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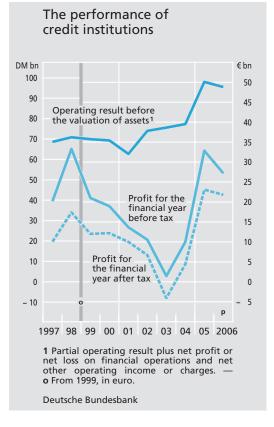
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The performance of German credit institutions in 2006

The performance of the German banking industry stabilised in 2006. However, it was primarily the more volatile income components, such as net commissions received and own-account trading, which bolstered the performance of German credit institutions in the reporting year, whereas net interest received showed only a slight increase. On the cost side, German banks once again recorded a rise in administrative spending, which was due mainly to an increase in staff costs. Added to this was the fact that, in 2006, the decline in net valuation charges, which has been evident for some time, did not become any more broadly based. The operating result of all German banks fell marginally in the year under review. Owing to the growing strain again as a result of the "extraordinary account", the decline in the profit for the financial year before tax was somewhat more marked.

This article gives an account of the banks' performance in 2006 based on their published individual accounts drawn up in accordance with the German Commercial Code (Handelsgesetz-buch). However, since it is proving difficult at present to assess the repercussions of the problems in the US mortgage market, it is not possible to draw any firm conclusions for the current financial year. On the whole, however, the German banking industry is now in better shape than it has been for a number of years.





Income from interest business

Modest increase in net interest received Given the domestic customers' weak demand for credit and the relatively flat yield curve, net interest received by German credit institutions rose by just €0.9 billion to €89.1 billion. Owing to the average shorter maturities in deposit business and the simultaneous rise in shortterm interest rates, interest expenditure went up somewhat more sharply in percentage terms (+11.5% to €268.4 billion) than interest income (+8.7% to €357.6 billion). The percentage of net interest received in total profits from operating business, which comprises net interest and net commissions received, income from own-account trading, and net other operating income or charges, remained virtually unchanged at 68.2%, compared with 68.4% in the previous year.¹ The interest margin – calculated as net interest received in relation to the average balance sheet total of banks – did, however, fall slightly from 1.17% in 2005 to 1.15% in 2006, as the slight increase in the result from interest business was again smaller than the expansion of the balance sheet total. In consolidated terms – ie after adjustment for interbank business, which has no effect on net interest received – the interest margin declined somewhat more sharply from 1.61% in 2005 to 1.57% in 2006. This predominantly affected banks which are active in retail business.

By contrast, it was mainly those credit institutions for which lending and deposit business tends to play a more minor role that were again able to increase their result from interest business. Only the big banks achieved a perceptible growth (of 13.9% to €22.1 billion).² This rise was due chiefly to income from credit and money market operations with interbank loans to foreign credit institutions, in particular, increasing during the period under review. Furthermore, there was a rise in the share of portfolio investment in the lending business of big banks. Overall, their interest margin stood at 1.11% in 2006, compared with 1.00% in the previous year, despite a slight rise in the balance sheet total. As a consequence, net interest received reached a share of 60.0% of the profit from operating business for this category of banks.

Marked growth in interest result of big banks

¹ When interpreting this figure – and, incidentally, all other data involving the net profit from financial operations – it should be noted that, owing to the partial changeover to an increased fair-value accounting basis, the trading result of the German banks for 2005 was shaped by a one-off effect.

² However, the published annual reports show that this increase was also due to trading activities, the hedging of which had an adverse impact on the net profit on financial operations.

By contrast, decline in net interest received for banks active in retail business By contrast, there was a decline in net interest received for those banks for which the interest-based result is of comparatively major importance in operating business. For example, net interest received declined by 2.1% in the case of savings banks and 3.6% in the case of credit cooperatives. Their interest margins dropped to 2.23% and 2.30% respectively. The regional banks, too, failed to achieve any profit growth in interest business. Lastly, the Landesbanken and regional institutions of credit cooperatives, which, structurally, tend to have quite a small interest margin owing to their focus on wholesale and interbank business, likewise recorded a decline in this business area. Their interest margins fell to 0.61% and 0.43% respectively.

Net commissions received

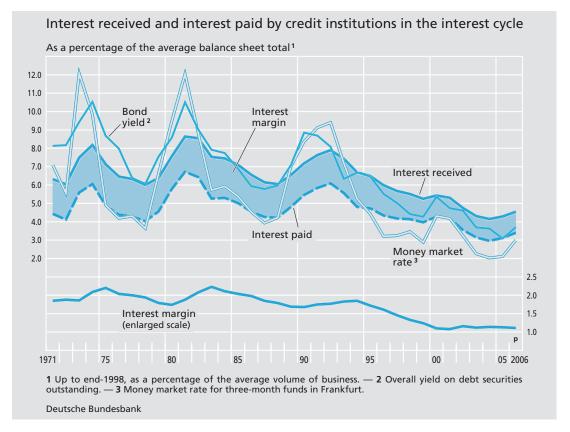
Further marked growth in net commissions received ... German banks again managed to boost their net commissions received by 7.4% to €29.9 billion in 2006, after already achieving a very good result in the previous year. Net commissions received thus accounted for a 0.39% share of the balance sheet total. The increasing importance of net commissions received for the operating business of German credit institutions is also revealed by this item's share of 22.8% in the operating income, compared with 21.5% in the previous year. The further increase in net commissions received was due. firstly, to the very dynamic development in the financial markets in 2006, with, for example, a sharp rise of over 40% in the turnover of shares traded in the German stock markets and, secondly, is likely to be a reflection of the banks' increasing specialisation.

Interest received by credit institutions *

Item	2004	2005	2006			
	€ billion					
Interest received (total)	303.6	329.1	357.6			
from lending and money marke						
transactions	235.9	252.6	274.2			
from debt securities and Debt Register claims	49.9	54.1	58.7			
Current income (total)	14.7	17.0	18.8			
from shares and other						
variable-rate securities	9.6	12.4	14.1			
from participating						
interests 1	1.2	1.3	1.2			
from shares in affiliated enterprises	3.8	3.4	3.5			
Profits transferred under	5.0		5.5			
profit pooling and profit						
transfer agreements	3.2	5.3	5.9			
	Year-on-	ear-on-year change,				
	as a perc	0	_			
Interest received (total) from lending and money	- 1.7	+ 8.4	+ 8.7			
market transactions	- 3.2	+ 7.2	+ 8.6			
from debt securities and						
Debt Register claims	- 1.6	+ 8.5	+ 8.4			
Current income (total)	+ 33.6	+ 15.9	+ 10.6			
from shares and other variable-rate securities	+ 48.1	+ 28.4	+ 14.1			
from participating	+ 40.1	+ 20.4	+ 14.1			
interests 1	- 0.7	+ 3.1	- 1.4			
from shares in affiliated						
enterprises	+ 17.6	- 11.5	+ 2.6			
Profits transferred under						
profit pooling and profit transfer agreements	- 8.7	+ 65.9	+ 10.4			
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Interest received (total)	4.23	4.37	4.63			
from lending and money	2.20					
market transactions from debt securities and	3.28	3.36	3.55			
Debt Register claims	0.69	0.72	0.76			
Current income (total)	0.20	0.23	0.24			
from shares and other						
variable-rate securities	0.13	0.16	0.18			
from participating interests 1	0.02	0.02	0.02			
from shares in affiliated	0.02	0.02	0.02			
enterprises	0.05	0.04	0.04			
Profits transferred under						
profit pooling and profit		0.07	0.00			
transfer agreements	0.04	0.07	0.08			

* The figures for the most recent date should be regarded as provisional in all cases. — 1 Including amounts paid up on cooperative society shares. — 2 Statistical changes have been eliminated.





... across virtually all categories of banks It was mainly the commercial banks that achieved an increase in their net commissions received (by 7.3% to €16.5 billion). The big banks alone – a category of banks for which this line of business is traditionally relatively important – accounted for €10.9 billion of this amount. The five big banks therefore generated a good one-third of the net commissions received by the German banking industry as a whole in 2006. Similarly, with net commissions received amounting to €5.5 billion, the regional banks surpassed their already positive previous-year result by €0.4 billion. Besides the commercial banks, the savings banks and the credit cooperatives increased their net commissions received again slightly by €0.2 billion to €5.9 billion and by €0.1 billion to €3.9 billion respectively. This development is probably attributable not only to the rise in stock market prices but also to structural changes within the individual categories of banks. As a result, for them net commissions received represent a contribution to profit which is less volatile over time.

Net profit or net loss on financial operations

The income from own-account trading in 2005, at \in 11.4 billion, was very high, and was also connected with the increased fair-value measurement of trading positions in some cases. Therefore, in 2006, despite the perceptible recovery in the financial markets, at \in 4.4 billion, German credit institutions recorded a marked decline in their profits from own-account trading.

Declining profits from own-account trading

Structural data on German credit institutions *

	Number of i	nstitutions 1		Number of b	oranches 1		Numbe	er of e	emp	oloyees 2				
Category of banks	2004	2005	2006	2004	2005	2006	2004		2005 2		2005		20	06
All categories of banks	2,229	2,169	2,130	42,659	41,394	38,517	678	,800		672,500		662,200		
Commercial banks	357	357	360	14,750	14,044	11,578	3 192	,550	3	190,700	3	186,700		
Big banks	5	5	5	11,962	11,446	8,879								
Regional banks	224	217	217	2,705	2,526	2,623								
Branches of foreign banks	128	135	138	83	72	76								
Landesbanken Savings banks	12 477	12 463	12 457	549 14,292	580 13,950	496 13,756		,550 ,400		40,200 260,800		39,500 257,000		
Regional institutions of credit cooperatives	2	2	2	11	11	11	5	,050		4,950		4,900		
Credit cooperatives	1,338	1,293	1,259	12,967	12,722	12,583	4 164	,200	4	162,550	4	161,200		
Mortgage banks	25	24	22	59	56	61								
Special purpose banks	18	18	18	31	31	32	5 13	,050	5	13,300	5	12,900		
Memo item Building and loan			26	2 704	2 (02	1 705	6 20	100		10 750	6	10.050		
associations	27	26	26	2,784	2,682	1,795	∎¤ 20	,100	0	19,750	0	18,050		

* The figures for the most recent date should be regarded as provisional in all cases. -1 Source: Bank office statistics, in Deutsche Bundesbank, Banking statistics, Statistical Supplement to the Monthly Report 1, p 104 (German edition). The term "credit institution" is used as in the Banking Act, resulting in divergences from data in "Balance sheet statistics" and "Statistics on the profit and loss account". -2 Excluding Deutsche Bundesbank; sources: Data

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provided by associations. Part-time employees are counted on a per capita basis. — 3 Employees in private banking, including mortgage banks established under private law. — 4 Only employees whose primary occupation is in banking. — 5 Employees in public nortgage banks (mortgage banks established under public law) and special purpose banks established under public law. — 6 Only office-based employees.

Categories of

banks

Once again, the big banks, at $\in 3.0$ billion, generated the bulk of the profits from ownaccount trading within the German banking industry as a whole. The own-account trading of the Landesbanken and, in particular, the regional institutions of credit cooperatives also made a significant contribution to income in 2006. While the Landesbanken recorded a perceptible growth of $\notin 0.8$ billion to $\notin 1.0$ billion in the year under review, the credit cooperatives' net profit on financial operations stabilised at $\notin 0.4$ billion.³ By contrast, own-account trading, especially for those credit institutions active in retail business, plays only a very minor role.

Administrative spending

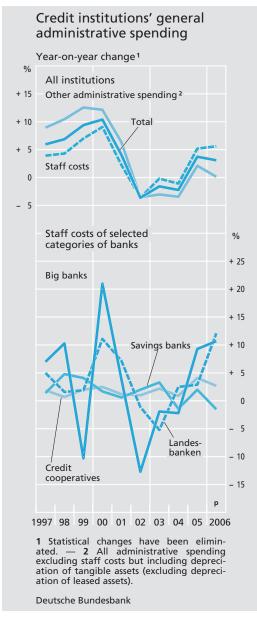
Administrative spending went up from \in 78.8 billion to \in 81.5 billion in 2006. This was due primarily to the 5.8% rise in staff costs. Given the fact that there was a further slight decline in the number of persons employed in the banking industry, the rise in staff costs is likely to have been due mainly to the increase in variable salary components. Furthermore, there was a one-off rise in expenditure on retirement provisions for some institutions, resulting from a lowering of the company pension discounting rate to the (on a longer-term comparison) low level of capital market rates. By contrast, other administrative

Slight increase in administra-

tive spending

³ According to the published annual reports, more than half of the growth recorded by Landesbanken is attributable to a single credit institution.





spending, which essentially comprises operating expenditure, expenditure on third-party services, and write-offs and write-downs of tangible fixed assets, remained virtually unchanged.

Particularly marked increase for big banks The picture across the various categories of banks was fairly mixed. For example, at 5.8%, the increase in administrative spending was particularly marked in the case of com-

mercial banks. As expected, big banks, in particular, recorded a sudden rise in staff costs. The administrative spending of regional banks and credit cooperatives also went up somewhat (3.9% and 1.5% respectively). Savings banks were the only category of banks to reduce their administrative spending (-0.7%). The decline in other administrative spending of both Landesbanken (-8.7%) and credit cooperatives (-2.1%) was more than offset by their sharply higher staff costs, which rose by 12.3% and 23.9% respectively. In the case of regional institutions of credit cooperatives, this was due partly to the above-mentioned adjustment in the calculation of pension liabilities - as may be seen from the published annual reports.

Net other operating income or charges

Net other operating income or charges went up by \in 5.4 billion to \in 7.3 billion in 2006. This sharp rise was due, among other things, to a one-off effect owing to corporation tax balances being shown as assets following a legislative amendment at the end of 2006.⁴ This is likely to have played a role especially in the case of credit cooperatives with net other

Sharp rise in net other operating income or charges

⁴ These were corporation tax balances from the time of the imputation system. These balances had to be calculated for the last time at the end of 2006 and are being paid out in instalments over a period of ten years from 2008. The resulting one-off tax receipt for 2006 was reflected in various ways in the profit and loss accounts of German banks. Whereas some institutions recorded the net figure of other tax expenses and the income from the carrying of their balances as assets in their tax expenses, others recorded these receipts in net other operating income or charges. In all cases, the reported tax receipt from the carrying of corporate tax balances as assets was not associated with any payment flow in the financial year 2006.

Performance of the various categories of banks in 2005/2006 *

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	Operating re valuation 1	esult before	Operating re	esult 2	Profit for the financial year before tax ³		
Category of banks	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	
All categories of banks	50,484	49,197	36,477	35,200	33,242	27,575	
	(0.67)	(0.64)	(0.48)	(0.46)	(0.44)	(0.36)	
Commercial banks	23,710	19,004	19,804	14,913	17,948	10,152	
	(0.93)	(0.73)	(0.77)	(0.57)	(0.70)	(0.39)	
Big banks	15,578	11,425	13,865	9,352	14,867	7,520	
	(0.80)	(0.57)	(0.71)	(0.47)	(0.77)	(0.38)	
Regional banks and other							
commercial banks	8,008 (1.33)	7,446 (1.27)	5,811 (0.96)	5,437 (0.93)	2,958 (0.49)	2,508 (0.43)	
Branches of foreign banks	124	133	128	124	123	124	
	(0.59)	(0.68)	(0.61)	(0.63)	(0.58)	(0.63)	
Landesbanken	4,905 (0.31)	6,626 (0.40)	4,123 (0.26)	7,999 (0.48)	3,030 (0.19)	6,014 (0.36)	
Savings banks	9,880	9,897	4,933	4,641	4,927	4,427	
	(0.99)	(0.98)	(0.50)	(0.46)	(0.49)	(0.44)	
Regional institutions of credit cooperatives	834	666	654	555	406	382	
	(0.38)	(0.28)	(0.30)	(0.24)	(0.18)	(0.16)	
Credit cooperatives	5,725 (0.99)	7,476 (1.26)	2,726 (0.47)	3,236 (0.54)	4,156 (0.72)	3,578 (0.60)	
Mortgage banks	2,679	2,524	1,551	1,457	160	568	
	(0.30)	(0.29)	(0.18)	(0.17)	(0.02)	(0.06)	

* The figures for the most recent date should be regarded as provisional in all cases. Values in brackets are percentages of the average balance sheet total. — 1 Net interest and net commissions received less general administrative spending plus net profit or net loss on financial operations and net other operating income or charges. — 2 Operating result before the valuation of assets plus net income or net charges from the valuation of assets (other than financial fixed assets). — 3 Operating result plus net other and extraordinary income or charges.

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operating income or charges of €3.3 billion. The sale to a big bank of a branch network affiliated to the credit cooperative sector also boosted credit cooperatives' earnings.⁵ Big banks also recorded an increase in net other operating income or charges in 2006 (+€0.9 billion), whereas this item had had a negative impact (-€0.8 billion) on the result in 2005. By contrast, the contribution made by net other operating income or charges was down slightly for the regional banks (€1.2 billion, compared with €1.3 billion in 2005). In the case of the Landesbanken, the sale of a subsidiary, in particular, is likely to have improved the balance of the net other account by €1.2 billion to €1.0 billion.⁶

Operating result before the valuation of assets

The operating result before the valuation of assets declined slightly in 2006 to \in 49.2 billion, compared with \in 50.5 billion in the previous year. The decline was due mainly to the significantly lower contribution to the overall result from own-account trading, and also to the slight rise in administrative spending. On the whole, the development in own-account trading and in administrative spending could not be offset by the sharp rise in the balance of other operating income or charges or by the higher income from commission business.

Slight decline in operating result before valuation of assets

⁵ Data as published in the annual reports.

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Cost/income ratios, by category of banks *

As a percentage

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Category of banks	2004	2005	2006
	gross ea	arnings 1	
All categories of banks	68.7	67.9	68.5
Commercial banks	77.8	73.5	72.3
Big banks ²	85.5	80.8	77.2
Regional banks and other commercial banks ²	65.9	61.8	63.4
Branches of foreign banks	60.3	61.7	62.9
Landesbanken ³	57.4	59.7	62.5
Savings banks	65.8	67.1	67.1
Regional institutions of credit cooperatives	79.5	69.8	81.4
Credit cooperatives	72.3	73.6	76.6
Mortgage banks	36.6	37.1	39.6
Special purpose banks ³	36.5	36.4	38.3
	income business 4	from oper	ating
All categories of banks	65.5	61.0	62.3
Commercial banks	73.5	59.8	66.0
Big banks ²	80.8	60.5	69.0
Regional banks and other commercial banks 2	62.2	58.4	60.3
Branches of foreign banks	57.0	58.0	55.5
Landesbanken 3	53.5	59.3	53.6
Savings banks	64.9	66.0	65.8
Regional institutions of credit cooperatives	59.2	53.9	62.2
Credit cooperatives	68.7	70.0	64.4
Mortgage banks	35.0	35.2	38.9
Special purpose banks ³	35.4	35.2	35.3

* The figures for the most recent date should be regarded as provisional in all cases. — 1 Aggregate net interest and net commissions received. — 2 From 2004, Deutsche Postbank AG allocated to the category of "Big banks". — 3 From 2004, NRW.BANK allocated to the category of "Special purpose banks". — 4 Gross earnings plus net profit or net loss on financial operations and net other operating income or charges.

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Broken down by category of banks, there was a marked decline in the operating result, in particular, for the commercial banks, whose very good previous-year result was influenced to a large extent by the aforementioned changeover in the valuation of ownaccount trading. By contrast, the Landesbanken and credit cooperatives significantly improved their operating result before the valuation of assets. The sharp rise in the operating result of these categories of banks was, however, shaped primarily by sales of shareholdings and the carrying of corporation tax balances as assets and is therefore likely to be due less to an improved income structure in core business. For the other categories of banks, the operating result before the valuation of assets stabilised more or less at the previous year's level.

There was no further improvement in the cost efficiency of the German banking industry overall. The cost/income ratio deteriorated by 1.3 percentage points to 62.3%, although this was still a low level on a longer-term average. Similarly, in relation to gross earnings - the sum of net interest and net commissions received - there was no improvement on the year. The ratio went up, in fact, by 0.6 percentage point to 68.5%. Owing to the marked rise in staff costs and the decline in income from own-account trading, it was mainly the commercial banks and among them the big banks, which recorded the largest increase in the ratio of income from operating business to costs. By contrast, Landesbanken and credit cooperatives both improved their ratios. Nevertheless, as already described in the case of the operating result Operating result before valuation of assets by category of banks

Slight deterioration in cost/ income ratio

Relative significance of major income and cost items for individual categories of banks in 2006 *

As a percentage of total surplus in operating business

Item	All categories of banks	Big banks	Regional banks	Landes- banken	Savings banks	Regional institutions of credit cooperatives	Credit cooperatives	Mortgage banks
Net interest received	68.2	60.0	65.8	70.3	77.7	57.3	65.3	91.4
Net commissions received	22.8	29.4	29.3	15.4	20.3	19.1	18.8	6.9
Net profit or net loss on financial operations	3.4	8.1	- 1.3	7.1	0.6	22.9	0.3	0.1
Net other operating income or charges	5.6	2.5	6.2	7.2	1.4	0.7	15.6	1.6
Total surplus in operating business	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
General administrative spending of which	- 62.4	- 69.0	- 60.3	- 53.6	- 65.7	- 62.2	- 64.5	- 38.9
Staff costs	- 35.2	- 37.8	- 28.6	- 29.5	- 40.4	- 38.2	- 39.3	- 19.6
Other administrative spending	- 27.2	- 31.2	- 31.7	- 24.1	- 25.3	- 24.0	- 25.2	- 19.3
Net income or net charges from the valuation of assets	- 10.7	- 5.6	- 10.7	9.6	- 18.2	- 6.3	- 20.2	- 25.8
Net other and extraordinary income or charges	- 5.8	- 5.0	- 15.6	- 13.9	- 0.7	- 9.8	1.6	- 21.5
Memo item Profit for the financial year before tax	21.1	20.4	13.4	42.1	15.4	21.7	16.9	13.8
Taxes on income and earnings	- 4.1	- 2.5	- 4.9	- 6.2	- 6.8	24.3	- 3.8	- 4.7
Profit for the financial year after tax	17.0	17.9	8.5	35.9	8.6	46.0	13.1	9.1
* The figures should be regarded as	provisional.							

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before the valuation of assets, this development is not based on structural improvements in earnings.

Net income or net charges from the valuation of assets

Decline not sustained

In 2006, net charges from the valuation of loans, claims and securities of German credit institutions remained virtually unchanged on the year at \in 14.0 billion. This meant an end to the uninterrupted reduction in risk provisioning since it peaked in 2002. However, those banks showing net write-ups and the release of provisions recorded them on much the same scale as in the previous year (\in 3.9 billion). This also applies to the write-offs and write-downs reported by the other banks

(€17.9 billion).⁷ As a ratio of the balance sheet total, the net valuation charges of all German banks amounted to 0.18%, compared with 0.19% in 2005. In addition to the write-downs and transfers to provisions recorded in the net income or net charges from the valuation of assets, resources to the value of €5.3 billion net were allocated to the fund for general banking risks (pursuant to section 340 (g) of the German Commercial Code) in the year under review. These resources do not, however, reduce the profit for the year in the performance analysis presented here, but are factored into the disposition of profit (accumulation of reserves).

⁷ Within these items, the respective institutions had already made use of the cross-offsetting option permissible under section 340 (f) (3) of the German Commercial Code.



Net valuation result by category of banks Across the various categories of banks, the Landesbanken reported income from writeups of claims and certain securities as well as releases from provisions in lending business to the net value of €1.4 billion in the reporting period. This income resulted mainly from the conversion of undisclosed reserves into disclosed reserves of a single institution.⁸ Adjusted for this group of institutions, the risk provisions of all the other banks considered here stood at €15.4 billion in 2006, compared with €13.2 billion in the previous year. Both the regional banks and the regional institutions of credit cooperatives recorded a slight decline in their net income or net charges from the valuation of assets (to €2.0 billion, or 0.34%, of their average balance sheet total, and €0.1 billion, or 0.05% respectively), whereas the other categories of banks under consideration in this article recorded an increase in their (net) charges from the valuation of assets. This increase was particularly marked in the case of credit cooperatives, going up by \in 1.2 billion to \in 4.2 billion, or 0.71% of the balance sheet total.

Risk provision-

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In 2006, the bulk of German institutions' net charges from the valuation of loans, claims and certain securities is likely to have been related to domestic lending once again. In this connection, the German banking industry encountered a declining number of corporate insolvencies for the third time in succession, with a marked decline of 18% to just over 30,000 cases. The sum of liabilities of the insolvent enterprises fell similarly sharply.⁹ However, the sustained trend of increasing consumer insolvencies, which has been apparent since the introduction of the Insolvency Code (Insolvenzordnung) in 1999 also continued in the reporting year. Just over 92,000 individuals were affected by this, which represents an increase of 34%. In view of the comparatively small share of loans to households as a percentage of the total loans granted by German banks, the impact on the banks' net valuation result was limited, however. By contrast, the write-downs on fixedinterest securities, which are partly recorded in the provisions, are likely to have been a key factor in the development in reporting year.

⁸ According to data contained in the published annual report, this involved the conversion of the undisclosed reserves contained in the net income or net charges from the valuation of assets pursuant to section 340 (f) of the German Commercial Code into disclosed reserves pursuant to section 340 (g) of the German Commercial Code.
9 For more information on this and insolvencies in 2006 generally, see J Angele, Insolvenzen 2006, Statistisches Bundesamt, Wirtschaft und Statistik, 4/2007, pp 352-361.

Against the backdrop of the interest rate increase in the reporting year, they went up to \in 3.1 billion, compared with \in 2.2 billion in 2005. Furthermore, according to the published annual reports, German banks built up considerable undisclosed reserves in 2006 (pursuant to section 340 (f) of the German Commercial Code).

Slight decline in operating result

Given the virtually unchanged net valuation result of the German banking industry as a whole, the operating result after valuation developed similarly to the result before valuation; it fell slightly by 3.5% to €35.2 billion. Most of the categories of banks under consideration recorded a decline in their operating result, which was particularly marked in the case of the big banks owing to the lack of the one-off effect from the valuation adjustment in the previous year. By contrast, both Landesbanken and credit cooperatives recorded an increase in their operating result for the financial year 2006, which - as already mentioned - was supported by sales of shareholdings and income from the carrying of corporation tax balances as assets.

Other and extraordinary income or charges

Deterioration in balance of "extraordinary account", ... The balance of the "extraordinary account" exerted more pressure on the profit and loss accounts of German banks in 2006 than in the previous year. The balance stood at - ϵ 7.6 billion for all categories of banks, compared with - ϵ 3.2 billion in 2005. Specifically, both the transferred profits (- ϵ 4.9 billion) and the net extraordinary income or charges in the

narrower sense (-€1.7 billion) had an adverse impact similar to that of the previous year. This deterioration in the "extraordinary account" was due mainly to the negative result from financial investment business (-€0.3 billion), for which a net income amount (€4.3 billion) had been recorded in 2005. Moreover, after achieving small net incomes from the release of special reserves (€47 million) in 2005, German credit institutions posted net charges (-€22 million) in 2006. This was offset to a certain extent by the somewhat lower loss transfers to German banks in the year under review (-€0.7 billion, compared with -€1.3 billion in 2005).

The result of the "extraordinary account" showed a noticeable deterioration in 2006, especially in the case of the commercial banks – and, above all, the big banks – as well as for credit cooperatives. While the big banks, in financial investment business, had to cope with significantly higher write-offs and write-downs in respect of participating interests, shares in affiliated enterprises and securities treated as fixed assets as well as perceptibly lower income from value adjustments, the credit cooperatives were affected by the drop-out of a one-off effect.¹⁰ While they had recorded income from the transfer of shareholdings to a holding company in the "extraordinary account" in the previous year, the balance of the "extraordinary account" fell back in 2006 to a level which is usual for this category of bank. The Landesbanken also recorded significantly stronger negative ef-

... but only for certain categories of banks

¹⁰ According to the published annual reports, big banks were affected primarily by the revaluation of the subsidiary of one institution.



Return on capital of individual categories of banks *

As a percentage										
Category of banks	2002		2003		2004		2005		2006	
All categories of banks	4.49	(2.91)	0.72	(- 1.45)	4.19	(1.93)	13.00	(9.19)	9.34	(7.51)
Commercial banks	0.97	(0.04)	- 6.24	(- 6.57)	- 0.42	(- 1.42)	21.82	(15.52)	11.24	(9.13)
of which										
Big banks ¹	- 3.14	(– 3.30)	- 12.85	(–11.99)	- 3.97	(– 3.56)	31.72	(23.12)	14.01	(12.27)
Regional banks and other commercial banks 1	8.99	(6.62)	4.53	(2.25)	5.66	(2.16)	8.63	(5.43)	7.01	(4.45)
Landesbanken ²	2.80	(1.94)	- 4.25	(- 5.17)	1.07	(– 0.83)	6.44	(5.56)	11.40	(9.73)
Savings banks	8.15	(4.65)	10.89	(4.00)	9.72	(5.03)	10.45	(5.60)	8.95	(4.96)
Regional institutions of credit cooperatives	4.56	(4.95)	0.66	(2.30)	2.91	(3.97)	5.25	(5.12)	4.49	(9.51)
Credit cooperatives	9.68	(6.60)	10.64	(5.24)	10.32	(5.26)	13.79	(9.00)	10.93	(8.47)
Mortgage banks	9.12	(7.36)	5.34	(3.70)	3.32	(1.39)	0.91	(- 0.87)	2.83	(1.85)

* The figures for the most recent date should be regarded as provisional in all cases. Profit for the financial year before tax (in brackets: after tax) as a percentage of the average capital as shown in the balance sheet (including the fund for general banking risks, but excluding participation rights capital). — **1** From 2004, Deutsche Postbank AG allocated to the category of "Big banks". — **2** From 2004, NRW.BANK allocated to the category of "Special purpose banks".

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fects from extraordinary net charges, whereas the "extraordinary account" of the other categories of banks under consideration here showed very little change in the year under review.

Profit for the financial year, taxes on income and earnings

Decline in profit for the year before tax Owing to the fact that the "extraordinary account" was subject to increased strain again, the profit for the year before tax recorded by German banks declined by \in 5.7 billion in 2006 and, therefore, more sharply than the operating result. The profit for the year before tax stood at \in 27.6 billion, compared with \in 33.2 billion in 2005. Across the various categories of banks, only the Landes-

banken managed to achieve a substantial increase in their profit for the year from €3.0 billion in 2005 to €6.0 billion in 2006. This was influenced by the liquidation of undisclosed reserves in the operating result, and also by net other operating income or charges and the boost in earnings from ownaccount trading. All the other categories of banks recorded a decline in their profit for the financial year 2006 before tax. However, it should be noted that, owing to the aforementioned considerable one-off effects in the previous year, a comparison over time is possible only to a limited extent. This applies, in particular, to the big banks and the credit cooperatives.

In parallel with the annual profit, the development of the return on equity before tax was

Decline in return on equity

Taxes influenced by legislative amendment on the decline for German banks as a whole. On an average of all institutions, it went down from 13.00% in 2005 to 9.34% in 2006. All categories of banks, with the exception of the Landesbanken, recorded a deterioration.

Taxes on income and earnings fell from €9.7 billion to €5.4 billion in the year under review. Besides the decline in the annual profit of the German banking industry, a further contributing factor was the carrying of corporation tax balances as assets, which became necessary as a result of the law on accompanying tax measures for the introduction of the European Company Statute and for the amendment of other tax provisions (Gesetz über steuerliche Begleitmaßnahmen zur Einführung der Europäischen Gesellschaft und zur Änderung weiterer steuerlicher Vorschriften) which came into effect in 2006.11 After tax, the annual profit of the German credit institutions stood at €22.2 billion in total, compared with €23.5 billion in the previous year.

Balance sheet profit somewhat higher In 2006, losses carried forward reduced the German banks' profit for the financial year to a much lesser extent than in 2005. Overall, losses carried forward stood at \in 0.5 billion (compared with \in 2.7 billion in 2005) and were thus at their lowest level since 2000. Furthermore, \in 5.3 billion was transferred to the fund for general banking risks (compared with \in 7.4 billion in the previous year), which had a detrimental impact on the balance sheet profit, and \in 6.0 billion (compared with \in 4.2 billion) flowed to the accumulation of reserves and participation rights capital. On balance, there was something of an improve-



ment in the total balance sheet profit of the German banks to €10.4 billion, compared with €9.1 billion in 2005.

Outlook

On the basis of the data available so far, few reliable statements can be made for the current financial year. Nevertheless, in the light of the continued favourable outlook in the capital markets, the figures available for the first half of the year point to an increase in operating income. At the same time, given the weak demand for credit and the greater competition in a number of market segments, together with the flat yield curve, the

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¹¹ See also footnote 4, p 20.



income opportunities in classical deposit and lending business in the German market remained rather limited. On the cost side, neither the domestic cyclical trend, nor the insolvency statistics indicated an increasing need for adjustment in the valuation of the domestic credit portfolio. Furthermore, there was no significant change in the development of administrative expenditure either; the increase recorded in 2006 was driven mainly by the development of the variable components of staff costs, while other administrative spending remained more or less constant. By contrast, there is considerable uncertainty at present regarding the implications of the problems in the US mortgage market for the profitability of German credit institutions active in this area. The heightened uncertainty in the financial markets, which has led to a reassessment of risks, is also likely to have a further impact on the capital market income and charges of German banks. However, given that German credit institutions were, on the whole, able to build up considerable reserves in the preceding two years, they now possess greater risk-bearing capacity.

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Major components of credit institutions' profit and loss accounts, by category of banks *

As a percentage of	the avera	ge balance	sneet tota							
		Commercia	al banks							
			of which							
	All cat-			Regional banks and other commer-			Regional institu- tions of credit co-	Credit co-		Special
	egories		Big	cial	Landes-	Savings	opera-	opera-	Mortgage	
Financial year	of banks	Total	banks 1	banks 1	banken 2	banks	tives	tives	banks	banks 2
	UT Dallks	TOTAL	Daliks	Daliks	Danken -	Daliks	lives	tives	Daliks	Dariks 2
	Interest ree	ceived (tota	I) 3							
2000	5.51	5.32	5.24	5.58	5.63	5.72	5.04	5.69	5.81	5.03
2001	5.39	5.12	4.91	5.68	5.47	5.75	4.91	5.76	5.73	4.95
2002	4.83	4.41	4.09	5.18	4.67	5.53	4.15	5.47	5.36	4.59
2003	4.39	3.82	3.42	4.74	4.25	5.20	3.42	5.12	5.09	4.15
2004	4.23	3.60	3.30	4.57	4.39	4.92	3.28	4.88	4.85	3.97
2005	4.37	3.98	3.79	4.64	4.69	4.75	3.05	4.72	4.88	4.05
2006	4.63	4.47	4.36	4.88	4.94	4.67	3.18	4.61	5.32	4.12
	Interest pa	id								
2000	4.36	4.15	4.30	3.85	5.07	3.39	4.26	3.24	5.35	4.46
2001	4.28	3.97	4.02	3.85	4.88	3.47	4.29	3.36	5.30	4.43
2002	3.63	3.07	2.99	3.25	4.08	3.15	3.49	2.98	4.97	4.01
2003	3.23	2.65	2.57	2.83	3.63	2.80	2.96	2.61	4.66	3.60
2004	3.04	2.35	2.31	2.48	3.74	2.57	2.79	2.37	4.41	3.47
2005	3.20	2.71	2.79	2.47	4.05	2.45	2.57	2.26	4.44	3.56
2006	3.48	3.14	3.26	2.77	4.33	2.44	2.75	2.30	4.89	3.65
	Excess of ir	nterest rece	ived over in	terest paid	= net intere	est received	(interest ma	argin)		
2000	1.14	1.17	0.94	1.72	0.56	2.33	0.78	2.45	0.45	0.57
2001	1.12	1.15	0.89	1.83	0.60	2.28	0.62	2.41	0.43	0.53
2002	1.20	1.34	1.10	1.93	0.59	2.38	0.66	2.49	0.40	0.59
2003	1.16	1.17	0.85	1.91	0.63	2.40	0.46	2.51	0.43	0.55
2004	1.18	1.25	0.98	2.09	0.65	2.35	0.49	2.51	0.44	0.50
2005	1.17	1.27	1.00	2.17	0.63	2.30	0.47	2.46	0.45	0.49
2006	1.15	1.33	1.11	2.11	0.61	2.23	0.43	2.30	0.43	0.47
	Excess of c	ommissions	received ov	ver commiss	ions paid =	net commis	sions receiv	red		
2000	0.42	0.76	0.68	0.99	0.13	0.55	0.21	0.69	- 0.01	0.05
2001	0.36	0.64	0.57	0.85	0.11	0.50	0.15	0.58	- 0.01	0.05
2002	0.34	0.60	0.53	0.79	0.11	0.49	0.14	0.57	- 0.01	0.09
2003	0.35	0.59	0.54	0.71	0.11	0.53	0.17	0.61	- 0.01	0.09
2004	0.35	0.57	0.50	0.78	0.11	0.56	0.16	0.65	0.00	0.09
2005	0.37	0.60	0.52	0.85	0.12	0.56	0.16	0.67	0.00	0.09
2006	0.39	0.63	0.54	0.94	0.13	0.58	0.14	0.66	0.03	0.10

As a percentage of the average balance sheet total °

* The figures for the most recent date should be regarded as provisional in all cases. — o Excluding the balance sheet total of the foreign branches of savings banks. From 2004, excluding

the balance sheet total of the foreign branches of regional institutions of credit cooperatives. — For footnotes 1–3 see p 30.



Major components of credit institutions' profit and loss accounts, by category of banks * (cont'd)

		Commercia	al banks							
			of which							
	All cat- egories		Big	Regional banks and other commer- cial	Landes-	Savings	Regional institu- tions of credit co- opera-	Credit co- opera-	Mortgage	
Financial year	of banks	Total	banks 1	banks 1	banken 2	banks	tives	tives	banks	banks 2
	General ac	Iministrativ	e spending							
2000	1.16	1.67	1.51	2.08	0.43	1.99	0.56	2.39	0.15	0.19
2001	1.14	1.65	1.48	2.12	0.45	1.97	0.55	2.36	0.15	0.18
2002	1.10	1.55	1.36	2.06	0.44	1.95	0.53	2.30	0.14	0.22
2003	1.10	1.53	1.37	1.93	0.42	1.97	0.54	2.32	0.16	0.22
2004	1.05	1.41	1.27	1.89	0.44	1.92	0.52	2.28	0.16	0.22
2005	1.05	1.38	1.23	1.87	0.45	1.92	0.44	2.30	0.17	0.21
2006	1.06	1.42	1.27	1.93	0.46	1.89	0.47	2.27	0.18	0.22
	Partial ope	erating resu	lt							
2000	0.41	0.26	0.11	0.64	0.26	0.89	0.43	0.75	0.30	0.43
2001	0.33	0.15	- 0.02	0.56	0.25	0.81	0.22	0.63	0.27	0.39
2002	0.44	0.38	0.27	0.65	0.26	0.92	0.27	0.76	0.25	0.47
2003	0.41	0.23	0.02	0.69	0.31	0.95	0.09	0.80	0.27	0.42
2004	0.48	0.40	0.22	0.98	0.33	1.00	0.13	0.88	0.28	0.37
2005	0.49	0.50	0.29	1.15	0.30	0.94	0.19	0.83	0.28	0.37
2006	0.49	0.54	0.38	1.11	0.28	0.92	0.11	0.69	0.28	0.35
	Net profit	or net loss o	on financial	operations						
2000	0.10	0.24	0.32	0.07	0.05	0.02	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.00
2001	0.08	0.20	0.30	- 0.03	0.04	0.00	0.06	- 0.01	0.00	0.00
2002	0.04	0.09	0.13	0.01	0.04	0.00	0.11	- 0.01	0.00	0.00
2003	0.09	0.24	0.32	0.07	0.02	0.02	0.18	0.02	0.00	0.00
2004	0.02	0.02	0.04	- 0.04	0.02	0.02	0.19	0.01	0.00	0.00
2005	0.15	0.41	0.56	- 0.04	0.02	0.02	0.18	0.01	0.00	0.00
2006	0.06	0.11	0.15	- 0.04	0.06	0.02	0.17	0.01	0.00	0.00
	Net incom	e or net cha	rges from t	he valuatio	n of assets					
2000	- 0.24	- 0.18	- 0.16	- 0.25	- 0.12	- 0.46	- 0.47	- 0.47	- 0.19	- 0.15
2001	- 0.28	- 0.26	- 0.24	- 0.33	- 0.20	- 0.52	- 0.32	- 0.50	- 0.12	- 0.15
2002	- 0.44	- 0.39	- 0.38	- 0.42	- 0.47	- 0.71	- 0.42	- 0.67	- 0.20	- 0.21
2003	- 0.31	- 0.33	- 0.31	- 0.37	- 0.23	- 0.54	- 0.25	- 0.56	- 0.13	- 0.13
2004	- 0.24	- 0.22	- 0.17	- 0.40	- 0.05	- 0.60	- 0.17	- 0.54	- 0.19	- 0.05
2005	- 0.19	- 0.15	- 0.09	- 0.36	- 0.05	- 0.50	- 0.08	- 0.52	- 0.13	- 0.01
2006	- 0.18	- 0.16	- 0.10	- 0.34	0.08	- 0.52	- 0.05	- 0.71	- 0.12	- 0.08

As a percentage of the average balance sheet total °

*, **o** For footnotes, see p 29. — **1** From 2004, Deutsche Postbank AG allocated to the category of "Big banks". — **2** From 2004, NRW.BANK allocated to the category of "Special purpose banks". — 3 Interest received plus current income and profits transferred under profit pooling and profit transfer agreements.

Major components of credit institutions' profit and loss accounts, by category of banks * (cont'd)

As a percentage of the average balance sheet total °

		Commercia	al banks							
			of which							
				Regional banks and other			Regional institu- tions of			
	All cat-		Dia	commer- cial	Landes-	Covinge	credit co-	Credit co-	Martaana	Special
Financial year	egories of banks	Total	Big banks 1	banks 1	banken 2	Savings banks	opera- tives	opera- tives	Mortgage banks	purpose banks 2
	or burnes	lotai	burnes	buillo	burnken	bunks	lives	lives	burnes	burnes
	Operating	result								
Operating result 2000 0.30 0.36 0.24 0.63 0.22 0.44 0.05 0.35 0.14 2001 0.18 0.14 0.05 0.36 0.14 0.32 0.01 0.22 0.18 2002 0.10 0.15 0.00 0.50 -0.13 0.27 0.06 0.17 0.06 2003 0.25 0.21 0.04 0.58 0.14 0.46 0.06 0.46 0.14 2004 0.31 0.29 0.13 0.74 0.33 0.44 0.19 0.51 0.11 2005 0.48 0.77 0.71 0.96 0.26 0.50 0.30 0.47 0.18 2006 0.46 0.57 0.47 0.93 0.48 0.46 0.24 0.54 0.17						0.30				
2000 0.30 0.36 0.24 0.63 0.22 0.44 0.05 0.35 0.1 2001 0.18 0.14 0.05 0.36 0.14 0.32 0.01 0.22 0.1 2002 0.10 0.15 0.00 0.50 -0.13 0.27 0.06 0.17 0.0 2003 0.25 0.21 0.04 0.58 0.14 0.46 0.06 0.46 0.1 2004 0.31 0.29 0.13 0.74 0.33 0.44 0.19 0.51 0.1 2005 0.48 0.77 0.71 0.96 0.26 0.50 0.30 0.47 0.1			0.27							
										0.26
										0.33
										0.35
										0.38 0.32
2006	0.46	0.57	0.47	0.93	0.48	0.40	0.24	0.54	0.17	0.32
	Net other	and extraor	dinary inco	me or charg	es					
2000	- 0.01	- 0.07	- 0.03	- 0.16	- 0.03	0.11	0.30	0.05	- 0.05	0.00
2001	0.02	0.04	0.13	- 0.18	- 0.03	0.06	0.12	0.14	- 0.05	- 0.07
2002	0.06	- 0.11	- 0.12	- 0.08	0.21	0.08	0.09	0.29	0.07	- 0.03
2003	- 0.22	- 0.47	- 0.52	- 0.36	- 0.28	0.02	- 0.04	0.07	- 0.04	- 0.10
2004	- 0.17	- 0.30	- 0.25	- 0.46	- 0.30	0.01	- 0.08	0.02	- 0.05	- 0.04
2005	- 0.04	- 0.07	0.05	- 0.47	- 0.07	0.00	- 0.11	0.25	- 0.16	- 0.01
2006	- 0.10	- 0.18	- 0.09	- 0.50	- 0.12	- 0.02	- 0.07	0.06	- 0.10	0.01
	Profit for t	he financia	l year befor	e tax						
2000	0.29	0.29	0.21	0.47	0.19	0.55	0.36	0.40	0.09	0.30
2001	0.20	0.18	0.18	0.18	0.11	0.38	0.13	0.35	0.13	0.20
2002	0.15	0.04	- 0.12	0.41	0.08	0.35	0.14	0.46	0.14	0.23
2003	0.03	- 0.25	- 0.48	0.22	- 0.14	0.48	0.02	0.52	0.09	0.22
2004	0.14	- 0.01	- 0.12	0.29	0.03	0.45	0.11	0.52	0.06	0.31
2005	0.44	0.70	0.77	0.49	0.19	0.49	0.18	0.72	0.02	0.37
2006	0.36	0.39	0.38	0.43	0.36	0.44	0.16	0.60	0.06	0.33
	Profit for t	he financia	l year after	tax						
2000	0.19	0.26	0.24	0.30	0.10	0.25	0.24	0.19	0.04	0.28
2001	0.15	0.16	0.21	0.05	0.10	0.21	0.08	0.21	0.09	0.18
2002	0.10	0.00	- 0.13	0.30	0.05	0.20	0.16	0.31	0.11	0.21
2003	- 0.05	- 0.27	- 0.44	0.11	- 0.17	0.18	0.08	0.26	0.07	0.21
2004	0.07	- 0.05	- 0.10	0.11	- 0.02	0.23	0.15	0.27	0.03	0.29
2005	0.31	0.50	0.56	0.31	0.17	0.27	0.18	0.47	- 0.02	0.36
2006	0.29	0.32	0.33	0.27	0.31	0.24	0.35	0.47	0.04	0.32

*, • For footnotes, see p 29. — For footnotes 1-2, see p 30.



Credit institutions' profit and loss accounts *

	Interest busi	ness		Non-interest	business		General adm	ninistrative sp	ending	
	Net			Net com-						Partial operating
	interest			missions					Total other	result
	received	Interest		received	Commis-		Total		adminis-	(col 1 plus
	(col 2 less	received	Interest	(col 5 less	sions	Commis-	(col 8 plus		trative	col 4 less
	col 3)	(total) 1	paid	col 6)	received	sions paid	col 9)	Staff costs	spending 2	col 7)
Financial										
year	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	€billion									
1999	77.8	322.9	245.0	22.5	26.8	4.3	70.2	38.4	31.8	30.1
2000	76.9	369.9	293.1	28.1	33.8	5.7	77.7	42.0	35.7	27.3
2001	79.2	382.4	303.2	25.3	31.2	5.9	81.0	43.0	38.0	23.5
2002	85.6	344.5	258.9	24.3	30.2	5.9	78.3	41.6	36.7	31.6
2003	81.7	308.7	227.0	24.4	30.6	6.3	77.3	41.6	35.7	28.8
2004	85.0	303.6	218.6	25.3	32.0	6.8	75.8	41.2	34.6	34.5
2005	88.2	329.1	240.9	27.8	35.4	7.6	78.8	43.4	35.4	37.2
2006	89.1	357.6	268.4	29.9	38.4	8.6	81.5	46.0	35.5	37.5
	Year-on-yea	r percentage	change 4							
2000	- 1.2	14.6	19.6	25.1	26.3	32.5	10.6	9.3	12.3	- 9.2
2001	3.0	3.4	3.5	- 9.8	- 7.6	3.3	4.3	2.5	6.6	- 13.8
2002	8.0	- 9.9	- 14.6	- 4.0	- 3.2	0.0	- 3.3	- 3.4	- 3.3	34.2
2003	- 4.5	- 10.4	– 12.3	0.4	1.7	7.2	- 1.2	0.1	- 2.5	- 9.1
2004	4.0	- 1.7	- 3.7	3.8	4.5	7.4	- 2.0	- 0.9	- 3.2	19.9
2005	3.9	8.4	10.2	9.9	10.4	12.0	4.0	5.4	2.4	7.9
2006	1.1	8.7	11.5	7.4	8.7	13.3	3.4	5.8	0.4	0.9
	As a percent	age of the av	erage balanc	e sheet total						
1999	1.28	5.33	4.05	0.37	0.44	0.07	1.16	0.63	0.52	0.50
2000	1.14	5.51	4.36	0.42	0.50	0.08	1.16	0.63	0.53	0.41
2001	1.12	5.39	4.28	0.36	0.44	0.08	1.14	0.61	0.54	0.33
2002	1.20	4.83	3.63	0.34	0.42	0.08	1.10	0.58	0.52	0.44
2003	1.16	4.39	3.23	0.35	0.44	0.09	1.10	0.59	0.51	0.41
2004	1.18	4.23	3.04	0.35	0.45	0.09	1.05	0.57	0.48	0.48
2005	1.17	4.37	3.20	0.37	0.47	0.10	1.05	0.58	0.47	0.49
2006	1.15	4.63	3.48	0.39	0.50	0.11	1.06	0.60	0.46	0.49

* The figures for the most recent date should be regarded as provisional in all cases. — 1 Interest received plus current income and profits transferred under profit pooling and profit transfer agreements. — 2 Including depreciation of and adjustments for tangible and intangible assets, but excluding depreciation of and adjustments for assets leased ("broad" definition). — 3 Excluding the balance sheet

	<i>Memo item</i> Balance sheet total as an annual average ³	Profit or loss (–) for the financial year after tax (col 16 less col 17)	Taxes on income and earnings	Profit for the financial year before tax (col 14 plus col 15)	a- /	Net othe and extr ordinary income charges	Operating result (col 10 to col 13)	Net income or net charges from the valuation of assets (other than tangible or financial fixed assets)	Net other operating income or charges	Net profit or net loss on financial operations
Financial	10	10	17	10		45	14	12	12	11
year	19	18	17	16	_	15	14	13	12	11
	€ billion									
1999	6,056.4	12.4	9.0	21.4	3.2	-	24.6	– 11.5	2.4	3.6
2000	6,716.3	12.6	6.7	19.3	0.6	-	19.9	– 15.9	2.0	6.4
	7,090.8	10.4	3.7	14.1	1.2		12.8	– 19.6	3.5	5.4
2002		7.1	3.9	10.9	3.9		7.0	- 31.2	3.7	3.0
	7,038.2	- 3.7	5.5	1.8	15.5	-	17.3	- 21.8	3.8	6.4
	7,183.7	4.8	5.6	10.4	12.3	-	22.6	– 17.3	4.1	1.3
	7,524.7	23.5	9.7	33.2	3.2	-	36.5	- 14.0	1.9	11.4
2006	7,719.0	22.2	5.4	27.6	7.6	-	35.2	- 14.0	7.3	4.4
	tage change 4	on-year percent	Year-c							
2000	10.9	1.5	- 24.9	- 9.6	81.4		– 19.1	- 38.0	16.4	79.8
2001	5.6	– 17.5	- 45.6	- 27.3			- 35.6	23.5	73.0	– 16.7
2002		- 31.8	4.9	- 22.2	220.2		- 45.4	- 59.1	4.4	- 45.1
2003	-		42.9	- 84.7	•		146.1	30.3	3.1	118.6
2004	2.1		1.4	469.0	20.7		31.0	20.5	9.0	- 80.5
2005	4.8	391.6	75.0	221.2	73.6		61.5	18.9	- 53.9	806.3
2006	2.6	- 5.6	- 44.6	- 17.0	35.7		- 3.5	0.1	290.2	- 61.4
	ice sheet total	average balan	centage of the	As a per						
1999		0.20	0.15	0.35	0.05	-	0.41	- 0.19	0.04	0.06
2000		0.19	0.10	0.29	0.01	-	0.30	- 0.24	0.03	0.10
2001		0.15	0.05	0.20	0.02		0.18	- 0.28	0.05	0.08
2002		0.10	0.05	0.15	0.06		0.10	- 0.44	0.05	0.04
2003		- 0.05	0.08	0.03	0.22		0.25	- 0.31	0.05	0.09
2004		0.07	0.08	0.14	0.17	-	0.31	- 0.24	0.06	0.02
2005		0.31	0.13	0.44	0.04	-	0.48	– 0.19	0.02	0.15
2006		0.29	0.07	0.36	0.10	-	0.46	- 0.18	0.09	0.06

total of the foreign branches of savings banks. From 2004, excluding the balance sheet total of the foreign branches of regional institu-

tions of credit cooperatives. — ${\bf 4}$ Statistical changes have been eliminated.



Profit and loss accounts, by category of banks *

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2002 2,268 85,568 344,472 258,904 24,327 30,212 5,885 78,324 41,578 36,746 31,571 2003 2,025 84,998 303,615 218,617 25,282 32,039 6,757 75,781 41,223 34,558 34,499 2005 1,940 89,133 357,577 268,444 29,855 38,409 8,559 81,495 45,707 35,351 7,554 78,806 43,445 35,361 37,202 2005 1,940 89,133 357,577 268,441 29,850 38,409 8,559 81,445 45,707 35,361 37,202 2001 213 27,273 35,757 268,441 3,361 16,616 6,733 33,386 16,606 16,760 9,515 2004 133 22,471 85,000 55,529 13,340 17,141 3,3386 16,606 16,760 9,515 2005 179 32,585 102,082 69,497 15,370	€ million											
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	2000	12	10,030	01,578	1,548	2,200	5,764	1,578	7,040	4,204	s,442	4,590

* For footnotes 1-7, see pp 36-37.

Net profit or net loss on financial operations	Net other operating income or charges	Net income or net charges from the valuation of assets (other than tangible or financial fixed as- sets)	Operating result (col 11 to col 14)	Net other and extra- ordinary income or charges	Profit for the finan- cial year before tax (col 15 plus col 16)	Taxes on in- come and earnings 3	Profit or loss (-) for the finan- cial year after tax (col 17 less col 18)	With- drawals from or transfers to (–) reserves and parti- cipation rights capital 4	Balance sheet profit or loss (–) (col 19 plus col 20)	Memo item Average annual balance sheet total 5	
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	Financial year
									All catego	ries of banks	
5,370 2,950 6,449 1,260 11,421 4,408	3,540 3,693 3,808 4,149 1,861 7,261	- 19,616 - 31,217 - 21,751 - 17,282 - 14,007 - 13,997	12,827 6,997 17,275 22,626 36,477 35,200	1,225 3,923 - 15,452 - 12,254 - 3,235 - 7,625	14,052 10,920 1,823 10,372 33,242 27,575	3,672 3,850 5,505 5,583 9,744 5,402	10,380 7,070 - 3,682 4,789 23,498 22,173	- 3,797 - 2,267 7,270 - 831 - 14,395 - 11,810	6,583 4,803 3,588 3,958 9,103	7,090,826 7,129,090 7,038,224 7,183,653 7,524,722	2002 2003 2004
1,100	,			,		5,102	=,	,		ercial banks	2000
4,719 2,144 5,363 414 10,542 2,752	1,245 1,515 1,633 2,117 472 2,094	- 6,166 - 9,034 - 7,345 - 5,302 - 3,906 - 4,091	3,346 3,472 4,784 6,744 19,804 14,913	905 - 2,563 - 10,472 - 7,086 - 1,856 - 4,761	4,251 909 - 5,688 - 342 17,948 10,152	446 869 302 825 5,180 1,907	3,805 40 - 5,990 - 1,167 12,768 8,245	- 2,040 769 5,661 615 - 8,592 - 2,865	1,765 809 – 329 – 552 4,176	2,362,423 2,309,650 2,251,587 2,361,952 2,563,063	2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006
									В	ig banks 6	
4,882 2,074 4,901 619 10,775 2,971	195 - 225 233 907 - 846 920	- 3,900 - 6,119 - 4,751 - 2,947 - 1,713 - 2,073	853 58 649 2,373 13,865 9,352	2,098 - 1,989 - 7,964 - 4,440 1,002 - 1,832	2,951 - 1,931 - 7,315 - 2,067 14,867 7,520	- 438 96 - 490 - 218 4,030 936	3,389 - 2,027 - 6,825 - 1,849 10,837 6,584	- 1,154 2,889 7,698 3,337 - 7,941 - 2,807			2002 2003 2004
– 192	1,035	- 2,231	2,406	_ 1,197	1,209	840	Regional i 369	banks and otl – 883	ner commerci 		2001
59 451 - 210 - 249 - 238	1,719 1,382 1,198 1,316 1,158	- 2,844 - 2,566 - 2,320 - 2,197 - 2,009	3,357 4,007 4,271 5,811 5,437	- 568 - 2,506 - 2,625 - 2,853	2,789 1,501 1,646 2,958 2,508	735 754 1,017 1,098 917	2,054 747 629 1,860 1,591	- 2,120 - 2,035 - 2,722 - 651 - 58	- 66 - 1,288 - 2,093 1,209 1,533	676,254 689,268 573,493 602,538 586,058	2002
									inches of fore		2004
29 11 11 5 16 19	15 21 18 12 2 16	- 35 - 71 - 28 - 35 4 - 9	87 57 128 100 128 124	- 5	91 51 126 79 123 124	44 38 26 52 54	47 13 88 53 71 70	- 3 0 - 2 0 0 0	44 13 86 53 71 70	36,462 31,870 28,343 24,379 21,152 19,695	2002 2003 2004 2005
										desbanken 7	
573 644 345 262 241 1,010	859 677 639 581 – 148 1,026	- 3,181 - 7,746 - 3,754 - 799 - 782 1,373	2,260 - 2,098 2,340 4,988 4,123 7,999	- 423 3,400 - 4,573 - 4,516 - 1,093 - 1,985	1,837 1,302 - 2,233 472 3,030 6,014	296 399 482 835 413 878	1,541 903 - 2,715 - 363 2,617 5,136	- 637 - 129 3,619 1,161 - 1,715 - 3,835	904 774 904 798 902 1,301	1,599,330 1,644,026 1,639,615 1,519,005 1,581,453 1,651,972	2002 2003 2004 2005



Profit and loss accounts, by category of banks * (cont'd)

€ million

€ million												
		Interest busi	ness		Non-interes	t business		General adn	ninistrative sp	pending		
	Number of reporting institutions	Net interest received (col 3 less col 4)	Interest received (total) 1	Interest paid	Net com- missions received (col 6 less col 7)	Commis- sions received	Commis- sions paid	Total (col 9 plus col 10)	Staff costs	Total other adminis- trative spending 2	Partial operating result (col 2 plus col 5 less col 8)	
Financial												
year	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
	Savings ban	ks										
2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006	536 519 489 477 463 457	21,606 23,234 23,504 23,192 22,926 22,455	54,522 53,932 50,962 48,524 47,328 47,049	32,916 30,698 27,458 25,332 24,402 24,594	4,743 4,784 5,180 5,562 5,621 5,852	5,019 5,065 5,495 5,912 5,996 6,242	276 281 315 350 375 390	18,688 19,022 19,349 18,907 19,146 19,004	11,076 11,324 11,725 11,587 11,841 11,686	7,612 7,698 7,624 7,320 7,305 7,318	7,661 8,996 9,335 9,847 9,401 9,303	
	-	titutions of c										
2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006	2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1,480 1,414 936 948 1,037 1,009	11,769 8,865 6,972 6,362 6,698 7,439	10,289 7,451 6,036 5,414 5,661 6,430	354 303 343 317 359 336	647 565 629 704 795 807	293 262 286 387 436 471	1,316 1,135 1,103 1,006 974 1,095	614 540 523 518 543 673	702 595 580 488 431 422	518 582 176 259 422 250	
	Credit coope	eratives										
2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006	1,619 1,488 1,392 1,336 1,292 1,257	12,855 13,648 13,987 14,249 14,230 13,720	30,783 29,958 28,514 27,687 27,287 27,437	17,928 16,310 14,527 13,438 13,057 13,717	3,107 3,124 3,401 3,685 3,886 3,949	3,460 3,491 3,802 4,184 4,499 4,601	353 367 401 499 613 652	12,592 12,615 12,915 12,963 13,333 13,534	7,352 7,442 7,619 7,677 8,013 8,247	5,240 5,173 5,296 5,286 5,320 5,320 5,287	3,370 4,157 4,473 4,971 4,783 4,135	
	Mortgage b	anks										
2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006	27 25 25 25 24 22	4,005 3,695 3,795 3,847 3,933 3,774	53,012 49,868 44,657 42,398 42,930 46,761	49,007 46,173 40,862 38,551 38,997 42,987	- 75 - 55 - 58 - 31 - 5 285	182 208 256 247 331 603	257 263 314 278 336 318	1,402 1,347 1,405 1,396 1,458 1,606	694 664 663 663 697 808	708 683 742 733 761 798	2,528 2,293 2,332 2,420 2,470 2,453	
	Special purp	ose banks 7										
2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006	13 14 14 16 16 16	2,534 2,984 2,893 3,405 3,481 3,559	23,850 23,364 21,904 27,010 28,663 30,925	21,316 20,380 19,011 23,605 25,182 27,366	248 483 492 601 633 718	509 775 835 839 900 1,040	261 292 343 238 267 322	883 1,098 1,175 1,463 1,496 1,638	527 615 653 830 855 959	356 483 522 633 641 679	1,899 2,369 2,210 2,543 2,618 2,639	
	Memo item:	Banks major	ity-owned by	foreign banl	<s 8<="" td=""><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td></s>							
2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006	51 49 45 42 41 44	3,019 3,430 3,521 3,931 8,216 8,679	11,676 15,964 14,921 15,124 29,491 32,317	8,657 12,534 11,400 11,193 21,275 23,638	1,426 1,186 1,425 1,724 3,389 3,694	2,233 1,929 1,818 2,167 4,246 4,867	807 743 393 443 857 1,173	3,216 3,381 3,325 3,534 7,291 7,664	1,474 1,486 1,443 1,473 3,416 3,700	1,742 1,895 1,882 2,061 3,875 3,964	1,229 1,235 1,621 2,121 4,314 4,709	

* The figures for the most recent date should be regarded as provisional in all cases. Excluding building and loan associations, institutions in liquidation and institutions with a truncated financial year. — 1 Interest received plus current income and profits transferred under profit pooling and profit transfer agreements. — 2 Including depreciation of and adjustments for tangible and intangible assets, but excluding depreciation of and adjustments for assets leased ("broad" definition). — 3 In part, including taxes paid by legally dependent building and loan associations affiliated to Landesbanken. — 4 Including profit or loss brought forward and withdrawals from or transfers to the fund for general

Net profit or net loss on finan- cial op- erations	Net other operating income or charges	Net income or net charges from the valuation of assets (other than tangible or financial fixed assets)	Operating result (col 11 to col 14)	Net other and extra- ordinary income or charges	Profit for the finan- cial year before tax (col 15 plus col 16)	Taxes on income and earnings 3	Profit or loss (-) for the finan- cial year after tax (col 17 less col 18)	With- drawals from or transfers to (-) reserves and parti- cipation rights capital 4	Balance sheet profit or loss (–) (col 19 plus col 20)	balance	
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	Financial year
									S;	avings banks	
- 11 - 43 215 159 180 176	408 615 256 206 299 418	- 4,980 - 6,927 - 5,247 - 5,883 - 4,947 - 5,256	3,078 2,641 4,559 4,329 4,933 4,641	571 786 197 71 - 6 - 214	3,649 3,427 4,756 4,400 4,927 4,427	1,633 1,471 3,011 2,122 2,285 1,973	2,016 1,956 1,745 2,278 2,642 2,454	- 829 - 676 - 580 - 885 - 1,125 - 864	1,187 1,280 1,165 1,393 1,517 1,590	948,723 975,490 980,622 985,944 995,377	2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006
							Regi	onal institutio	ons of credit o	cooperatives	
132 234 370 376 405 403	138 209 98 57 7 13	- 772 - 905 - 514 - 321 - 180 - 111	16 120 130 371 654 555	286 189 - 81 - 151 - 248 - 173	302 309 49 220 406 382	115 - 27 - 123 - 80 10 - 428	187 336 172 300 396 810	- 108 - 259 - 93 - 202 - 223 - 589	79 77 98 173 221	213,520 203,899 194,244 219,881	2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006
									Credit	cooperatives	
- 41 - 28 138 40 51 59	495 503 1,027 904 891 3,282	- 2,671 - 3,687 - 3,095 - 3,042 - 2,999 - 4,240	1,153 945 2,543 2,873 2,726 3,236	735 1,572 380 104 1,430 342	1,888 2,517 2,923 2,977 4,156 3,578	772 801 1,484 1,458 1,444 807	1,716 1,439 1,519 2,712	- 182 - 768 - 440 - 437 - 1,519 - 1,541	934 948 999 1,082 1,193 1,230	548,026 556,946 567,674 578,641	2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006
										tgage banks	
- 1 5 2 1 3 6	273 138 - 26 169 206 65	- 1,121 - 1,843 - 1,110 - 1,625 - 1,128 - 1,067	1,679 593 1,198 965 1,551 1,457	- 495 692 - 368 - 399 - 1,391 - 889	1,184 1,285 830 566 160 568	324 247 255 328 313 196	860 1,038 575 238 - 153 372	680 - 331 14 587 906 - 119	1,540 707 589 825 753 253		2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006
- 1	122	- 725	1,295	- 354	941	86	855	- 681	Special purp 174	pose banks 7 481,621	2001
- 1 - 6 16 8 - 1 2	36 181 115 134	- 1,075 - 686 - 310 - 65	1,324 1,721 2,356 2,686	- 534 - 153 - 535 - 277 - 71 55	1,171 1,186 2,079 2,615	90 94 95 99 69	1,081 1,092 1,984 2,516 2,385	- 873 - 911 - 1,670 - 2,127 - 1,997	208 181 314 389 388	508,807 528,174 679,799 707,171 750,579	2002 2003 2004 2005
								nks majority-c		-	
- 143 108 287 - 85 345 325	327 561 292 262 167 190	- 422 - 632 - 799 - 612 - 1,962 - 1,854	991 1,272 1,401 1,686 2,864 3,370	- 266 - 18 - 837 - 874 - 783 - 1,289	725 1,254 564 812 2,081 2,081	349 449 274 494 721 516	376 805 290 318 1,360 1,565	134 - 310 390 206 - 537 - 511	510 495 680 524 823 1,054	168,517 284,168 291,782 313,299 649,254 679,356	2002 2003 2004 2005

banking risks. — 5 Excluding the balance sheet total of the foreign branches of savings banks. From 2004, excluding the balance sheet total of the foreign branches of regional institutions of credit cooperatives. — 6 From 2004, Deutsche Postbank AG allocated to the category of "Big banks". — 7 From 2004, NRW.BANK, allocated to the category of "Special purpose banks". — 8 Separate presentation of the (legally independent) credit institutions majority-owned by foreign banks and included in the categories "Big banks", "Regional banks and other commercial banks" and "Mortgage banks".



Credit institutions' charge and income items *

		Charges										
							General ad	dministrativ	ve spendin	g		
								Staff costs				
						Gross loss on trans-				Social sect and costs to pension other ben	relating ns and	
	Number of re- porting institu-		Interest	Commis- sions	Net loss on finan- cial oper-	actions in goods and sub- sidiary			Wages and		of which	Other adminis- trative spend-
Financial year	tions	Total	paid	paid	ations	actions	Total	Total	salaries	Total	Pensions	ing 1
		DM millio	า									
1998	3,167	666,066	455,339	6,593	289	0	114,367	70,123	53,679			44,244
1999	2,897	696,747	479,259	8,408	1,048	0	126,396	75,174	58,217	16,957	6,902	51,221
1999 2000 2001 2002	2,897 2,636 2,423	€ million 356,241 412,264 430,361	245,041 293,052 303,185	4,299 5,698 5,887	536 370 831 884	000000000000000000000000000000000000000	64,625 71,853 75,237	38,436 41,997 43,031	29,766 32,772 33,766	8,670 9,225 9,265	3,843 3,899	26,189 29,856 32,206
2002	2,268 2,128	400,045 364,797	258,904 227,033	5,885 6,289	354	0	72,472 71,901	41,578 41,585	32,514 32,088	9,064 9,497	3,489 3,946	30,894 30,316
2003	2,120	346,700	218,617	6,289	898	0	70,989	41,365	31,626	9,497	4,028	29,766
2005	1,988	372,968	240,871	7,554	637	0	74,459	43,445	33,278	10,167	4,562	31,014
2006	1,940	398,097	268,444	8,559	502	0	77,582	45,970	35,234	10,736	4,998	31,612

 \star The figures for the most recent date should be regarded as provisional in all cases. - 1 Spending item does not include depreciation of and adjustments for tangible and intangible assets, shown net of depreciation of assets leased ("narrow" definition). All other tables are based on a broad definition of "other administrative spending". $-\!-$

	Income									
		Interest rece	ived		Current inco	me				
			from lending and money market	from debt securities and Debt		from shares and	f	from	Profits transferred under profit pooling and profit transfer	Commis-
			trans-	Register		other vari- able vield	from parti- cipating	shares in affiliated	agree-	sions
Financial year	Total	Total	actions	claims	Total	securities	interests 1	enterprises		received
1998	DM million 700.804	F79.000	488,258	00.405		10.027	2 6 2 6	8 200	1 C 4 O	42 602
1998	700,804	578,663 604,647				10,627	3,628 2,789	8,296 8,788		43,603 52,338
1555	· ·	004,047	505,191	99,450	24,540	12,505	2,705	0,700	2,275	52,550
1999	€ million 368,638	309,151	258,300	50,851	12,550	6,631	1,426	4,493	1,163	26,760
2000	424,841	351,570	290,904	60,666	16,994	7,951	2,219	6,824	1,382	33,793
2000	440,741	363,138	298,110	65,028	17,379	9,849	2,215	5,361	1,897	31,236
2002	407,115	323,949	266,031	57,918	17,446	7,226	1,835	8,385	3,077	30,212
2003	361,115	294,244	243,578	50,666	10,975	6,503	1,220	3,252	3,523	30,645
2004	351,489	285,732	235,855	49,877	14,666	9,631	1,212	3,823	3,217	32,039
2005	396,466	306,745	252,604	54,141	17,000	12,365	1,250	3,385	5,337	35,351
2006	420,270	332,878	274,203			14,105	1,232	3,472	5,890	38,409

1 Including amounts paid up on cooperative society shares.

Value adjus respect of t and intang	angible		Value ad- justments in respect of loans	Value ad- justments in respect of parti-						Profits	
			and advances, and pro- visions for con-	cipating interests, shares in affiliated enter-						trans- ferred under profit pooling	
			tingent liabilities	prises and	Charges			T		and	
	of which	Other	and for	securities treated	incurred through	Transfers	Extra-	Taxes on income		profit transfer	
	Assets	operating	commit-	as fixed	loss	to special	ordinary	and earn-	Other	agree-	
Total	leased	charges	ments	assets	transfers	reserves	charges	ings 2	taxes	ments	Financial year
	-									DM million	
11,328	494	6,362	30,059	545	1,294	358	6,395	31,148	243	1,746	1998
11,680	792	6,122	30,339	1,078	1,013	8,479	3,237	17,579	376	1,735	1999
										€ million	
5,972	405	3,130	15,512	551	518	4,335	1,655		192	887	1999
6,243	423	4,280	17,902	1,747	751	59	2,271	6,747	179	1,112	2000
5,975	167	4,237	22,327	1,827	2,785	113	2,221	3,672	215	1,849	2001
5,995	143	4,288	34,213	3,412	4,550	64	2,102	3,850	185	3,241	2002
5,520	125	5,404	23,325	7,480	2,861	63	5,264	5,505	169	3,629	2003
4,904	112	3,763	19,439	1,352	1,427	37	8,893	5,583	176	3,865	2004
4,347	0	5,752	17,917	711	1,398	36	4,688	9,744	202	4,652	2005
3,890	17	4,666	17,884	2,598	796	50	2,659	5,402	192	4,873	2006

2 In part, including taxes paid by legally dependent building and loan associations affiliated to Landesbanken.

		Value re-	Value re-	Other operati	ng income				
		adjustments	adjustments			1			
		in respect	in respect of						
		of loans and	participating						
		advances,	interests,						
		and provi-	shares in						
	Gross profit	sions for	affiliated						
	on trans-	contingent	enterprises						
	actions in	liabilities	and			Income from			
Net profit	goods and	and for	securities		of which	the release			
on financial	subsidiary	commit-	treated as		from leasing	of special	Extraordin-	Income from	
operations	transactions	ments	fixed assets	Total	business	reserves	ary income	loss transfers	Financial year
								DM million	
7,368	457	2,895	15,740	11,826	988	298	15,087	676	1998
8,064	432	7,825	6,083	11,645	1,021	319	2,607	213	1999
								€million	
4,123	221	4,001	3,110	5,954	522	163	1,333	109	1999
6,819	201	2,016	2,329	6,727	536	1,840	1,025		2000
6,201	183	2,711	5,787	7,976	247	1,502	2,378	353	2001
3,834	170	2,996	12,040	8,139	243	889	3,586	777	2002
6,803	165	1,574	2,188	9,341	220	450	1,111	96	2003
2,158	160	2,157	1,070	8,040	239	49	1,716	485	2004
12,058	161	3,910	4,975	7,654	55	83	3,136		2005
4,910	173	3,887	2,315	11,963	34	28	938	70	2006