

# Monthly Statement

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## 2024-25



### DECEMBER 2024

**Note the General Government Financial Statements include full year Original Budget and Year-to-Date Actuals. This does not include a full year projection.**

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That section requires budget time projections and year-to-date balances for the major General Government Sector aggregates disclosed in the Budget to be published for each month.

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Figures in tables have been rounded. Discrepancies between totals and sums of components reflect rounding.

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# GENERAL GOVERNMENT MONTHLY STATEMENT FOR SIX MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 2024

## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS<sup>1</sup>

**Table 1.1: General Government Sector Operating Statement**

|  | <i>12 Months to<br/>30/06/2025<br/>Budget<br/>\$m</i> | <i>6 Months to<br/>31/12/2024<br/>Actual<br/>\$m</i> |
|--|---|--|
| <b>Revenue from Transactions</b>                       |   |  |
| Taxation   | 48,345  | 19,377   |
| Grants and Subsidies                                   |   |  |
| Commonwealth General Purpose                           | 25,878  | 13,771   |
| Commonwealth Specific Purpose Payments                 | 13,536  | 6,735  |
| Commonwealth National Partnership Payments             | 7,271   | 2,240  |
| Other Grants and Subsidies                             | 1,249   | 589  |
| Sale of Goods and Services                             | 10,344  | 5,050  |
| Interest   | 645   | 416  |
| Dividend and Income Tax Equivalents from Other Sectors | 786   | 67   |
| Other Dividends and Distributions                      | 3,074   | 375  |
| Fines, Regulatory Fees and Other                       | 7,402   | 3,335  |
| <b>Total Revenue</b>                                   | <b>118,530</b>  | <b>51,955</b>  |
| <b>Expenses from Transactions</b>                      |   |  |
| Employee   | 47,781  | 24,555   |
| Superannuation   |   |  |
| Superannuation Interest Cost                           | 1,620   | 811  |
| Other Superannuation                                   | 4,565   | 2,523  |
| Depreciation and Amortisation                          | 9,278   | 4,594  |
| Interest   | 6,887   | 3,512  |
| Other Operating Expense                                | 27,013  | 13,583   |
| Grants and Subsidies                                   | 25,019  | 11,177   |
| <b>Total Expenses</b>                                  | <b>122,163</b>  | <b>60,757</b>  |
| <b>BUDGET RESULT - SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)</b>               |   |  |
| <b>[Net Operating Balance]</b>                         | <b>(3,633)</b>  | <b>(8,802)</b>                                       |

<sup>1</sup> Year-to-Date figures do not represent projections of the year end result. Year-to-Date data is subject to seasonal and one-off effects and should not be extrapolated to estimate a full year position. Forecasts are published only as part of the Budget and Half Year Review.

**Table 1.1: General Government Sector Operating Statement (cont.)**

|   | 12 Months to<br>30/06/2025 | 6 Months to<br>31/12/2024 |
|---|----------------------------|---------------------------|
|   | Budget                     | Actual                    |
|   | \$m                        | \$m                       |
| <b>NET OPERATING BALANCE</b>  | <b>(3,633)</b>             | <b>(8,802)</b>            |
| <b>OTHER ECONOMIC FLOWS - INCLUDED IN THE OPERATING RESULT</b>  |                            |                           |
| Gain/(Loss) from Liabilities  | (71)                       | (166)                     |
| Other Net Gains/(Losses)  | 762                        | 3,089                     |
| Share of Earnings/(Losses) from Equity Investments (excluding Dividends)  | (81)                       | (302)                     |
| Dividends from Asset Sale Proceeds  | 40                         | ...                       |
| Deferred Income Tax from Other Sectors  | 17                         | 37                        |
| Other   | (40)                       | (28)                      |
| <b>Other Economic Flows - included in Operating Result</b>  | <b>627</b>                 | <b>2,631</b>              |
| <b>OPERATING RESULT</b>   | <b>(3,006)</b>             | <b>(6,171)</b>            |
| <b>OTHER ECONOMIC FLOWS - OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME</b>  |                            |                           |
| <b><i>Items that will not be reclassified to operating result</i></b>   | <b>5,985</b>               | <b>2,166</b>              |
| Revaluations  | 1,968                      | 81                        |
| Share of Associate's Other Comprehensive Income/(Loss) that will not be Reclassified Subsequently to Operating Result | ...                        | ...                       |
| Remeasurements of Post-Employee Benefits  | 1,417                      | 96                        |
| Net Gain/(Loss) on Equity Instruments at Fair Value through Other Comprehensive Income                                | 2,485                      | 2,064                     |
| Deferred Tax Direct to Equity   | 78                         | 39                        |
| Other   | 37                         | (114)                     |
| <b><i>Items that may be reclassified subsequently to operating result</i></b>   | <b>...</b>                 | <b>1</b>                  |
| Net Gain/(Loss) on Financial Instruments at Fair Value  | ...                        | 1                         |
| Share of Associate's Other Comprehensive Income/(Loss) that may be Reclassified Subsequently to Operating Result      | ...                        | ...                       |
| <b>Other Economic Flows - Other Comprehensive Income</b>  | <b>5,985</b>               | <b>2,167</b>              |
| <b>COMPREHENSIVE RESULT - TOTAL CHANGE IN NET WORTH</b>   | <b>2,979</b>               | <b>(4,004)</b>            |
| <b>KEY FISCAL AGGREGATES</b>  |                            |                           |
| <b>COMPREHENSIVE RESULT - TOTAL CHANGE IN NET WORTH</b>   | <b>2,979</b>               | <b>(4,004)</b>            |
| Less: Net Other Economic Flows  | (6,612)                    | (4,797)                   |
| <b>NET OPERATING BALANCE</b>  | <b>(3,633)</b>             | <b>(8,802)</b>            |
| <b>Less: Net Acquisition of Non-Financial Assets</b>  |                            |                           |
| Purchases of Non-Financial Assets   | 22,344                     | 9,462                     |
| Sales of Non-Financial Assets   | (856)                      | (35)                      |
| Less: Depreciation and Amortisation   | (9,278)                    | (4,594)                   |
| Plus: Change in Inventories   | 403                        | 81                        |
| Plus: Other Movements in Non-Financial Assets   |                            |                           |
| Assets Acquired using Leases  | 796                        | 331                       |
| Assets Acquired Using Service Concession Arrangements (Financial Liability Model)                                     | 336                        | 577                       |
| Assets Acquired Using Service Concession Arrangements (Grant of Right to the Operator Model)                          | 620                        | 157                       |
| Other   | (1,243)                    | 23                        |
| <b>Equals Total Net Acquisition of Non-Financial Assets</b>   | <b>13,122</b>              | <b>6,002</b>              |
| <b>EQUALS: NET LENDING/(BORROWING) [Fiscal Balance]</b>   | <b>(16,755)</b>            | <b>(14,804)</b>           |
| <b>OTHER AGGREGATES</b>   |                            |                           |
| Capital Expenditure   | <b>23,476</b>              | <b>10,370</b>             |

**Table 1.2: General Government Sector Balance Sheet**

|   | <i>As at</i><br>30/06/2025<br><i>Budget</i><br>\$m | <i>As at</i><br>31/12/2024<br><i>Actual</i><br>\$m |
|---|--|--|
| <b>ASSETS</b>                               |  |  |
| <b>Financial Assets</b>                     |  |  |
| Cash and Cash Equivalent                    | 1,189  | 3,297  |
| Receivables                                 | 12,885   | 11,722   |
| Investments, Loans and Placements           |  |  |
| Financial Assets at Fair Value              | 51,113   | 54,305   |
| Other Financial Assets                      | 2,983  | 2,760  |
| Advances Paid                               | 1,077  | 968  |
| Tax Equivalents Receivable                  | 192  | 62   |
| Deferred Tax Equivalents Asset              | 3,845  | 3,977  |
| Equity Investments                          |  |  |
| Investments in Other Public Sector Entities | 162,708  | 157,414  |
| Investments in Associates                   | 10,331   | 10,070   |
| Other Equity Investments                    | 15   | 15   |
| <b>Total Financial Assets</b>               | <b>246,338</b>                                     | <b>244,590</b>                                     |
| <b>Non-Financial Assets</b>                 |  |  |
| Contract Assets                             | 58   | 182  |
| Inventories                                 | 1,830  | 1,469  |
| Forestry Stock and Other Biological Assets  | 19   | 17   |
| Assets Classified as Held for Sale          | 394  | 201  |
| Property, Plant and Equipment               |  |  |
| Land and Buildings                          | 140,901  | 140,869  |
| Plant and Equipment                         | 15,650   | 15,564   |
| Infrastructure Systems                      | 231,044  | 228,983  |
| Right-of-Use Assets                         | 6,324  | 5,987  |
| Intangibles                                 | 5,868  | 5,732  |
| Other Non-Financial Assets                  | 1,905  | 2,787  |
| <b>Total Non-Financial Assets</b>           | <b>403,995</b>                                     | <b>401,792</b>                                     |
| <b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>                         | <b>650,333</b>                                     | <b>646,382</b>                                     |
| <b>LIABILITIES</b>                          |  |  |
| Deposits Held                               | 460  | 422  |
| Payables                                    | 9,478  | 8,367  |
| Contract Liabilities                        | 781  | 817  |
| Borrowings and Derivatives at Fair Value    | 10   | 36   |
| Borrowings at Amortised Cost                | 166,023  | 163,482  |
| Advances Received                           | 392  | 438  |
| Employee Provisions                         | 30,059   | 31,228   |
| Superannuation Provision                    | 36,761   | 38,031   |
| Tax Equivalents Payable                     | 66   | 14   |
| Deferred Tax Equivalent Provision           | 41   | 27   |
| Other Provisions                            | 16,083   | 18,837   |
| Other Liabilities                           | 21,355   | 21,532   |
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>                    | <b>281,510</b>                                     | <b>283,231</b>                                     |
| <b>NET ASSETS</b>                           | <b>368,823</b>                                     | <b>363,151</b>                                     |
| <b>NET WORTH</b>                            |  |  |
| Accumulated Funds                           | 69,601   | 63,680   |
| Reserves                                    | 299,222  | 299,472  |
| <b>TOTAL NET WORTH</b>                      | <b>368,823</b>                                     | <b>363,151</b>                                     |
| <b>OTHER FISCAL AGGREGATES</b>              |  |  |
| <b>Net Debt</b>                             | <b>110,523</b>                                     | <b>103,047</b>                                     |
| <b>Net Financial Liabilities</b>            | <b>197,880</b>                                     | <b>196,055</b>                                     |
| <b>Net Financial Worth</b>                  | <b>(35,172)</b>                                    | <b>(38,641)</b>                                    |

**Table 1.3: General Government Sector Cash Flow Statement**

|   | 12 Months to<br>30/06/2025<br>Budget<br>\$m | 6 Months to<br>31/12/2024<br>Actual<br>\$m |
|---|---|--|
| <b>CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>                                     |   |  |
| <b>Receipts</b>   |   |  |
| Taxation  | 48,342                                      | 22,067                                     |
| Sale of Goods and Services  | 10,833                                      | 5,486                                      |
| Grants and Subsidies  | 48,009                                      | 22,215                                     |
| Interest  | 561   | 366  |
| Dividends and Income Tax Equivalents from Other Sectors                         | 607   | 460  |
| Other   | 10,019                                      | 5,656                                      |
| <b>Total Receipts</b>   | <b>118,372</b>                              | <b>56,250</b>                              |
| <b>Payments</b>   |   |  |
| Employee Related  | (46,671)                                    | (22,959)                                   |
| Superannuation  | (6,235)                                     | (3,341)                                    |
| Payments for Goods and Services   | (27,418)                                    | (14,333)                                   |
| Grants and Subsidies  | (23,545)                                    | (11,218)                                   |
| Interest  | (4,989)                                     | (2,488)                                    |
| Other   | (4,657)                                     | (4,162)                                    |
| <b>Total Payments</b>   | <b>(113,515)</b>                            | <b>(58,500)</b>                            |
| <b>NET CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>                                 | <b>4,857</b>                                | <b>(2,250)</b>                             |
| <b>CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>                                     |   |  |
| <b>Non-financial Assets</b>   |   |  |
| Proceeds from Sale of Non-Financial Assets                                      | 1,274                                       | 397  |
| Purchases   | (22,208)                                    | (9,837)                                    |
| <b>Net Cash Flows from Investments in Non-Financial Assets</b>                  | <b>(20,935)</b>                             | <b>(9,439)</b>                             |
| <b>Financial Assets (Policy Purposes)</b>                                       |   |  |
| Receipts  | 250   | 43   |
| Payments  | (276)                                       | (116)                                      |
| <b>Net Cash Flows from Investments in Financial Assets (Policy Purposes)</b>    | <b>(26)</b>                                 | <b>(73)</b>                                |
| <b>Financial Assets (Liquidity Purposes)</b>                                    |   |  |
| Proceeds from Sale of Investments   | 3,482                                       | 1,245                                      |
| Purchase of Investments   | (1,122)                                     | (2,025)                                    |
| <b>Net Cash Flows from Investments in Financial Assets (Liquidity Purposes)</b> | <b>2,359</b>                                | <b>(780)</b>                               |
| <b>NET CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>                                 | <b>(18,601)</b>                             | <b>(10,292)</b>                            |
| <b>CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>                                     |   |  |
| Advances (Net)  | (88)  | (10)                                       |
| Proceeds from Borrowings  | 10,843                                      | 9,344                                      |
| Repayments of Borrowings  | (1,118)                                     | (459)                                      |
| Deposits Received/(Paid) - Net  | 1   | 78   |
| Other (Net)   | 0   | (0)  |
| <b>NET CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>                                 | <b>9,638</b>                                | <b>8,953</b>                               |
| <b>NET INCREASE/(DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH HELD</b>                            | <b>(4,107)</b>                              | <b>(3,589)</b>                             |
| Opening Cash and Cash Equivalents   | 5,294                                       | 6,886                                      |
| Reclassification of Cash Equivalents and Other Adjustments                      | 2   | 0  |
| <b>CLOSING CASH BALANCE</b>   | <b>1,189</b>                                | <b>3,297</b>                               |
| <b>DERIVATION OF CASH RESULT</b>  |   |  |
| Net Cash Flows from Operating Activities  | 4,857                                       | (2,250)                                    |
| Net Cash Flows from Investments in Non-Financial Assets                         | (20,935)                                    | (9,439)                                    |
| <b>CASH SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)</b>   | <b>(16,078)</b>                             | <b>(11,690)</b>                            |