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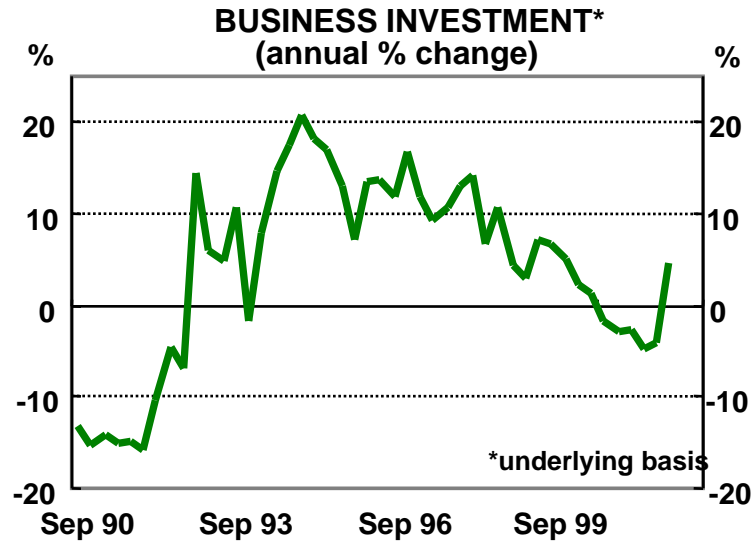
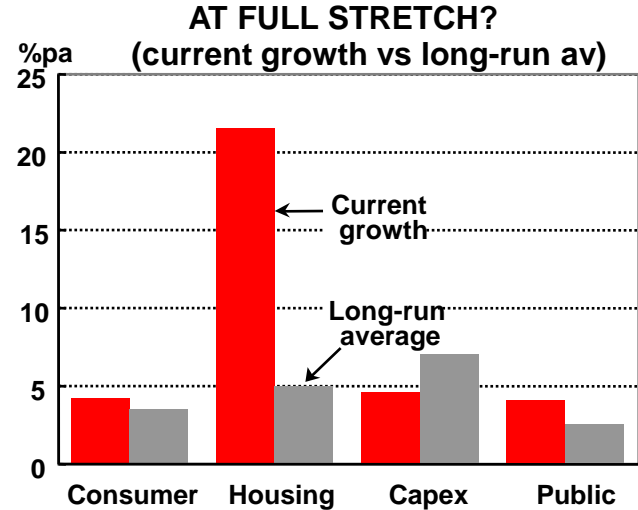
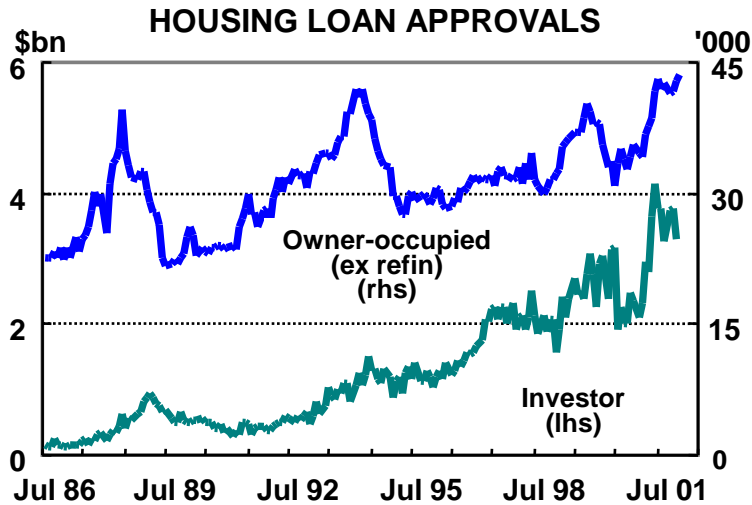


Agenda

- Australian Economy
- Commonwealth Bank Performance
- Strategic Imperatives
- Competitive Advantage
- Summary



Australian Economy



Source: Commonwealth Research- March 2002

Commonwealth Bank Performance



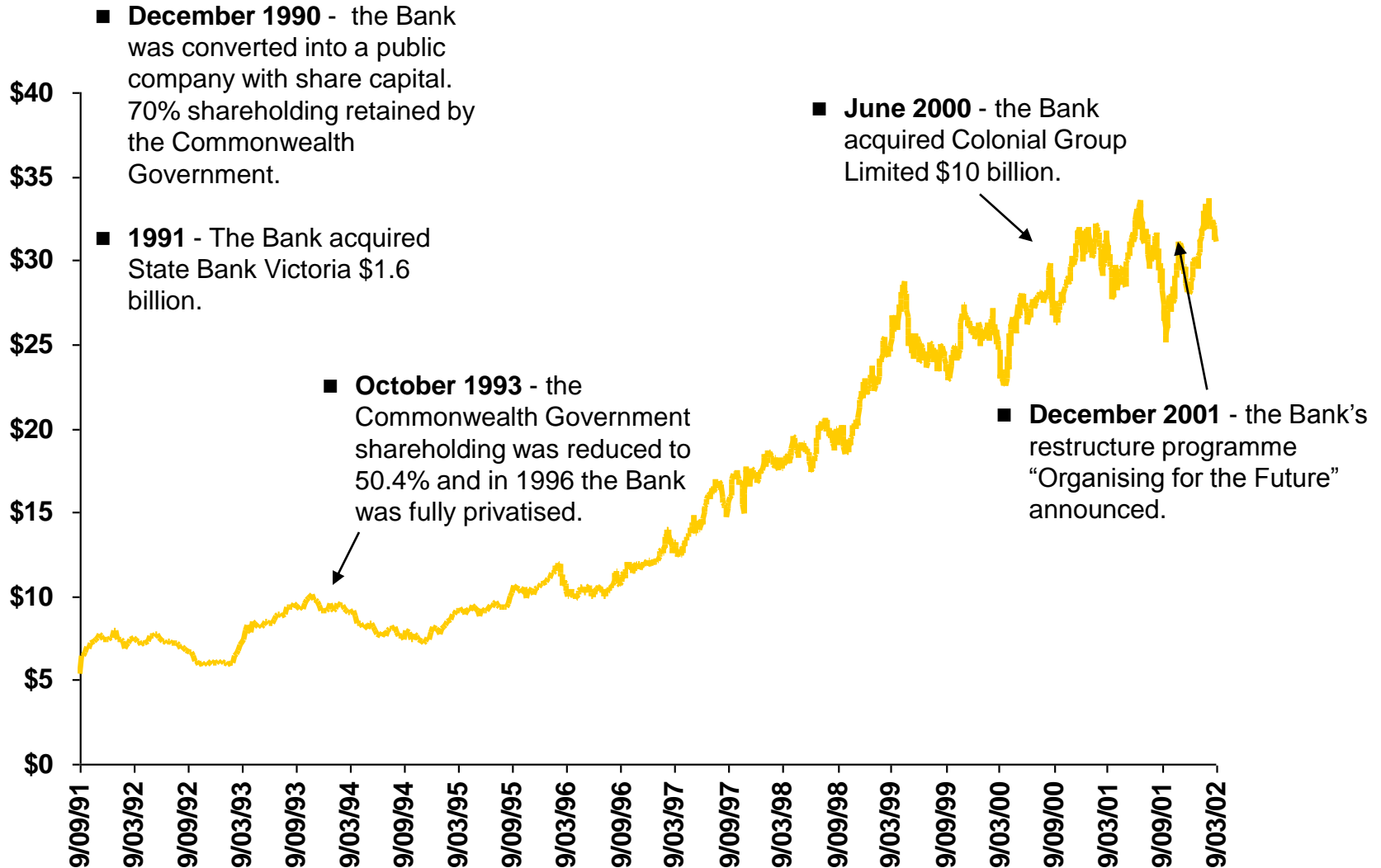
Financial Performance :

Half Year to 31 December 2001

- Underlying Group performance up 14%
- Reflects a strong banking result up 16% (before bad debts) driven by a steady net interest margin and growth in other banking income
- Funds under management result is up 23% with strong momentum in funds inflow maintained through September 11
- Australian life insurance operating margin up 22% offset by a weak offshore life insurance result
- Increase in bad and doubtful debt expense, driven by two large impaired corporate exposures
- Organisational restructure announced in December 2001 complementing the Bank's strategic focus on wealth management



Share price performance last 10 years



Strategic Imperatives

- Segmentation
- Productivity



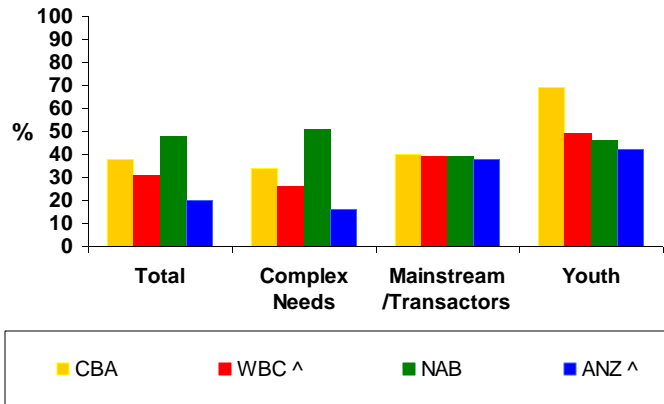
Segmentation: Aligned Domestic Structure with Customer Needs

	Retail Banking Services	Premium Financial Services	Investment & Insurance Services	Institutional & Business Services
<i>Customer Group</i>	Personal banking customers, Small business banking customers	Premium clients including professionals and business	Agents, Brokers, Financial Advisers	Institutional, Corporate, Commercial business customers
<i>Channels</i>	Branch, Ezy-Banking, ATM, EFTPOS, Phone, On-line, Mortgage brokers	Relationship managers, Premium investment centres, phone, on-line.	Agents, Branches, Brokers, Financial Advisers, Premium investment centres DirectDealerships	Relationship managers, Business centres
<i>Services</i>	Group Technology, Back Office Operations, Procurement, Shared Services			
<i>Support</i>	Finance, Risk Management, Human Resources, Strategy, Legal, Secretariat			

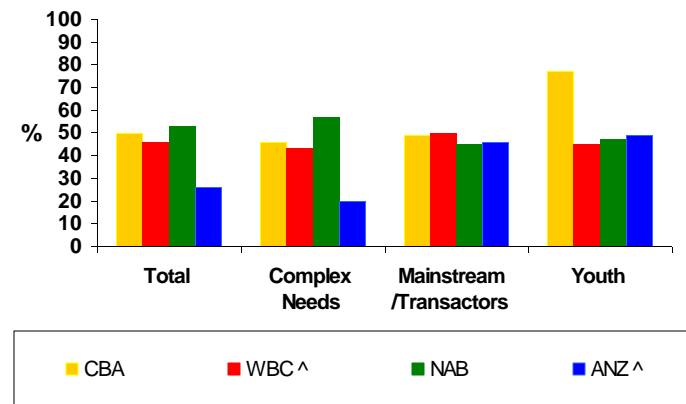


Segmentation : Retail Share of Wallet

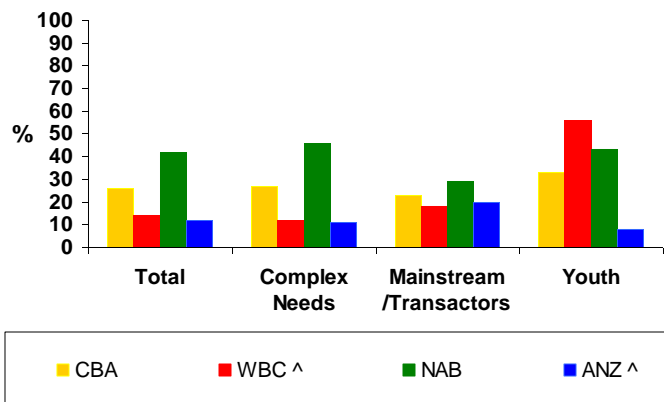
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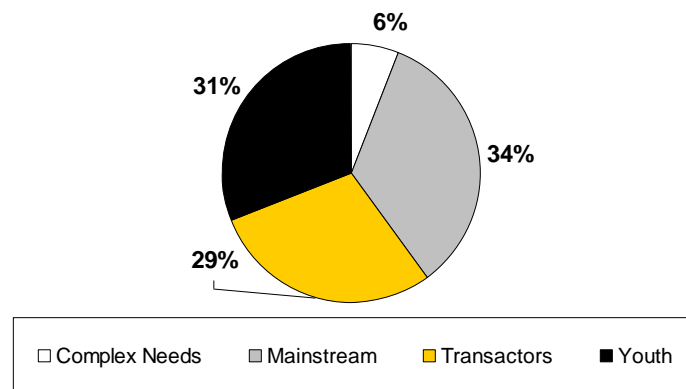
Banking



Investment

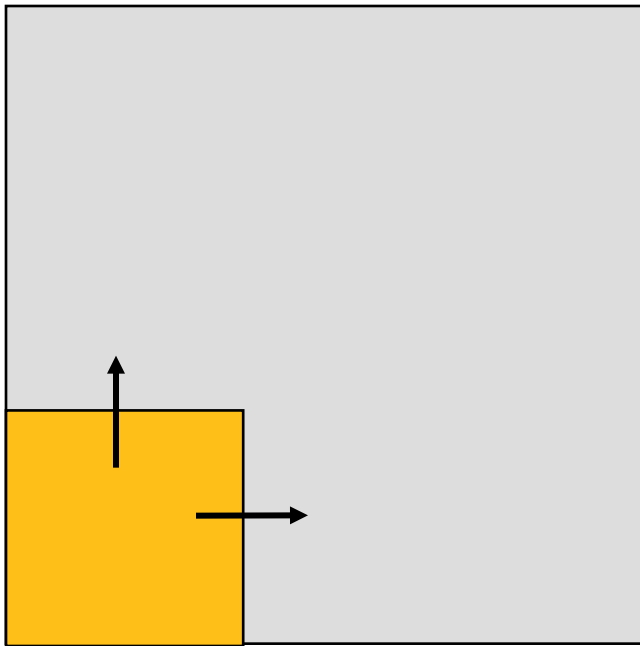


CBA Personal Customers : Segment share



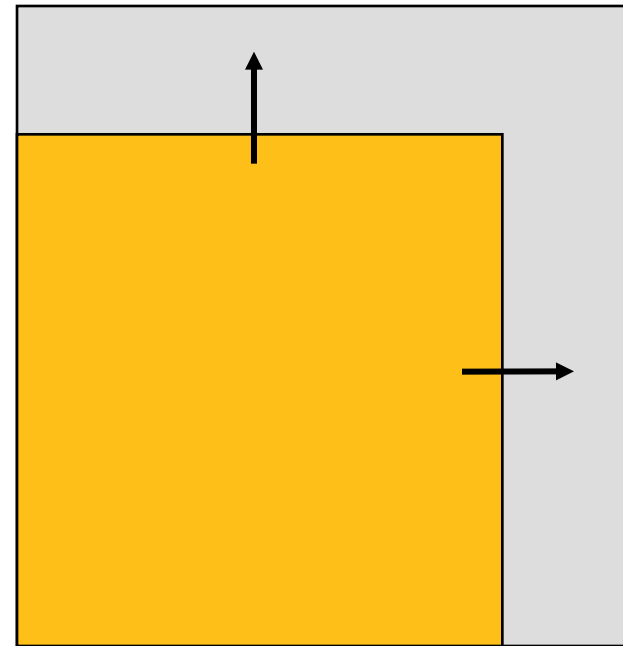
Premium and Business Opportunity

Premium Customers



- Current number of premium customers
- Potential number of premium customers

Business (Middle Market)



- Current market share
- Natural market share

Source : Commonwealth Bank illustration

Productivity

- Segmentation : premium banking
- Simplified transaction accounts
- Browser based workflow enabled systems
- Credit risk architecture
- 7 level organisation structure
- Shared services : HR and finance

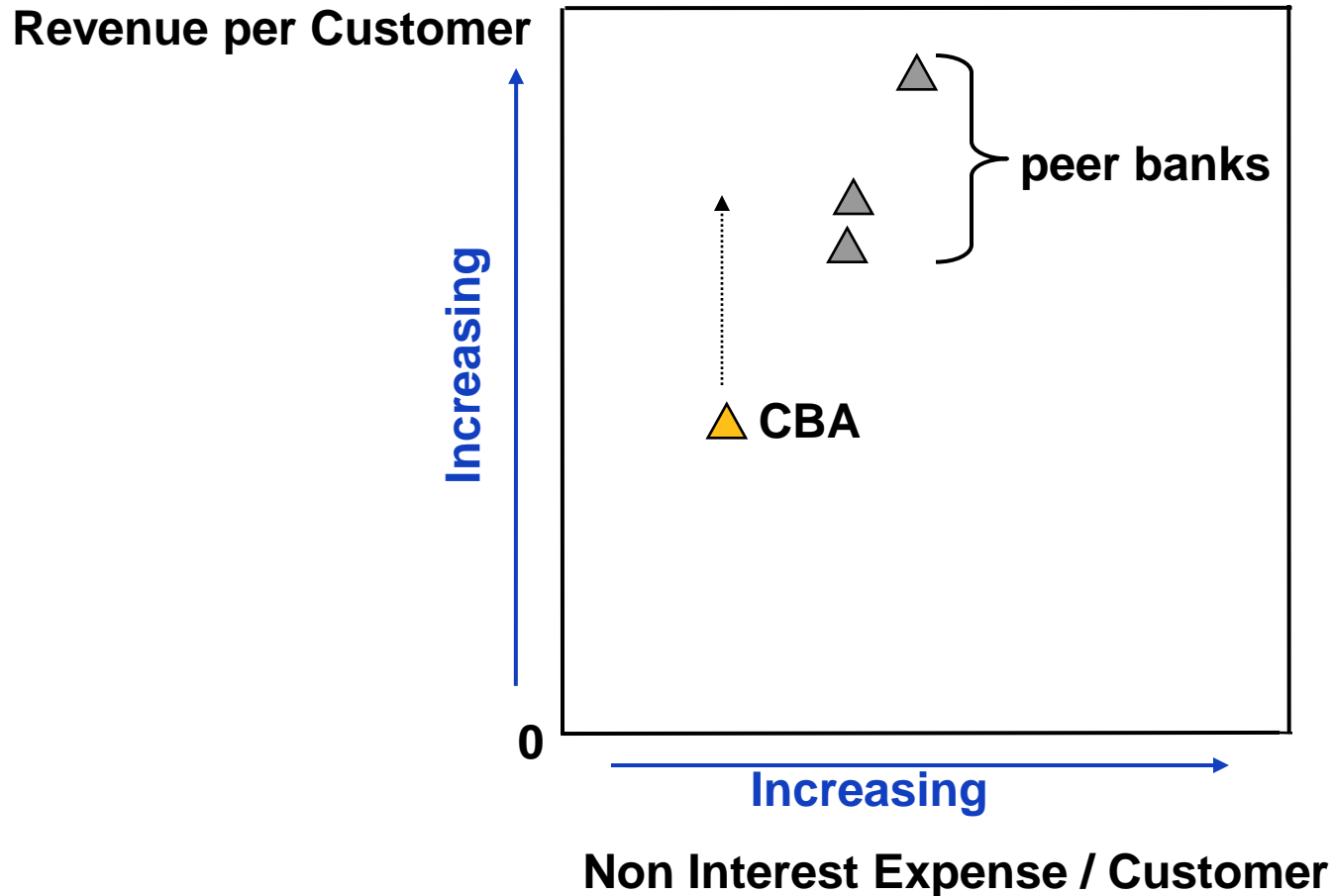


Competitive Advantage

- Scale
- Brand
- Risk Profile
- Products and Businesses
- Distribution
- Innovation
- People



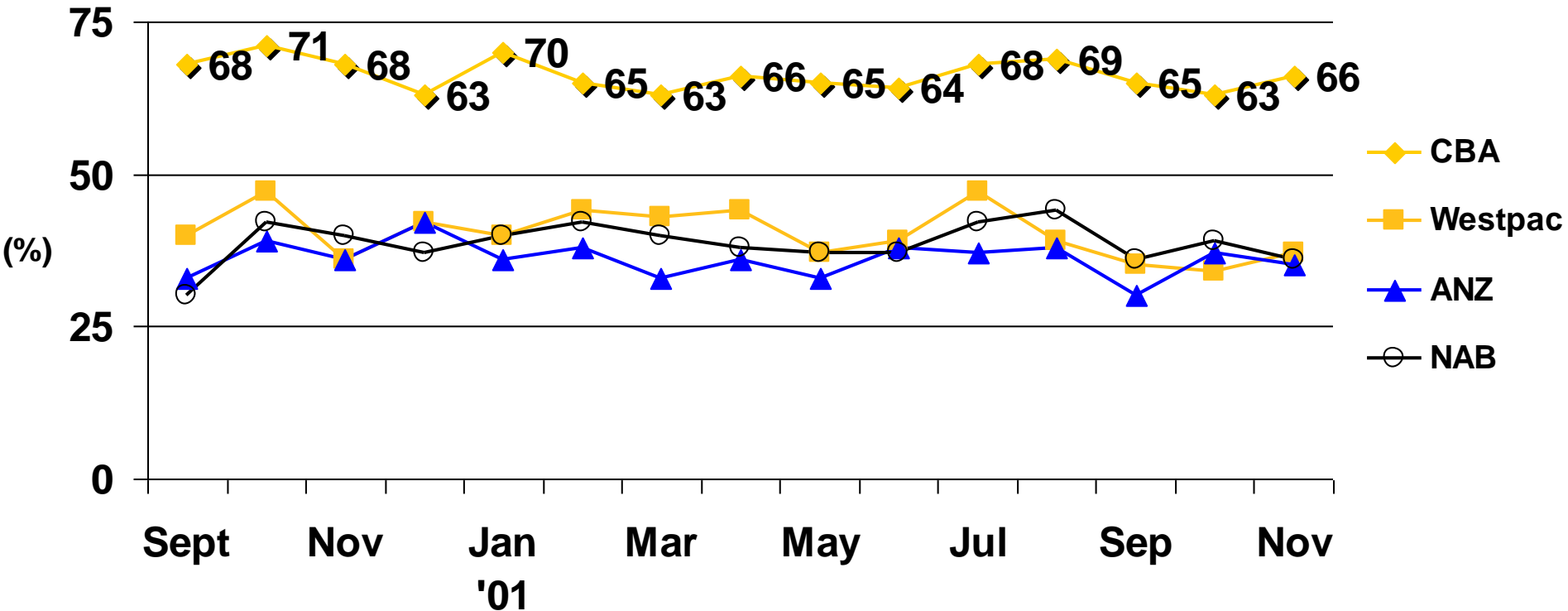
Scale : Low Cost per Customer



Source: Commonwealth Bank illustration

Brand : Commonwealth Bank

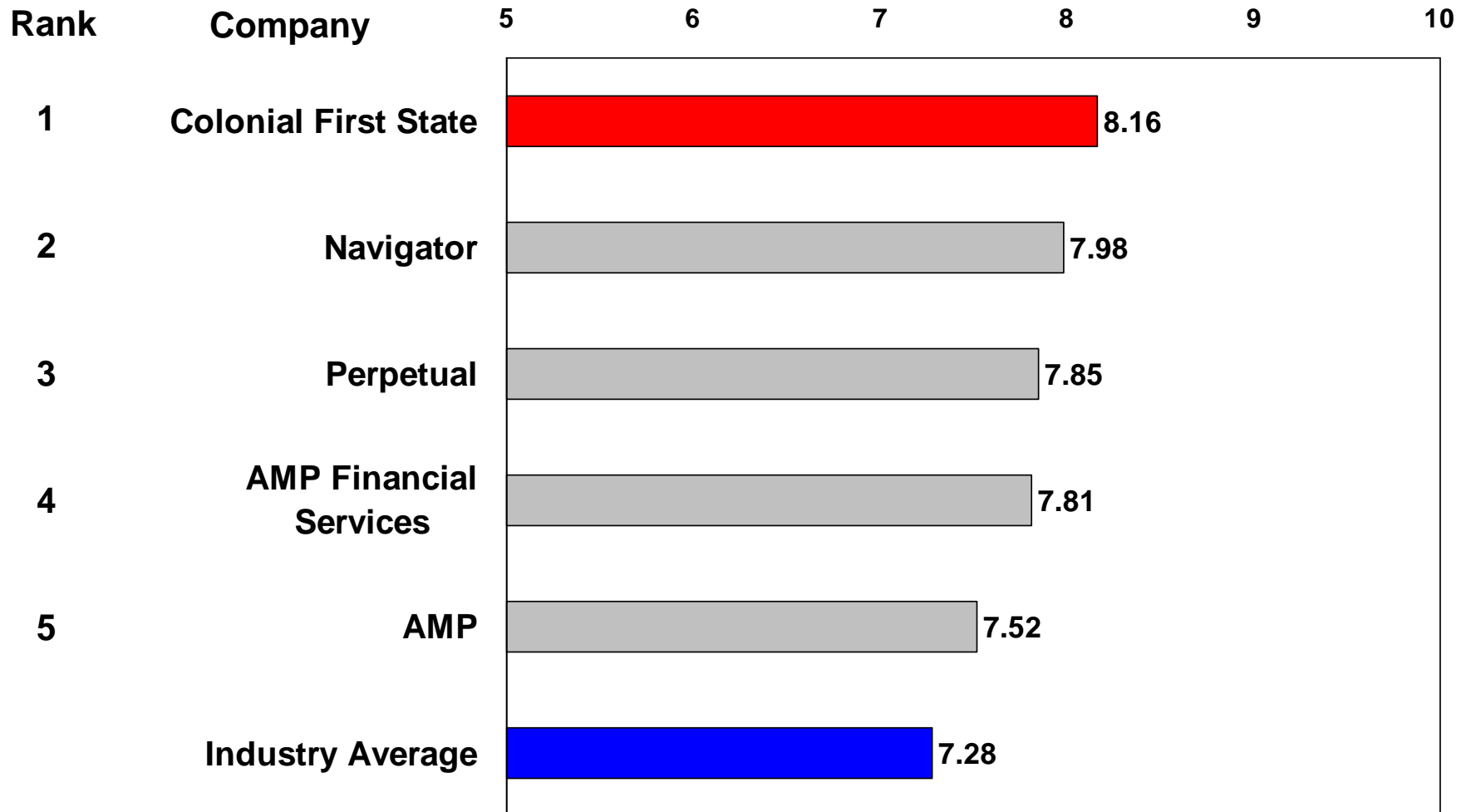
Share of Mind*



- CBA's share of mind remains at a consistent level, leading the Big Four.
- Share of mind for Westpac, ANZ and NAB continue to measure at similar levels.

Brand : Colonial First State

Adviser brand awareness - overall opinion of organisation



Source: ASSIRT Service Level Survey - 2001

Risk Profile :

Proportion of Housing Loans

Housing Loan Portfolio

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Gross Loans	91,547	101,000	112,933	145,000	152,970
Home Loans Balances (\$m)	43,383	47,410	52,646	70,738	73,511
As % of Gross Loans	47.4%	46.9%	46.6%	48.8%	48.1%

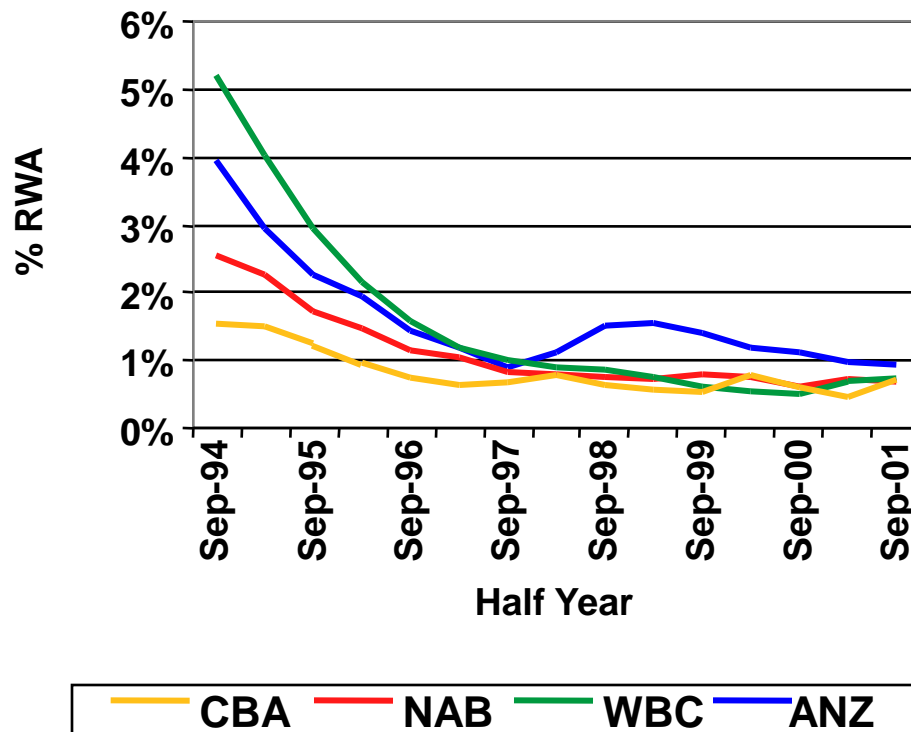
Housing Loan Arrears Rate

	30/06/1999	30/06/2000*	31/12/2000*	30/06/2001	31/12/2001
Housing Loans Accruing Past 90 Days or More	182	211	247	218	168
Housing Loan Balances (\$m)	52,646	70,738	71,505	73,511	79,746
Arrears Rate %	0.35%	0.30%	0.35%	0.30%	0.21%

*Housing loan balances net of securitisation and includes Colonial and home equity and similar facilities.

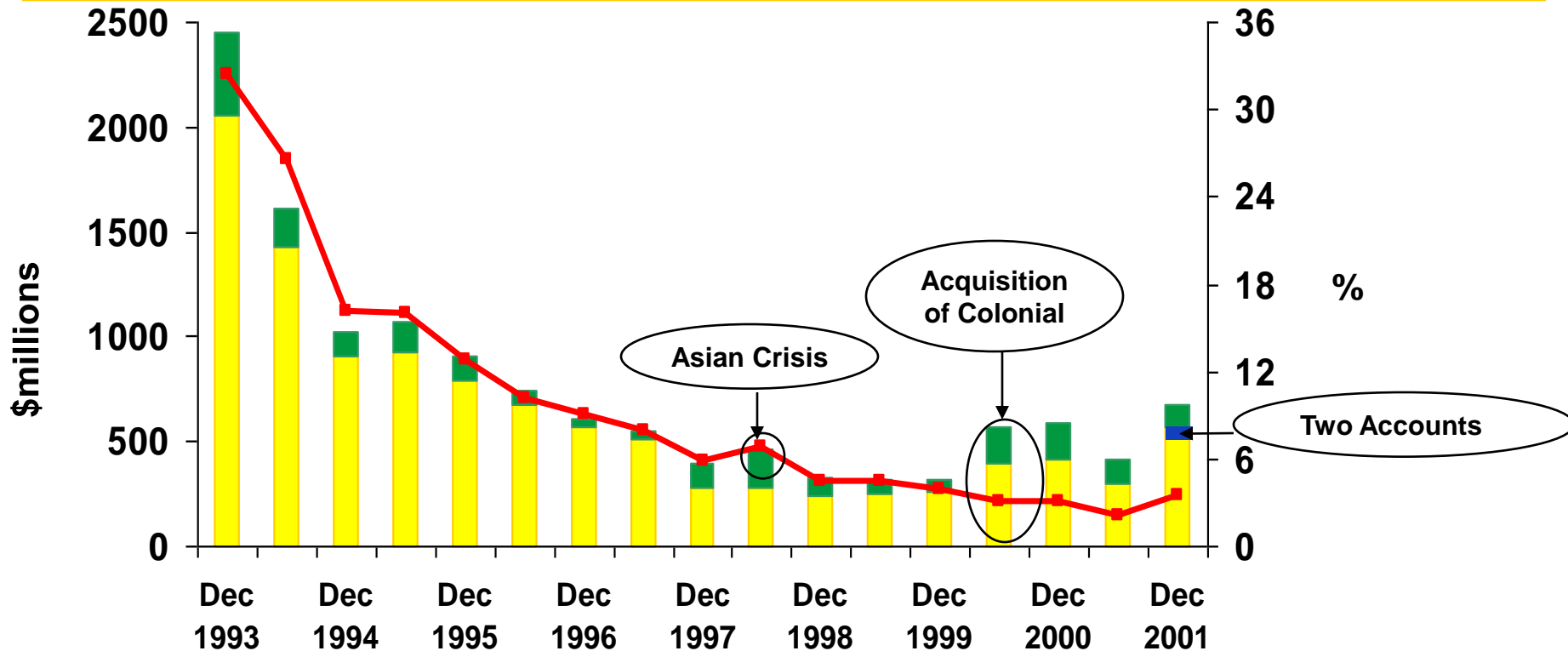
Risk Profile: Asset Quality - Peer Comparison

IMPAIRED ASSETS TO RISK WEIGHTED ASSETS



Risk Profile :

Asset Quality - Net Impaired Assets



Commonwealth Bank Group (Other Countries)*

Commonwealth Bank Group (Australia)*

Net Impaired assets as % of Total Shareholder Equity* (axis on right)

* Excluding Colonial prior to 30 June 2000

Risk Profile :

Capital

	30/06/00	31/12/00	30/06/01	31/12/01
	\$M	\$M	\$M	\$M
Total Tier One Capital	9,618	8,914	9,015	9,336
Total Tier Two Capital	6,097	5,802	5,784	5,911
Tier One and Tier Two Capital	15,715	14,716	14,799	15,247
Deductions	(3,197)	(2,278)	(2,119)	(2,366)
Total Regulatory Capital	12,518	12,438	12,680	12,881
Risk Weighted Capital Ratios (%)				
Tier one	7.49	6.71	6.51	6.75
Tier two	4.75	4.37	4.18	4.27
Less deductions	(2.49)	(1.71)	(1.53)	(1.71)
Total Capital	9.75	9.37	9.16	9.31

Products and Businesses

Australian Market Share

	Dec 2000	Jun 2001	Dec 2001	Rank
Home Loans (Residentially Secured)	20.8%	20.4%	20.1%	1
Credit Cards[^]	21.9%	21.4%	21.3%*	1
Retail Deposits	24.6%	24.0%	24.1%	1
Retail FUM (Plan for Life)	16.0%	16.5%	16.8%	1
Superannuation/Annuities	15.7%	15.8%	16.3%**	Leading
Retail Broking	8.5%	8.7%	8.5%	1

* November 2001

** September 2001

[^] Colonial data captured as part of market share calculation from June 2001



Distribution : Proprietary Channels in Australia



Personal Lenders
over 700 staff

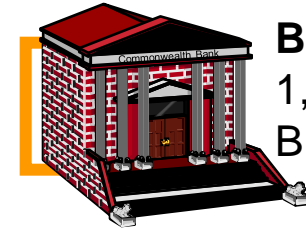


Direct Banking
over 62 million calls *

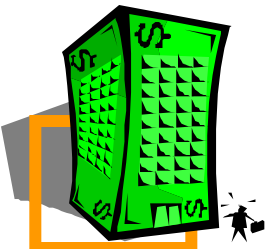


Mobile Bankers
over 180

Financial Planners
over 620



Branches
1,045 Branches



Business Banking
80 Centres

10 million customers



ATMs
nearly 4,000



EFTPOS
over 120,000



NetBank
1.5 million registered customers



Ezy Banking
over 700 Stores

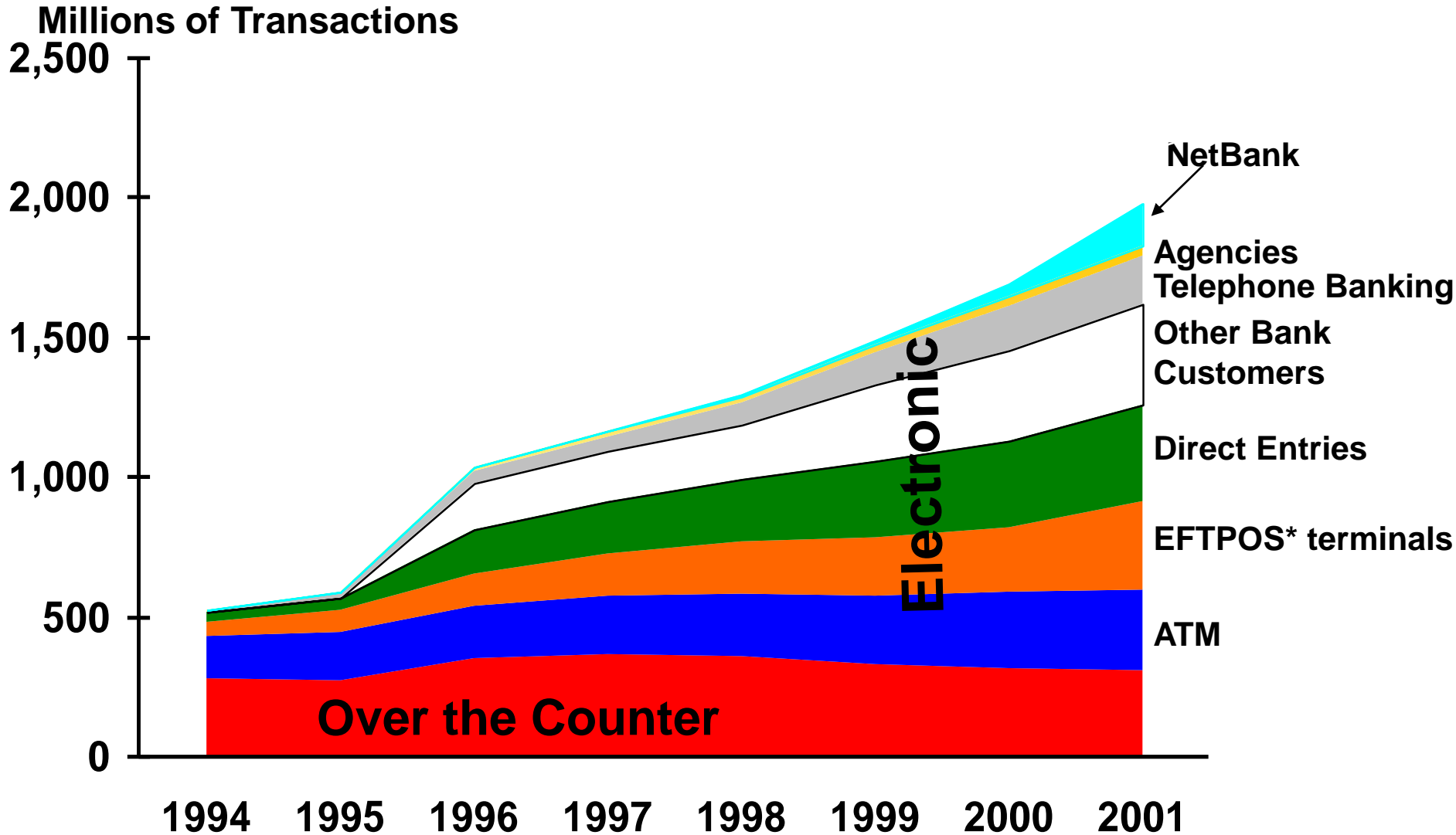


Premium Banking
13 Centres



Agencies (Postal & Private)
over 3,900

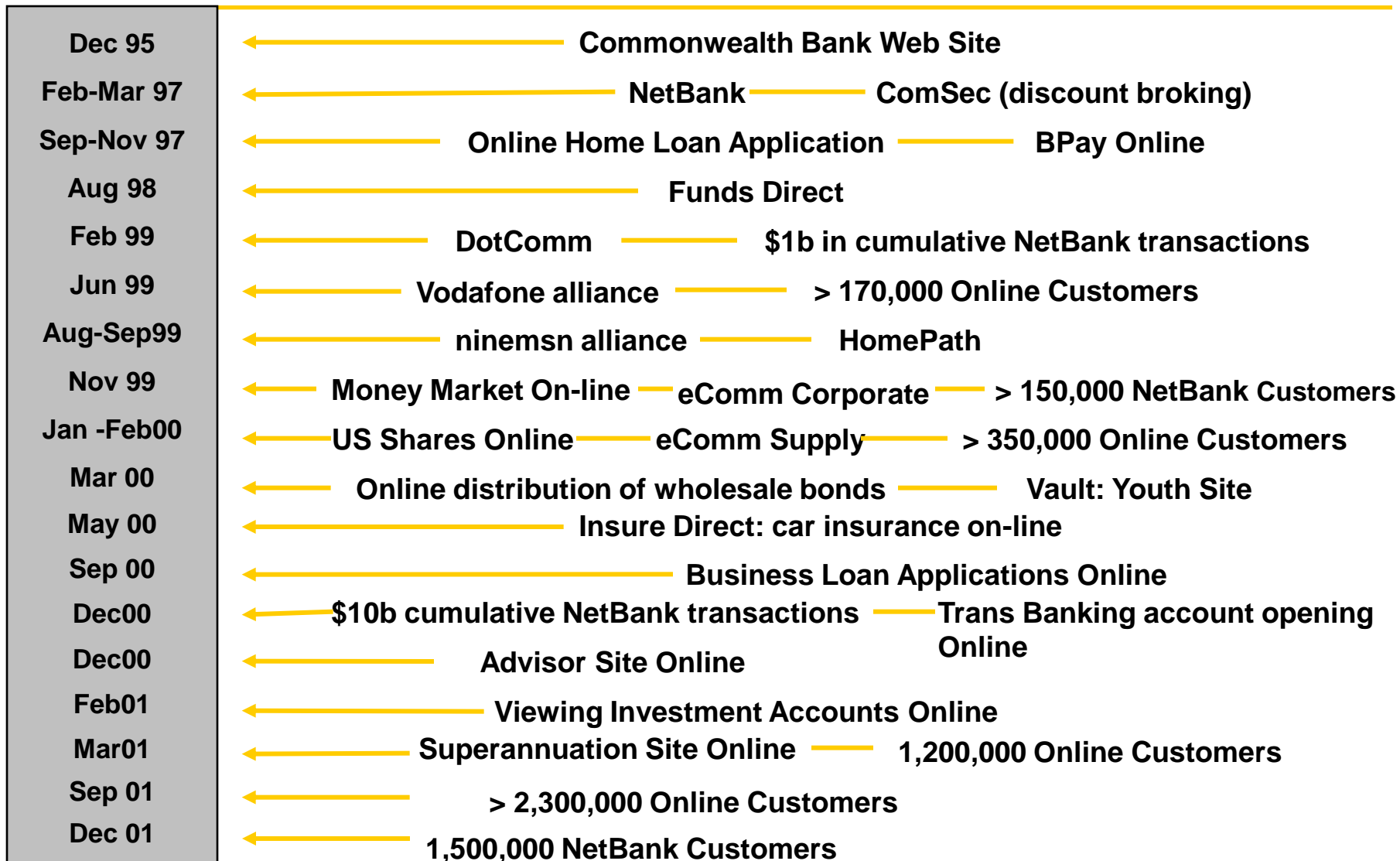
Distribution



* EFTPOS= Electronic Funds Transfer, Point Of Sale

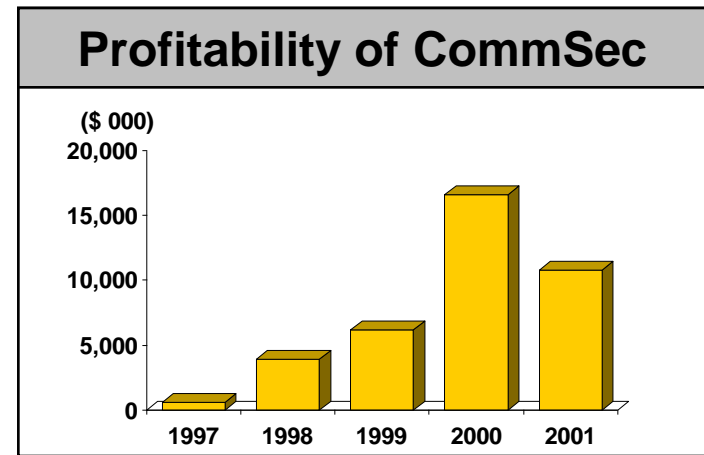
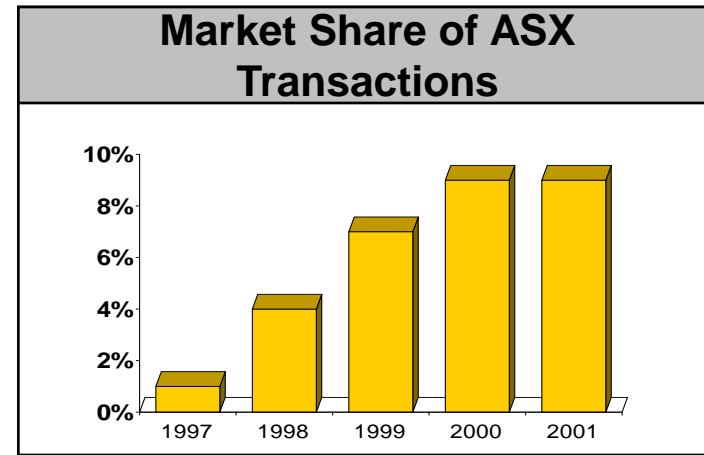


Innovation : e-Commerce footprint



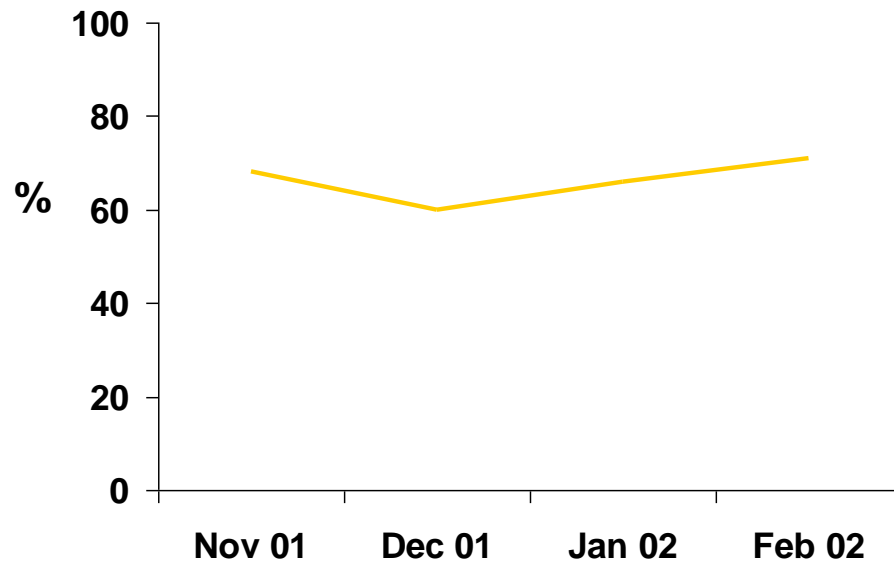
Innovation : CommSec™

- Australia's largest on-line broker
- Redefines the business
- Distribution power



People

- Management
- Staff Satisfaction
- Customer Satisfaction



Summary



Execution

	State Bank of Victoria	Colonial State Bank
Completed ahead of schedule	by 20 months (plan was 3.5 years)	by 11 months (plan was 2 years)
Transaction bridge installed	21 months	90 days
Amalgamation of branches	500 in 18 months	390 in 8 weekends
Staff involved	11,000	6,000
ATMs affected	281	500

Summary

■ Where to ?

- Segmentation
- Productivity

■ From What Base?

- Scale
- Brand
- Risk Profile
- Products and Businesses
- Distribution
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- People

■ How?

- Execution

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