

AN ACCOUNT pursuant to the Bank Notes (Scotland) Act, 1845, the Currency and Bank Notes Act, 1928, and the Coinage Act, 1971, of the Amount of Notes authorised by Law to be issued by the several Banks of Issue in Scotland, and the Average Amount of Notes in Circulation, and of Bank of England Notes and Coin held during the Four Weeks ended Saturday, the 23rd day of September 1972.

Name and Title as set forth on Licence	Name of the Firm	Approved Offices	Circulation authorised by Certificate	Average Circulation during Four Weeks ended as above			Average amount of Bank of England Notes and Coin held during Four Weeks ended as above		
				£5 and upwards	Under £5	Total	* Gold and Bank of England Notes	Coin other than Gold Coin	Total
Bank of Scotland	The Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland	{ Edinburgh } { Glasgow }	£ 1,289,222	45,033,947	14,935,264	59,969,211	59,642,970	3,319,591	62,962,561
Royal Bank of Scotland	Royal Bank of Scotland Limited	{ Edinburgh } { Glasgow }	888,355	63,443,235	24,591,512	88,034,747	90,063,531	3,298,275	93,361,806
Clydesdale Bank Limited	Clydesdale Bank Limited	{ Glasgow } { Aberdeen }	498,773	22,345,614	4,169,703	26,515,317	28,442,756	2,190,001	30,632,757

I hereby certify that each of the Bankers named in the above Return, who have in Circulation an amount of Notes beyond that authorised in their Certificates, have held an amount of Bank of England Notes and Gold and Coin other than Gold Coin not less than that which they are required to hold during the period to which this Return relates.

Dated 4th day of October 1972.

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* This column includes Bank of England Notes deposited at the Bank of England which, by virtue of Sec. 9(1) of the Currency and Bank Notes Act, 1928, are to be treated as gold coin held by the Bank.