

INTEREST RATES ON INTEREST BEARING OR SAVINGS DEPOSITS IN AUSTRALIA

Trading Banks—

December, 1938

Three months	2.00%
Six months	2.50%
Twelve months	2.75%
Two years	3.00%

Commonwealth Savings Bank—

Up to £500	2.00%
£501 to £1,300	1.75%

Commonwealth Bank—

Three months	2.00%
Six months	2.50%
Twelve months	2.75%
Two years	3.00%

(f) Miscellaneous Banking

(1) Total Branches of Canadian Chartered Banks in Canada—Dec. 31.

(Submitted by Mr. Towers in reply to Mr. Moore)

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1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
4,049	4,089	3,972	3,778	3,640	3,528	3,423	3,355	3,329	3,324

(2) Chartered Bank Earnings, Paid-up Capital and Rest Fund from Cash Premiums.

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Millions of dollars

	Capital paid-up	Rest fund from cash premiums**	Total	Net earnings available for divid. and surplus	Ratio of net earnings to capital and rest fund from cash premiums
* 1929.. . . .	141.7	63.7	205.4	21.8	10.6%
1930.. . . .	144.0	66.8	210.8	20.5	9.7%
1931.. . . .	144.0	66.8	210.8	18.0	8.5%
1932.. . . .	144.0	66.8	210.8	16.2	7.7%
1933.. . . .	144.0	66.8	210.8	14.0	6.6%
1934.. . . .	144.0	66.8	210.8	13.0	6.2%
1935.. . . .	144.0	66.8	210.8	12.7	6.0%
1936.. . . .	144.0	66.8	210.8	13.4	6.4%
1937.. . . .	144.0	66.8	210.8	13.5	6.4%
1938.. . . .	144.0	66.8	210.8	13.1	6.2%

* Figures are for respective fiscal years of the banks; excluding Weyburn Security Bank and Barclays Bank for which full figures are not available.

** As shown in the Canadian MacMillan Report for 1932, adjusted for increases in capital during 1929 and 1930.