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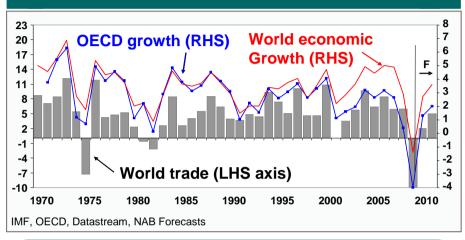




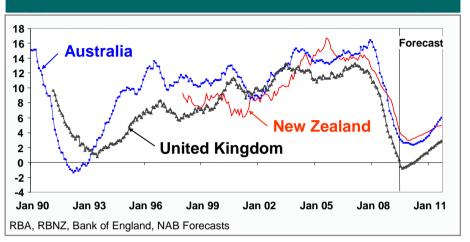


Economic conditions

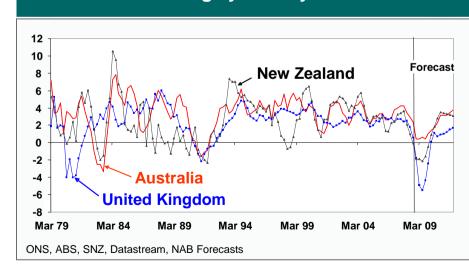




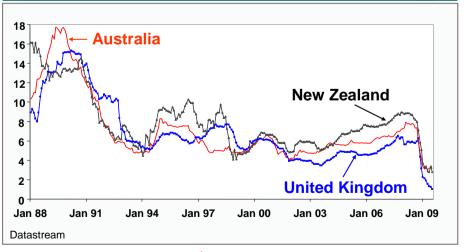
System credit growth % change year on year



Real GDP % change year on year



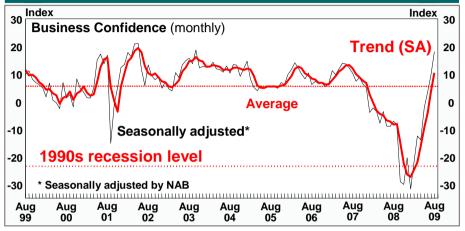
3 month interbank rates in key markets



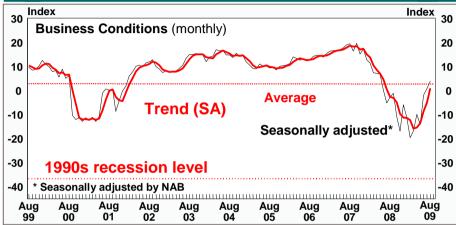


Australia continues to outperform with the peak in unemployment lower than previously expected

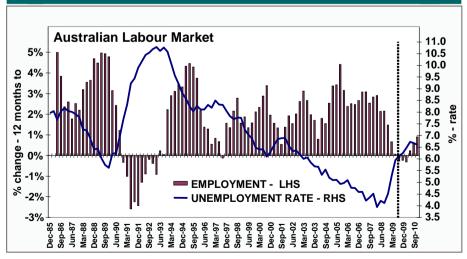
Australian business confidence is now near 6 year highs



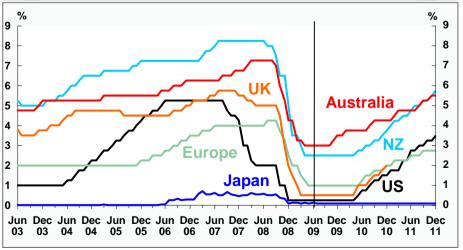
Actual outcomes have also improved albeit that partly reflects the timing of fiscal initiatives



After a flat H2 in 2009 GDP to increase by 2% in 2010. Unemployment to peak at around 6.7%



With the RBA also likely to be the first to move rates away from emergency lows





Group result

		Half year to		Ch	ange
\$m	Mar 09	Sep 08	Mar 08	Mar 09 v Sep 08	Mar 09 v Mar 08
Net operating income	8,514	7,775	7,639	9.5%	11.5%
Operating expenses	(3,770)	(3,678)	(3,598)	(2.5%)	(4.8%)
Underlying profit	4,744	4,097	4,041	15.8%	17.4%
Charge to provide for bad and doubtful debts	(1,811)	(1,763)	(726)	(2.7%)	Large
Cash earnings (incl loRE)	2,027	1,679	2,237	20.7%	(9.4%)
ROE	12.7%	11.9%	16.8%	80bps	(410bps)
ROA	0.57%	0.54%	0.75%	3bps	(18bps)
Tier 1 ratio	8.31%	7.35%	6.90%*	96bps	141bps
RWA (\$bn)	352.4	343.5	336.4	2.6%	4.8%
Dividend per share (cents)	73	97	97	(24)	(24)

^{*} Basel II proforma



Individual business performance

Home currency	Half year to			Half year to		
m	Mar 09	Sep 08	Change%	Mar 08	Change%	
Underlying Profit						
Business & Private Banking	1,808	1,699	6.4	1,506	20.1	
Retail Banking	896	800	12.0	729	22.9	
MLC	209	267	(21.7)	309	(32.4)	
UK Region	£238	£264	(9.8)	£254	(6.3)	
NZ Region	NZ\$417	NZ\$388	7.5	NZ\$375	11.2	
nabCapital	1,035	578	79.1	731	41.6	
Other ¹	(83)	(120)	30.8	(127)	34.6	
Group underlying profit	4,744	4,097	15.8	4,041	17.4	
Cash Earnings						
Business & Private Banking	1,015	1,080	(6.0)	948	7.1	
Retail Banking	455	481	(5.4)	419	8.6	
MLC (pre loRE)	158	188	(16.0)	220	(28.2)	
UK Region	£50	£110	(54.5)	£139	(64.0)	
NZ Region	NZ\$228	NZ\$243	(6.2)	NZ\$239	(4.6)	
nabCapital	345	(417)	Large	373	(7.5)	
Other ²	(247)	(81)	Large	(241)	(2.5)	
Group cash earnings	2,027	1,679	20.7	2,237	(9.4)	

¹ Other represents Central Functions, GWB and Asia



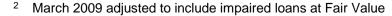
² Other represents Central Functions, GWB, Asia, IoRE and distributions

June 2009 quarter trading update

Key points

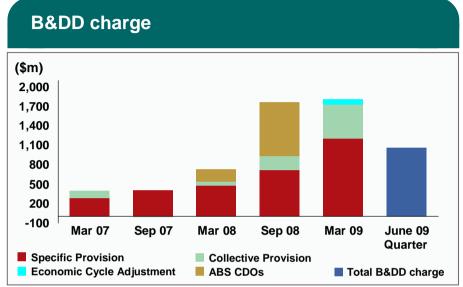
- Unaudited cash earnings approximately \$0.9bn¹ reflecting continued solid performance under difficult economic conditions
- Group revenue slightly lower than 1H09 run rate. Australia Banking and Global Markets Division continued to be areas of particular strength
- On track to deliver cost growth at around inflation for the full year
- Asset quality has continued to weaken across all businesses reflecting the economic cycle. Group 90+dpd and GIA/GLAs 177bps 30 June 09 (138bps 31 March 09²)
- 3Q09 Group B&DD charge \$1,064m
 - Specific provision B&DD charge \$859m, of which approx one third related to a small number of individual name exposures
 - Collective provision B&DD charge \$205m, mainly reflecting further downgrades in customer credit quality across all businesses
 - Provision coverage remains strong
- FY09 funding target of \$19bn achieved; started pre-funding FY10
- Customer deposit flows continued to be strong. Conservative liquidity position maintained

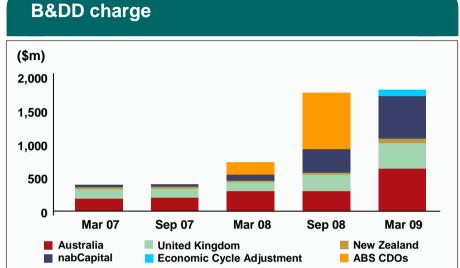
The June Quarter result is based on management financial information and has not been subjected to external auditor review

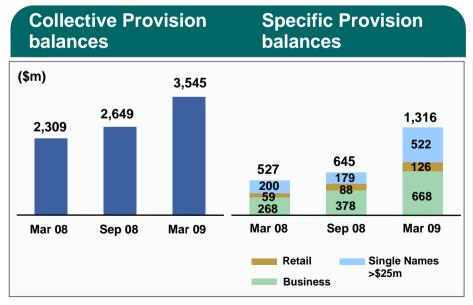


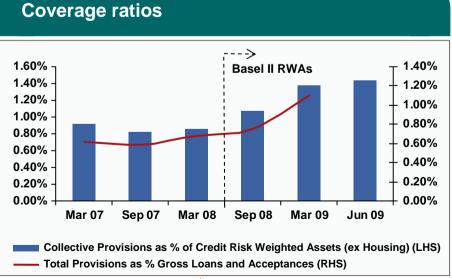


Provisions and coverage



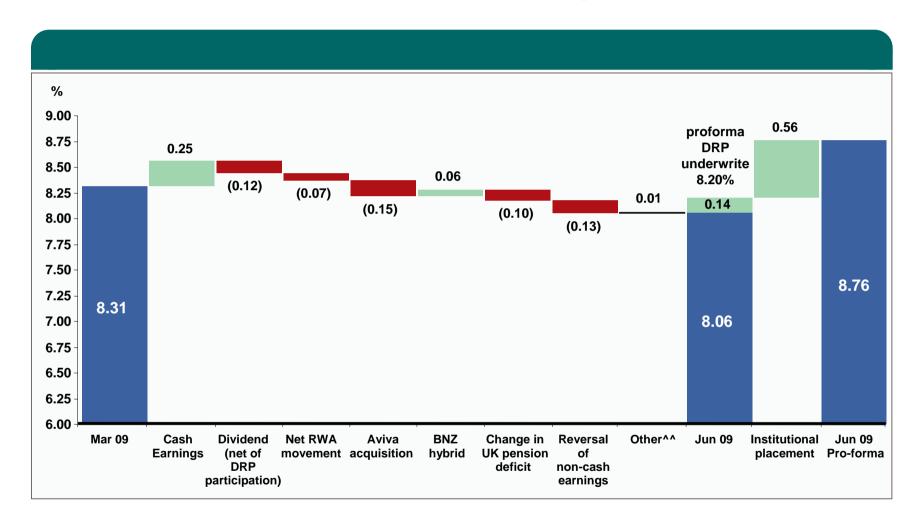








Tier 1 movement in the June 2009 quarter^

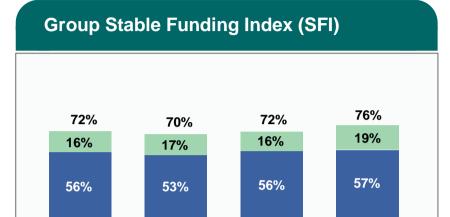


[^] As presented in the ASX announcement dated 22 July 2009. Based on the Tier 1 capital number as at 30 June 2009 and does not reflect movements in capital subsequent to that date.

[^] Primarily relates to movements in Foreign Currency Translation Reserve net of FX impact on Goodwill (-7bps), DTA deductions (7bps) and other (1bps).



Funding and liquidity

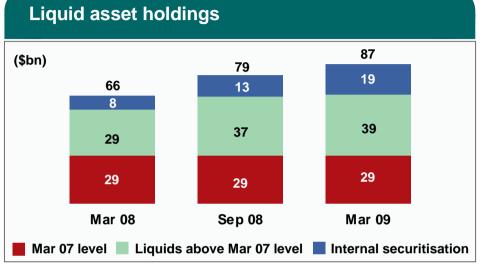


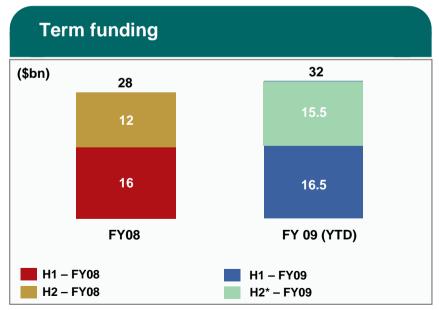
Sep 08

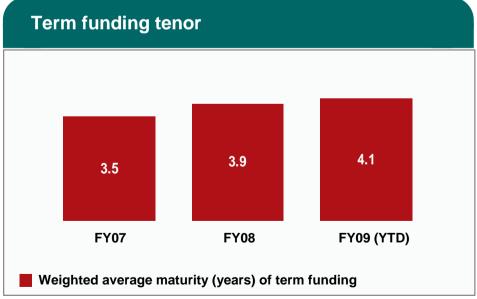
Term Funding Index

Mar 09

Mar 08









Sep 07

Customer Funding Index

^{*} Over 50% of term funding raised in H2 (FY09) in non government guaranteed format

Portfolio[^]

Group Contribution	Strong position, with growth opportunity	Significant upside from continuing reinvention	Smaller businesses, resilient in tough conditions	Unsatisfactory returns today in tough conditions	
(FY08): ▶ RWA ▶ Cash Earnin	48% gs¹ 55%	12% 24%	8% 8%	32% 13%	
Businesses Corporate (Aust) Investi Institutional Wealth (Aust) Asset Insurance (Aust) Manage		Management Private Wealth	BNZ (NZ)GWB (US)Asia	 CYB (UK) nabCapital – (non franchise activity²) 	
		Australia		e, innovation & ternationally	

Note: (1) Cash earnings excludes conduit write-offs and Group Funding distributions on hybrids (2) includes CDOs and other non-franchise activity



Restructure nabCapital

Leading Business Banking Position

- ▶ No. 1 business lending market share¹ 20.2% (~30% SME) YTD improved 133 bps
- ▶ No. 1 business deposits market share¹ 24.1% YTD improved 161 bps
- ▶ Highest business customer satisfaction of the major banks² (in \$5M \$100M segment)





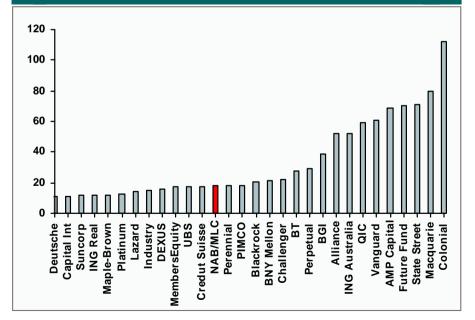
Creating a broader, stronger wealth business

Combining MLC, nab private wealth and nablnvest creates a wealth division with substantial growth opportunities by;

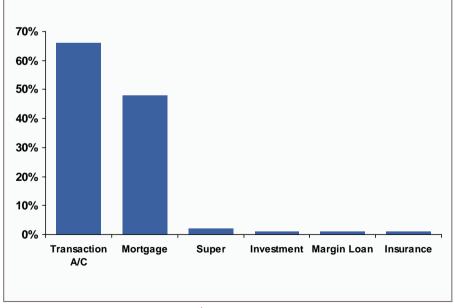
- targeting all customer segments including opportunity in HNW
- participating across entire wealth value chain addressing revenue weakness in direct asset management

Segment <	Advice	Product <	МоМ	Asset Mgmt	
Retail				©	
HNW	0	0		0	
Institutional				0	
Relative Position: Weak Moderate Strong					





Product Penetration of HNW Relationships





Our priorities

Continued momentum

Additional emphasis

Keep the bank safe

Deposit funding

▶ Capital allocation

Tight management of costs



- ▶ Accelerate efficiency, quality & service agenda
- Accommodate slower recovery scenario
- Lead platform replacement & convergence

Invest in leadership & culture



- ▶ Ignite common purpose for people
- Develop enterprise leaders
- Step out from industry in reputation



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