11 4 755	30	-1 621
Long-term	-146 046	736	480	-1 755	_	-146 585
FINANCIAL DERIVATIVES	-90 084	1 568	-24 896	6 525	7	-106 880
Central bank Deposit-taking corporations, except the central	_	_	_	_	_	_
bank	-75 680	1 181	-25 397	-925	7	-100 814
General government	-2 428	1 975	_	-637	_	-1 090
Other sectors	-11 976	-1 588	500	8 086	1	-4 976
OTHER INVESTMENT	-242 042	-10 295	-73	-7 607	-326	-260 343
Other equity	-461	-46	45	1	_	-461
Currency and deposits Central bank	-90 935 	-360 	_	-5 476 —	-158 	-96 930 
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations, except the central						
bank	-79 838	-236	_	-4 967	_	-85 041
Short-term	np	np	_	np	np	np
Long-term	np	np	_	np	np	np

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## $FOREIGN\ ASSETS (a) (b) (c) - September\ Quarter\ 2011\ {\it continued}$

	Position at beginning		Price	Exchange rate	Other	Position at end of
	of period	Transactions	changes	changes	adjustments	period
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
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OTHER INVESTMENT cont.	-242 042	-10 295	-73	-7 607	-326	-260 343
Currency and deposits cont.	-90 935	-360	_	-5 476	-158	-96 930
General government	-2 135	759	_	-146	_	-1 522
Short-term	-2 135	759	_	-146	_	-1 522
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	
Other sectors Short-term	-8 962	-883	_	-363 nn	-158 nn	-10 367
Long-term	np np	np np	_	np np	np np	np np
Loans	-117 031	-11 388		-1 224	-168	-129 812
Central bank	-117 031	-11 388	_	-1 224	-108	-129 812
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations, except the central						
bank	-110 226	-11 330	_	-1 096	-170	-122 822
Short-term	-59 891	-3 752	_	-7 <b>1</b> 6	16	-64 342
Long-term	-50 335	-7 578	_	-381	-186	-58 480
General government	_	_	_	_	_	_
Short-term Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other sectors Short-term	-6 806	-58	_	–128 –2	2	-6 990 nn
Long-term	np np	np np	_	-126	_ 2	np np
Insurance, pension, and standardised guarantee						
schemes	-6 871	-116	-118	-49	_	-7 154
Central bank	_		_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations, except the central						
bank	_	_	_	_	_	_
General government Other sectors	-6 871	 -116	-118	 _49	_	-7 <b>1</b> 54
			110			
Trade credit and advances  Central bank	-15 431 	577	_	-515 	1	-15 368
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations	-1 017	-306	_	-6	_	-1 329
Short-term	np	np	_	np	np	np
Long-term	np	np	_	np	np	np
General government	-4 949	185	_	-485	_	-5 249
Short-term		_	_	_	_	
Long-term	-4 949	185	_	-485	_	-5 249
Other sectors	-9 465	698	_	-24	1	-8 790
Short-term Long-term	np	np	_	np	np	np
•	np	np	_	np	np	np
Other accounts receivable Central bank	-11 314	1 039	_	-343	-1	-10 619
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations, except the central						
bank	-4 485	699	_	23	-1	-3 764
Short-term	np	np	_	24	-1	np
Long-term	np	np		-1		np

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	Position at beginning of period	Transactions	Price changes	Exchange rate changes	Other adjustments	Position at end of period
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
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OTHER INVESTMENT cont.	-242 042	-10 295	-73	-7 607	-326	-260 343
Other accounts receivable cont.	-11 314	1 039	_	-343	-1	-10 619
General government	-4 762	_	_	_	_	-4 762
Short-term		_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	-4 762	_	_	_	_	-4 762
Other sectors	-2 067	340	_	-366	_	-2 094
Short-term	np	np	_	np	_	np
Long-term	np	np	_	np	_	np
RESERVE ASSETS	-41 130	-336	-430	-2 965	_	-44 861
Monetary gold	-3 599	_	-239	-415	_	-4 252
Gold bullion	-3 599	_	-239	-415	_	-4 252
Unallocated gold accounts	_	_	_	_	_	_
Special drawing rights	-4 601	72	_	-350	_	-4 879
Reserve position in the IMF	-1 567	-379	_	-148	_	-2 094
Other reserve assets	-31 364	-30	-191	-2 052	_	-33 637
Currency and deposits	-11 123	-669	2	-709	_	-12 498
Claims on monetary authorities	-1 570	782	-1	40	_	-750
Claims on other entities	-9 552	-1 450	3	-749	_	-11 748
Securities	-20 241	639	-193	-1 343	_	-21 139
Debt securities	-19 858	639	-196	-1 305	_	-20 720
Short-term	-9 182	1 099	-3	-575	_	-8 661
Long-term	-10 676	-460	-192	-730	_	-12 058
Equity and investment fund shares	-383	_	2	-38	_	-419
Financial derivatives	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other claims	_	_	_	_	_	_

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## FOREIGN LIABILITIES (a) (b) (c) — September Quarter 2011

	Position at beginning of period	Transactions	Price changes	Exchange rate changes	Other adjustments	Position at end of period
	, \$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	, \$m
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FOREIGN LIABILITIES	2 041 435	29 267	-23 096	44 150	507	2 092 262
DIRECT INVESTMENT	515 642	18 800	-10 190	2 375	-258	526 369
Equity and investment fund shares	371 679	9 624	-10 162	_	-156	370 985
Direct investment enterprises to direct investor Direct investor to direct investment enterprises	370 149	9 693	-9 653	_	-156	370 033
(reverse investment)	1 421	np	np	_	_	840
Between fellow enterprises	110	np	np	_	_	112
Debt instruments Direct investment enterprises liabilities to direct	143 963	9 176	-28	2 375	-102	155 384
investor Direct investor liabilities to direct investment	103 073	1 955	-29	1 419	-39	106 378
enterprises (reverse investment)	11 104	np	_	np	_	18 275
Between fellow enterprises	29 786	np	2	np	-63	30 731
PORTFOLIO INVESTMENT	1 163 112	20 258	-37 448	33 448	-376	1 178 995
Equity and investment fund shares  Deposit-taking corporations, except the central	366 962	2 416	-50 494	_	-375	318 509
bank	64 037	466	-6 624	_	-605	57 274
Other sectors	302 925	1 950	-43 870	_	230	261 236
Debt securities	796 150	17 841	13 046	33 448	_	860 486
Central bank Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations, except the central						
bank	419 328	-7 312	5 331	24 290	_	441 637
Short-term	96 395	-2 367	1 379	4 353	_	99 760
Long-term	322 933	-4 945	3 952	19 937	_	341 878
General government	143 615	18 959	4 892	1	_	167 466
Short-term	11 235	-4 048		_	_	7 187
Long-term	132 380	23 007	4 892	1	_	160 280
Other sectors	233 207	6 194	2 823	9 158	_	251 382 19 363
Short-term Long-term	13 433 219 775	4 949 1 245	15 2 809	966 8 192		232 020
FINANCIAL DERIVATIVES	88 555	-19 366	24 485	-3 638	-13	90 023
	66 555	-19 300	24 403	-3 030	-13	90 023
Central bank Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank	— 73 755	-12 956	 21 123	-3 268	 _6	 78 648
General government	373	-12 930 -585	21 123	-3 208 3 598	_ <del>-</del> 0	3 387
Other sectors	14 428	-5 825	3 362	-3 969	-7	7 988
OTHER INVESTMENT	274 125	9 575	56	11 965	1 153	296 875
Other equity	_	_	_	_	_	_
Currency and deposits	122 856	7 448	_	5 989	47	136 339
Central bank	707	77	_	_	_	784
Short-term	707	77	_	_	_	784
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations, except the central	122 149	7 271		5 989	47	135 555
bank Short-term	54 274	7 371 -3 576	_	5 989 5 989	47 56	135 555 56 742
Long-term	67 875	10 947	_	_	_9	78 813
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	Position at beginning	Transastiana	Price	Exchange rate	Other	Position at end of
	of period	Transactions	changes	changes	adjustments	period
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
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OTHER INVESTMENT cont.	274 125	9 575	56	11 965	1 153	296 875
Currency and deposits cont.	122 856	7 448	_	5 989	47	136 339
General government	_	_	_	_	_	_
Short-term Long-term	_	_	_	_		_
Other sectors						
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Loans	130 180	1 934	_	5 164	624	137 902
Central bank	_	_	_	_	_	_
IMF credit and loans from IMF	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other long term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other long term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank	105 236	3 020		4 862		113 117
Short-term	84 374	10 584	_	4 165	_	99 123
Long-term	20 862	-7 564	_	697	_	13 995
General government	_	_	_	_	_	_
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other sectors	24 945	-1 086	_	302	624	24 784
Short-term	np	np	_	np		np
Long-term	np	np	_	np	624	np
Insurance, pension, and standardised guarantee	0.450	4.0	=-			0.400
schemes Central bank	2 158	-18	56 —	_		2 196
Deposit-taking corporations, except the central						
bank	_	_	_	_	_	_
General government	_	_	_	_	_	
Other sectors	2 158	-18	56	_	_	2 196
Trade credit and advances	5 091	168	_	62	-17	5 304
Central bank Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations	81	-6	_	_	_	75
Short-term	np	np	_	_	_	np
Long-term	np	np	_	_	_	np
General government	_	_	_	_	_	_
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other sectors	5 010	173	_	62	-17	5 229
Short-term	np	np	_	np	np	np
Long-term	np	np	_	np	np	np
Other accounts payable	9 256	44	_	395	498	10 194
Central bank Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_

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	Position at beginning of period	Transactions	Price changes	Exchange rate changes	Other adjustments	Position at end of period
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
	• • • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • •
OTHER INVESTMENT cont.	274 125	9 575	56	11 965	1 153	296 875
Other accounts payable cont.	9 256	44	_	395	498	10 194
Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank Short-term Long-term	8 733 np np	–521 np np	_ _ _	26 26 —	745 745 —	8 983 np np
General government Short-term Long-term	80 — 80	_ _ _	_ _ _	_ _ _	_ _ _	80 — 80
Other sectors Short-term Long-term	442 np np	566 np np	_ _ _	370 315 55	-247 -247 	1 131 np np
Special drawing rights	4 584	_	_	355	1	4 940

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Jun Qtr Mar Qtr Sep Otr Dec Otr Jun Qtr Sep Qtr 2008-09 2009-10 2010-11 2010 2010 2010 2011 2011 2011 **FOREIGN ASSETS** -1 089 230 -1 197 299 -1 243 783 -1 197 299 **-1 206 800 -1 229 559** -1 245 644 -1 243 783 -1 243 980 **DIRECT INVESTMENT** -356 784 -387 930 -379 549 -395 025 407 601 -408 390 -387 930 Equity and investment fund -294 214 -314 741 -330 583 \_314 741 -333 837 -347 335 -345 912 -330 583 -304 504 shares Direct investor in direct investment enterprises np np np np np np np np np Direct investment enterprises in direct investor (reverse investment) np np np np np np np np np Between fellow enterprises -34 -34 -13-13-13-18-29na -13Debt instruments -62 570 -64 809 -57 347 -64 809 -61 187 -60 266 -62 478 -57 347 -66 557 Direct investor claims on direct investment -43 366 -46 960 -38 639 -46 960 -42 185 -42 086 -44 902 -38 639 -47 938 enterprises Direct investment enterprises claims on direct investor (reverse investment) -19 204 -13 935 -13 811 -13 935 -14 824 -13 899 -13 267 -13 811 -13 884 Between fellow enterprises na -3913-4897-3913-4178-4281-4309-4897-4736**PORTFOLIO INVESTMENT** -448 623 -482 597 -448 623 -447 160 -457 208 -480 035 -482 597 -460 834 -361 762 Equity and investment fund shares -218 242 -263 849 -295 796 -263 849 -266 988 -277 787 -295 967 -295 796 -276 331 Central bank -318 -329 -302 -329 -304 -287 -290 -302 -325 Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank np np np np np np np np np General government -15136-30 686 -41 858 -30 686 -30 545 -37 902 -41 858 -33778-43529Other sectors np np np np np np np np np Debt securities -143521-184774-186800-184774 $-180\ 172$ -179421-184067-186800-184502Central bank Short-term Long-term Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank -15 638 -21 844 -21 945 -21 844 -21 424 -22 200 -20 765 -21 945 -19 845 Short-term -878 \_3 427 -5 424 -3427-3.024-3.379-2.082-5 424 -3917-14 760 -18 417 -16 521 -18 417 -18 401 -18 821 -18 683 Long-term -16 521 -15 927 General government -5 944 -17 253 -16885-17 253 -16 635 -16 507 -17087-16885-16 451 -291 -276 -168 -252 -208 -168 Short-term -276 -176-129Long-term -5653-16977-16717-16977-16383-16299-16910-16717-16322-121 938 -145 678 -145 678 -140 713 -146 215 -147 971 -142 113 \_147 971 -148 206 Other sectors -616 -1 190 -1925-1 190 -905 -1 151 -1753-1 925 -1 621 Short-term Long-term -121 322 -144 488 -146 046 -144 488 -141 209 -139 562 -144 462 -146 046 -146 585 **FINANCIAL DERIVATIVES** -101 869 -98 256 -90 084 -98 256 -108 533 -101 183 -93 954 -90 084 -106 880 Central bank Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank -91 437 -87 115 -75 680 -87 115 -91 766 -83 798 -79 004 -75 680 -100 814 -2 155 -1 235 -2 428 -1 235 -4 249 -4 705 -3 545 -2 428 General government -1090

Other sectors

Other equity

**OTHER INVESTMENT** 

Currency and deposits

Central bank Short-term Long-term -8 276

na

-216 504

-77 434

-9 907

-17

-89 889

-227 134

-11976

-242 042

-461

-90 935

-9 907

-17

-227 134

-89 889

-12 518

-213 256

-17

-83 897

-12 680

-148

-92 505

-221 976

-11 405

-416

-89 259

-227 527

-11 976

-461

-90 935

-242 042

-4 976

-461

-96 930

-260 343

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	2008-09	2009–10	2010–11	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Qtr 2011
	\$m								
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Currency and deposits cont.	<b>-216 504</b> -77 434	<b>-227 134</b> -89 889	<b>-242 042</b> -90 935	<b>-227 134</b> -89 889	<b>-213 256</b> -83 897	<b>-221 976</b> -92 505	<b>-227 527</b> -89 259	<b>-242 042</b> -90 935	<b>-260 343</b> -96 930
Deposit-taking corporations,									
except the central bank	-66 354	-75 979	-79 838	-75 979	-70 261	-81 475	-77 837	-79 838	-85 041
Short-term Long-term	np np								
General government	-748	-1 386	-2 <b>13</b> 5	-1 386	-1 804	-1 322	-1 173	-2 <b>13</b> 5	-1 522
Short-term	-748 -748	-1 386 -1 386	-2 135 -2 135	-1 386 -1 386	-1 804 -1 804	-1 322 -1 322	-1 173 -1 173	-2 135 -2 135	-1 522 -1 522
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other sectors	-10 332	-12 523	-8 962	-12 523	-11 832	-9 708	-10 249	-8 962	-10 367
Short-term	np								
Long-term	np								
Loans	-109 581	-108 290	-117 031	-108 290	-101 060	-101 355	-109 062	-117 031	-129 812
Central bank	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations,	400.005	00.705	440.000	00.705	00.404	00.400	101 000	110.000	400.000
except the central bank Short-term	-100 935 -57 472	-99 795 -53 158	-110 226 -59 891	-99 795 -53 158	-92 424 -49 776	-93 132 -49 402	-101 300 -52 296	-110 226 -59 891	-122 822 -64 342
Long-term	-43 463	-46 637	-50 335	-46 637	-42 648	-43 730	-49 004	-50 335	-58 480
General government	_	_	_	_		_		_	
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other sectors	-8 646	-8 496	-6 806	-8 496	-8 636	-8 224	-7 762	-6 806	-6 990
Short-term	np								
Long-term	np								
Insurance, pension, and									
standardised guarantee									
schemes	-7 639	<i>−</i> 6 029	-6 871	-6 029	-6 358	-6 523	-6 678	-6 871	−7 <b>1</b> 54
Central bank Deposit-taking corporations,	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
except the central bank	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
General government	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other sectors	-7 639	-6 029	-6 871	-6 029	-6 358	-6 523	-6 678	-6 871	<b>−7 15</b> 4
Trade credit and advances	-12 082	-14 208	-15 431	-14 208	-12 278	-12 531	-13 153	-15 431	-15 368
Central bank	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Short-term Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
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Deposit-taking corporations Short-term	-178	-590	-1 017	-590	-452 np	-438 np	-729 nn	-1 017	–1 329 np
Long-term	np np	np np	np np	np np	np	np	np np	np np	np
General government	-5 <b>11</b> 0	-5 714	-4 949	-5 714	-4 580	-4 495	-4 500	-4 949	-5 249
Short-term	-5 110	-5 7 14	-4 949 	-5 714	- <del>4</del> 560	-4 495 —	- <del>4</del> 500	-4 949 	-5 245
Long-term	-5 110	-5 714	-4 949	-5 714	-4 580	-4 495	-4 500	-4 949	-5 249
Other sectors	-6 794	-7 904	-9 465	-7 904	-7 246	-7 597	-7 924	-9 465	-8 790
Short-term	np								
Long-term	np								
Other accounts receivable	-9 768	-8 701	-11 314	-8 701	-9 646	-8 914	-8 960	-11 314	-10 619
Central bank	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_

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	2008–09 \$m	2009–10 \$m	2010–11 \$m	Jun Qtr 2010 \$m	Sep Qtr 2010 \$m	Dec Qtr 2010 \$m	Mar Qtr 2011 \$m	Jun Qtr 2011 \$m	Sep Qtr 2011 \$m
OTHER INVESTMENT cont.	-216 504	-227 134	-242 042	-227 134	-213 256	-221 976	-227 527	-242 042	-260 343
Other accounts receivable <i>cont</i> .	- <b>210 304</b> -9 768	-8 701	-11 314	- <b>227 134</b> -8 701	- <b>213 236</b> -9 646	- <b>8</b> 914	- <b>227 327</b> -8 960	-11 314	-10 619
Deposit-taking corporations,	0.00	0.01		0.101	0 0 .0	001.	0 000	11 01 .	10 010
except the central bank	-4 044	-3 049	-4 485	-3 049	-3 920	-3 240	-2 812	-4 485	-3 764
Short-term	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Long-term	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
General government Short-term	-4 762	-4 762	-4 762	-4 762 	-4 762	-4 762 	-4 762 	-4 762 	-4 762
Long-term	-4 762	-4 762	-4 762	-4 762	-4 762	-4 762	-4 762	-4 762	-4 762
Other sectors	-962	-890	-2 067	-890	-964	-912	-1 386	-2 067	-2 094
Short-term	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Long-term	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
RESERVE ASSETS	-52 311	-43 737	-41 130	-43 737	-42 827	-41 591	-35 738	-41 130	-44 861
Monetary gold	-2 957	-3 747	-3 599	-3 747	-3 471	-3 551	-3 575	-3 599	-4 252
Gold bullion	na	-3 747	–3 599	-3 747	-3 471	-3 551	-3 575	-3 599	-4 252
Unallocated gold accounts	na	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Special drawing rights	-215	-5 362	-4 601	-5 362	-4 976	-4 688	-4 730	-4 601	-4 879
Reserve position in the IMF	-1 092	-1 206	-1 567	-1 206	-1 119	-1 085	-1 270	-1 567	-2 094
Other reserve assets	-48 047	-33 421	-31 364	-33 421	-33 260	-32 268	-26 163	-31 364	-33 637
Currency and deposits Claims on monetary	-12 182	-5 804	-11 123	-5 804	-8 162	-6 498	-5 004	-11 123	-12 498
authorities	-1 607	-385	-1 570	-385	-1 172	-1 311	-322	-1 570	-750
Claims on other entities	-10 575	-5 419	-9 552	-5 419	-6 990	-5 186	-4 682	-9 552	-11 748
Securities	-35 893	-27 618	-20 241	-27 618	-25 075	-25 769	-21 159	-20 241	-21 139
Debt securities	na	-27 175	-19 858	-27 175	-24 665	-25 380	-20 771	-19 858	-20 720
Short-term Long-term	na na	-13 213 -13 961	-9 182 -10 676	-13 213 -13 961	–12 849 –11 816	-14 145 -11 236	−9 637 −11 134	−9 182 −10 676	-8 661 -12 058
Equity and investment	iiu	10 001	10 010	10 001	11 010	11 200	11 104	10 0.0	12 000
fund shares	na	-443	-383	-443	-410	-389	-388	-383	-419
Financial derivatives	29	_	_	_	-24	-1	_	_	_
Other claims	na	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_

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### LEVELS OF FOREIGN LIABILITIES(a)(b)(c)

	2008–09	2009–10	2010–11	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Qtr 2011
	\$m								
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FOREIGN LIABILITIES	1 792 801	1 975 163	2 041 435	1 975 163	1 989 874	2 003 790	2 034 906	2 041 435	2 092 262
DIRECT INVESTMENT	446 298	491 988	515 642	491 988	497 048	508 658	507 330	515 642	526 369
Equity and investment fund shares Direct investment enterprises to direct investor	304 972 304 880	345 002 343 719	371 679 370 149	345 002 343 719	351 473 350 196	367 581 366 209	363 178 361 529	371 679 370 149	370 985 370 033
Direct investor to direct investment enterprises (reverse									
investment) Between fellow enterprises	92 na	1 174 108	1 421 110	1 174 108	1 171 106	1 265 107	1 477 172	1 421 110	840 112
Debt instruments Direct investment enterprises	141 326	146 986	143 963	146 986	145 575	141 077	144 151	143 963	155 384
liabilities to direct investor  Direct investor liabilities to direct investment enterprises (reverse	123 605	105 065	103 073	105 065	104 170	100 493	102 868	103 073	106 378
investment) Between fellow enterprises	17 721 na	17 306 24 615	11 104 29 786	17 306 24 615	16 057 25 348	14 236 26 348	13 076 28 207	11 104 29 786	18 275 30 731
PORTFOLIO INVESTMENT	966 449	1 119 958	1 163 112	1 119 958	1 136 931	1 154 078	1 178 501	1 163 112	1 178 995
Equity and investment fund shares Deposit-taking corporations,	285 839	325 614	366 962	325 614	356 307	383 734	390 040	366 962	318 509
except the central bank Other sectors	54 063 231 775	64 765 260 849	64 037 302 925	64 765 260 849	69 760 286 547	65 644 318 090	69 384 320 656	64 037 302 925	57 274 261 236
Debt securities	680 611	794 344	796 150	794 344	780 624	770 344	788 461	796 150	860 486
Central bank	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Short-term Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Deposit-taking corporations,									
except the central bank	391 038	453 250	419 328	453 250	429 484	418 063	419 606	419 328	441 637
Short-term	78 225 312 814	93 857	96 395 322 933	93 857	84 503	91 213 326 850	91 594	96 395	99 760
Long-term		359 393		359 393	344 980		328 012	322 933	341 878
General government Short-term	53 450 1 405	106 412 5 469	143 615 11 235	106 412 5 469	118 702 7 795	127 604 9 515	135 129 9 170	143 615 11 235	167 466 7 187
Long-term	52 045	100 943	132 380	100 943	110 907	118 088	125 959	132 380	160 280
Other sectors	236 122	234 683	233 207	234 683	232 438	224 677	233 727	233 207	251 382
Short-term	12 821	11 422	13 433	11 422	10 320	11 513	12 607	13 433	19 363
Long-term	223 302	223 261	219 775	223 261	222 118	213 165	221 119	219 775	232 020
FINANCIAL DERIVATIVES	101 026	98 690	88 555	98 690	113 374	102 141	94 279	88 555	90 023
Central bank Deposit-taking corporations, except	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
the central bank	90 012	84 097	73 755	84 097	99 984	87 409	79 665	73 755	78 648
General government Other sectors	812 10 202	3 829 10 764	373 14 428	3 829 10 764	1 228 12 162	661 14 070	607 14 007	373 14 428	3 387 7 988
OTHER INVESTMENT	279 028	264 526	274 125	264 526	242 520	238 913	254 796	274 125	296 875
Other equity	na	213	_	213	207	102	_	_	_
Currency and deposits	110 507	109 684	122 856	109 684	104 629	98 235	115 343	122 856	136 339
Central bank	834	290	707	290	323	450	447	707	784
Short-term Long-term	834	290 —	707 —	290 —	323	450 —	447 —	707 —	784 —
Deposit-taking corporations,									
except the central bank	109 673	109 393	122 149	109 393	104 305	97 784	114 896	122 149	135 555
Short-term Long-term	72 980 36 693	54 536 54 858	54 274 67 875	54 536 54 858	52 515 51 791	42 679 55 106	46 796 68 100	54 274 67 875	56 742 78 813
LONG-TOTHI	30 093	J-1 0J0	01 010	J-1 0J0	31 191	33 100	33 100	01 010	10010

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### LEVELS OF FOREIGN LIABILITIES(a)(b)(c) continued

	2008-09	2009–10	2010–11	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Q 201
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$
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HER INVESTMENT cont.	279 028	264 526	274 125	264 526	242 520	238 913	254 796	274 125	296 87
Currency and deposits cont.	110 507	109 684	122 856	109 684	104 629	98 235	115 343	122 856	136 33
General government	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	-
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	-
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	-
Other sectors Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Loans	152 237	134 071	130 180	134 071	117 173	121 786	119 735	130 180	137 90
Central bank	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
IMF credit and loans from IMF	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Other short term Other long term	_		_	_	_	_	_	_	
_									
Deposit-taking corporations, except the central bank	121 996	109 035	105 236	109 035	94 648	99 653	97 447	105 236	113 1
Short-term	92 905	87 960	84 374	87 960	77 407	82 734	81 601	84 374	99 1
Long-term	29 092	21 075	20 862	21 075	17 241	16 919	15 846	20 862	13 9
General government	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Other sectors	30 241	25 036	24 945	25 036	22 525	22 132	22 288	24 945	24 7
Short-term Long-term	6 138 24 103	3 820 21 215	np np	3 820 21 215	np np	np np	np np	np np	1
Insurance, pension, and standardised							ľ		
guarantee schemes	1 743	1 842	2 158	1 842	1 919	1 956	2 093	2 158	2 1
Central bank	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Deposit-taking corporations,									
except the central bank General government	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Other sectors	1 743	1 842	2 158	1 842	1 919	1 956	2 093	2 158	2 1
Trade credit and advances	4 829	4 749	5 091	4 749	4 569	4 291	4 520	5 091	5 3
Central bank	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Long-term	_			_		_		_	
Deposit-taking corporations Short-term	8 8	236 np	81 np	236 np	428 np	361 np	185 np	81 np	
Long-term	_	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	·
General government	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Other sectors	4 821	4 513	5 010	4 513	4 141	3 930	4 335	5 010	5 2:
Short-term Long-term	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	
9	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	10.4
Other accounts payable  Central bank	8 813	8 631	9 256	8 631	9 073	7 872 —	8 393	9 256	10 19
Short-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Long-term	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Deposit-taking corporations,									
except the central bank	7 783	7 793	8 733	7 793	8 134	7 235	7 992	8 733	8 9
Short-term	7 783	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	1
Long-term	_	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	r

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### LEVELS OF FOREIGN LIABILITIES(a)(b)(c) continued

	2008–09 \$m	2009–10 \$m	2010-11 \$m	Jun Qtr 2010 \$m	Sep Qtr 2010 \$m	Dec Qtr 2010 \$m	Mar Qtr 2011 \$m	Jun Qtr 2011 \$m	Sep Qtr 2011 \$m
OTHER INVESTMENT cont.	279 028	264 526	274 125	264 526	242 520	238 913	254 796	274 125	296 875
Other accounts payable cont.	8 813	8 631	9 256	8 631	9 073	7 872	8 393	9 256	10 194
General government Short-term Long-term	80 — 80	80 — 80	80 — 80	80 — 80	80 — 80	80 — 80	80 — 80	80 — 80	80 — 80
Other sectors Short-term Long-term	949 np np	758 np np	442 np np	758 np np	859 np np	557 np np	320 np np	442 np np	1 131 np np
Special drawing rights	899	5 336	4 584	5 336	4 951	4 672	4 713	4 584	4 940

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### FOREIGN DEBT LEVELS(a)(b)

	2008–09	2009–10	2010–11	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Qtr 2011
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
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ASSETS	-576 352	-618 249	-616 560	-618 249	-605 548	-603 900	-602 960	-616 560	-662 264
Public sector	-80 920	-84 512	-85 371	-84 512	-86 763	-84 569	-79 209	-85 371	-86 401
General government	-19 811	-31 555	-32 726	-31 555	-33 148	-32 876	-32 336	-32 726	-31 167
Financial corporations	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Central Bank	-50 796	-42 088	-39 180	-42 088	-41 298	-40 117	-34 080	-39 180	-42 349
Central Borrowing Authorities	-626	-588	-400	-588	-589	-466	-556	-400	-467
Other financial corporations	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Non-financial corporations	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Private sector	-495 43 <b>2</b>	-533 738	-53 <b>1 1</b> 89	-533 738	<i>−</i> 518 785	-519 331	-523 751	-53 <b>1 1</b> 89	-575 863
Financial corporations	-412 950	-445 789	-453 180	-445 789	-433 592	-437 334	-438 980	-453 180	-493 632
Non-financial corporations	-82 483	-87 949	-78 009	–87 949	-85 193	-81 997	-84 772	-78 009	-82 231
LIABILITIES	1 201 990	1 304 334	1 302 794	1 304 334	1 281 887	1 252 373	1 281 688	1 302 794	1 402 768
Public sector	119 904	197 878	234 281	197 878	207 531	213 141	227 484	234 281	268 961
General government	55 241	115 656	148 652	115 656	124 962	133 017	140 528	148 652	175 873
Debt domiciled abroad	2 608	9 934	5 772	9 934	6 916	5 990	6 115	5 772	9 086
Debt domiciled in Australia	52 633	105 723	142 880	105 723	118 046	127 027	134 413	142 880	166 787
Financial corporations	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Central Bank	834	290	707	290	323	450	447	707	784
Debt domiciled abroad	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Debt domiciled in Australia	834	290	707	290	323	450	447	707	784
Central Borrowing Authorities	59 689	77 955	81 542	77 955	78 340	76 204	83 404	81 542	87 556
Debt domiciled abroad	26 264	23 286	20 543	23 286	22 117	21 368	20 431	20 543	22 117
Debt domiciled in Australia	33 425	54 669	60 998	54 669	56 223	54 836	62 974	60 998	65 439
Other financial corporations	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Debt domiciled abroad	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Debt domiciled in Australia	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Non-financial corporations	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Debt domiciled abroad	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Debt domiciled in Australia	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Private sector	1 082 086	1 106 456	1 068 513	1 106 456	1 074 356	1 039 232	1 054 204	1 068 513	1 133 808
Financial corporations	832 563	850 284	807 250	850 284	819 422	788 739	797 313	807 250	856 781
Non-financial corporations	249 523	256 172	261 263	256 172	254 934	250 493	256 892	261 263	277 027
NET FOREIGN DEBT	625 639	686 084	686 233	686 084	676 338	648 473	678 727	686 233	740 504
Public sector	38 985	113 366	148 910	113 366	120 768	128 572	148 274	148 910	182 560
General government	35 430	84 101	115 926	84 101	91 813	100 140	108 193	115 926	144 706
Financial corporations	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Central Bank	-49 962	-41 798	-38 474	-41 798	-40 975	-39 667	-33 633	-38 474	-41 565
Central Borrowing Authorities	59 063	77 367	81 141	77 367	77 751	75 738	82 848	81 141	87 089
Other financial corporations	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Non-financial corporations	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np
Private sector	586 654	572 718	537 323	572 718	555 571	519 901	530 453	537 323	557 945
Financial corporations	419 614	404 495	354 070	404 495	385 830	351 405	358 333	354 070	363 149
Non-financial corporations	167 040	168 223	183 254	168 223	169 740	168 496	172 120	183 254	194 795
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### GROSS EXTERNAL DEBT LIABILITIES(a)(b)(c)(d): Levels

	2008-09	2009–10	2010–11	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Qtr 2011
	\$m	\$m							
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Direct investment liabilities  External debt liabilities to direct	141 326	146 986	143 963	146 986	145 575	141 077	144 151	143 963	155 384
investment enterprises External debt liabilities to direct	17 721	17 306	11 104	17 306	16 057	14 236	13 076	11 104	18 275
investors	123 605	129 680	132 859	129 680	129 518	126 841	131 075	132 859	137 109
Other liabilities	959 639	1 058 657	1 070 275	1 058 657	1 022 938	1 009 155	1 043 257	1 070 275	1 157 360
General government	54 429	111 828	148 279	111 828	123 734	132 356	139 922	148 279	172 487
Short term	1 405	5 469	11 235	5 469	7 795	9 515	9 170	11 235	7 187
Money market instruments	1 405	5 469	11 235	5 469	7 795	9 515	9 170	11 235	7 187
Long term	53 024	106 359	137 044	106 359	115 938	122 841	130 752	137 044	165 300
Bonds and notes	52 045	100 943	132 380	100 943	110 907	118 088	125 959	132 380	160 280
Loans and other liabilities	979	5 416	4 664	5 416	5 031	4 752	4 793	4 664	5 020
Financial corporations	792 621	834 406	804 131	834 406	787 714	765 699	789 852	804 131	855 464
Monetary authorities	834	290	707	290	323	450	447	707	784
Short term	834	290	707	290	323	450	447	707	784
Currency and deposits	834	290	707	290	323	450	447	707	784
Depository corporations	630 500	679 707	655 527	679 707	636 999	623 097	640 126	655 527	699 368
Short term	288 594	299 091	311 634	299 091	274 622	279 229	296 172	311 634	343 394
Money market instruments	78 225	93 857	96 395	93 857	84 503	91 213	91 594	96 395	99 760
Trade credits	8	np	np						
Loans and other liabilities	100 688	np	np						
Currency and deposits	109 673	109 393	122 149	109 393	104 305	97 784	114 896	122 149	135 555
Long term	341 905	380 617	343 893	380 617	362 377	343 867	343 954	343 893	355 974
Bonds and notes	312 814	359 393	322 933	359 393	344 980	326 850	328 012	322 933	341 878
Loans and other liabilities	29 092	21 160	20 900	21 160	17 333	16 955	15 880	20 900	14 037
Other financial corporations	161 287	154 408	147 897	154 408	150 392	142 152	149 279	147 897	155 312
Short term	17 164	14 901	17 675	14 901	13 381	15 470	16 425	17 675	18 638
Money market instruments	11 482	10 141	12 598	10 141	8 891	10 975	12 077	12 598	np
Trade credits	981	1 011	np	1 011	np	np	np	np	np
Loans and other liabilities	4 700	3 749	np	3 749	np	np	np	np	np
Long term	144 123	139 508	130 223	139 508	137 011	126 682	132 854	130 223	136 675
Bonds and notes	135 679	133 029	124 221	133 029	130 749	120 744	127 085	124 221	np
Trade credits Loans and other liabilities	75 8 370	90 6 389	np	90	np	np	np	np	np
			np	6 389	np	np	np	np	np
Other sectors	112 589	112 424	117 865	112 424	111 490	111 101	113 484	117 865	129 410
Short term	7 482	4 261	4 /8/	4 261	4 441	3 193	4 163	4 /8/	9 403
Money market instruments Trade credits	1 339	1 280	834	1 280	1 429	538	530	834	np
Loans and other liabilities	np np	np np							
									·
Long term Bonds and notes	105 107 87 623	108 163 90 232	113 078 95 554	108 163 90 232	107 049 91 369	107 908 92 420	109 321 94 035	113 078 95 554	120 007
Trade credits	87 623 np	90 232 np	95 554 np	90 232 np	91 309	92 420 np	94 035 np	95 554 np	np np
Loans and other liabilities	np	np							
GROSS EXTERNAL DEBT(e)	1 100 965	1 205 643	1 214 238	1 205 643	1 168 513	1 150 233	1 187 409	1 214 238	1 312 745
Financial derivatives liabilities	101 026	98 690	88 555	98 690	113 374	102 141	94 279	88 555	90 023
FOREIGN DEBT LIABILITIES(f)	1 201 990	1 304 334	1 302 794	1 304 334	1 281 887	1 252 373	1 281 688	1 302 794	1 402 768

otherwise indicated

<sup>(</sup>a) Instruments are valued at market value or best available proxy.

<sup>(</sup>b) Liabilities include accrued interest and exclude equity and financial derivative liabilities.

The short term/long term classification is on an original maturity basis.

np not available for publication but included in totals where applicable, unless (d) For information about the quality of data for the latest quarter, see paragraph 6 of the Explanatory Notes.

<sup>(</sup>e) Gross External Debt as defined in External Debt Statistics: Guide for Compilers and Users.

<sup>(</sup>f) Foreign Debt Liabilities as shown in ABS's International Investment Position.



# CURRENCY AND RESIDUAL MATURITY OF FOREIGN DEBT(a)(b)(c)—September Quarter 2011

Contractually due for repayment:	Australian Dollar \$m	United States Dollar \$m	Japanese Yen \$m	United Kingdom Pound \$m	<i>Eur</i> o \$m	Swiss Franc \$m	<i>Other</i> \$m	Reserve Assets \$m	<i>Total</i> \$m
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			ASSETS	)					
Less than or up to 90 days	-49 023	-138 807	-7 180	-13 179	-12 920	-393	-48 338	-44 442	-314 282
Greater than 90 days and up to 6 months	-5 889	-7 535	-706	-1 014	-575	-57	-3 871	_	-19 647
Greater than 6 months and up to 1 year	-13 850	-21 972	-714	-2 232	-1 732	-126	-4 934	_	-45 560
Greater than 1 year and up to 5 years	-117 808	-36 129	-3 811	-10 815	-9 042	-571	-9 933	_	-188 109
Greater than 5 years	-18 320	-38 819	-2 116	-8 816	-8 543	-281	-17 771	_	-94 666
Total	-204 890	-243 262	-14 527	-36 056	-32 812	<b>−1 428</b>	-84 847	-44 442	-662 264
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • • • •
			LIABILITI	ES					
Less than or up to 90 days	157 342	226 246	7 552	19 505	13 164	735	7 065	_	431 609
Greater than 90 days and up to 6 months	23 685	43 876	1 826	3 979	4 836	256	3 884	_	82 342
Greater than 6 months and up to 1 year	49 300	50 706	2 978	5 346	8 397	651	3 675	_	121 053
Greater than 1 year and up to 5 years	205 075	137 073	39 212	21 716	32 717	5 122	9 951	_	450 866
Greater than 5 years	189 305	69 296	6 499	10 832	32 617	2 345	6 004	_	316 898
Total	624 707	527 197	58 067	61 378	91 731	9 109	30 579	_	1 402 768

nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

<sup>(</sup>a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the Explanatory Notes.

<sup>(</sup>b) See paragraph 25 of the Explanatory Notes.

<sup>(</sup>c) For information about the quality of data for the latest quarter, see paragraph 6 of the Explanatory Notes.

### EXCHANGE RATES(a)

	2008–09	2009–10	2010–11	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Qtr 2011
		UNITS (	OF FOREIG	N CURREN	NCY PER	\$A	• • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • •
End of period									
United States dollar	0.8114	0.8523	1.0739	0.8523	0.9667	1.0163	1.0334	1.0739	0.9781
UK pound sterling	0.4872	0.5666	0.6667	0.5666	0.6098	0.6585	0.6420	0.6667	0.6269
Euro	0.5751	0.6979	0.7405	0.6979	0.7121	0.7647	0.7309	0.7405	0.7213
Japanese yen	77.76	75.46	86.33	75.46	80.58	82.83	85.60	86.33	74.88
Special drawing rights	0.5234	0.5778	0.6724	0.5778	0.6227	0.6599	0.6541	0.6724	0.6241
Period average									
United States dollar	0.7456	0.8830	0.9891	0.8837	0.9034	0.9874	1.0042	1.0615	1.0497
UK pound sterling	0.4621	0.5590	0.6213	0.5921	0.5827	0.6245	0.6269	0.6510	0.6522
Euro	0.5414	0.6362	0.7248	0.6935	0.6999	0.7265	0.7352	0.7376	0.7426
Japanese yen	73.99	80.77	82.10	81.44	77.50	81.48	82.68	86.73	81.65
Special drawing rights	0.4869	0.5710	0.6346	0.5932	0.5962	0.6348	0.6428	0.6645	0.6588
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	TRAD	DE-WEIG	HTED IND	EX OF VAL	UE OF T	HE \$A(b)	)		
End of period	64.7	67.3	77.8	67.3	72.9	75.8	76.3	77.8	72.4
Period average	60.2	69.0	74.0	69.6	69.7	74.0	74.8	77.5	75.9

<sup>(</sup>a) Exchange rates and the Trade-weighted index are provided by the Reserve Bank of Australia in respect of each trading day. Period averages are derived from these rates.

<sup>(</sup>b) May 1970 = 100. The Trade-weighted index is reweighted annually on 1 October and on special occasions as required.



## $\label{eq:foreign} \textit{FOREIGN ASSETS AND LIABILITIES} (a) (b) \colon \textbf{By Industry} (c)$

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	2008-09	2009–10	2010–11	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Qtr 2011
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •						• • • • • • •	• • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • •	
		FOREI	GN ASSETS	S - TRANSA	CTIONS				
Total	-58 574	-94 554	-72 021	-19 492	-16 519	-15 256	-7 603	-32 643	-21 238
Mining	-12 955	-6 641	-13 639	-7 268	-12 048	-1 944	-3 631	3 985	-11 031
Manufacturing Electricity, gas, water and waste	-1 571	-6 615	-2 374	-2 531	-206	-1 269	-915	15	-1 620
services	349	-1 217	-860	-275	-163	-197	-101	-399	-46
Wholesale trade	122	-815	871	-568	-214	875	337	-127	-246
Retail trade	-93	85	-40	-33	-48	63	41	-96	-28
Transport, postal and warehousing Financial and insurance services(d)	-12	-879	-340	17	-336	-187	104	78	-32
Rental, hiring and real estate	-21 756	-52 675	-50 319	-6 484	-4 597	-12 141	525	-34 106	-7 463
services	-649	1 288	-1 831	-130	-102	193	-906	-1 016	-8
Other industries(e)	-16 593	-21 978	-6 963	-1 538	-2 047	-885	-1 769	-2 262	1 316
Unallocated	-5 416	<b>-5 107</b>	3 475	-683	3 242	236	-1 290	1 286	-2 080
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	FC	REIGN AS	SSETS - LE	VELS AT EN	ID OF PEF	RIOD			
Total	-1 089 230	-1 197 299	-1 243 783	-1 197 299	-1 206 800	-1 229 559	-1 245 644	-1 243 783	-1 243 980
Mining	-140 824	-149 955	-167 139	-149 955	-161 156	-171 508	-181 487	-167 139	-159 211
Manufacturing	-60 645	-67 772	-64 228	-67 772	-66 592	-66 665	-67 214	-64 228	-65 535
Electricity, gas, water and waste services	-6 968	-7 981	-7 848	-7 981	-7 716	-7 884	-7 527	-7 848	-7 956
Wholesale trade	-5 823	-6 396	-5 <b>292</b>	-6 396	-6 450	-5 393	-5 068	-5 292	-5 592
Retail trade	-3 126	-3 121	-3 186	-3 121	-3 268	-3 030	-2 944	-3 186	-3 268
Transport, postal and warehousing	-4 539	-4 041	-3 830	-4 041	-4 222	-4 033	-3 907	-3 830	-3 954
Financial and insurance services(d)	-734 395	-833 898	-854 781	-833 898	-831 171	-838 083	-844 358	-854 781	-868 463
Rental, hiring and real estate									
services	-9 640	-7 896	-10 706	-7 896	-8 261	-8 366	-9 071	-10 706	-8 679
Other industries(e)	-64 517	-95 033	-104 314	-95 033	-95 751	-97 416	-101 330	-104 314	-105 466
Unallocated	-58 754	-21 206	-22 458	-21 206	-22 214	-27 181	-22 737	-22 458	-15 856
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				ES - TRANS					
Total	97 322	149 608	106 080	22 909	25 663	25 097	17 963	37 357	29 267
Mining	51 254	18 620	28 074	6 439	4 030	-307	12 356	11 995	20 819
Manufacturing Electricity, gas, water and waste	6 272	10 921	8 442	1 047	2 577	4 436	1 829	-401	1 187
services	261	2 559	2 064	219	614	251	364	834	603
Wholesale trade	3 005	4 027	6 062	1 202	343	3 519	507	1 693	1 486
Retail trade	-93	68	2 454	383	1 304	-138	328	960	-252
Transport, postal and warehousing	-2 872	398	8 513	-844	855	1 493	1 036	5 129	206
Financial and insurance services(d)	9 466	45 316	-1 945	4 062	-4 426	-10 157	644	11 994	-6 311
Rental, hiring and real estate									
services	14	6 449	3 371	3 470	831	2 094	-975	1 421	291
Other industries(e)	16 443	53 947	38 558	8 090	15 661	11 397	6 803	4 697	18 477
Unallocated(f)	13 573	7 303	10 487	-1 159	3 873	12 507	-4 928	-966	-7 238

<sup>(</sup>a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the Explanatory Notes.

(b) For information about the quality of data for the latest quarter, see paragraph 6

(c) Includes General government.

(d) From September quarter 1995, investment in trading enterprises placed through of the Explanatory Notes.

<sup>(</sup>c) See paragraph 26 of the Explanatory Notes.

<sup>(</sup>d) Includes Reserve Bank and Central Borrowing Authority activity.

nominees and brokers is not classified by industry and is included in "Unallocated".



### FOREIGN ASSETS AND LIABILITIES(a)(b): By Industry(c) continued

				Jun Qtr	Sep Qtr	Dec Qtr	Mar Qtr	Jun Qtr	Sep Q
	2008-09	2009–10	2010–11	2010	2010	2010	2011	2011	201.
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$r
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	FORI	EIGN LIAB	ILITIES - L	EVELS AT I	END OF P	ERIOD			
Total	1 792 801	1 975 163	2 041 435	1 975 163	1 989 874	2 003 790	2 034 906	2 041 435	2 092 26
Mining	213 659	231 582	244 019	231 582	230 167	226 611	236 923	244 019	262 830
Manufacturing	119 050	128 210	129 805	128 210	128 753	130 163	130 698	129 805	127 86:
Electricity, gas, water and waste									
services	13 504	16 032	18 373	16 032	16 248	17 087	17 509	18 373	18 578
Wholesale trade	39 922	43 161	51 148	43 161	44 211	48 631	50 680	51 148	51 19
Retail trade	8 783	9 611	12 065	9 611	10 991	10 741	11 068	12 065	12 31
Transport, postal and warehousing Financial and insurance services(d)	17 693	15 991	24 272	15 991	16 877	18 635	19 118	24 272	24 56
	1 047 795	1 101 214	1 063 794	1 101 214	1 078 546	1 048 433	1 061 489	1 063 794	1 108 683
Rental, hiring and real estate									
services	22 549	29 701	32 902	29 701	30 178	32 213	31 432	32 902	33 38:
Other industries(e)	145 976	205 008	234 897	205 008	216 980	224 218	231 420	234 897	261 06
				194 652	216 924	247 057	244 569	230 159	191 79:

<sup>(</sup>a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the Explanatory Notes.

<sup>(</sup>b) For information about the quality of data for the latest quarter, see paragraph 6 of the Explanatory Notes.

<sup>(</sup>c) See paragraph 26 of the Explanatory Notes.

 $<sup>\</sup>hbox{(d)} \quad \hbox{Includes Reserve Bank and Central Borrowing Authority activity.}$ 

<sup>(</sup>e) Includes General government.

<sup>(</sup>f) From September quarter 1995, investment in trading enterprises placed through nominees and brokers is not classified by industry and is included in



### SELECTED INTERNATIONAL ACCOUNTS RATIOS(a)

	ORIGINAL(	b)	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED(c)						
	2008-09	2009–10	2010–11	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011	Sep Qtr 2011
		\$ MILLIO	N		• • • • •	• • • • •	• • • • •	• • • • •	• • • • •
GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT (GDP)	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya
RA	TIOS TO	GDP (PI	ERCENTA	G E )	• • • • •	• • • • •	••••	• • • • •	• • • •
CURRENT ACCOUNT	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya
Goods and Services Credits	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya
Debits	nya nya	nya nya	nya nya	nya nya	nya nya	nya nya	nya nya	nya nya	nya nya
Primary income	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya
NET INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT POSITION(d)	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya
Net foreign equity(d) Net foreign debt(d)	nya nya	nya nya	nya nya	nya nya	nya nya	nya nya	nya nya	nya nya	nya nya
RATIOS TO GOOD	S AND	SERVICE	S CREDIT	S (PERCE	NTAG	E)	• • • • •	• • • • •	• • • • •
NET INVESTMENT INCOME	-15.1	-19.2	-17.5	-14.7	-17.0	-19.1	-18.2	-15.7	-14.7
Net income on foreign equity Net income on foreign debt(e)	-4.5 -10.5	-8.7 -10.5	-8.8 -8.7	-6.0 -8.6	-8.3 -8.7	-10.0 -9.1	-9.3 -9.0	-7.6 -8.1	−7.4 −7.4
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		\$ MILLIO	N	• • • • • • • •	• • • • •	• • • • •	• • • • •	• • • • •	• • • • •
GROSS NATIONAL INCOME (GNI)	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya
RA	ATIOS TO	GNI (PE	ERCENTAC	GE)	• • • • •	• • • • •	• • • • •	• • • • •	• • • • •
NET INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT POSITION(d)	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya
Net foreign equity(d)	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya
Net foreign debt(d)	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya	nya
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • • •		• • • • • • • •	• • • • •	• • • • •	• • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • •

nya not yet available

- (a) Derived from current price data. For a more detailed explanation of Ratios, see paragraphs 31 to 34 of the Explanatory Notes.
- (b) For the latest reference financial year, GDP and GNI are estimated using the sum of the four quarters, where June quarter is derived using the previous quarter's GDP and GNI respectively.
- (c) Ratios for the current quarter are derived using the previous quarter's GDP and GNI respectively.
- (d) Ratios for the Net International Investment Position are derived using levels for those series at the end of the period and GDP or GNI for the year ended with that period. Net International Investment Position data are not seasonally adjusted, however, quarterly GDP and GNI used to derive the ratios are seasonally adjusted.
- (e) Net income on foreign debt is not seasonally adjusted, however the quarterly Goods and services credits series used to derive the ratios are seasonally adjusted.



	2008-09	2009–10	2010–11	Mar Qtr 2010	Jun Qtr 2010	Sep Qtr 2010	Dec Qtr 2010	Mar Qtr 2011	Jun Qtr 2011
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
	BALA	NCE OF	PAYMENT	S	• • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • •
CURRENT ACCOUNT	1 508	-2 727	337	-1 051	-840	-699	100	-26	961
Goods and Services	-269	-644	77	-215	-145	-227	-280	-230	814
Credits	130	-370	-624	-156	-46	-268	-243	-264	151
Debits	-399	-274	701	-59	-99	41	-37	34	663
Goods	-182	-377	-37	-77	-89	-127	-120	-33	243
Credits Debits	59 –241	–58 –319	262 –299	3 –80	–11 –78	-1 -126	 -120	35 -68	228 15
Services Credits	–87 71	–267 –312	114	-138 150	-56	-100	-160	-197 200	571 -77
Debits	-158	-312 45	-886 1 000	-159 21	–35 –21	–267 167	–243 83	–299 102	-11 648
	1 031	-2 <b>545</b>	-1 217	-926	-780	-823	7	-165	-237
Primary income Credits	541	-2 540	-1 217 -1 743	- <b>926</b> -864	-7 <b>80</b> -866	- <b>023</b> -773	-315	-325	-330
Debits	490	-2 540 -5	526	-62	86	-773 -50	322	161	93
Secondary income	746	462	1 477	90	85	351	373	369	384
Credits	10	-472	233	-110	-147	72	71	59	31
Debits	736	934	1 244	200	232	279	302	310	353
CAPITAL AND FINANCIAL ACCOUNT	-1 734	804	299	319	769	1 254	-354	-170	-431
Capital account	_	_	-252	_	_	-53	-57	-60	-82
Acquisition/disposal of non-produced, non-fina	ncial								
assets	_	_	-12	_	_	_	_	_	-12
Credits	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Debits	_	_	-12	_	_	_	_	_	-12
Capital transfers	_	_	-240	_	_	-53	-57	-60	-70
Credits Debits	_	_	 -240	_	_	 _53	— –57	 _60	
Financial account Direct investment	- <b>1 734</b> -329	<b>804</b> -142	<b>551</b> 1 040	<b>319</b> -247	<b>769</b> –214	<b>1 307</b> 328	<b>−297</b> −1 828	- <b>110</b> 2 696	<b>−349</b> −157
Assets	-525	-142 -151	-1 547	-241 24	143	-342	-1 626 -475	-194	-537
Liabilities	195	9	2 587	-270	-357	670	-1 353	2 890	380
Portfolio investment	-681	-15	1 317	-162	523	1 392	2 386	-2 109	-352
Assets	459	758	-3 063	612	738	588	-182	-1 311	-2 159
Liabilities	-1 140	-773	4 381	-774	-215	804	2 568	-798	1 807
Financial derivatives	235	6	428	-3	5	-5	-7	-58	498
Assets	100	3	-182	_	3	-1	7	-2	-187
Liabilities	135	3	610	-3	3	-4	-14	-57	685
Other investment	-958	955	-2 234	731	454	-409	-849	-638	-338
Assets	488	-238	-2 540	-155	-44	-33	-942	-1 337	-227
Liabilities	-1 447	1 194	305	886	499	-376	93	699	-111
Reserve assets	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
NET ERRORS AND OMISSIONS	226	1 923	-636	732	71	-555	254	195	-531
	INTERNATION		STMENT			• • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • •
Net International Investment Position	-96	1 030	16 530	1 198	1 030	3 233	6 199	6 968	16 530
Net foreign equity	-1 461	-705	5 288	-78	-705	1 184	2 886	2 833	5 288
Net foreign debt	1 364	1 735	11 242	1 276	1 735	2 049	3 313	4 135	11 242
Net international investment transactions									
Net foreign equity transactions	-1 975	189	-1 708	470	489	1 265	-937	-225	-1 811
Net foreign debt transactions	241	615	2 259	-151	279	41	640	116	1 463

nil or rounded to zero (including null cells)

<sup>(</sup>a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the Explanatory Notes.

<sup>(</sup>b) Difference between estimates in this issue of this publication and the corresponding estimates provided in the previous issue of this publication.



### BALANCE OF PAYMENTS, Historical Summary(a): Original

CAPITAL AND FINANCIAL

	CURRENT A	CCOUNT							ACCOUN		
											NET
	0	Goods	Goods and	Goods and	Duine	Primary	Primary	0	0	Circumstal	ERRORS
	Current account	and services	services credits	services debits	Primary income	income credits	income debits	Secondary income	account	Financial account	AND OMISSIONS
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
• • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • • •	• • • • • •	• • • • • • • • •
1995–96	-20 184	-2 342	99 895	-102 237	-18 495	8 031	-26 525	653	-368	19 672	880
1996–97	-16 234	1 702	106 448	-104 746	-18 498	9 046	-27 544	562	-292	17 363	-838
1997–98	-22 510	-4 645	115 314	-119 959	-18 358	10 838	-29 196	493	-281	23 966	-1 175
1998–99	-32 731	-14 016	113 837	-127 853	-19 165	10 487	-29 652	450	-367	32 881	216
1999–00	-31 662	-13 130	128 409	-141 539	-18 825	14 325	-33 149	293	-494	32 227	-71
2000-01	-17 580	1 340	155 995	-154 655	-19 497	16 801	-36 298	577	-502	17 803	279
2001-02	-19 023	379	155 771	-155 392	-20 196	16 338	-36 533	794	-363	20 214	-828
2002-03	-38 299	-16 688	151 493	-168 181	-22 286	16 762	-39 048	675	-329	38 448	180
2003-04	-46 220	-22 247	146 480	-168 727	-24 328	17 830	-42 158	355	-247	46 683	-216
2004–05	-57 570	-23 344	166 805	-190 149	-34 056	22 417	-56 473	-170	-80	58 343	-693
2005–06	-54 041	-14 689	195 944	-210 633	-38 629	27 192	-65 822	-723	-218	54 576	-316
2006–07	-60 543	-11 907	216 795	-228 702	-48 393	36 926	-85 319	-243	281	60 872	-611
2007-08	-72 871	-24 353	233 813	-258 166	-48 572	44 528	-93 099	54	-232	72 232	871
2008-09	-37 272	7 353	284 571	-277 218	-44 376	43 364	-87 741	-249	-611	38 750	-867
2009–10	-56 018	-4 621	253 762	-258 383	-50 327	34 285	-84 612	-1 070	-291	55 054	1 255
		20 918	297 545				-93 798		-291 -556	34 059	
2010-11	-33 229	20 918	297 545	–276 627	-53 613	40 184	-93 798	-534	-556	34 059	-273
2004–05 December	-15 983	-7 442	41 646	-49 088	-8 562	5 718	-14 280	21	-24	16 323	-317
March	-14 011	-5 312	39 385	-44 697	-8 513	5 523	-14 035	-186	32	14 188	-209
June	-11 735	-3 335	45 070	-48 405	-8 266	5 994	-14 260	-134	-55	12 071	-281
2005-06											
September	-14 973	-4 705	46 550	-51 255	-10 256	5 584	-15 840	-12	-107	15 064	17
December	-13 932	-4 075	49 387	-53 462	-9 761	6 295	-16 056	-96	-36	14 249	-281
March	-12 649	-3 428	47 344	-50 772	-9 030	7 223	-16 252	-191	-35	13 228	-544
June	-12 488	-2 481	52 663	-55 144	-9 583	8 091	-17 674	-424	-40	12 036	492
2006–07											
September	-14 539	-1 896	54 393	-56 289	-12 689	7 922	-20 611	46	-29	15 175	-607
December March	-15 192 -15 385	-3 308 -3 625	55 384 52 204	-58 692 -55 829	-11 897 -11 623	8 505 9 963	-20 401 -21 586	13 –137	423 -9	14 245 15 456	524 -62
June	-15 365 -15 427	-3 023 -3 078	54 814	-57 892	-11 023 -12 184	10 537	-21 380 -22 720	-165	-104	15 450	-466
2007–08	10 121	00.0	01011	0. 002	12 10 1	10 001	22 120	100	101	10 001	100
September	-18 933	-5 599	55 484	-61 083	-13 515	10 314	-23 828	181	-51	18 925	59
December	-20 391	-8 342	56 262	-64 604	-12 096	10 325	-22 421	47	-53	20 236	208
March	-19 492	-8 107	55 968	-64 075	-11 327	11 635	-22 962	-58	-52	19 244	299
June	-14 055	-2 305	66 099	-68 404	-11 634	12 254	-23 888	-116	-76	13 826	304
2008-09											
September	-11 844	-255	74 409	-74 664	-11 612	11 866	-23 478	23	-32	11 946	-70
December	-8 076	2 236	80 540	-78 304	-10 335	11 765	-22 100	23	-278	8 962	-608
March	-5 564	4 810	69 265	-64 455	-10 233	11 058	-21 290	-141	-260	6 247	-423
June	–11 789	562	60 357	-59 795	–12 197	8 675	-20 872	-154	-41	11 595	234
2009–10 September	-16 148	-4 072	59 713	-63 785	-11 898	8 914	-20 812	-178	-62	15 778	432
December	-10 148 -19 962	-6 126	60 267	-66 393	-11 698 -13 678	6 765	-20 612 -20 443	-178 -158	-64	19 773	252
March	-16 580	-2 464	59 507	-61 971	-13 771	8 400	-22 171	-345	-72	16 085	567
June	-3 328	8 041	74 275	-66 234	-10 980	10 207	-21 186	-389	-93	3 417	4
2010-11											
September	-8 811	5 377	75 571	-70 194	-14 099	10 071	-24 171	-89	-51	9 144	-281
December	-9 687	4 283	74 729	-70 446	-13 915	10 282	-24 197	-55	-202	9 841	49
March	-10 416	2 970	69 055	-66 085	-13 222	9 589	-22 811	-164	-138	10 360	194
June	-4 315	8 288	78 190	-69 902	-12 377	10 242	-22 619	-226	-165	4 714	-235
2011–12	0.040	E 420	90.050	77 444	19 544	10.040	00.750	02	110	0.000	120
September	–8 049	5 439	82 850	-77 411	-13 511	10 242	-23 753	23	-116	8 029	136

<sup>(</sup>a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the Explanatory Notes.



	Current account	Goods and services	Goods and services credits	Goods and services debits	Primary income	Primary income credits	Primary income debits	Secondary income
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
2001–02								
December	-4 784	35	38 461	-38 426	-4 997	3 926	-8 923	179
March	-4 870	-60	39 077	-39 137	-5 007	4 254	-9 261	197
June	-6 566	-1 418	38 474	-39 892	-5 338	4 036	-9 374	190
2002-03								
September	-7 465	-2 180	38 539	-40 719	-5 489	4 108	-9 597	204
December	-9 520	-4 309	39 181	-43 490	-5 394	4 187	-9 581	184
March	-9 700	-4 081	38 781	-42 862	-5 769	4 175	-9 944	149
June	-11 539	-5 952	35 035	-40 986	-5 724	4 258	-9 982	137
2003-04								
September	-11 213	-5 788	34 983	-40 771	-5 501	4 099	-9 599	76
December	-11 265	-5 321	35 668	-40 989	-6 061	4 286	-10 347	117
March	-11 887	-5 728	36 040	-41 768	-6 262	4 472	-10 734	103
June	-11 991	-5 438	39 343	-44 781	-6 614	4 928	-11 542	61
2004–05								
September	-14 409	-6 428	40 011	-46 440	-7 996	5 397	-13 393	16
December	-15 682	-6 779	40 555	-47 333	-8 872	5 656	-14 528	-32
March	-14 978	-6 094	41 155	-47 249	-8 763	5 417	-14 180	-121
June	-12 458	-3 937	45 265	-49 203	-8 491	5 906	-14 397	-30
2005–06								
September	-13 501	-3 977	45 708	-49 685	-9 392	5 791	-15 183	-132
December	-14 019	-3 804	48 085	-51 888	-10 061	6 305	-16 365	-155
March	-13 107	-3 550	49 446	-52 995	-9 437	7 071	-16 508	-120
June	-13 637	-3 360	52 828	-56 188	-9 979	7 934	-17 913	-298
2006–07								
September	-13 320	-1 720	53 401	-55 121	-11 523	8 194	-19 718	-77
December	-14 949	<i>–</i> 2 731	54 045	-56 776	-12 164	8 595	-20 759	-54
March	-16 007	-3 707	54 493	-58 200	-12 237	9 751	-21 989	-63
June	-16 783	-4 079	55 060	-59 139	-12 657	10 319	-22 977	-47
2007–08								
September	-17 523	-5 385	54 513	-59 898	-12 206	10 587	-22 793	68
December	-19 499	-7 069	54 875	-61 944	-12 405	10 434	-22 839	-24
March	-20 630	-8 651	57 823	-66 474	-11 990	11 484	-23 475	11
June	-15 502	-3 587	66 433	-70 020	-11 918	12 020	-23 938	3
2008-09								
September	-10 301	241	72 958	-72 716	-10 447	12 098	-22 545	-95
December	-6 856	3 910	78 942	-75 032	-10 706	11 848	-22 555	-60
March	-6 421	4 143	71 745	-67 603	-10 490	11 025	-21 515	-74
June	-13 388	-922	60 565	-61 487	-12 428	8 548	-20 976	-38
2009–10								
September	-14 357	-3 167	58 617	-61 784	-10 902	9 027	-19 929	-288
December	-19 010	-4 689	58 991	-63 680	-14 074	6 832	-20 905	-247
March	-17 378	-2 900	61 974	-64 875	-14 202	8 395	-22 597	-276
June	-5 401	6 169	74 442	-68 273	-11 312	10 052	-21 364	-258
2010-11								
September	-7 180	5 951	73 961	-68 010	-12 943	10 163	-23 105	-189
December	-8 506	6 094	73 586	-67 492	-14 451	10 265	-24 715	-149
March	-11 199	2 334	71 723	-69 389	-13 433	9 663	-23 096	-100
June	-6 599	6 218	78 149	-71 931	-12 723	10 100	-22 823	-94
2011–12								
September	-5 661	6 801	81 583	-74 782	-12 388	10 300	-22 688	-74
Coptorribor	2 301	0.001	01 303	17102	12 300	10 300	22 000	-14

<sup>(</sup>a) For sign conventions, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the Explanatory Notes.



# $INTERNATIONAL\ INVESTMENT\ POSITION(a)(b),\ Historical\ Summary:\ \textbf{Original}$

	NET INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT POSITION		FOREIGN ASS	FOREIGN ASSETS			FOREIGN LIABILITIES		
		Net	Net						
	Total	foreign equity	foreign debt	Total	Equity	Debt	Total	Equity	Debt
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
	****	****	4	****		****	****	****	<del></del>
1005.00	070.000	00.040	400.000	400 505	440.004	04444	470 440	400.000	077.404
1995–96	273 908	80 919	192 989	-196 505	-112 361	-84 144	470 413	193 280	277 134
1996–97	288 629	81 056	207 573	-233 206 303 000	-136 168	-97 038	521 835	217 224	304 611 348 921
1997–98 1998–99	294 584 319 067	68 721	225 863	-303 990 330 130	-180 932 -196 764	-123 058	598 574	249 652	
1998-99	326 134	90 453 55 530	228 614 270 604	-330 120 -431 352	-196 764 -282 881	-133 356 -148 471	649 187 757 486	287 217 338 411	361 970 419 075
				-431 332 -493 775					
2000–01 2001–02	362 747	62 329	300 418		-295 428	-198 346	856 521	357 757	498 765
2001–02	362 256 411 880	40 396 58 152	321 861 353 728	-524 512 -537 242	-310 271 -305 524	-214 241 -231 718	886 768 949 122	350 666 363 676	536 102 585 445
2002-03	447 288	62 941	384 347	-648 424	-372 625	-231 718 -275 799	1 095 712	435 566	660 145
2003-04	497 517	69 792	427 725	-645 169	-372 025 -367 762	-215 199 -297 407	1 162 686	437 554	725 132
2004-05	528 681	33 815	494 866	-856 627	-492 418	-364 210	1 385 309	526 233	859 076
2005-06						-364 210 -462 538			
2007-08	613 186	73 426	539 760 600 952	-1 049 815	-587 277 -580 845		1 663 001 1 740 844	660 703	1 002 298 1 103 398
	657 553	56 601		-1 083 291 -1 089 230		-502 445 576 353		637 446	1 201 990
2008–09 2009–10	703 571 777 864	77 932 91 780	625 639 686 084	-1 089 230 -1 197 299	-512 879 -579 050	-576 352 -618 249	1 792 801 1 975 163	590 811 670 829	1 304 334
2010–11	797 651	111 418	686 233	-1 197 299 -1 243 783	-627 223	-616 560	2 041 435	738 641	1 302 794
2004-05	191 031	111 410	000 233	-1 243 763	-021 223	-010 300	2 041 433	130 041	1 302 194
December	478 760	69 537	409 222	-700 966	-410 485	-290 481	1 179 726	480 022	699 703
March	491 059	73 835	417 224	-700 279	-416 322	-283 956	1 191 337	490 157	701 180
June	497 517	69 792	427 725	-665 169	-367 762	-297 407	1 162 686	437 554	725 132
2005–06									
September	506 447	64 019	442 428	-708 841	-404 326	-304 516	1 215 288	468 345	746 944
December March	520 262 516 637	54 697 33 229	465 565 483 408	-752 469 -836 539	-436 246 -488 673	-316 223 -347 866	1 272 731 1 353 176	490 943 521 902	781 788 831 273
June	528 681	33 815	494 866	-856 627	-492 418	-364 210	1 385 309	526 233	859 076
2006-07									
September	546 478	39 034	507 444	-892 589	-500 624	-391 965	1 439 067	539 658	899 409
December	582 336	59 039	523 297	-935 366	-526 483	-408 884	1 517 702	585 522	932 181
March June	594 693 613 186	63 484 73 426	531 209 539 760	-992 254 -1 049 815	-562 192 -587 277	-430 062 -462 538	1 586 947 1 663 001	625 675 660 703	961 272 1 002 298
2007–08	013 100	13 420	339 700	-1 049 813	-301 211	<del>-402</del> 330	1 003 001	000 703	1 002 230
September	615 492	37 556	577 936	-1 107 412	-646 761	-460 650	1 722 904	684 318	1 038 586
December	635 951	47 347	588 604	-1 085 120	-633 560	-451 561	1 721 072	680 907	1 040 165
March	643 911	42 914	600 997	-1 074 550	-586 542	-488 008	1 718 461	629 456	1 089 005
June	657 553	56 601	600 952	-1 083 291	-580 845	-502 445	1 740 844	637 446	1 103 398
2008–09 September	683 927	34 584	649 344	-1 106 360	-555 254	-551 106	1 790 288	589 838	1 200 450
December	705 087	15 039	690 047	-1 100 300 -1 101 713	-515 828	-585 884	1 806 799	530 868	1 275 932
March	714 638	50 877	663 761	-1 065 584	-492 010	-573 574	1 780 223	542 887	1 237 335
June	703 571	77 932	625 639	-1 089 230	-512 879	-576 352	1 792 801	590 811	1 201 990
2009–10									
September	741 889	117 582	624 307	-1 144 263	-561 301	-582 963	1 886 152 1 942 735	678 883	1 207 270
December March	772 628 770 341	113 806 100 759	658 821 669 582	-1 170 108 -1 192 010	-589 397 -614 064	-580 711 -577 946	1 942 735	703 203 714 823	1 239 532 1 247 529
June	777 864	91 780	686 084	-1 197 299	-579 050	-618 249	1 975 163	670 829	1 304 334
2010-11									
September	783 073	106 735	676 338	-1 206 800	-601 252	-605 548	1 989 874	707 987	1 281 887
December	774 231	125 757	648 473	-1 229 559	-625 659	-603 900	2 003 790	751 416	1 252 373
March June	789 262 797 651	110 535 111 418	678 727 686 233	-1 245 644 -1 243 783	-642 683 -627 223	-602 960 -616 560	2 034 906 2 041 435	753 218 738 641	1 281 688 1 302 794
2011–12	191 OOT	TTT 410	000 233	-1 243 103	-021 223	-010 200	∠ ∪4⊥ 430	130 041	1 502 194
September	848 283	107 778	740 504	-1 243 980	-581 716	-662 264	2 092 262	689 494	1 402 768
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<sup>(</sup>a) For information about the quality of data for the latest quarter, (b) For sign convention, see paragraphs 3 to 5 of the Explanatory see paragraph 6 of the Explanatory Notes.

Notes.

# **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

INTRODUCTION

- **1** This publication presents comprehensive details of Australia's international accounts: its balance of payments and international investment position statistics.
- 2 The conceptual framework used in compiling Australia's balance of payments statistics is based on the International Monetary Fund's *Balance of Payments and International Investment Position Manual, Sixth Edition* (BPM6). Descriptions of the underlying concepts and structure of the balance of payments and the sources, methods and terms used in compiling estimates are presented in the publication *Balance of Payments and International Investment Position, Australia: Concepts, Sources and Methods, 1998* (cat. no. 5331.0). This version reflects the international standards prior to BPM6 and is currently being revised. The first part of the revised document was released on 8 March 2011, featuring only the Goods Account. Other components will be released as they become available. Further information on the key changes introduced with BPM6 can be found in the *Information paper: Implementation of new international statistical standards in the ABS National and International Accounts, September 2009* (cat. no. 5310.0.55.002).

SIGN CONVENTION

- **3** In keeping with BPM6 conventions, balance of payments credit entries are shown with an implied positive sign and debit items are shown as negative entries. References to balance of payments debit items in Key Figures, Key Points, and Analysis and Comments are made without regard to sign.
- **4** For foreign liabilities, position data and any transaction increase or other flow increase in liabilities is shown without sign. A negative sign for transactions and other flows in liabilities denotes a fall in liabilities. For foreign assets, position data and any transaction increase or other flow increase in assets is shown with a negative sign. Transactions and other flows in assets shown without sign denote a decrease in assets.
- **5** Movements over time are expressed as percentage changes. A minus sign means a decrease in credit entries, a decrease in debit entries, a decrease in a surplus or an increase in a deficit. The absence of a sign means an increase in credit entries, an increase in debit entries, an increase in a surplus or a decrease in a deficit. Percentage change is not applicable if there is a change from a surplus to a deficit, or vice versa.

ACCURACY, RELIABILITY AND REVISIONS

- **6** While every effort is made to ensure the accuracy and reliability of estimates, care should be exercised in the use and interpretation of estimates in this publication. The transactions occurring in the balance of payments are of many different kinds, and therefore the compilation of balance of payments and international investment position estimates entails the use of a very wide range of statistical data of varying degrees of accuracy and timeliness. For the latest quarter estimates for the non–goods items are based on preliminary data from providers (using careful estimates where exact figures are unavailable) and fewer survey responses than subsequent estimates. Also, detailed investigations into reported data may be ongoing. As late returns are received, investigations are finalised and more accurate data come to hand, revisions will be made to improve the quality of these estimates.
- **7** Most series are subject to revision as more complete and accurate information becomes available. In original terms, the goods and services data are revised for previous and current financial years to incorporate the latest available survey and administrative data. In addition, in the September issue revisions can be applied to the four previous financial years. All other series are revised for the three previous financial years and the current financial year.
- **8** In seasonally adjusted and trend terms, revisions may occur at any time point but tend to focus on the most recent estimates. Please also refer to paragraphs 12 (seasonal adjustment) and 14 (trend estimates) below.

### **ECONOMIC TERRITORY**

- **9** Australia's economic territory, on a balance of payments and international investment position basis, is the area under the effective control of the Australian government. It includes the land area, airspace, territorial waters, including jurisdiction over fishing rights and rights to fuels and minerals. Australian economic territory also includes territorial enclaves in the rest of the world. These are clearly demarcated areas of land, located in other countries and which are owned or rented by the Australian government for diplomatic, military, scientific or other purposes. Specifically, the economic territory of Australia consists of:
  - Geographic Australia which includes Cocos (Keeling) Islands and Christmas Island;
  - Norfolk Island;
  - Australian Antarctic Territory;
  - Heard Island and McDonald Islands;
  - Territory of Ashmore Reef and Cartier Island;
  - Coral Sea Islands;
  - Australia's territorial enclaves overseas; and
  - the Joint Petroleum Development Area (joint territory between Australia and East Timor (Timor–Leste)).
- **10** Because of administrative complexities and measurement difficulties, Norfolk Island transactions with the rest of the world will not always be captured in all relevant balance of payments and international investment position statistics. Most of the transactions involving Norfolk Island are not material to Australia's trade performance and not capturing these transactions will not distort these statistics. However, any significant transactions will be identified and included in the relevant statistics.

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AND TREND ESTIMATES

- 11 Quarterly original estimates are volatile, being subject to calendar–related and large irregular influences. Seasonally adjusted estimates are derived by estimating and removing from the original series systematic calendar related effects, such as seasonal (e.g. Christmas), trading day and moving holiday (e.g. Easter) influences. Seasonal adjustment does not aim to remove the irregular or non–seasonal influences which may be present in any particular quarter. These irregular influences may reflect both random economic events and difficulties of statistical recording. Though efforts are made to align monthly and quarterly data, monthly seasonally adjusted estimates released in *International Trade in Goods and Services, Australia* (cat. no. 5368.0) may not align with the quarterly estimates released in this publication due to different compilation procedures necessary for monthly and quarterly data.
- adjustment technique and Autoregressive Integrated Moving Average (ARIMA) modelling to estimate factors for the current and previous quarters. Under concurrent seasonal adjustment, the estimates of seasonal factors are fine—tuned as new or revised original estimates become available each period. The seasonally adjusted estimates are subject to revisions at each reference quarter as the estimates of seasonal factors are improved. In some cases, chain volume measures are adequately seasonally adjusted by using the current price values' seasonal factors. However, in other cases, this is not an adequate method of seasonal adjustment. These cases outlined below, require independent seasonal adjustment from September quarter 2005 to take account of the different seasonal patterns observed between the corresponding chain volume measures and current price values.
  - Goods credits (exports)
    - metal ores and minerals
    - coal, coke and briquettes
    - other mineral fuels
  - Goods debits (imports)
    - fuels and lubricants.

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AND TREND ESTIMATES continued

- **13** ARIMA modelling relies on the characteristics of the series being analysed to project future period data. ARIMA modelling is used on a case–by–case basis where it results in reduced revisions to seasonally adjusted series when subsequent data becomes available. The projected values are temporary, intermediate values, that are only used internally to improve the estimation of the seasonal factors. The projected data do not affect the original estimates and are discarded at the end of the seasonal adjustment process. The ARIMA model is assessed as part of the annual review for both chain volume measures and current price values and following the 2011 annual review, the majority of directly seasonally adjusted time series in the current account use an ARIMA model.
- Trend estimates are published as the quarter-to-quarter movements of the seasonally adjusted estimates may not be reliable indicators of underlying behaviour because they include irregular or non-seasonal movements. Trend estimates reduce the effect of these movements as they are derived by applying a 7-term Henderson moving average to the seasonally adjusted series. The 7-term Henderson moving average (like all Henderson averages) is symmetric, but as the end of a time series is approached, asymmetric forms of the average are applied. While the asymmetric weights enable trend estimates for recent quarters to be produced, it does result in revisions to the estimates for the most recent three quarters as additional observations become available. Revisions to trend estimates can also occur because of revisions to the original data and as a result of the re-estimation of the seasonal factors. Trend estimates should be used with caution, especially around the time of unusual influences, until these have been appropriately taken into account. Please take note of the footnotes in tables that include trend estimates.
- **15** Information papers and articles on time series methods are available on the ABS website:
  - for seasonal adjustment methods, see Information Paper: An Introductory Course on Time Series Analysis, Jan 2005 (cat. no. 1346.0.55.001) and Time Series Analysis Frequently Asked Questions, 2003 (cat. no. 1346.0.55.002)
  - for ARIMA modelling, see *Feature article: Use of ARIMA modelling to reduce revisions* in the October 2004 issue of *Australian Economic Indicators* (cat. no. 1350.0)
  - for trend estimates methods, see *Information Paper: A Guide to Interpreting Time Series Monitoring Trends* (cat. no. 1349.0)
  - alternatively contact the Assistant Director, Time Series Analysis on (02) 6252 6345 or e-mail < time.series.analysis@abs.gov.au>.
- VOLUME AND PRICE ESTIMATES
- CHAIN VOLUME MEASURES
- **16** The Analysis and Comments section of this publication contains references to volume and price movements of data. Volume data are in terms of chain volume estimates (see paragraph 17) and price data are in terms of implicit price deflators (see paragraph 19).
- 17 To enable analysis of the movement of goods and services in 'real' terms, estimates of chain volume measures are compiled and published each quarter. Chain volume measures are derived by deflating the original current price series by specially compiled measures of price change. The reference year for chain volume measures is the year prior to the latest complete financial year. The reference year is updated with the release of each September quarter issue of this publication. Prior to the reference year chain volume measures are non–additive, in that the component chain volume measures of an aggregate will not add through to the chain volume measure of the total aggregate. For more information on chain volume measures refer to *Information Paper: Australian National Accounts, Introduction of Chain Volume and Price Indexes* (cat. no. 5248.0).

INDEXES

18 This publication and the *International Trade Price Indexes (ITPI)* (cat. no. 6457.0) provide detailed Australian export and import price information for analysts. The ITPI measures changes in the prices of goods imported into Australia (the Import Price Index (IPI)) and goods exported from Australia (the Export Price Index (EPI)). Differences can occur between ITPI measurements and BoP measurements due to coverage, scope, timing adjustments and weighting patterns.

IMPLICIT PRICE DEFLATOR
(IPD)

**19** The quarterly implicit price deflators (IPDs) are derived by dividing current price estimates by the corresponding chain volume measures. Movements in IPDs can be greatly affected by changes in the physical composition of the aggregates and their components. The quarterly IPDs derived from seasonally adjusted data are preferred to those using original data because the seasonal adjustment process removes some of the seasonal changes in the composition of this series. However, the seasonal adjustment process itself is also a possible source of distortion.

TERMS OF TRADE

**20** Quarterly estimates of the terms of trade shown in table 6 of this publication are derived from seasonally adjusted data. The Terms of Trade index is a ratio, that measures the relative prices of a country's credits to debits. The ABS calculates the Terms of Trade index using the following formula:

 $\frac{\textit{implicit price deflator for the credit item}}{\textit{implicit price deflator for the debit item}} x 100$ 

TRADE WEIGHTED INDEX (TWI)

**21** The TWI is an indicator of movements in the average value of the Australian dollar. The TWI is calculated by the Reserve Bank of Australia as a geometric average of a basket of currencies that are representative of Australia's trading patterns. The currencies included in the calculation of the TWI make up at least 90% of total merchandise trade with Australia.

CHAIN LASPEYRES PRICE INDEXES

22 The chain Laspeyres price indexes are derived by combining individual component prices with weights which reflect the average relative importance of the components in the previous year. These are then indexed to the relevant reference year. For all periods since the latest reference year, reference year weights are used.

RESERVE BANK OF AUSTRALIA (RBA) COMMODITY PRICE INDEX 23 The Index of Commodity Prices (ICP) released monthly by the Reserve Bank of Australia (RBA) is a weighted average of price movements for the 20 largest commodities in Australia's exports, which currently account for 85% of primary commodity export earnings, re–based to 2008–09. Differences between the ICP and price statistics released by the ABS are largely a consequence of methodological differences used in the compilation of the respective statistics, including coverage of included commodities and timing of source data. Inclusion of the ICP is for comparative purposes.

OPENING POSITION FOR SELECTED SERIES

24 The introduction of BPM6 has resulted in a number of new international investment series in tables 26 and 27. Where possible, historical series have been created. In a small number of cases this was not feasible. For 'other equity' the opening position for September quarter 2009 is shown as zero and reconciliation between the opening position of zero and the reported closing position is via an 'other adjustment'. Similarly for 'between fellow enterprises', September quarter 2009 opening positions for 'direct investor claims on direct investment enterprises' and 'direct investment enterprises claims on direct investors (reverse investment)' include positions between fellow enterprises. Reconciliation between these opening positions, which include fellow enterprises, and closing positions, which do not include fellow enterprises, is via 'other adjustments'.

CURRENCY

25 In table 32 'currency' refers to the currency in which assets or liabilities are likely to be repaid, while 'residual maturity' refers to the time remaining until an asset or liability is due to be fully repaid. Reserve assets are not allocated by currency. All reserve assets are allocated to the repayment category 'less than or equal to 90 days' although a range of maturities may be involved.

INDUSTRY DATA

26 The industry categories shown are based on the *Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification (ANZSIC), 2006* (cat. no. 1292.0). Industry statistics should be treated with some caution as they do not necessarily reflect the industry of the end use of the funds. First, the statistical unit (that is, the unit of observation and classification) generally consists of all enterprises in an enterprise group within a single resident institutional sector. The industry of this statistical unit, which may cover a broad range of activities, is determined on the basis of the predominant activity of the unit as a whole which may be quite different from the industry in which funds are used. Second, financial enterprises such as trading and merchant banks, may borrow funds as principals and then on–lend to clients in other industries.

COMMODITY BREAKDOWNS
OF GENERAL MERCHANDISE

- **27** Commodity breakdowns of general merchandise credits are provided in tables; 7 (at current prices), 9 (at current prices, seasonally adjusted), 11 (chain volume measures, seasonally adjusted) and 13 (implicit price deflators, seasonally adjusted). The groupings shown are based on the United Nations' Standard International Trade Classification, Revision 4 (SITC Rev 4).
- **28** Commodity breakdowns of general merchandise debits are provided in tables; 8 (at current prices), 10 (at current prices, seasonally adjusted), 12 (chain volume measures, seasonally adjusted) and 14 (implicit price deflators, seasonally adjusted). The three broad end–use categories Consumption goods, Capital goods and Intermediate and other merchandise goods are based on United Nations' Classification of Broad Economic Categories (BEC). These broad end–use categories are further divided into a total of 25 SITC based commodity groupings.
- **29** For more information on the commodity classification of general merchandise debits and a detailed concordance between balance of payments general merchandise debits end–use categories, commodity groups, BEC and SITC Rev 4, refer to *Information Paper: Impact of introducing Revision 4 of the Standard International Trade Classification*, 2008 (cat. no. 5368.0.55.010).

TOURISM RELATED SERVICES

**30** The tourism related services memorandum items provide timely indicators of the movements in tourism related activities, not an absolute measure of the level of these activities. The tourism related indicator has been derived by combining total travel services (business, education–related and other personal travel) and passenger transportation services (which includes agency fees and commissions for air transport).

SELECTED INTERNATIONAL ACCOUNTS RATIOS

- **31** Current account data ratios are calculated by dividing the data for reference quarter/year for the relevant item by the corresponding current price Gross Domestic Product (GDP) or Gross National Income (GNI) value. GDP and GNI are estimated according to the System of National Accounts, 2008 (2008 SNA) and will not be directly comparable with countries who have not yet implemented 2008 SNA. Refer to the explanatory notes of the Australian National Accounts: National Income, Expenditure and Product (cat. no 5206.0) publication for more detail on GDP.
- **32** Quarterly series use seasonally adjusted data (unless otherwise indicated). Original data are used for series that do not have seasonality. These series are footnoted accordingly. However seasonally adjusted GDP and GNI are used in these ratios.

SELECTED INTERNATIONAL ACCOUNTS RATIOS continued

- **33** Ratios for the Net International Investment Position are derived using levels for those series at the end of the period and GDP or GNI for the year ended with that period. For example, when calculating the GDP Net foreign equity ratio for the September quarter 2009, the level of Net foreign equity at September 2009 is divided by the sum of the four quarters of seasonally adjusted GDP ending September 2009 (the December 2008, March 2009, June 2009 and September 2009 quarters).
- **34** As the international accounts are released prior to the national accounts, the current quarter's GDP and GNI are not available and are annotated 'nya'. The previous quarter's value is used to calculate a preliminary ratio for the current quarter. For Net International Investment Position data, this will mean that the sum of the four quarters for GDP or GNI ending the previous quarter will be used for the current quarter's ratios.
- **35** Discrepancies may occur between totals in this publication and the same aggregates from other sources, and between sums of component items and totals due to rounding.
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  36 Users may also wish to refer to the following publications which can be
- *International Trade in Goods and Services, Australia* (cat. no. 5368.0) issued monthly
- International Merchandise Imports, Australia (cat. no. 5439.0) issued monthly
- International Trade Price Indexes (cat. no. 6457.0) issued quarterly

downloaded free of charge from the ABS website:

- International Trade in Services by Country, by State and by Detailed Service, Financial Year (cat. no. 5368.0.55.003) and Calendar Year (cat. no. 5368.0.55.004)
- International Investment Position, Australia: Supplementary Country Statistics (cat. no. 5352.0) issued annually
- Foreign Currency Exposure, Australia (cat. no. 5308.0) irregular, last issued on 30 October 2009
- Balance of Payments and International Investment Position, Australia: Concepts, Sources and Methods (cat. no. 5331.0)
- International Merchandise Trade, Australia: Concepts, Sources and Methods, 2001 (cat. no. 5489.0)
- Information Paper: Quality of Australian Balance of Payments Statistics (cat. no. 5342.0), issued on 20 February 1996.
- **37** Current publications and other products released by the ABS are available from the Statistics tab on the ABS website. The ABS also issues a daily Release Advice on the website which details products to be released in the week ahead. Theme pages are available on the ABS website. Select *Topics* @ a Glance Economy Balance of Payments or Foreign Investment and Foreign Debt. These pages provide direct links to all balance of payments, foreign investment and foreign debt related data and publications, recent changes and forthcoming events, links to relevant websites and a range of other information about the Australian International Accounts.
- **38** Estimates for periods prior to those shown in this publication are available from Time Series Spreadsheets. Detailed data on exports and imports of goods, including dissections by commodity and country of origin, are also available from Time Series Spreadsheets on a recorded trade basis (see tables 12 to 15 and 31 to 37 of 5368.0 or tables released with 5439.0). If more detailed data is required it can be obtained by contacting the Client Service telephone number shown on the back of this publication. There may be a charge for this information, depending on the volume of data requested.

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<sup>(</sup>b) This article can be found in pdf format by referring to the Downloads page of the specified issue of this publication on the ABS website.

# GLOSSARY

Balance The sum (net) of credit and debit entries for a subset of balance of payments

 $components, for \ example, "balance \ of \ trade", "balance \ on \ current \ account". \ See \ also \ the$ 

definition of "deficit and surplus".

Balance of payments A statistical statement that systematically summarises the economic transactions

occurring between residents of Australia and residents of the rest of the world (non-residents) over a specific period of time. The balance of payments is a system of consolidated accounts in which many balances can be derived, such as the balances on

goods and services, current account, capital account and financial account.

**Balance of payments basis** A basis for compiling international trade statistics which records transactions between

residents and non-residents at the time of change of ownership rather than the time at which the import/export documents are lodged with a particular country's customs

agency.

Balance on capital account The sum (net) of credit and debit entries for acquisition/disposal of non-produced,

non-financial assets and capital transfers.

Balance on current account An indicator frequently used for analysing the balance of payments. It is derived as the

sum (net) of credit and debit entries for goods, services, primary income, and secondary

income.

Balance on financial account The sum (net) of transactions in

direct investment (assets less liabilities)

portfolio investment (assets less liabilities)

financial derivatives (assets less liabilities)

• other investment (assets less liabilities), and

net change in the level of reserve assets.

BPM6 International Monetary Fund's Balance of Payments and International Investment

Position Manual, Sixth Edition (BPM6). It is the current international standard adopted by Australia for the compilation of balance of payments and international investment

statistics.

Capital account 
Capital account comprises both acquisitions and disposals of non-produced,

non-financial assets (such as patents and copyrights) and capital transfers.

Capital transfers Capital transfers include the offsets to one-sided transactions of a capital nature, for

example, Australian grants or gifts to developing countries for capital works projects such

as the building of schools, roads and bridges.

Chain price indexes Annually-reweighted chain Laspeyres price indexes are series of indexes measuring price

change from a base year to quarters in the following year using current price values in the base year as weights, linked together to form a continuous time series. In other words, chain price indexes are constructed in a similar fashion to the chain volume

indexes and are referenced to the same year as chain volume measures.

Chain volume measures Chain Laspeyres volume measures are compiled by linking together (compounding)

movements in volumes, calculated using the average prices of the previous financial year, and applying the compounded movements to the current price estimates in a chosen reference year (i.e. the year when the quarterly chain volume measures sum to the current price annual values). The reference year is updated with the release of each

September quarter issue of this issue.

Compensation of employees Compensation of employees is the total remuneration, in cash or in kind, payable by

enterprises to employees in return for work done during the accounting period.

**Composite corporate** Representative yield of long-term corporate bonds.

benchmark yield

# **GLOSSARY** continued

Current account

Transactions between Australia and the rest of the world in goods, services, primary income, and secondary income are recorded in this account. It is distinguished from the capital and financial accounts.

Deficit and surplus

A deficit occurs when the sum of all debit entries exceeds the sum of all credit entries, and a surplus occurs when the sum of all credit entries exceeds the sum of all debit entries. The term deficit (or surplus) can therefore be used in relation to various balances, e.g. balance on current account.

Dividends

Dividends are the distribution of earnings allocated to shares and other forms of participation in the equity of incorporated private enterprises, co-operatives, and public corporations. It is a form of investment income to which shareholders become entitled as a result of placing funds at the disposal of corporations (e.g. by buying shares). Dividends are recorded on an accrual basis (on the date the underlying equity becomes ex-dividend).

Double entry system

A system that follows the internationally accepted accounting principle of recording two equal entries for each transaction, which is described as a double entry accounting system. Credit entries are used to record exports of goods and services, income receivable and financial transactions involving either a reduction in Australia's foreign financial assets or an increase in its foreign liabilities. Conversely, debit entries are used to record imports of goods and services, income payable and financial transactions involving either an increase in Australia's foreign financial assets or decrease in foreign liabilities. Any entries that are not automatically paired are matched by special offsetting entries (current or capital transfers).

Exchange rate changes (exchange rate variations)

The impact on the stock of financial liabilities and assets due to the changes in exchange rate between the Australian dollar and other currencies in which these liabilities and assets are denominated.

Exports

Commodities and other goods or services sold by residents to non-residents.

Financial account

This account, which is part of the balance of payments, records all transactions between residents and non-residents, associated with a change of ownership of foreign financial assets and liabilities during the period including the creation and liquidation of financial claims.

Foreign financial assets (and foreign financial liabilities)

Foreign financial assets and their matching liabilities are claims by a resident of one economy upon a resident of another economy. The existence of such claims, therefore, generally will be recorded on two balance sheets, namely the balance sheet of the transactor against which the claims are held as liabilities, and the balance sheet at of the holder of the claims who will record the transactions as assets. Foreign financial assets include resident owned corporate equities, bonds, and notes issued by foreign enterprises.

Gross domestic product (GDP)

Gross domestic product (GDP) is the total market value of goods and services produced in Australia within a given period after deducting the cost of goods and services used up in the process of production but before deducting allowances for the consumption of fixed capital. It is defined 'at market prices'. It is equivalent to gross national expenditure plus exports of goods and services less imports of goods and services.

Gross national income (GNI)

Gross national income (GNI) is the aggregate value of gross primary incomes for all institutional sectors, including net primary income receivable from non-residents.

Imports

Commodities and other goods or services purchased by residents from non-residents.

Income on equity and investment fund shares

Income on equity and investment fund shares includes dividends and distributed branch profits and any distributions made by investment funds. It also includes reinvested earnings on direct investments and reinvested earnings on investment fund shares

Interest

Interest is income earned by holders of traded debt securities and non-traded debt assets such as loans, deposits and trade credits.

# **GLOSSARY** continued

International accounts ratios

International account ratios provide an indication of a country's ability to service debt and to sustain current account balances.

Investment fund shares

Investment fund shares are units or shares in pooled investment vehicles such as wholesale equity funds and cash management trusts.

Investment income

Investment income is income generated by financial assets. This includes dividends paid on direct and portfolio equity investments and interest paid on debt securities and other debt instruments.

Non-produced, non-financial

assets

These comprise intangible assets recorded in the capital account such as sales of patents, copyrights, trademarks and franchises, and certain transactions in embassy land (tangible assets, transacted infrequently).

Non-resident

Any economic entity (individual, enterprise or other organisation) ordinarily domiciled in a country other than Australia. Note that foreign branches and foreign subsidiaries of Australian enterprises and other external territories are regarded as non-residents.

**Price Changes** 

Price changes show the change in the market value of positions between the beginning and the end of the period that is due to a change in market prices. For equity positions the relevant market prices may be listed share prices or some other estimate of market value and for debt positions the relevant market prices may be interest rates.

**Primary Income** 

The primary income account shows primary income flows between resident and non-resident institutional units. The international accounts distinguish the following types of primary income:

- compensation of employees;
- dividends;
- reinvested earnings;
- interest:
- investment income attributable to policy holders in insurance, standardized guarantees, and pension funds;
- rent;
- and taxes and subsidies on products and production.

Reinvested earnings

Reinvested earnings are the earnings of a business enterprise that are not paid out as dividends or other distributions to investors in the enterprise. Reinvested earnings are retained by the enterprise to fund future business activities.

Remitted profits

Remitted profits are the earnings which overseas branches and other unincorporated enterprises remit to or from their Australian corporate head office.

Reserve Bank of Australia (RBA)

RBA is Australia's central bank. The RBA's main functions include monetary policy development, the issue of national currency, provision of banking services to the Commonwealth government sector, and acting as a custodians of the country's reserve deposits and international reserves.

Resident

Residents include all economic entities that have a closer association (geographic and economic) with the territory of Australia than with any other territory. Residents include any individual, enterprise or other organisation ordinarily domiciled in Australia. See also "Non-resident".

Please note that Australian registered branches and incorporated subsidiaries of foreign enterprises are regarded as Australian residents.

Rest of the world (ROW)

The rest of the world consists of all non-resident institutional units which undertake international trade or have other economic links with resident units.

# **GLOSSARY** continued

Secondary Income

Secondary income include current transfers that offsets to the provision of resources that are normally consumed within a short period (less than twelve months) after the transfer is made. Examples include food aid, remittances from residents temporarily abroad, and remuneration received by international students undertaking university studies.

Transaction

A transaction is an economic flow that reflects the creation, transformation, exchange, transfer, or extinction of economic value and involves changes in ownership of goods and/or financial assets, the provision of services, or the provision of labour and capital. The transactions recorded in the international investment position (IIP) reconciliation statement are the same as the transactions recorded in the financial account of the balance of payments.

Transfer

A one-sided transaction such as gift, grant, tax, etc. where one transactor provides something of economic value to another but does not receive a quid pro quo to which an economic value can be assigned. In order to maintain the double entry system of accounting, the value provided is matched in the accounts by an offsetting entry which is referred to as a transfer. See also the definitions for "secondary income" and "capital transfers".

Volume changes

Volume changes show the change in the market value of positions between the beginning and the end of the period that is due to factors other than transactions, price changes and exchange rate changes. Volume changes include those due to the write-off of debt, reclassifications and changes in financial assets and liabilities due to migration.

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