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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

ý QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended March 31, 2013

OR

O TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from

to

Commission File Number: 00-30747

PACWEST BANCORP

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

DELAWARE

33-0885320

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

10250 Constellation Blvd., Suite 1640 Los Angeles, California (Address of principal executive offices)

90067

(Zip Code)

(310) 286-1144

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes ý No o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T ($\S232.405$ of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes \circ No o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large accelerated filer \(\) Accelerated filer \(\) Non-accelerated filer \(\) Smaller reporting company \(\) (Do not check if a smaller reporting company)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes o No ý

As of May 1, 2013, there were 35,867,862 shares of the registrant's common stock outstanding, excluding 1,498,495 shares of unvested restricted stock.

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PART I FINANCIAL INFORMATION

ITEM 1. Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (Unaudited)

PACWEST BANCORP AND SUBSIDIARIES

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(Dollars in Thousands, Except Par Value and Share Data)

(Unaudited)

	N	Iarch 31, 2013	De	cember 31, 2012
ASSETS				
Cash and due from banks	\$	90,659	\$	89,011
Interest-earning deposits in financial institutions		41,019		75,393
Total cash and cash equivalents		131,678		164,404
Securities available-for-sale, at fair value (\$43,785 and \$44,684 covered by FDIC loss sharing at March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012, respectively)		1,362,777		1,355,385
Federal Home Loan Bank stock, at cost		33,400		37,126
Tederal Home Boar Stock, at cost		33,100		37,120
Total investment securities		1,396,177		1,392,511
Total investment securities		1,390,177		1,392,311
		2.056.007		2.046.070
Non-covered loans and leases, net of unearned income		2,956,897		3,046,970
Allowance for loan and lease losses		(65,216)		(65,899)
Non-covered loans and leases, net		2,891,681		2,981,071
Covered loans, net		483,063		517,258
Total loans and leases, net		3,374,744		3,498,329
Other real estate owned, net (\$17,311 and \$22,842 covered by FDIC loss sharing at March 31, 2013 and December 31,		52.070		56 414
2012, respectively) Premises and equipment, net		53,272 18,950		56,414 19,503
FDIC loss sharing asset		55,840		57,475
Cash surrender value of life insurance		68,587		68,326
Goodwill		79,673		79,866
Core deposit and customer relationship intangibles, net		13,547		14,723
Other assets		107,437		112,107
Outer assets		107,737		112,107
Total assets	\$	5,299,905	\$	5,463,658
LIABILITIES				
Noninterest-bearing deposits	\$	1,941,234	\$	1,939,212
Interest-bearing deposits		2,611,996		2,769,909
Total deposits		4,553,230		4,709,121
Borrowings		11,196		12,591
Subordinated debentures		108,250		108,250
Accrued interest payable and other liabilities		37,433		44,575
- rectard interest parjuois und outer interinters		51,755		1 1,373
Total liabilities		4,710,109		4,874,537
Commitments and contingencies				

STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

STOCKHOLDERS EQUIT		
Preferred stock, \$0.01 par value; authorized 5,000,000 shares; none issued and outstanding		
Common stock, \$0.01 par value; authorized 75,000,000 shares; 37,501,627 shares issued at March 31, 2013 and 37,772,559		
at December 31, 2012 (includes 1,203,495 and 1,698,281 shares of unvested restricted stock, respectively)	375	377
Additional paid-in capital	1,055,504	1,062,184
Accumulated deficit	(486,043)	(499,537)
Treasury stock, at cost; 430,270 and 351,650 shares at March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012	(8,985)	(6,803)
Accumulated other comprehensive income	28,945	32,900
Total stockholders' equity	589,796	589,121
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 5,299,905	\$ 5,463,658

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF EARNINGS

(Dollars in Thousands, Except Per Share Data)

(Unaudited)

	March 31, 2013	Three Months Ende December 31, 2012	d March 31, 2012
Interest income:			
Loans and leases	\$ 61,010	\$ 65,455	\$ 64,752
Investment securities	8,216	8,173	9,580
Deposits in financial institutions	43	74	68
Total interest income	69,269	73,702	74,400
Interest expense:			
Deposits	2,649	3,039	3,604
Borrowings	144	228	1,925
Subordinated debentures	783	832	1,191
Total interest expense	3,576	4,099	6,720
Net interest income	65,693	69,603	67,680
Provision (negative provision) for credit losses:			
Non-covered loans and leases			(10,000)
Covered loans	3,137	(4,333)	3,926
Total provision (negative provision) for credit losses	3,137	(4,333)	(6,074)
Net interest income after provision for credit losses	62,556	73,936	73,754
Noninterest income:			
Service charges on deposit accounts	2,863	3,063	3,353
Other commissions and fees	1,933	2,025	1,883
Gain on sale of leases	225	1,242	990
Gain on sale of securities	409	1,239	
Increase in cash surrender value of life insurance	433	300	365
FDIC loss sharing (expense) income, net	(3,137)		(3,579)
Other income	114	210	250
Total noninterest income	2,840	2,057	3,262
Noninterest expense:			
Compensation	25,350	23,269	24,187
Occupancy	6,598	6,773	7,288
Data processing	2,233	2,272	2,280
Other professional services	2,097	2,200	1,770
Business development	736	684	638
Communications	613	637	608
Insurance and assessments	1,261	1,270	1,293
Non-covered other real estate owned, net	313	316	1,821
Covered other real estate owned, net	(813)		822
Intangible asset amortization	1,176	1,176	1,735
Acquisition and integration	692	1,092	25
Debt termination			22,598
Other expense	3,927	4,297	3,830

Total noninterest expense	44,183	43,525	68,895
Earnings before income taxes	21,213	32,468	8,121
Income tax expense	(7,719)	(12,576)	(2,857)
Net earnings	\$ 13,494	\$ 19,892	\$ 5,264
Earnings per share:			
Basic	\$ 0.37	\$ 0.54	\$ 0.14
Diluted	\$ 0.37	\$ 0.54	\$ 0.14
Dividends declared per share	\$ 0.25	\$ 0.25	\$ 0.18

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

(In Thousands)

(Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended					
		arch 31, 2013	Dec	cember 31, 2012		rch 31, 2012
Net earnings	\$	13,494	\$	19,892	\$	5,264
Other comprehensive (loss) income related to unrealized gains (losses) on securities available-for-sale:						
Unrealized holding (losses) gains arising during the period		(6,410)		(11,028)		7,409
Income tax benefit (expense) related to unrealized holding (losses) gains arising during the						
period		2,692		4,632		(3,111)
Reclassification adjustment for gain included in net earnings		(409)		(1,239)		
Income tax expense related to reclassification adjustment		172		520		
Other comprehensive (loss) income		(3,955)		(7,115)		4,298
Comprehensive income	\$	9,539	\$	12,777	\$	9,562

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY

(Dollars in Thousands, Except Share Data)

(Unaudited)

Three Months Ended March 31, 2013

	Cor	nmon St	ock Additional		Accumulated Other			
		Par	Paid-in	Accumulated	ed Treasury Comprehensive			
	Shares	Value	Capital	Deficit	Stock	Income	Total	
Balance, December 31, 2012	37,420,909	\$ 377	\$ 1,062,184	\$ (499,537)	\$ (6,803)	\$ 32,900	\$ 589,121	
Net earnings				13,494			13,494	
Other comprehensive loss net unrealized loss on								
securities available-for-sale, net of tax						(3,955)	(3,955)	
Restricted stock awarded								
and earned stock compensation, net of shares								
forfeited	(270,932)	(2)	1,766				1,764	
Restricted stock surrendered	(78,620)				(2,182)		(2,182)	
Tax effect from vesting of restricted stock			660				660	
Cash dividends paid								
(\$0.25 per share)			(9,106))			(9,106)	
Balance, March 31, 2013	37,071,357	\$ 375	\$ 1,055,504	\$ (486,043)	\$ (8,985)	\$ 28,945	\$ 589,796	

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(In Thousands)

(Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended March 31,		
	2013		2012
Cash flows from operating activities:			
Net earnings	\$ 13,49	94 \$	5,264
Adjustments to reconcile net earnings to net cash provided by operating activities:			
Depreciation and amortization	7,29		3,861
Provision (negative provision) for credit losses	3,13		(6,074)
Gain on sale of other real estate owned	(1,91		(1,434)
Provision for losses on other real estate owned	1,18		2,981
Gain on sale of leases	(22	25)	(990)
Gain on sale of premises and equipment			(3)
Gain on sale of securities	(40		
Earned stock compensation	1,76		1,633
Tax effect included in stockholders' equity of restricted stock vesting	(66		(92)
Decrease in accrued and deferred income taxes, net	8,61		2,849
Decrease in FDIC loss sharing asset	1,63		15,617
(Increase) decrease in other assets	(48		5,637
Decrease in accrued interest payable and other liabilities	(7,60)1)	(18,592)
Net cash provided by operating activities	25,82	27	10,657
Cash flows from investing activities:			(27.000)
Net cash used in acquisitions	112.00		(27,908)
Net decrease in loans and leases	113,09		96,668
Proceeds from sale of loans and leases	3,05	14	17,292
Securities available-for-sale:	100.00	20	05.602
Proceeds from maturities and paydowns	100,98		85,683
Proceeds from sales	12,81		(126.046)
Purchases	(132,44		(136,046)
Net redemptions of Federal Home Loan Bank stock	3,72		2,204
Proceeds from sales of other real estate owned	8,84		13,980
Purchases of premises and equipment, net	(74	:2)	(955)
Proceeds from sales of premises and equipment			37
Net cash provided by investing activities	109,32	28	50,955
Cash flows from financing activities:			
Net increase (decrease) in deposits:			
Noninterest-bearing	2,02	22	99,879
Interest-bearing	(157,91	.3)	(120,662)
Net decrease in borrowings	(1,36	52)	(47,697)
Redemption of subordinated debentures			(18,558)
Repayment of acquired debt			(128,677)
Restricted stock surrendered	(2,18		(1,301)
Tax effect included in stockholders' equity of restricted stock vesting	66	0	92
Cash dividends paid	(9,10)6)	(6,544)
Net cash used in financing activities	(167,88	31)	(223,468)
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(32,72		(161,856)
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period	164,40)4	295,617

Cash and cash equivalents, end of period

\$	131,678	\$	133,70	۲1
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Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information:		
Cash paid for interest	\$ 4,063 \$	8,052
Cash received for income taxes	(760)	
Loans transferred to other real estate owned	4,980	9,081

See "Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements."

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Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements

(Unaudited)

NOTE 1 BASIS OF PRESENTATION

PacWest Bancorp is a bank holding company registered under the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956, as amended. Our principal business is to serve as the holding company for our Los Angeles-based wholly-owned banking subsidiary, Pacific Western Bank, which we refer to as "Pacific Western" or the "Bank." When we say "we," "our," or the "Company," we mean the Company on a consolidated basis with the Bank. When we refer to "PacWest" or to the holding company, we are referring to the parent company on a stand-alone basis.

Pacific Western is a full-service commercial bank offering a broad range of banking products and services including: accepting demand, money market, and time deposits; originating loans and leases, including commercial, real estate construction, equipment finance leases, SBA guaranteed and consumer loans; and providing other business-oriented products. Our operations are primarily located in Southern California extending from San Diego County to California's Central Coast; we also operate three banking offices in the San Francisco Bay area, a leasing operation based in Utah, and asset-based lending operations based in Arizona as well as San Jose and Santa Monica, California. The Bank focuses on conducting business with small to medium sized businesses in our marketplace and the owners and employees of those businesses. The majority of our loans are secured by the real estate collateral of such businesses. Our asset-based lending function operates in Arizona, California, Texas, Colorado, Minnesota, and the Pacific Northwest. Our equipment leasing function has lease receivables in 45 states.

We generate our revenue primarily from interest received on loans and leases and, to a lesser extent, from interest received on investment securities, and fees received in connection with deposit services, extending credit and other services offered, including foreign exchange services. Our major operating expenses are the interest paid by the Bank on deposits and borrowings, compensation and general operating expenses. The Bank relies on a foundation of locally generated and relationship-based deposits. The Bank has a relatively low cost of funds due to a high percentage of noninterest-bearing and low cost deposits.

We have completed 25 acquisitions from May 2000 through March 31, 2013. Since 2000, our acquisitions have been accounted for using the acquisition method of accounting and accordingly, the operating results of the acquired entities have been included in the condensed consolidated financial statements from their respective acquisition dates. See Note 2, *Acquisitions*, for more information about acquisitions and Note 16, *Subsequent Events*, for information regarding the acquisition of First California Financial Group.

Basis of Presentation

The accounting and reporting policies of the Company are in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles, which we may refer to as GAAP. All significant intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated.

Our financial statements reflect all adjustments that are, in the opinion of management, necessary to present a fair statement of the results for the interim periods presented. Certain information and note disclosures normally included in consolidated financial statements prepared in accordance with GAAP have been condensed or omitted pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Securities and

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Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (Continued)

(Unaudited)

NOTE 1 BASIS OF PRESENTATION (Continued)

Exchange Commission. The interim operating results are not necessarily indicative of operating results for the full year.

Use of Estimates

Management of the Company has made a number of estimates and assumptions relating to the reporting of assets and liabilities and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the condensed consolidated financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period to prepare these condensed consolidated financial statements in conformity with GAAP. Actual results could differ from those estimates. Material estimates subject to change in the near term include, among other items, the allowance for credit losses, the carrying value of intangible assets, the carrying value of the FDIC loss sharing asset, and the realization of deferred tax assets.

Management makes significant estimates and exercises significant judgment in estimating fair values and accounting for the acquired assets and assumed liabilities in acquisitions.

Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (Continued)

(Unaudited)

NOTE 2 ACQUISITIONS

We completed the following acquisitions during the time period of January 1, 2012 to March 31, 2013, using the acquisition method of accounting, and accordingly, the operating results of the acquired entities have been included in our condensed consolidated financial statements from their respective dates of acquisition. The acquired balance sheets are presented at estimated fair value as of their respective acquisition dates:

	Acquisition and Date Acquired					iired
	American Perspective Bank August 2012		Celtic Capital Corporation April 2012			ncific Western Equipment Finance January 2012
			(In	thousands)	
Assets Acquired:	Φ.	2.250	Φ.	2.425	ф	7.000
Cash and due from banks	\$	3,370	\$	3,435	\$	7,092
Interest-earning deposits in financial institutions		10,081				
Investment securities available-for-sale		48,887				
FHLB stock		1,412		54.062		1.40.050
Loans and leases		197,279		54,963		140,959
Other real estate owned		1,561		(() 5		10.022
Goodwill		15,047		6,645		19,033
Core deposit and customer relationship intangibles		1,924		1,300		1,700
Other intangible assets				670		1,420
Leases in process		4.02.4		(0		19,162
Other assets		4,234		69		467
Total assets acquired	\$	283,795	\$	67,082	\$	189,833
Liabilities Assumed:						
Noninterest-bearing deposits	\$	40,673	\$		\$	
Interest-bearing deposits		178,891				
Borrowings from parent						128,677
Other borrowings		5,315		46,804		15,839
Accrued interest payable and other liabilities		840		2,278		10,317
Total liabilities assumed	\$	225,719	\$	49,082	\$	154,833
Cash consideration paid	\$	58,076	\$	18,000	\$	35,000

American Perspective Bank Acquisition

On August 1, 2012, Pacific Western completed the acquisition of American Perspective Bank, or APB, previously headquartered in San Luis Obispo, California. Pacific Western acquired all of the outstanding common stock of APB for \$58.1 million in cash and APB was merged with and into Pacific Western; we refer to this transaction as the APB acquisition. APB operated two branches located in San Luis Obispo and Santa Maria, California, and a loan production office located in Paso Robles,

Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (Continued)

(Unaudited)

NOTE 2 ACQUISITIONS (Continued)

California, which has since been converted to a full-service branch. The APB acquisition strengthens our presence in the Central Coast region.

Celtic Capital Corporation Acquisition

On April 3, 2012, Pacific Western completed the acquisition of Celtic Capital Corporation, or Celtic, an asset-based lending company based in Santa Monica, California. Pacific Western acquired all of the capital stock of Celtic for \$18 million in cash and Celtic became a wholly-owned subsidiary of Pacific Western; we refer to this transaction as the Celtic acquisition. Celtic focuses on providing asset-based loans to borrowers across the United States for amounts generally up to \$5 million. The Celtic acquisition diversified our loan portfolio, expanded our product lines, and deployed excess liquidity into higher yielding assets.

Pacific Western Equipment Finance Acquisition

On January 3, 2012, Pacific Western completed the acquisition of Pacific Western Equipment Finance (formerly known as Marquette Equipment Finance, and which we refer to as EQF), an equipment leasing company based in Midvale, Utah. Pacific Western acquired all of the capital stock of EQF for \$35 million in cash and EQF became a division of Pacific Western; we refer to this transaction as the EQF acquisition. The EQF acquisition diversified our lending portfolio, expanded our product lines, and deployed excess liquidity into higher yielding assets.

NOTE 3 GOODWILL AND OTHER INTANGIBLE ASSETS

Goodwill arises from the acquisition method of accounting for business combinations and represents the excess of the purchase price over the fair value of the net assets and other identifiable intangible assets acquired. Goodwill and other intangible assets deemed to have indefinite lives generated from purchase business combinations are not subject to amortization and are instead tested for impairment no less than annually. Impairment exists when the carrying value of goodwill exceeds its implied fair value. An impairment loss would be recognized in an amount equal to that excess and would be included in noninterest expense in the condensed consolidated statement of earnings.

The following table presents the changes in the carrying amount of goodwill for the period indicated:

	Goodwill			
	(In th	ousands)		
Balance, December 31, 2012	\$	79,866		
Adjustment to APB goodwill		(193)		
Balance, March 31, 2013	\$	79,673		

Our intangible assets with definite lives are core deposit intangibles, or CDI, and customer relationship intangibles, or CRI. These intangible assets are amortized over their respective estimated useful lives to their estimated residual values and reviewed for impairment at least quarterly. The amortization expense represents the estimated decline in the value of the underlying deposits or loan customers acquired. The weighted average amortization period remaining for our CDI and CRI is

Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (Continued)

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NOTE 3 GOODWILL AND OTHER INTANGIBLE ASSETS (Continued)

2.4 years. The aggregate amortization expense related to the intangible assets is expected to be \$4.5 million for 2013. The estimated aggregate amortization expense related to these intangible assets for each of the next five years is \$3.8 million for 2014, \$3.5 million for 2015, \$1.8 million for 2016, \$587,000 for 2017, and \$359,000 for 2018.

The following table presents the changes in CDI and CRI and the related accumulated amortization for the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended										
	March 31, 2013			ecember 31, 2012	M	larch 31, 2012					
			(Iı	n thousands)							
Gross Amount of CDI and CRI:											
Balance, beginning of period	\$	45,412	\$	45,412	\$	67,100					
Additions						1,700					
Fully amortized portion						(7,828)					
•											
Balance, end of period		45,412		45,412		60,972					
Accumulated Amortization:											
Balance, beginning of period		(30,689)		(29,513)		(49,685)					
Amortization		(1,176)		(1,176)		(1,735)					
Fully amortized portion						7,828					
Balance, end of period		(31,865)		(30,689)		(43,592)					
-											
Net CDI and CRI, end of period	\$	13,547	\$	14,723	\$	17,380					

NOTE 4 INVESTMENT SECURITIES

Securities Available-for-Sale

The following tables present amortized cost, gross unrealized gains and losses and carrying value (i.e. the estimated fair value), of securities available-for-sale as of the dates indicated. The covered private label collateralized mortgage obligations ("CMO's") were acquired in the FDIC-assisted acquisition of Affinity Bank in August 2009 and are covered by a FDIC loss sharing agreement. Other securities primarily consist of equity securities and an investment in overnight money market funds at a

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Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (Continued)

(Unaudited)

NOTE 4 INVESTMENT SECURITIES (Continued)

financial institution. See Note 10, Fair Value Measurements, for information on fair value measurements and methodology.

	March 31, 2013										
	Δ	mortized		Gross realized		Gross realized		Carrying			
Security Type	1.	Cost		Gains		Losses		Value			
				(In tho	usand	ls)					
Residential mortgage-backed securities:											
Government agency and government-sponsored enterprise pass through											
securities	\$	751,011	\$	30,808	\$	(191)	\$	781,628			
Government agency and government-sponsored enterprise collateralized											
mortgage obligations		97,524		1,742		(161)		99,105			
Covered private label collateralized mortgage obligations		34,933		8,974		(122)		43,785			
Municipal securities		362,212		7,926		(4,713)		365,425			
Corporate debt securities		60,807		416		(19)		61,204			
Other securities		6,385		5,245				11,630			
Total securities available-for-sale	\$	1,312,872	\$	55,111	\$	(5,206)	\$	1,362,777			

	December 31, 2012								
				Gross		Gross		C	
Security Type	A	amortized Cost	_	realized Gains	_	realized Losses		Carrying Value	
• ••				(In thou	ısand	ls)			
Residential mortgage-backed securities:									
Government agency and government-sponsored enterprise pass through									
securities	\$	774,677	\$	33,618	\$	(453)	\$	807,842	
Government agency and government-sponsored enterprise collateralized									
mortgage obligations		99,956		1,870		(132)		101,694	
Covered private label collateralized mortgage obligations		36,078		8,729		(123)		44,684	
Municipal securities		339,547		10,445		(1,951)		348,041	
Corporate debt securities		42,014		432		(81)		42,365	
Other securities		6,389		4,370				10,759	
Total securities available-for-sale	\$	1,298,661	\$	59,464	\$	(2,740)	\$	1,355,385	
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Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (Continued)

(Unaudited)

NOTE 4 INVESTMENT SECURITIES (Continued)

The following table presents the contractual maturity distribution of our available-for-sale securities portfolio based on amortized cost and carrying value as of the date indicated:

		March 31, 2013							
Maturity	A	mortized Cost		Carrying Value					
•		(In tho	usan	ds)					
Due in one year or less	\$	7,375	\$	12,758					
Due after one year through five years		3,940		4,117					
Due after five years through ten years		51,365		53,467					
Due after ten years		1,250,192		1,292,435					
Total securities available-for-sale	\$	1,312,872	\$	1,362,777					

Mortgage-backed securities have contractual terms to maturity, but require periodic payments to reduce principal. In addition, expected maturities may differ from contractual maturities because obligors and/or issuers may have the right to call or prepay obligations with or without call or prepayment penalties.

At March 31, 2013, the estimated fair value of residential mortgage-backed debt securities issued by the Federal National Mortgage Association ("Fannie Mae") and the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation ("Freddie Mac") that were held in our portfolio was approximately \$797.3 million. We do not own any equity securities issued by Fannie Mae or Freddie Mac.

As of March 31, 2013, securities available-for-sale with a carrying value of \$157.5 million were pledged as collateral for borrowings, public deposits and other purposes as required by various statutes and agreements.

During the three months ended March 31, 2013, we sold \$12.4 million in corporate debt securities for which we realized a \$409,000 gross gain. During the three months ended December 31, 2012, we sold \$43.9 million in government agency and government-sponsored enterprise pass through securities for which we realized a \$1.2 million gross gain. All of the securities were sold as part of our investment portfolio risk management activities to reduce price volatility and duration.

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NOTE 4 INVESTMENT SECURITIES (Continued)

The following tables present, for those securities that were in a gross unrealized loss position, the carrying values and the gross unrealized losses on securities by length of time the securities were in an unrealized loss position as of the dates indicated:

	March 31, 2013										
	Less Than 12 Months Gross					2 months		Longer Fross		To	Gross
Security Type		arrying Value	-	realized Losses		rrying Value	_	ealized osses		rying alue	realized Losses
						(In tho	usan	ds)			
Residential mortgage-backed securities:											
Government agency and government-sponsored enterprise pass											
through securities	\$	47,483	\$	(190)	\$	57	\$	(1)	\$ 4	47,540	\$ (191)
Government agency and government-sponsored enterprise											
collateralized mortgage obligations		16,967		(128)		1,994		(33)		18,961	(161)
Covered private label collateralized mortgage obligations		465		(16)		1,533		(106)		1,998	(122)
Municipal securities		184,175		(4,713)					13	84,175	(4,713)
Corporate debt securities		5,040		(19)						5,040	(19)
Total	\$	254,130	\$	(5,066)	\$	3,584	\$	(140)	\$ 2:	57,714	\$ (5,206)

Security Type	Gross				12 Ca	Decembe months arrying Value (In tho	or : Un I	Longer Gross realized Losses	(To Carrying Value	Un	Gross trealized Losses
Residential mortgage-backed securities:												
Government agency and government-sponsored enterprise pass through securities Government agency and government-sponsored enterprise collateralized mortgage obligations	\$	67,299 18,317	\$	(452) (132)	\$	60	\$	(1)	\$	67,359 18.317	\$	(453) (132)
Covered private label collateralized mortgage obligations Municipal securities		90,303		(1.951)		1,692		(123)		1,692 90,303		(132) (123) (1,951)
Corporate debt securities		16,819		(81)						16,819		(81)
Total	\$	192,738 5	\$	(2,616)	\$	1,752	\$	(124)	\$	194,490	\$	(2,740)

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NOTE 4 INVESTMENT SECURITIES (Continued)

We reviewed the securities that were in a continuous loss position less than 12 months and longer than 12 months at March 31, 2013, and concluded that their losses were a result of the level of market interest rates relative to the types of securities and not a result of the underlying issuers' ability to repay. Accordingly, we determined that the securities were temporarily impaired and we did not recognize such impairment in the condensed consolidated statements of earnings. Additionally, we have no plans to sell these securities and believe that it is more likely than not we would not be required to sell these securities before recovery of their amortized cost.

The following table presents the composition of our interest income on investment securities:

	Three Months Ended												
Securities Interest by Type:		rch 31, 2013		ember 31, 2012		arch 31, 2012							
			(In tl	nousands)									
Taxable interest	\$	5,563	\$	5,915	\$	8,539							
Nontaxable interest		2,425		1,987		980							
Dividend income		228		271		61							
Total interest income on investment securities	\$	8.216	\$	8.173	\$	9.580							

FHLB Stock

At March 31, 2013, the Company had a \$33.4 million investment in Federal Home Loan Bank of San Francisco ("FHLB") stock carried at cost. We evaluated the carrying value of our FHLB stock investment at March 31, 2013, and determined that it was not impaired. Our evaluation considered the long-term nature of the investment, the current financial and liquidity position of the FHLB, the actions being taken by the FHLB to address its regulatory situation, repurchase activity of excess stock by the FHLB at its carrying value, the return on the investment, and our intent and ability to hold this investment for a period of time sufficient to recover our recorded investment.

NOTE 5 LOANS AND LEASES

Non-Covered Loans and Leases

When we refer to non-covered loans and leases we are referring to loans and leases not covered by our FDIC loss sharing agreements.

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NOTE 5 LOANS AND LEASES (Continued)

The following table presents the composition of non-covered loans and leases by portfolio segment as of the dates indicated:

	March 31, 20	013	December 31,	2012
		% of		% of
	Amount	Total	Amount	Total
	(I	Dollars in tho	usands)	
Real estate mortgage	\$ 1,796,484	61% \$	1,917,670	63%
Real estate construction	126,707	4	129,959	4
Commercial	794,419	26	787,775	25
Leases	204,766	7	174,373	6
Consumer	18,677	1	22,487	1
Foreign	17,268	1	17,241	1
Total gross non-covered loans and leases	2,958,321	100%	3,049,505	100%
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Less:				
Unearned income	(1,424)		(2,535)	
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Allowance for loan and lease losses	(65,216)		(65,899)	
Total net non-covered loans and leases	\$ 2,891,681	\$	2,981,071	
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NOTE 5 LOANS AND LEASES (Continued)

The following tables present a summary of the activity in the allowance for loan and lease losses on non-covered loans by portfolio segment for the periods indicated:

	Real Real					Three Months Ended March 31, 2013							
]	Estate Mortgage	Co	Estate nstruction	Co	mmercial		Leases	Co	onsumer	I	Foreign	Total
						(In	th	ousands)					
Allowance for Loan and Lease Losses on Non-Covered Loans and Leases:													
Balance, beginning of period	\$	38,700	\$	3,221	\$	20,661	\$	1,493	\$	1,726	\$	98	\$ 65,899
Charge-offs		(322)				(708)		(114)		(9)			(1,153)
Recoveries		177		323		407				23			930
Provision (negative provision)		(1,290)		(244)		693		627		(246)			(460)
Balance, end of period	\$	37,265	\$	3,300	\$	21,053	\$	2,006	\$	1,494	\$	98	\$ 65,216
Amount of the allowance applicable to loans and leases:													
Individually evaluated for impairment	\$	7,805	\$	122	\$	4,467	\$		\$	273	\$		\$ 12,667
Collectively evaluated for impairment	\$	29,460	\$	3,178	\$	16,586	\$	2,006	\$	1,221	\$	98	\$ 52,549
Non-Covered Loan and Lease Balances:													
Ending balance	\$	1,796,484	\$	126,707	\$	794,419	\$	204,766	\$	18,677	\$	17,268	\$ 2,958,321
The ending balance of the non-covered loan and lease portfolio is composed of loans and leases:													
Individually evaluated for impairment	\$	95,189	\$	13,688	\$	12,644	\$	244	\$	629	\$		\$ 122,394
Collectively evaluated for impairment	\$	1,701,295	\$	113,019 18	\$	781,775	\$	204,522	\$	18,048	\$	17,268	\$ 2,835,927

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NOTE 5 LOANS AND LEASES (Continued)

	Three Months Ended March 31, 2012 Real Real													
	,	Estate		Estate nstruction	C-			Leases	C.			7 :		Total
	1	Mortgage	CO.	nstruction	Co				C	onsumer	r	Foreign		1 otai
Allowance for Loan and Lease Losses on						(III	ın	ousands)						
Non-Covered Loans and Leases:														
Balance, beginning of period	\$	50,205	\$	8,697	\$	23,308	\$		\$	2,768	\$	335	\$	85,313
Charge-offs	Ψ.	(2,190)	Ψ.	0,057	Ψ	(871)	Ψ		Ψ	(199)	Ψ	222	Ψ	(3,260)
Recoveries		329		10		824				31		20		1,214
Provision (negative provision)		(6,134)		(2,232)		295		458		(692)		(195)		(8,500)
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Balance, end of period	\$	42,210	\$	6,475	\$	23,556	\$	458	\$	1,908	\$	160	\$	74,767
Bulance, end of period	Ψ	12,210	Ψ	0,175	Ψ	23,330	Ψ	150	Ψ	1,700	Ψ	100	Ψ	7 1,707
Amount of the allowance applicable to loans and														
leases:														
Individually evaluated for impairment	\$	9,369	\$	1,312	\$	6,897	\$		\$	262	\$		\$	17,840
individually evaluated for impulliness	Ψ	,,,,,,,	Ψ	1,012	Ψ	0,077	Ψ		Ψ		Ψ		Ψ	17,010
Collectively evaluated for impairment	\$	32,841	Φ	5,163	Φ	16,659	Φ	458	\$	1,646	Φ	160	\$	56,927
Concentrated for impairment	Ψ	32,041	Ψ	3,103	Ψ	10,039	Ψ	730	Ψ	1,040	Ψ	100	Ψ	30,927
Non-Covered Loan and Lease Balances:														
	Φ	1 906 052	¢	110 204	¢	665 111	ф	152 045	ф	15 006	¢	10 750	Φ	2,868,220
Ending balance	Ф	1,896,052	Ф	116,304	ф	003,441	Ф	133,643	Ф	13,820	Ф	16,732	Ф	2,808,220
The ending balance of the non-covered loan and														
lease portfolio is composed of loans and leases:	ф	104.000	ф	20.026	ф	22.544	Φ	222	ф	400	Φ		Φ	150.004
Individually evaluated for impairment	\$	104,923	\$	30,026	\$	22,544	\$	233	\$	498	\$		\$	158,224
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Collectively evaluated for impairment	\$	1,791,129	\$	88,278	\$	642,897	\$	153,612	\$	15,328	\$	18,752	\$	2,709,996
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NOTE 5 LOANS AND LEASES (Continued)

The following table presents the credit risk rating categories for non-covered loans and leases by portfolio segment and class as of the dates indicated. Nonclassified loans and leases are those with a credit risk rating of either pass or special mention, while classified loans and leases are those with a credit risk rating of either substandard or doubtful.

	N	Iar	ch 31, 201	3		December 31, 2012									
	Nonclassified	C	lassified		Total	N	onclassified	C	Classified		Total				
					(In tho	usa	nds)	ls)							
Real estate mortgage:															
Hospitality	\$ 158,812	\$	13,660	\$	172,472	\$	168,489	\$	12,655	\$	181,144				
SBA 504	49,678		5,725		55,403		48,372		5,786		54,158				
Other	1,516,137		52,472		1,568,609		1,633,448		48,920		1,682,368				
Total real estate mortgage	1,724,627		71,857		1,796,484		1,850,309		67,361		1,917,670				
Real estate construction:															
Residential	41,055		2,018		43,073		46,591		2,038		48,629				
Commercial	79,852		3,782		83,634		77,503		3,827		81,330				
Total real estate															
construction	120,907		5,800		126,707		124,094		5,865		129,959				
Commercial:															
Collateralized	418,425		14,227		432,652		440,187		12,989		453,176				
Unsecured	75,880		2,548		78,428		66,947		2,897		69,844				
Asset-based	254,633		3,631		258,264		235,075		4,355		239,430				
SBA 7(a)	19,048		6,027		25,075		18,888		6,437		25,325				
Total commercial	767,986		26,433		794,419		761,097		26,678		787,775				
Leases	204,522		244		204,766		174,129		244		174,373				
Consumer	17,810		867		18,677		21,616		871		22,487				
Foreign	17,268				17,268		17,241				17,241				
Total non-covered loans															
and leases	\$ 2,853,120	\$	105,201	\$	2,958,321	\$	2,948,486	\$	101,019	\$	3,049,505				

In addition to our internal risk rating process, our federal and state banking regulators, as an integral part of their examination process, periodically review the Company's loan risk rating classifications. Our regulators may require the Company to recognize rating downgrades based on their judgments related to information available to them at the time of their examinations. Risk rating downgrades generally result in higher allowances for credit losses.

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NOTE 5 LOANS AND LEASES (Continued)

The following tables present an aging analysis of our non-covered loans and leases by portfolio segment and class as of the dates indicated:

March 31 2013

	30-59 Days Past Due	60-89 Days Past Due	Marc Greater Than 90 Days Past Due	Total Past Due	Current	Total
	rast Due	rast Due			Current	10tai
D. L. c. c.			(In t	housands)		
Real estate mortgage:	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$ 172,472	¢ 170.470
Hospitality	120	۶ 946			,	
SBA 504		,	1,727	2,793	52,610	55,403
Other ⁽¹⁾	27,960	2,772	5,451	36,183	1,532,426	1,568,609
Total real estate mortgage	28,080	3,718	7,178	38,976	1,757,508	1,796,484
Real estate construction:						
Residential					43,073	43,073
Commercial ⁽¹⁾	7,290		562	7,852	75,782	83,634
Total real estate construction	7,290		562	7,852	118,855	126,707
Commercial:						
Collateralized	610	1,268	840	2,718	429,934	432,652
Unsecured		132	1,417	1,549	76,879	78,428
Asset-based			281	281	257,983	258,264
SBA 7(a)	251		1,426	1,677	23,398	25,075
Total commercial	861	1,400	3,964	6,225	788,194	794,419
Leases	44		244	200	204 479	204.766
		1.4		288	204,478	204,766
Consumer	32	14	8	54	18,623	18,677
Foreign					17,268	17,268
Total non-covered loans and						
leases	\$ 36,307	\$ 5,132	\$ 11,956	\$ 53,395	\$ 2,904,926	\$ 2,958,321

Included in the 30-59 days past due amount at March 31, 2013, are two loans to the same borrower totaling \$32.3 million. These loans, which were 32 days past due at quarter-end, are now current.

At March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012, the Company had no non-covered loans and leases that were greater than 90 days past due and still accruing interest. It is the Company's policy to discontinue accruing interest when principal or interest payments are past due 90 days or when, in the opinion of management, there is a reasonable doubt as to the collectability of a loan or lease in the normal course of business. At March 31, 2013, nonaccrual loans and leases totaled \$41.9 million. Nonaccrual loans and leases include \$6.1 million of loans 30 to 89 days past due and \$23.8 million of current loans which have been placed on nonaccrual status based on management's judgment regarding their collectability.

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NOTE 5 LOANS AND LEASES (Continued)

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	t Due	t Due		st Due		ast Due		Current	Total
				(In	thou	usands)			
Real estate mortgage:									
Hospitality	\$	\$	\$		\$		\$	181,144	\$ 181,144
SBA 504	955			1,727		2,682		51,476	54,158
Other	3,822	54		3,134		7,010		1,675,358	1,682,368
Total real estate mortgage	4,777	54		4,861		9,692		1,907,978	1,917,670
Real estate construction:									
Residential								48,629	48,629
Commercial				1,245		1,245		80,085	81,330
Total real estate construction				1,245		1,245		128,714	129,959
Commercial:									
Collateralized	902	161		228		1,291		451,885	453,176
Unsecured	3	135		225		363		69,481	69,844
Asset-based				176		176		239,254	239,430
SBA 7(a)	281	547		1,271		2,099		23,226	25,325
Total commercial	1,186	843		1,900		3,929		783,846	787,775
Leases	225	132		244		601		173,772	174,373
Consumer	23	1				24		22,463	22,487
Foreign								17,241	17,241
Total non-covered loans and									
leases	\$ 6,211	\$ 1,030	\$	8,250	\$	15,491	\$	3,034,014	\$ 3,049,505

Nonaccrual loans totaled \$39.3 million at December 31, 2012, including \$3.9 million of loans 30 to 89 days past due and \$27.1 million of current loans.

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NOTE 5 LOANS AND LEASES (Continued)

The following table presents our nonaccrual and performing non-covered loans and leases by portfolio segment and class as of the dates indicated:

			M	larch 31, 201	3		December 31, 2012					
	No	naccrual	F	Performing		Total	No	naccrual	P	erforming		Total
						(In tho	usai	nds)				
Real estate mortgage:												
Hospitality	\$	6,823	\$	165,649	\$	172,472	\$	6,908	\$	174,236	\$	181,144
SBA 504		2,936		52,467		55,403		2,982		51,176		54,158
Other		20,045		1,548,564		1,568,609		15,929		1,666,439		1,682,368
Total real estate mortgage		29,804		1,766,680		1,796,484		25,819		1,891,851		1,917,670
Real estate construction:												
Residential		1,046		42,027		43,073		1,057		47,572		48,629
Commercial		1,447		82,187		83,634		2,715		78,615		81,330
Total real estate												
construction		2,493		124,214		126,707		3,772		126,187		129,959
Commercial:												
Collateralized		3,306		429,346		432,652		2,648		450,528		453,176
Unsecured		1,471		76,957		78,428		2,019		67,825		69,844
Asset-based		281		257,983		258,264		176		239,254		239,430
SBA 7(a)		3,867		21,208		25,075		4,181		21,144		25,325
Total commercial		8,925		785,494		794,419		9,024		778,751		787,775
Leases		244		204,522		204,766		244		174,129		174,373
Consumer		427		18,250		18,677		425		22,062		22,487
Foreign				17,268		17,268				17,241		17,241
Total non-covered loans												
and leases	\$	41,893	\$	2,916,428	\$	2,958,321	\$	39,284	\$	3,010,221	\$	3,049,505

Nonaccrual loans and leases and performing restructured loans are considered impaired for reporting purposes. The following table presents the composition of our impaired loans and leases as of the dates indicated:

		Ma	rch 31, 201	3			D	ecei	mber 31, 20	12	
	naccrual ns/Leases	Re	erforming structured Loans	Ir	Total npaired ns/Leases				erforming structured Loans		Total mpaired ans/Leases
					(In tho	usar	ıds)				
Real estate mortgage	\$ 29,804	\$	65,385	\$	95,189	\$	25,819	\$	80,723	\$	106,542
Real estate											
construction	2,493		11,195		13,688		3,772		21,678		25,450
Commercial	8,925		3,719		12,644		9,024		3,684		12,708

Leases	244			244	244		244
Consumer	427		202	629	425	203	628
Total	\$ 41,893	\$ 80),501	\$ 122,394	\$ 39,284	\$ 106,288	\$ 145,572

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NOTE 5 LOANS AND LEASES (Continued)

The following tables present information regarding our non-covered impaired loans and leases by portfolio segment and class for the dates indicated:

	March 31, 2013						De	ber 31, 20	aid cipal Related					
	R	ecorded		U npaid rincipal	R	Related	R	ecorded	Unpaid Principal	R	Related			
		vestment		Balance		lowance		vestment	Balance					
						(In tho	ısan	ds)						
With An Allowance Recorded:						`		ĺ						
Real estate mortgage:														
Hospitality	\$	8,860	\$	9,630	\$	1,772	\$	8,954	\$ 9,640	\$	2,396			
SBA 504		1,672		1,672		237		1,676	1,676		324			
Other		64,492		67,361		5,796		58,364	60,262		5,107			
Real estate construction:														
Residential		1,046		1,077		115		1,303	1,330		165			
Commercial		8,541		8,540		7		6,723	6,723		206			
Commercial:														
Collateralized		3,109		3,372		2,344		2,477	2,731		1,865			
Unsecured		2,228		3,497		1,677		2,396	3,121		2,234			
Asset-based		281		281		151								
SBA 7(a)		2,159		2,758		295		2,871	3,616		426			
Consumer		458		501		273		466	506		265			
With No Related Allowance Recorded:														
Real estate mortgage:														
SBA 504	\$	2,936	\$	3,741	\$		\$	2,982	\$ 3,755	\$				
Other		17,229		20,222				34,566	38,447					
Real estate construction:														
Commercial		4,101		7,782				17,424	21,085					
Commercial:														
Collateralized		1,589		1,592				1,843	2,067					
Unsecured		143		162				148	163					
Asset-based								176	176					
SBA 7(a)		3,135		4,608				2,797	4,057					
Leases		244		244				244	244					
Consumer		171		247				162	233					
Total Non-Covered Loans and Leases With and Without														
An Allowance Recorded:														
Real estate mortgage	\$	95,189	\$	102,626	\$	7,805	\$	106,542	\$ 113,780	\$	7,827			
Real estate construction		13,688		17,399		122		25,450	29,138		371			
Commercial		12,644		16,270		4,467		12,708	15,931		4,525			
Leases		244		244				244	244					
Consumer		629		748		273		628	739		265			
Total	\$	122,394	\$	137,287	\$	12,667	\$	145,572	\$ 159,832	\$	12,988			

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NOTE 5 LOANS AND LEASES (Continued)

	Three Months Ended March 31,									
		201	13		2012					
	W	eighted			,	Weighted				
	Re	verage ecorded estment ⁽¹⁾	Inte Inco Recog		1	Average Recorded vestment ⁽¹⁾	Ir	nterest ncome ognized		
				(In tho	usano	ds)				
With An Allowance Recorded:										
Real estate mortgage:										
Hospitality	\$	8,860	\$	20	\$	16,784	\$	132		
SBA 504		1,672		22		142				
Other		48,032		395		51,922		549		
Real estate construction:										
Residential		1,046				689		2		
Commercial		3,296		34		9,431		83		
Commercial:										
Collateralized		2,523		13		4,735		18		
Unsecured		2,228		10		2,394		5		
Asset-based		19				,				
SBA 7(a)		2,159		15		4.119		23		
Consumer		458		2		283				
With No Related Allowance Recorded:										
Real estate mortgage:										
SBA 504	\$	2,936	\$		\$	2,354	\$			
Other		11,312		93		29,447		568		
Real estate construction:										
Residential						1,392		17		
Commercial		3,688		25		18,514		149		
Commercial:		ĺ				,				
Collateralized		1,297				5,132		8		
Unsecured		143				654				
Asset-based						63				
SBA 7(a)		3,119		5		4,927		2		
Leases		244				156				
Consumer		155				215				
Total Non-Covered Loans and Leases With and Without An Allowance										
Recorded:										
Real estate mortgage	\$	72,812	\$	530	\$	100,649	\$	1,249		
Real estate construction		8,030		59		30,026		251		
Commercial		11,488		43		22,024		56		
Leases		244				156				
Consumer		613		2		498				
Total	\$	93,187	\$	634	\$	153,353	\$	1,556		
10111	Ψ	75,107	Ψ	05-	Ψ	155,555	Ψ	1,550		

(1)

For the loans and leases reported as impaired at March 31, 2013 and March 31, 2012, amounts were calculated based on the period of time such loans and leases were impaired during the reporting period.

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NOTE 5 LOANS AND LEASES (Continued)

Total

The following tables present non-covered new troubled debt restructurings and defaulted troubled debt restructurings for the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended March 31,												
	Number of Loans	2013 Pre- Modification Outstanding Recorded Investment	Post- Modification Outstanding Recorded Investment (Dollars in	of Loans	Recorded Investment	Post- Modification Outstanding Recorded Investment							
Troubled Debt													
Restructurings:													
Real estate mortgage:													
Hospitality		\$	\$	1	\$ 2,083	\$ 2,083							
SBA 504				1	563	563							
Other	5	13,223	13,223	2	10,552	10,552							
Real estate construction:													
Residential				1	467	467							
Commercial				1	4,484	4,484							
Commercial:													
Collateralized	1	395	395	2	606	606							
Unsecured				1	15	15							
SBA 7(a)				3	136	136							

Three Months Ended March 31,

6 \$ 13,618 \$ 13,618

12 \$ 18,906 \$ 18,906

		2013			2012					
	Number of Loans	_	Recorded vestment ⁽¹⁾	Number of Loans	_	Recorded vestment ⁽²⁾				
			(Dollars in t	housands)						
Troubled Debt Restructurings										
That Subsequently Defaulted ⁽³⁾ :										
Real estate mortgage Other	1	\$	1,298	1	\$	1,725				
Real estate construction Other	1		562							
Total	2	\$	1,860	1	\$	1,725				

Represents the balance at March 31, 2013, for which there were no charge-offs.

Represents the balance at March 31, 2012 and is net of charge-offs of \$324,000.

(3)

The population of defaulted restructured loans for the period indicated includes only those loans restructured during the preceding 12-month period. The table excludes defaulted troubled debt restructurings in those classes for which the recorded investment was zero at the end of the period.

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NOTE 5 LOANS AND LEASES (Continued)

Covered Loans

We refer to the loans obtained in the Los Padres Bank ("Los Padres") and Affinity Bank ("Affinity") acquisitions that are subject to loss sharing agreements with the FDIC as "covered loans" as we will be reimbursed for a substantial portion of any future losses on them under the terms of the agreements.

The following table reflects the carrying values of covered loans as of the dates indicated:

		March 31, 2		o of	
	I	Amount	% of Total	Amount	% of Total
		(Γ	Oollars in the	ousands)	
Real estate mortgage:					
Hospitality	\$	1,204	\$	2,888	
Other		529,228	95%	552,333	94%
Total real estate mortgage		530,432	95%	555,221	94%
Real estate construction:					
Residential		3,049	1%	5,662	1%
Commercial		9,300	2%	17,558	3%
Total real estate construction		12,349	3%	23,220	4%
Commercial:					
Collateralized		11,555	2%	14,603	2%
Unsecured		536		640	
Total commercial		12,091	2%	15,243	2%
Consumer		544		594	
Total gross covered loans		555,416	100%	594,278	100%
Discount		(43,050)		(50,951)	
Allowance for loan losses		(29,303)		(26,069)	
				•	
Covered loans, net	\$	483,063	\$	517,258	
				27	

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NOTE 5 LOANS AND LEASES (Continued)

The following table summarizes the changes in the carrying amount of covered acquired impaired loans and accretable yield on those loans for the period indicated:

	Covered Acquired Impaired Loans									
		Carrying Amount	A	ccretable Yield						
	(In thousands)									
Balance, December 31, 2012	\$	493,846	\$	(196,022)						
Accretion		10,346		10,346						
Payments received		(40,758)								
Decrease in expected cash flows, net				9,670						
Provision for credit losses		(3,137)								
Balance, March 31, 2013	\$	460,297	\$	(176,006)						

The table above excludes certain covered loans from the Los Padres acquisition which are accounted for as acquired non-impaired loans and totaled \$22.8 million and \$23.4 million at March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012, respectively.

The following table presents the credit risk rating categories for covered loans by portfolio segment as of the dates indicated. Nonclassified loans are those with a credit risk rating of either pass or special mention, while classified loans are those with a credit risk rating of either substandard or doubtful.

	March 31, 2013							Dec	em	ber 31, 201	12	
	No	nclassified	C	Classified		Total	No	nclassified	C	lassified		Total
						(In tho	usan					
Real estate mortgage	\$	310,690	\$	152,864	\$	463,554	\$	339,520	\$	143,598	\$	483,118
Real estate												
construction		4,826		6,090		10,916		4,801		17,590		22,391
Commercial		3,559		4,488		8,047		4,814		6,343		11,157
Consumer		85		461		546		117		475		592
Total covered loans,												
net	\$	319,160	\$	163,903	\$	483,063	\$	349,252	\$	168,006	\$	517,258

In addition to our internal risk rating process, our federal and state banking regulators, as an integral part of their examination process, periodically review the Company's loan risk rating classifications. Our regulators may require the Company to recognize rating downgrades based on their judgments related to information available to them at the time of their examinations.

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NOTE 6 OTHER REAL ESTATE OWNED (OREO)

The following tables summarize OREO by property type at the dates indicated:

	March 31, 2013						December 31, 2012						
Property Type	 -Covered OREO	_	Covered OREO		Total OREO		n-Covered OREO	_	Covered OREO		Total OREO		
	(In thousands)												
Commercial real estate	\$ 791	\$	7,292	\$	8,083	\$	1,684	\$	11,635	\$	13,319		
Construction and land													
development	31,670		6,475		38,145		31,888		6,708		38,596		
Multi-family			3,301		3,301				4,239		4,239		
Single family residence	3,500		243		3,743				260		260		
Total OREO, net	\$ 35,961	\$	17,311	\$	53,272	\$	33,572	\$	22,842	\$	56,414		

The following table presents a rollforward of OREO, net of the valuation allowance, for the periods indicated:

	 on-Covered Covered OREO OREO				Total OREO		
	(I	In thousands)					
OREO Activity:							
Balance, December 31, 2012	\$ 33,572	\$	22,842	\$	56,414		
Foreclosures	3,500		1,480		4,980		
Provision for losses	(92)		(1,093)		(1,185)		
Reductions related to sales	(1,019)		(5,918)		(6,937)		
	2204						
Balance, March 31, 2013	\$ 35,961	\$	17,311	\$	53,272		

NOTE 7 FDIC LOSS SHARING ASSET

The FDIC loss sharing asset relates to assets covered by the loss sharing agreements between the Bank and the FDIC arising from the acquisitions of Los Padres Bank and Affinity Bank. The FDIC loss sharing asset was measured at its estimated fair value on the Los Padres and Affinity acquisition dates using expected future cash flows from the FDIC and a discount rate based on a long-term risk-free interest rate plus a premium. Since the FDIC loss sharing asset was initially recorded at estimated fair value using a discount rate, a portion of the discount is recognized as FDIC loss sharing income in each reporting period.

An increase in the expected amount of losses on the covered assets will increase the FDIC loss sharing asset; such increase is recognized through a credit to FDIC loss sharing income. Recoveries on previous losses paid to us by the FDIC reduce the FDIC loss sharing asset by a charge to FDIC loss sharing income. In addition, decreases in the expected amount of losses on covered assets will decrease the amount of funds expected to be collected from the FDIC and will therefore reduce the FDIC loss sharing asset through higher prospective amortization expense. The FDIC loss sharing asset is being amortized to its estimated value over the lesser of the term of the loss sharing agreements or the remaining contractual life of the assets covered by the loss sharing agreements.

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NOTE 7 FDIC LOSS SHARING ASSET (Continued)

The following table presents the changes in the FDIC loss sharing asset for the period indicated:

	Loss	FDIC s Sharing Asset					
	(In t	(In thousands)					
Balance, December 31, 2012	\$	57,475					
FDIC share of additional losses, net of recoveries		4,296					
Cash paid to FDIC		60					
Net amortization		(5,991)					
Balance, March 31, 2013	\$	55,840					

NOTE 8 BORROWINGS, SUBORDINATED DEBENTURES AND BROKERED DEPOSITS

Borrowings

The following table summarizes our borrowings outstanding as of the dates indicated:

	March 31	, 2013	December 3	31, 2012
	Amount	Rate	Amount	Rate
		(Dollars in	thousands)	
Non-recourse debt	\$ 11.196	6.29%	\$ 12.591	6.28%

As of March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012, our borrowings consisted of non-recourse debt relating to the payment stream of certain leases sold to third parties. The debt is secured by the equipment in the leases and all interest rates are fixed. As of March 31, 2013, the weighted average maturity of the debt was 2.3 years.

As of March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012, there were no outstanding FHLB advances. Our aggregate remaining borrowing capacity under the FHLB secured borrowing lines was \$993.9 million at March 31, 2013. As of March 31, 2013, our FHLB advances facility was secured by: (1) a blanket lien on certain qualifying loans in our loan portfolio, which were not pledged to the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco ("FRBSF"), and (2) available-for-sale securities with a carrying value of \$16.5 million. Additionally, the Bank had secured borrowing capacity from the FRBSF of \$381.9 million at March 31, 2013, secured by \$486.5 million of certain qualifying loans. As of March 31, 2013, the Bank also had unsecured lines of credit of \$80.0 million with correspondent banks for the purchase of overnight funds; these lines are subject to availability of funds.

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NOTE 8 BORROWINGS, SUBORDINATED DEBENTURES AND BROKERED DEPOSITS (Continued)

Subordinated Debentures

The following table summarizes the terms of each issuance of the subordinated debentures outstanding as of the dates indicated:

	March 31, 2013		December 3	31, 2012	Date	Maturity		Next Reset
Series	Amount	Rate ⁽¹⁾	Amount	Rate ⁽²⁾	Issued	Date	Rate Index	Date
	(1	Dollars in th	ousands)					
							3 month	
Trust V	\$ 10,310	3.38% \$	5 10,310	3.41%	8/15/03	9/17/33	LIBOR $+ 3.10$	6/13/13
							3 month	
Trust VI	10,310	3.33%	10,310	3.36%	9/3/03	9/15/33	LIBOR $+ 3.05$	6/13/13
							3 month	
Trust CII	5,155	3.23%	5,155	3.26%	9/17/03	9/17/33	LIBOR $+ 2.95$	6/13/13
							3 month	
Trust VII	61,856	3.03%	61,856	3.05%	2/5/04	4/23/34	LIBOR $+ 2.75$	7/26/13
							3 month	
Trust CIII	20,619	1.97%	20,619	2.00%	8/15/05	9/15/35	LIBOR + 1.69	6/13/13
Total subordinated								
debentures	\$ 108,250	\$	5 108,250					

(1)

As of April 26, 2013.

(2)

As of January 28, 2013.

The Company had an aggregate amount of \$108.3 million in subordinated debentures outstanding at March 31, 2013. These subordinated debentures were issued in five separate series. Each issuance had a maturity of thirty years from its date of issue. The subordinated debentures are variable-rate instruments and are each callable at par with no prepayment penalty. The subordinated debentures were issued to trusts established by us or entities we have acquired, which in turn issued trust preferred securities, which totaled \$105.0 million at March 31, 2013. The proceeds of the subordinated debentures were used primarily to fund several of our acquisitions and to augment regulatory capital.

The Company includes in Tier 1 capital an amount of trust preferred securities equal to no more than 25% of the sum of all core capital elements, which is generally defined as shareholders' equity less goodwill, net of any related deferred income tax liability. At March 31, 2013, the amount of trust preferred securities included in Tier I capital was \$105.0 million. While our existing trust preferred securities are currently grandfathered as Tier 1 capital under the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act, proposed regulatory capital guidelines would phase them out of Tier 1 capital over a period of years. However, the phase out rules have not been finalized. New issuances of trust preferred securities will not qualify as Tier 1 capital. If trust preferred securities are excluded from regulatory capital, we remain "well capitalized."

Interest payments made by the Company on subordinated debentures are considered dividend payments under the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System ("FRB") regulations. Bank holding companies, such as PacWest Bancorp, are required to notify the FRB prior to declaring and paying a dividend to stockholders during any period in which quarterly and/or cumulative twelve-month net earnings are insufficient to fund the dividend amount, among other requirements. We are not required to make such notification to the FRB.

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NOTE 8 BORROWINGS, SUBORDINATED DEBENTURES AND BROKERED DEPOSITS (Continued)

Debt Termination Expense FHLB Advances and Subordinated Debentures

In March 2012, the Company incurred \$22.6 million in debt termination expense related to the repayment of \$225.0 million in fixed-rate term FHLB advances and the early redemption of \$18.6 million in fixed-rate subordinated debentures. The Company used a combination of excess cash and collateralized overnight FHLB advances to repay these debt instruments. The FHLB advances were composed of \$200 million maturing in December 2017 with a fixed rate of 3.16% and \$25 million due in January 2018 with a fixed rate of 2.61%. The agreements for these FHLB advances had an early repayment fee for payoffs made before maturity. The subordinated debentures were composed of a \$10.3 million debenture, due in March 2030 and bearing a fixed rate of 11.00%, which was referred to as "Trust CI," and an \$8.3 million debenture due in September 2030 and bearing a fixed rate of 10.6%, which was referred to as "Trust I."

Brokered Deposits

Brokered time deposits totaled \$48.3 million at March 31, 2013, and \$37.7 million at December 31, 2012, all of which were part of the CDARS program. The CDARS program represents deposits that are participated with other FDIC insured financial institutions as a means to provide FDIC deposit insurance coverage for the full amount of our customers' deposits.

NOTE 9 COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

Lending Commitments

The Bank is a party to financial instruments with off-balance sheet risk in the normal course of business to meet the financing needs of its customers. These financial instruments include commitments to extend credit, standby letters of credit, and commitments to purchase equipment being acquired for lease to others. Those instruments involve, to varying degrees, elements of credit risk in excess of the amount recognized in the condensed consolidated balance sheets. The contract or notional amounts of those instruments reflect the extent of involvement the Company has in particular classes of financial instruments.

The following table presents a summary of the financial instruments described above as of the dates indicated:

	M	Iarch 31, 2013	De	ecember 31, 2012		
		(In thousands)				
Loan commitments to extend credit	\$	873,118	\$	849,607		
Standby letters of credit		28,400		27,534		
Commitments to purchase equipment being acquired for lease to others		1,240		4,399		
	\$	902,758	\$	881,540		
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NOTE 9 COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES (Continued)

Commitments to extend credit are agreements to lend to a customer as long as there is no violation of any condition established in the contract. Commitments generally have fixed expiration dates or other termination clauses and may require payment of a fee. Since many of the commitments are expected to expire without being drawn upon, the total commitment amounts do not necessarily represent future cash requirements.

Standby letters of credit are conditional commitments issued by the Company to guarantee the performance of a customer to a third party. Those guarantees are primarily issued to support private borrowing arrangements. Most guarantees expire within one year from the date of issuance. The Company generally requires collateral or other security to support financial instruments with credit risk.

In addition, the Company has investments in low income housing project partnerships, which provide the Company income tax credits, and in a few small business investment companies. The investments call for capital contributions up to an amount specified in the partnership agreements. As of March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2013, the Company had commitments to contribute capital to these entities totaling \$8.8 million and \$10.8 million, respectively.

Legal Matters

In the ordinary course of our business, we are party to various legal actions, which we believe are incidental to the operation of our business. The outcome of such legal actions and the timing of ultimate resolution are inherently difficult to predict. In the opinion of management, based upon information currently available to us, any resulting liability, in addition to amounts already accrued, would not have a material adverse effect on the Company's financial statements or operations.

NOTE 10 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

ASC 820, "Fair Value Measurement," defines fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value including a three-level valuation hierarchy, and expands disclosures about fair value measurements. Fair value is defined as the exchange price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date reflecting assumptions that a market participant would use when pricing an asset or liability. The hierarchy uses three levels of inputs to measure the fair value of assets and liabilities as follows:

Level 1: Quoted prices (unadjusted) for identical assets or liabilities in active markets.

Level 2: Observable inputs other than Level 1, including quoted prices for similar assets and liabilities in active markets, quoted prices in less active markets, or other observable inputs that can be corroborated by observable market data, either directly or indirectly, for substantially the full term of the financial instrument. This category generally includes government agency and government-sponsored enterprise securities.

Level 3: Inputs to a valuation methodology that are unobservable, supported by little or no market activity, and significant to the fair value measurement. These valuation methodologies generally include pricing models, discounted cash flow models, or a determination of fair value that requires significant management judgment or estimation. This category also includes

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NOTE 10 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (Continued)

observable inputs from a pricing service not corroborated by observable market data, and includes our covered private label

We use fair value to measure certain assets on a recurring basis, primarily securities available-for-sale; we have no liabilities being measured at fair value. For assets measured at the lower of cost or fair value, the fair value measurement criteria may or may not be met during a reporting period and such measurements are therefore considered "nonrecurring" for purposes of disclosing our fair value measurements. Fair value is used on a nonrecurring basis to adjust carrying values for impaired loans and other real estate owned and also to record impairment on certain assets, such as goodwill, core deposit intangibles, and other long-lived assets.

The following table presents information on the assets measured and recorded at fair value on a recurring basis as of the date indicated:

	Fair Valu	e M	easureme	nt a	s of March 31	, 201	3
	Total	L	evel 1		Level 2	I	Level 3
			(In tho	usan	ıds)		
Measured on a Recurring Basis:							
Securities available-for-sale:							
Government agency and government- sponsored enterprise residential							
mortgage-backed securities	\$ 880,733	\$		\$	880,733	\$	
Covered private label CMOs	43,785						43,785
Municipal securities	365,425				365,425		
Corporate securities	61,204				61,204		
Other securities	11,630		9,856		1,774		
	\$ 1,362,777	\$	9,856	\$	1,309,136	\$	43,785

There were no transfers of assets either between Level 1 and Level 2 nor in or out of Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy for assets measured on a recurring basis during the three months ended March 31, 2013.

The following table presents information about quantitative inputs and assumptions used to evaluate the fair values provided by our third party pricing service for our Level 3 covered private label CMOs measured at fair value on a recurring basis as of March 31, 2013:

		Weighted Average
Unobservable Inputs	Range of Inputs	Input
Voluntary annual prepayment speeds	0.13% - 33.9%	9.4%
Annual default rates	0% - 15.1%	3.2%
Loss severity rates	0% - 65.9%	40.4%
Discount rates	0% - 12.9%	5.1%
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NOTE 10 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (Continued)

The following table summarizes activity for assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis that are categorized as Level 3 for the period indicated:

	P Lab	overed Private el CMOs Level 3)
	(In tl	housands)
Balance, December 31, 2012	\$	44,684
Total realized in earnings		402
Total unrealized gain in comprehensive income		246
Net settlements		(1,547)
Balance, March 31, 2013	\$	43,785

The following tables present assets measured at fair value on a non-recurring basis as of the date indicated and the gains and (losses) recognized on such assets for the period indicated:

	Fair Value Measurement a March 31, 2013 Total Level 1 Level 2 (In thous					Level 3	Gain (Loss) Three Months Ended March 31, 2013		
Measured on a Non-Recurring Basis:			(,	in thousa	iius)				
Non-covered impaired loans	\$ 80,980	\$	\$	6,226	\$	74,754	\$	(1,345)	
Covered other real estate owned	3,789			3,744		45		(1,093)	
SBA loan servicing asset	956					956		12	
	\$ 85,725	\$	\$	9,970	\$	75,755	\$	(2,426)	
			2.5					·	
			35						

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NOTE 10 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (Continued)

The following table presents the valuation methodology and unobservable inputs for Level 3 assets measured at fair value on a nonrecurring basis as of March 31, 2013:

Asset	 ir Value 1 000's)	Valuation Methodology	Unobservable Inputs	Range	Weighted Average
Impaired loans ⁽¹⁾	\$ 71,991	Discounted cash flow	Discount rates	4.06% - 8.81%	6.63%
	\$ 1,311	Appraisals	Discount	3% - 100%	42%
OREO ⁽²⁾	\$ 45	Appraisals	Discount, including 8% for selling costs	18%	18%
SBA loan servicing asset	\$ 956	Discounted cash flow	Prepayment speeds Discount rates	3.40% - 16.34% 9.66% - 12.67%	(3) (3)

⁽¹⁾ Excludes \$1.5 million of impaired loans with balances of \$250,000 or less.

(3) Not readily available.

ASC Topic 825, "Financial Instruments," requires disclosure of the estimated fair value of certain financial instruments and the methods and significant assumptions used to estimate such fair values. Additionally, certain financial instruments and all nonfinancial instruments are excluded from the applicable disclosure requirements.

⁽²⁾ As of March 31, 2013, there was one OREO measured at Level 3.

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NOTE 10 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (Continued)

The following tables present a summary of the carrying values and estimated fair values of certain financial instruments as of the dates indicated:

March 31, 2013

	Carrying or Contract				Estimated Fair Value					
	Amount			Total		Level 1	Level 2			Level 3
				(
Financial Assets:										
Cash and due from banks	\$	90,659	\$	90,659	\$	90,659	\$		\$	
Interest-earning deposits in financial institutions		41,019		41,019		41,019				
Securities available-for-sale	1	,362,777		1,362,777		9,856		1,309,136		43,785
Investment in FHLB stock		33,400		33,400				33,400		
Loans and leases, net	3	,374,744		3,415,761				6,226		3,409,535
SBA loan servicing asset		956		956						956
Financial Liabilities:										
Deposits:										
Demand, money market, interest checking and										
savings deposits	3	,796,438		3,796,438				3,796,438		
Time deposits		756,792		758,995				758,995		
Borrowings		11,196		11,196				11,196		
Subordinated debentures		108,250		108,186				108,186		

December 31, 2012

	Carrying or Contract		Estimated Fair Value							
	-	Amount		Total		Level 1		Level 2		Level 3
				(In t	housands)			
Financial Assets:										
Cash and due from banks	\$	89,011	\$	89,011	\$	89,011	\$		\$	
Interest-earning deposits in financial institutions		75,393		75,393		75,393				
Securities available-for-sale		1,355,385		1,355,385		8,985		1,301,716		44,684
Investment in FHLB stock		37,126		37,126				37,126		
Loans and leases, net		3,498,329		3,551,674				4,975		3,546,699
SBA loan servicing asset		1,000		1,000						1,000
Financial Liabilities:										
Deposits:										
Demand, money market, interest checking and										
savings deposits		3,888,794		3,888,794				3,888,794		
Time deposits		820,327		823,912				823,912		
Borrowings		12,591		12,611				12,611		
Subordinated debentures		108,250		108,186				108,186		
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NOTE 10 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (Continued)

The following is a description of the valuation methodologies used to measure our assets recorded at fair value (under ASC Topic 820) and for estimating fair value for financial instruments not recorded at fair value (under ASC Topic 825).

Cash and due from banks. The carrying amount is assumed to be the fair value because of the liquidity of these instruments.

Interest-earning deposits in financial institutions. The carrying amount is assumed to be the fair value given the short-term nature of these deposits.

Securities available-for-sale. Securities available-for-sale are measured and carried at fair value on a recurring basis. Unrealized gains and losses on available-for-sale securities are reported as a component of accumulated other comprehensive income in the condensed consolidated balance sheets. See Note 4, *Investment Securities*, for further information on unrealized gains and losses on securities available-for-sale.

Fair value for securities categorized as Level 1, which are primarily equity securities, are based on readily available quoted prices. In determining the fair value of the securities categorized as Level 2, we obtain a report from a nationally recognized broker-dealer detailing the fair value of each investment security we hold as of each reporting date. The broker-dealer uses observable market information to value our securities, with the primary source being a nationally recognized pricing service. We review the market prices provided by the broker-dealer for our securities for reasonableness based on our understanding of the marketplace and we consider any credit issues related to the securities. As we have not made any adjustments to the market quotes provided to us and they are based on observable market data, they have been categorized as Level 2 within the fair value hierarchy.

Our covered private label CMOs are categorized as Level 3 due in part to the inactive market for such securities. There is a wide range of prices quoted for private label CMOs among independent third party pricing services and this range reflects the significant judgment being exercised over the assumptions and variables that determine the pricing of such securities. We consider this subjectivity to be a significant unobservable input and have concluded that the covered private label CMOs should be categorized as a Level 3 measured asset. Our fair value estimate was based on prices provided to us by a nationally recognized pricing service which we also use to determine the fair value of the majority of our securities portfolio. We determined the reasonableness of the fair values by reviewing assumptions at the individual security level about prepayment, default expectations, estimated severity loss factors, and discount rates, all of which are not directly observable in the market. Significant increases (decreases) in default expectations, severity loss factors, or discount rates, which occur all together or in isolation, would result in lower (higher) fair value measurements.

FHLB stock. Investments in FHLB stock are recorded at cost and measured for impairment quarterly. Ownership of FHLB stock is restricted to member banks and the securities do not have a readily determinable market value. Purchases and sales of these securities are at par value with the issuer. The fair value of investments in FHLB stock is equal to the carrying amount.

Non-covered loans and leases. As non-covered loans and leases are not measured at fair value, the following discussion relates to estimating the fair value disclosures under ASC Topic 825. Fair values

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are estimated for portfolios of loans and leases with similar financial characteristics. Loans are segregated by type and further segmented into fixed and adjustable rate interest terms and by credit risk categories. The fair value estimates do not take into consideration the value of the loan portfolio in the event the loans are sold outside the parameters of normal operating activities. The fair value of performing fixed-rate loans is estimated by discounting scheduled cash flows through the estimated maturity using estimated market prepayment speeds. The fair value of equipment leases is estimated by discounting scheduled lease and expected lease residual cash flows over their remaining term. The estimated market discount rates used for performing fixed-rate loans and equipment leases are the Company's current offering rates for comparable instruments with similar terms. The fair value of performing adjustable-rate loans is estimated by discounting scheduled cash flows through the next repricing date. As these loans reprice frequently at market rates and the credit risk is not considered to be greater than normal, the market value is typically close to the carrying amount of these loans. These methods and assumptions are not based on the exit price concept of fair value.

Non-covered impaired loans. Nonaccrual loans and performing restructured loans are considered impaired for reporting purposes and are measured and recorded at fair value on a non-recurring basis. Non-covered nonaccrual loans with an unpaid principal balance over \$250,000 and all performing restructured loans are reviewed individually for the amount of impairment, if any. Non-covered nonaccrual loans with an unpaid principal balance of \$250,000 or less are evaluated for impairment collectively.

To the extent a loan is collateral dependent, we measure such impaired loan based on the estimated fair value of the underlying collateral. The fair value of each loan's collateral is generally based on estimated market prices from an independently prepared appraisal, which is then adjusted for the cost related to liquidating such collateral; such valuation inputs result in a nonrecurring fair value measurement that is categorized as a Level 2 measurement. The Level 2 measurement is based on appraisals obtained within the last 12 months and for which a charge-off was recognized or a change in the specific valuation allowance was made during the three months ended March 31, 2013.

When adjustments are made to an appraised value to reflect various factors such as the age of the appraisal or known changes in the market or the collateral, such valuation inputs are considered unobservable and the fair value measurement is categorized as a Level 3 measurement. The impaired loans categorized as Level 3 also include unsecured loans and other secured loans whose fair values are based significantly on unobservable inputs such as the strength of a guarantor, including an SBA government guarantee, cash flows discounted at the effective loan rate, and management's judgment.

The non-covered impaired loan balances shown above represent those nonaccrual and restructured loans for which impairment was recognized during the three months ended March 31, 2013. The amounts shown as net losses includes the impairment recognized during the three months ended March 31, 2013, for the loan balances shown. Of the \$41.9 million of nonaccrual loans at March 31, 2013, \$2.3 million were written down to their collateral fair values through charge-offs during the quarter.

Other real estate owned. The fair value of foreclosed real estate, both non-covered and covered, is generally based on estimated market prices from independently prepared current appraisals or negotiated sales prices with potential buyers, less estimated costs to sell; such valuation inputs result in

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a fair value measurement that is categorized as a Level 2 measurement on a nonrecurring basis. As a matter of policy, appraisals are required annually and may be updated more frequently as circumstances require in the opinion of management. The Level 2 measurement for OREO is based on appraisals obtained within the last 12 months and for which a write-down was recognized during the three months ended March 31, 2013

When a current appraised value is not available or management determines the fair value of the collateral is further impaired below the appraised value as a result of known changes in the market or the collateral and there is no observable market price, such valuation inputs result in a fair value measurement that is categorized as a Level 3 measurement. To the extent a negotiated sales price or reduced listing price represents a significant discount to an observable market price, such valuation input would result in a fair value measurement that is also considered a Level 3 measurement. The OREO losses disclosed are write-downs based on either a recent appraisal obtained after foreclosure or an accepted purchase offer by an independent third party received after foreclosure.

SBA servicing asset. In accordance with ASC Topic 860, "Transfers and Servicing," the SBA servicing asset, included in other assets in the condensed consolidated balance sheets, is carried at its implied fair value. The fair value of the servicing asset is estimated by discounting future cash flows using market-based discount rates and prepayment speeds. The discount rate is based on the current U.S. Treasury yield curve, as published by the Department of the Treasury, plus a spread for the marketplace risk associated with these assets. We utilize estimated prepayment vectors using SBA prepayment information provided by Bloomberg for pools of similar assets to determine the timing of the cash flows. These nonrecurring valuation inputs are considered to be Level 3 inputs.

Deposits. Deposits are carried at historical cost. The fair value of deposits with no stated maturity, such as noninterest bearing demand deposits, interest checking, money market, and savings accounts, is equal to the amount payable on demand as of the balance sheet date and considered Level 2. The fair value of time deposits is based on the discounted value of contractual cash flows and considered Level 2. The discount rate is estimated using the rates currently offered for deposits of similar remaining maturities. No value has been separately assigned to the Company's long-term relationships with its deposit customers, such as a core deposit intangible.

Borrowings. Borrowings are carried at amortized cost. The fair value of fixed-rate borrowings is calculated by discounting scheduled cash flows through the estimated maturity dates or call dates, if applicable, using estimated market discount rates that reflect current rates offered for borrowings with similar remaining maturities and characteristics.

Subordinated debentures. Subordinated debentures are carried at amortized cost. The fair value of subordinated debentures with variable rates is determined using a market discount rate on the expected cash flows.

Commitments to extend credit and standby letters of credit. The majority of our commitments to extend credit carry current market interest rates if converted to loans. Because these commitments are generally unassignable by either the borrower or us, they only have value to the borrower and us. The estimated fair value approximates the recorded deferred fee amounts and is excluded from the table above because it is not material.

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NOTE 10 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (Continued)

Limitations

Fair value estimates are made at a specific point in time and are based on relevant market information and information about the financial instrument. These estimates do not reflect income taxes or any premium or discount that could result from offering for sale at one time the Company's entire holdings of a particular financial instrument. Because no market exists for a portion of the Company's financial instruments, fair value estimates are based on what management believes to be conservative judgments regarding expected future cash flows, current economic conditions, risk characteristics of various financial instruments, and other factors. These estimated fair values are subjective in nature and involve uncertainties and matters of significant judgment and therefore cannot be determined with precision. Changes in assumptions could significantly affect the estimates. Since the fair values have been estimated as of March 31, 2013, the amounts that will actually be realized or paid at settlement or maturity of the instruments could be significantly different.

NOTE 11 EARNINGS PER SHARE

The following is a summary of the calculation of basic and diluted net earnings per share for the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended					
	N	1arch 31, 2013	De	ecember 31, 2012	N	1arch 31, 2012
		(In thousa	nds	, except per sh	are (data)
Basic Earnings Per Share:						
Net earnings	\$	13,494	\$	19,892	\$	5,264
Less: earnings allocated to unvested restricted stock ⁽¹⁾		(326)		(678)		(122)
Net earnings allocated to common shares	\$	13,168	\$	19,214	\$	5,142
Weighted-average basic shares and unvested restricted stock outstanding		37,391.1		37,420.3		37,284.0
Less: weighted-average unvested restricted stock outstanding		(1,594.1)		(1,704.8)		(1,654.0)
Weighted-average basic shares outstanding		35,797.0		35,715.5		35,630.0
Basic earnings per share	\$	0.37	\$	0.54	\$	0.14
Diluted Earnings Per Share:						
Net earnings allocated to common shares	\$	13,168	\$	19,214	\$	5,142
Weighted-average basic shares outstanding		35,797.0		35,715.5		35,630.0
Diluted earnings per share	\$	0.37	\$	0.54	\$	0.14

⁽¹⁾Represents cash dividends paid to holders of unvested restricted stock, net of estimated forfeitures, plus undistributed earnings amounts available to holders of unvested restricted stock, if any.

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NOTE 12 STOCK COMPENSATION PLANS

The Company's 2003 Stock Incentive Plan, or the 2003 Plan, permits stock based compensation awards to officers, directors, key employees and consultants. As of March 31, 2013, the 2003 Plan authorized grants of stock-based compensation instruments to purchase or issue up to 6,500,000 shares of authorized but unissued Company common stock, subject to adjustments provided by the 2003 Plan. As of March 31, 2013, there were 2,055,025 shares available for grant under the 2003 Plan.

Restricted Stock

At March 31, 2013, there were outstanding 628,495 shares of unvested time-based restricted common stock and 575,000 shares of unvested performance-based restricted common stock. The awarded shares of time-based restricted common stock vest over a service period of three to four years from the date of the grant. The awarded shares of performance-based restricted common stock vest in full on the date the Compensation, Nominating and Governance, or CNG, Committee of the Board of Directors, as Administrator of the 2003 Plan, determines that the Company achieved certain financial goals established by the CNG Committee as set forth in the grant documents. Both time-based and performance-based restricted common stock vest immediately upon a change in control of the Company as defined in the 2003 Plan and upon death of the employee. On April 1, 2013, the Company awarded 295,000 shares of time-based restricted stock that vest over a service period of three years.

Compensation expense related to time-based restricted stock awards is based on the fair value of the underlying stock on the award date and is recognized over the vesting period using the straight-line method. Restricted stock amortization totaled \$1.8 million, \$1.4 million and \$1.6 million for the three months ended March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012, and March 31, 2012, respectively. Such amounts are included in compensation expense on the accompanying condensed consolidated statements of earnings.

Currently no compensation expense is being recognized for any performance-based restricted stock awards as management has concluded that it is improbable that the respective financial targets for any outstanding performance-based restricted stock awards will be met. If and when the attainment of such financial targets is deemed probable in future periods, a catch-up adjustment will be recorded and amortization of such performance-based restricted stock will begin again. The total amount of unrecognized compensation expense related to all performance-based restricted stock for which amortization was suspended or has not commenced totaled \$19.0 million at March 31, 2013.

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NOTE 13 ACCUMULATED OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

The following table provides information about reclassification adjustments from accumulated other comprehensive income ("AOCI") for the period indicated:

			nths Ended March 31, 2013				
AOCI Component:	Amount Reclassific ent: from AOCI ⁽¹⁾		Affected Line Item in the Statement Where Net Income is Presented				
	(In th	ousands)					
Unrealized gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities:							
	\$	409	Gain on sale of securities				
		(172)	Income tax expense				
Total reclassification for the period	\$	237	Net of tax				

(1)

Amounts in parentheses indicate debits to income.

NOTE 14 BUSINESS SEGMENTS

The Company's reportable segments consist of "Banking," "Asset Financing," and "Other." At March 31, 2013, the Other segment consisted of the PacWest Bancorp holding company and other elimination and reconciliation entries.

The Bank's Asset Financing segment includes the operations of the divisions and subsidiaries that provide asset-based commercial loans and equipment leases. The asset-based lending products are offered primarily through three business units: (1) First Community Financial ("FCF"), a division of the Bank, based in Phoenix, Arizona; (2) BFI Business Finance ("BFI"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Bank based in Santa Monica, California. The Bank's leasing products are offered through Pacific Western Equipment Finance ("EQF"), a division of the Bank based in Midvale, Utah.

With the acquisitions of EQF in January 2012 and Celtic in April 2012, we expanded our asset-based lending operations, both in terms of size and product diversification by adding equipment leasing, and determined that our asset financing operations met the threshold to be a reportable segment beginning with the second quarter of 2012.

The accounting policies of the reported segments are the same as those of the Company described in Note 1, "Nature of Operations and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies," of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012. Transactions between segments consist primarily of borrowed funds. Intersegment interest expense is allocated to the Asset Financing segment based upon the Bank's total cost of interest-bearing liabilities. The provision for credit losses is allocated based on actual charge-offs for the period as well as assigning a minimum reserve requirement to the Asset Financing segment. Noninterest income and noninterest expense directly attributable to a segment are assigned to it.

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NOTE 14 BUSINESS SEGMENTS (Continued)

The following tables present information regarding our business segments as of and for the periods indicated:

			March 3	1, 2	013		
			Asset			-	onsolidated
	Banking	F	inancing		Other	(Company
			(In thou	isan	ds)		
Non-covered loans and leases, net of unearned income	\$ 2,492,159	\$	464,738	\$		\$	2,956,897
Allowance for loan and lease losses	(60,079)		(5,137)				(65,216)
Non-covered loans and leases, net	2,432,080		459,601				2,891,681
Covered loans, net	483,063						483,063
Total loans and leases, net	\$ 2,915,143	\$	459,601	\$		\$	3,374,744
Goodwill	\$ 53,995	\$	25,678	\$		\$	79,673
Core deposit and customer relationship intangibles, net	11,159		2,388				13,547
Total assets	4,773,916		504,554		21,435		5,299,905
Total deposits ⁽¹⁾	4,580,514				(27,284)		4,553,230

(1) The negative balance in the "Other" segment represents the elimination of holding company cash held in deposit accounts at the Bank.

	Banking	F	March 3 Asset inancing		012 Other		onsolidated Company
	(In thousands)						
Non-covered loans and leases, net of unearned income	\$ 2,563,893	\$	301,390	\$		\$	2,865,283
Allowance for loan and lease losses	(72,062)		(2,705)				(74,767)
Non-covered loans and leases, net	2,491,831		298,685				2,790,516
Covered loans, net	660,297						660,297
Total loans and leases, net	\$ 3,152,128	\$	298,685	\$		\$	3,450,813
Goodwill	\$ 39,140	\$	17,004	\$		\$	56,144
Core deposit and customer relationship intangibles, net	15,707		1,673				17,380
Total assets	5,087,364		342,743		18,001		5,448,108
Total deposits ⁽¹⁾	4,569,708				(13,038)		4,556,670

The negative balance in the "Other" segment represents the elimination of holding company cash held in deposit accounts at the Bank.

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NOTE 14 BUSINESS SEGMENTS (Continued)

	Three Months Ended March 31, 2013 Asset Consolidated								
	В	Banking	Fi	nancing		Other	C	ompany	
				(In tho	usa	nds)			
Interest income	\$	56,907	\$	12,362	\$		\$	69,269	
Intersegment interest income (expense)		471		(471)					
Other interest expense		(2,650)		(143)		(783)		(3,576)	
Net interest income		54,728		11,748		(783)		65,693	
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(Provision) negative provision for credit losses:									
Non-covered loans and leases		801		(801)					
Covered loans		(3,137)						(3,137)	
Total (provision) negative provision for credit losses		(2,336)		(801)				(3,137)	
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Noninterest income		2,273		544		23		2,840	
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Intangible asset amortization		(993)		(183)				(1,176)	
Other noninterest expense		(35,538)		(6,053)		(1,416)		(43,007)	
		(00,000)		(0,000)		(-,)		(12,001)	
Total noninterest expense		(36,531)		(6,236)		(1,416)		(44,183)	
Total noninterest expense		(30,331)		(0,230)		(1,410)		(44,163)	
Earnings (loss) before income taxes		18,134		5,255		(2,176)		21,213	
Income tax (expense) benefit		(6,430)		(2,199)		910		(7,719)	
meonie tax (expense) benefit		(0,430)		(2,199)		910		(7,719)	
N-4 (1)	φ	11.704	φ	2.056	φ	(1.266)	Φ	12 404	
Net earnings (loss)	\$	11,704	\$	3,056	\$	(1,266)	Þ	13,494	

	В	Thi Banking	A	Ionths End Asset ancing		March 31	Con	solidated ompany
				(In tho	usa	nds)		
Interest income	\$	65,483	\$	8,917	\$		\$	74,400
Intersegment interest income (expense)		523		(523)				
Other interest expense		(5,311)		(218)		(1,191)		(6,720)
Net interest income		60,695		8,176		(1,191)		67,680
(Provision) negative provision for credit losses:								
Non-covered loans and leases		10,000						10,000
Covered loans		(3,926)						(3,926)
Total (provision) negative provision for credit losses		6,074						6,074

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Noninterest income		2,058		1,166		38	3,262
Intangible asset amortization		(1,708)		(27)			(1,735)
Debt termination expense		24,195)		(21)	1	,597	(1,733) $(22,598)$
Other noninterest expense	(3	38,352)		(4,812)	(1	,398)	(44,562)
T-t-li-tt	(1	(4.055)		(4.920)		100	(60.005)
Total noninterest expense	((54,255)		(4,839)		199	(68,895)
Earnings (loss) before income taxes		4,572		4,503		(954)	8,121
Income tax (expense) benefit		(1,358)		(1,900)		401	(2,857)
Net earnings (loss)	\$	3,214	\$	2,603	\$	(553)	\$ 5,264
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NOTE 14 BUSINESS SEGMENTS (Continued)

	Three Months Ended December 31, 2012							2	
				Asset				solidated	
	F	Banking	Financing		Other		Co	ompany	
				(In tho	usai	sands)			
Interest income	\$	61,834	\$	11,868	\$		\$	73,702	
Intersegment interest income (expense)		448		(448)					
Other interest expense		(3,041)		(226)		(832)		(4,099)	
Net interest income		59,241		11,194		(832)		69,603	
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(Provision) negative provision for credit losses:		400		(400)					
Non-covered loans and leases		482		(482)				4.000	
Covered loans		4,333						4,333	
Total (provision) negative provision for credit losses		4,815		(482)				4,333	
Noninterest income		359		1,672		26		2,057	
Intangible asset amortization		(1,043)		(133)				(1,176)	
Other noninterest expense		(34,343)		(6,540)		(1,466)		(42,349)	
Total noninterest expense		(35,386)		(6,673)		(1,466)		(43,525)	
Earnings (loss) before income taxes		29,029		5,711		(2,272)		32,468	
Income tax (expense) benefit		(11,130)		(2,386)		940		(12,576)	
Net earnings (loss)	\$	17,899	\$	3,325	\$	(1,332)	\$	19,892	

NOTE 15 RECENTLY ISSUED ACCOUNTING STANDARDS

In June 2011, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued Accounting Standards Update ("ASU") 2011-05, "Comprehensive Income (Topic 220): Presentation of Comprehensive Income." Under ASU 2011-05, an entity will have the option to present the components of net earnings and comprehensive income in either one or two consecutive financial statements. This standard eliminates the option in U.S. GAAP to present other comprehensive income in the statement of changes in equity. ASU 2011-05 was to be applied retrospectively and was effective for fiscal years, and interim periods within those years, beginning after December 15, 2011 and early adoption was permitted. Adoption of this standard did not have a material effect on our financial statements. In February 2013, the FASB issued ASU 2013-02, "Comprehensive Income (Topic 220): Reporting of Amounts Reclassified Out of Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income." ASU 2013-02 requires entities to disclose: (1) information about reclassification adjustments out of accumulated other comprehensive income by component, and (2) information about significant items reclassified out of accumulated other comprehensive income by the respective line items on the income statement either on the face of the income statement or in the notes. ASU 2013-02 is effective for us on January 1, 2013 and is to be applied prospectively, although early adoption is permitted. The adoption of this standard did not have any material effect on our financial statements.

In October 2012, the FASB issued ASU 2012-06, "Business Combinations (Topic 805): Subsequent Accounting for an Indemnification Asset Recognized at the Acquisition Date as a Result of a Government-Assisted Acquisition of a Financial Institution." ASU 2012-06 requires

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NOTE 15 RECENTLY ISSUED ACCOUNTING STANDARDS (Continued)

recognizes an indemnification asset as a result of a government-assisted acquisition of a financial institution, which we refer to as an FDIC loss sharing asset, and subsequently a change in the cash flows expected to be collected on the FDIC loss sharing asset occurs, the reporting entity should account for the change in the measurement of the FDIC loss sharing asset on the same basis as the change in the assets subject to indemnification. Changes in the value of the FDIC loss sharing asset should be amortized over the lesser of the term of the indemnification agreement or the remaining life of the indemnified assets. ASU 2012-06 is effective for us on January 1, 2013. ASU 2012-06 is to be applied prospectively to any new FDIC loss sharing assets acquired after the date of adoption and to FDIC loss sharing assets existing as of the date of adoption. The adoption of this standard did not have any material effect on our financial statements.

NOTE 16 SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Dividend Approval

On April 26, 2013, the Company announced that the Board of Directors had declared a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.25 per common share payable on May 15, 2013, to stockholders of record at the close of business on May 6, 2013.

Acquisition of First California Financial Group

On November 6, 2012, we announced that we had entered into a definitive agreement and plan of merger whereby we will acquire First California Financial Group, Inc. ("FCAL") for \$8.00 per FCAL common share, or approximately \$231 million in aggregate consideration, payable in PacWest common stock. We expect to close the acquisition of FCAL in the second quarter of 2013.

The number of shares of PacWest common stock deliverable for each share of FCAL common stock will be determined based on the weighted average price of PacWest common stock over a 20-day measuring period, as defined in the merger agreement, and will fluctuate if such average price is between \$20.00 and \$27.00 and will be fixed if such average price is below \$20.00 or above \$27.00. Based on PacWest's 20-day weighted average stock price measured through April 29, 2013 of \$27.26, FCAL stockholders would have received 0.2963 of a share of PacWest common stock for each share of FCAL common stock, which would provide FCAL stockholders with aggregate ownership, on a proforma basis, of approximately 19.0% of the common stock of the combined company.

FCAL, headquartered in Westlake Village, California, is the parent of First California Bank and had approximately \$1.9 billion in assets and 15 branches across Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Luis Obispo and Ventura Counties at December 31, 2012. In connection with the acquisition, First California Bank will be merged into Pacific Western.

As of March 31, 2013, on a pro forma consolidated basis with FCAL, PacWest would have had approximately \$7.0 billion in assets with 82 branches throughout California.

Under the terms of the merger agreement, two individuals currently serving on the board of directors of FCAL will be designated to join the board of directors of PacWest. Such directors must be independent and mutually agreeable to both PacWest and FCAL.

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Other

We have evaluated events that have occurred subsequent to March 31, 2013 and have concluded there are no subsequent events that would require recognition or disclosure in the accompanying condensed consolidated financial statements.

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ITEM 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

Forward-Looking Information

This Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q contains certain forward-looking information about the Company and its subsidiaries, which statements are intended to be covered by the safe harbor for "forward-looking statements" provided by the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. All statements other than statements of historical fact are forward-looking statements. Such statements involve inherent risks and uncertainties, many of which are difficult to predict and are generally beyond the control of the Company. We caution readers that a number of important factors could cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed in, implied or projected by, such forward-looking statements. Risks and uncertainties include, but are not limited to:

lower than expected revenues;

credit quality deterioration or pronounced and sustained reduction in real estate market values could cause an increase in the allowance for credit losses and a reduction in earnings;

increased competitive pressure among depository institutions;

the Company's ability to complete future acquisitions and to successfully integrate such acquired entities or achieve expected benefits, synergies and/or operating efficiencies within expected time frames or at all;

the possibility that personnel changes will not proceed as planned;

the cost of additional capital is more than expected;

a change in the interest rate environment reduces interest margins;

asset/liability repricing risks and liquidity risks;

pending legal matters may take longer or cost more to resolve or may be resolved adversely to the Company;

general economic conditions, either nationally or in the market areas in which the Company does or anticipates doing business, are less favorable than expected;

environmental conditions, including natural disasters, may disrupt our business, impede our operations, negatively impact the values of collateral securing the Company's loans or impair the ability of our borrowers to support their debt obligations;

the economic and regulatory effects of the continuing war on terrorism and other events of war, including the conflicts and uncertainties in the Middle East;

legislative or regulatory requirements or changes adversely affecting the Company's business;

changes in the securities markets; and

regulatory approvals for any capital activities cannot be obtained on the terms expected or on the anticipated schedule.

Overview

We are a bank holding company registered under the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956, as amended. Our principal business is to serve as the holding company for our Los Angeles-based wholly-owned subsidiary bank, Pacific Western Bank, which we refer to as Pacific Western or the Bank.

Pacific Western is a full-service commercial bank offering a broad range of banking products and services including: accepting demand, money market, and time deposits; originating loans, including

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commercial, real estate construction, SBA guaranteed and consumer loans; originating equipment finance leases; and providing other business-oriented products. Our operations are primarily located in Southern California extending from San Diego County to California's Central Coast; we also operate three banking offices in the San Francisco Bay area, a leasing operation based in Utah, and asset-based lending operations based in Arizona as well as San Jose and Santa Monica, California. The Bank focuses on conducting business with small to medium-sized businesses in our marketplace and the owners and employees of those businesses. The majority of our loans are secured by the real estate collateral of such businesses. Our asset-based lending function operates in Arizona, California, Texas, Colorado, Minnesota, and the Pacific Northwest. Our equipment leasing function has lease receivables in 45 states.

Pacific Western competes actively for deposits, and emphasizes solicitation of noninterest-bearing deposits. In managing the top line of our business, we focus on loan growth, loan yield, deposit cost, and net interest margin, as net interest income, on a year-to-date basis, accounted for 96% of our net revenues (net interest income plus noninterest income).

Total assets declined \$163.8 million during the first quarter of 2013 due to repayments on non-covered and covered loans, and lower balances of interest-earning deposits in financial institutions. At March 31, 2013, gross non-covered loans and leases totaled \$3.0 billion and the covered loan portfolio was \$483.1 million. The gross non-covered loan and lease portfolio decreased \$91.2 million for the first quarter of 2013, including loan pay-offs of approximately \$170 million. Our regional presidents reported that loans having balances of \$1.0 million or more and refinanced by other lenders totaled approximately \$75 million; we purposely have not competed on these refinancings because of the low rates and long durations offered by other lenders. We experienced net increases in leases and commercial loans of \$30.4 million and \$6.8 million, respectively. The covered loan portfolio declined \$34.2 million due to repayments and resolution activities. Interest-earning deposits in financial institutions declined \$34.4 million during the first quarter of 2013 to \$41.0 million at March 31, 2013.

Total liabilities declined \$164.4 million during the first quarter of 2013 due to lower total deposits. Total deposits decreased \$155.9 million during the first quarter to \$4.6 billion at March 31, 2013. Core deposits declined \$92.4 million during the first quarter due mostly to a decrease of \$97.5 million in money market deposits, approximately \$80 million of which was expected to occur. Time deposits declined \$63.5 million during the first quarter to \$756.8 million at March 31, 2013. At March 31, 2013, core deposits totaled \$3.8 billion, or 83% of total deposits, and noninterest-bearing demand deposits, which held steady at \$1.9 billion, were 43% of total deposits at that date.

Acquisition of First California Financial Group

On November 6, 2012, we announced that we had entered into a definitive agreement and plan of merger whereby we will acquire First California Financial Group, Inc. ("FCAL") for \$8.00 per FCAL common share, or approximately \$231 million in aggregate consideration, payable in PacWest common stock. We expect to close the acquisition of FCAL in the second quarter of 2013.

The number of shares of PacWest common stock deliverable for each share of FCAL common stock will be determined based on the weighted average price of PacWest common stock over a 20-day measuring period, as defined in the merger agreement, and will fluctuate if such average price is between \$20.00 and \$27.00 and will be fixed if such average price is below \$20.00 or above \$27.00. Based on PacWest's 20-day weighted average stock price measured through April 29, 2013 of \$27.26, FCAL stockholders would have received 0.2963 of a share of PacWest common stock for each share of FCAL common stock, which would provide FCAL stockholders with aggregate ownership, on a pro forma basis, of approximately 19.0% of the common stock of the combined company.

FCAL, headquartered in Westlake Village, California, is the parent of First California Bank and had approximately \$1.9 billion in assets and 15 branches across Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San

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Bernardino, San Diego, San Luis Obispo and Ventura Counties at December 31, 2012. In connection with the acquisition, First California Bank will be merged into Pacific Western.

As of March 31, 2013, on a pro forma consolidated basis with FCAL, PacWest would have had approximately \$7.0 billion in assets with 82 branches throughout California. The combined institution would be the eighth largest publicly-owned bank headquartered in California, and the eleventh largest commercial bank headquartered in California.

Under the terms of the merger agreement, two individuals currently serving on the board of directors of FCAL will be designated to join the board of directors of PacWest. Such directors must be independent and mutually agreeable to both PacWest and FCAL.

2012 Acquisitions

American Perspective Bank Acquisition

On August 1, 2012, Pacific Western completed the acquisition of American Perspective Bank, or APB, previously headquartered in San Luis Obispo, California. Pacific Western acquired all of the outstanding common stock of APB for \$58.1 million in cash and APB was merged with and into Pacific Western; we refer to this transaction as the APB acquisition. APB operated two branches located in San Luis Obispo and Santa Maria, California, and a loan production office located in Paso Robles, California, which has since been converted to a full-service branch. The APB acquisition strengthened our presence in the Central Coast region.

Celtic Capital Corporation Acquisition

On April 3, 2012, Pacific Western completed the acquisition of Celtic Capital Corporation, or Celtic, an asset-based lending company based in Santa Monica, California. Pacific Western acquired all of the capital stock of Celtic for \$18 million in cash and Celtic became a wholly-owned subsidiary of Pacific Western; we refer to this transaction as the Celtic acquisition. Celtic focuses on providing asset-based loans to borrowers across the United States for amounts generally up to \$5 million. The Celtic acquisition diversified our loan portfolio, expanded our product lines, and deployed excess liquidity into higher yielding assets.

Pacific Western Equipment Finance Acquisition

On January 3, 2012, Pacific Western completed the acquisition of Pacific Western Equipment Finance (formerly known as Marquette Equipment Finance, which we refer to as EQF), an equipment leasing company based in Midvale, Utah. Pacific Western acquired all of the capital stock of EQF for \$35 million in cash and EQF became a division of Pacific Western; we refer to this transaction as the EQF acquisition. The EQF acquisition diversified our lending portfolio, expanded our product lines, and deployed excess liquidity into higher yielding assets.

Key Performance Indicators

Among other factors, our operating results depend generally on the following key performance indicators:

The Level of Our Net Interest Income

Net interest income is the excess of interest earned on our interest-earning assets over the interest paid on our interest-bearing liabilities. Net interest margin is net interest income expressed as a percentage of average interest-earning assets. A sustained low interest rate environment combined with low loan growth and high levels of marketplace liquidity may lower both our net interest income and net interest margin going forward.

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Our primary interest-earning assets are loans and investments. Our primary interest-bearing liabilities are deposits. We attribute our high net interest margin to our high level of noninterest-bearing deposits and low cost of deposits. While our deposit balances will fluctuate depending on deposit holders' perceptions of alternative yields available in the market, we attempt to minimize these variances by attracting a high percentage of noninterest-bearing deposits, which have no expectation of yield.

Loan and Lease Growth

We generally seek new lending opportunities in the \$500,000 to \$15 million range; try to limit loan maturities to one year for commercial loans, up to 18 months for construction loans, and up to ten years for commercial real estate loans; and price lending products so as to preserve our interest spread and net interest margin. Achieving robust loan growth has been challenging and repayments have outpaced our new loan volume. Net loan growth over the last several quarters would have involved (a) under-pricing competitors in many cases at margins that are not significantly above our securities portfolio yield, and (b) incurring unacceptable interest rate risk. We continue to selectively make or renew quality loans to our good customers that contribute positively to our profitability and net interest margin and we are focused on building relationships rather than attracting customers at low prices. Nevertheless, our commercial and industrial portfolio grew by \$6.8 million in the first quarter of 2013, with our asset financing segment leading the way with \$49.2 million in loan and lease growth. Our loan pipeline has built-up nicely due to slowly improving economic conditions in our markets, our focus on existing customers for new business referrals, and the service levels we provide that enable us to attract and retain business from the larger banks.

The Magnitude of Credit Losses

We stress credit quality in originating and monitoring the loans we make and measure our success by the levels of our nonperforming assets, net charge-offs, and allowance for credit losses. We maintain an allowance for credit losses on non-covered loans and leases, which is the sum of our allowance for loan and lease losses and our reserve for unfunded loan commitments. Provisions for credit losses are charged to operations as and when needed for both on and off-balance sheet credit exposure. Loans and leases which are deemed uncollectible are charged off and deducted from the allowance for loan and lease losses. Recoveries on loans and leases previously charged off are added to the allowance for loan and lease losses. The provision for credit losses on the non-covered loan and lease portfolio was based on our allowance methodology and reflected historical and current net charge-offs, the levels and trends of nonaccrual and classified loans and leases, the migration of loans and leases into various risk classifications, and the level of outstanding loans and leases. A provision for credit losses on the covered loan portfolio may be recorded to reflect decreases in expected cash flows on covered loans compared to those previously estimated.

We regularly review our loans and leases to determine whether there has been any deterioration in credit quality stemming from economic conditions or other factors which may affect collectability of our loans and leases. Changes in economic conditions, such as inflation, unemployment, increases in the general level of interest rates, declines in real estate values and negative conditions in borrowers' businesses could negatively impact our customers and cause us to adversely classify loans and leases and increase portfolio loss factors. An increase in classified loans and leases generally results in increased provisions for credit losses. Any deterioration in the real estate market may lead to increased provisions for credit losses because of our concentration in real estate loans.

The Level of Our Noninterest Expense

Our noninterest expense includes fixed and controllable overhead, the major components of which are compensation, occupancy, data processing, and other professional services. It also includes costs

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that tend to vary based on the volume of activity, such as OREO expense. We measure success in controlling both fixed and variable costs through monitoring of the efficiency ratio. We calculate the base efficiency ratio by dividing noninterest expense by net revenues (the sum of net interest income plus noninterest income). We also calculate a non-GAAP measure called the "adjusted efficiency ratio." The adjusted efficiency ratio is calculated in the same manner as the base efficiency ratio except that (a) noninterest income is reduced by FDIC loss sharing income and securities gains and losses, and (b) noninterest expense is reduced by OREO expenses, acquisition and integration costs, and debt termination expense.

The consolidated base and adjusted efficiency ratios have been as follows:

Three Months Ended	Base Efficiency Ratio	Adjusted Efficiency Ratio
March 31, 2013	64.5%	61.7%
December 31, 2012	60.7%	55.7%
September 30, 2012	67.6%	56.5%
June 30, 2012	64.9%	59.7%
March 31, 2012	97.1%	58.5%

We disclose the adjusted efficiency ratio as it shows the trend in recurring overhead-related noninterest expense relative to recurring net revenues. See "Results of Operations" Non-GAAP Measurements" for the calculations of the base and adjusted efficiency ratios.

Adjusted Net Earnings

Our reported net earnings for the first quarter of 2013 were \$13.5 million. Another measure of earnings used as an indicator of earnings generating capability and ability to absorb credit losses is adjusted net earnings. We calculate adjusted net earnings by excluding credit loss provisions, non-covered and covered OREO expenses, FDIC loss sharing income or expense, securities gains, and acquisition costs. On a pre-tax basis this amounts to \$27.3 million. After applying our effective tax rate for the first quarter of 2013, our adjusted net earnings are \$17.4 million.

Critical Accounting Policies

The Company's accounting policies are fundamental to understanding management's discussion and analysis of results of operations and financial condition. The Company has identified several policies as being critical because they require management to make particularly difficult, subjective and/or complex judgments about matters that are inherently uncertain and because of the likelihood that materially different amounts would be reported under different conditions or using different assumptions. These policies relate to the allowance for credit losses, the carrying values of intangible assets, and deferred income tax assets. For further information, refer to our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012.

Non-GAAP Measurements

Certain discussion in this Form 10-Q contains non-GAAP financial disclosures for tangible common equity, return on average tangible equity, adjusted earnings before income taxes, and adjusted efficiency ratios. The Company uses certain non-GAAP financial measures to provide meaningful supplemental information regarding the Company's operational performance and to enhance investors' overall understanding of such financial performance. Given the use of tangible common equity amounts and ratios and return on average tangible equity is prevalent among banking regulators, investors and analysts, we disclose our tangible common equity ratio in addition to the equity-to-assets ratio and our return on average tangible equity in addition to return on average equity. Also, as analysts and

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investors view adjusted earnings before income taxes as an indicator of the Company's ability to both generate earnings and absorb credit losses, we disclose this amount in addition to pre-tax earnings. We disclose the adjusted efficiency ratio as it shows the trend in recurring overhead-related noninterest expense relative to recurring net revenues. The methodology of determining tangible common equity, return on average tangible equity, adjusted earnings before income taxes, and the adjusted efficiency ratio may differ among companies.

These non-GAAP financial measures are presented for supplemental informational purposes only for understanding the Company's operating results and should not be considered a substitute for financial information presented in accordance with United States generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP").

The following tables present performance amounts and ratios in accordance with GAAP and a reconciliation of the non-GAAP financial measurements to the GAAP financial measurements:

		T	hree l	Months Ended	l	
Adjuste	ed Earnings Before Income Taxes	arch 31, 2013	Dec	cember 31, 2012	M	arch 31, 2012
			(In	thousands)		
Earnin	gs before income taxes	\$ 21,213	\$	32,468	\$	8,121
Plus:	Provision (negative provision) for credit losses	3,137		(4,333)		(6,074)
	Non-covered OREO expense, net	313		316		1,821
	Covered OREO (income) expense, net	(813)		(461)		822
	Acquisition and integration costs	692		1,092		25
	Debt termination expense					22,598
Less:	FDIC loss sharing income (expense), net	(3,137)		(6,022)		(3,579)
	Gain on sale of securities	409		1,239		
	Adjusted earnings before income taxes	\$ 27,270	\$	33,865	\$	30,892

		Three Months Ended									
Adjuste	d Efficiency Ratio		arch 31, 2013	De	ecember 31, 2012	M	larch 31, 2012				
			(I	Oollai	rs in thousands	s)					
Noninte	erest expense	\$	44,183	\$	43,525	\$	68,895				
Less:	Non-covered OREO expense, net		313		316		1,821				
	Covered OREO (income) expense, net		(813)		(461)		822				
	Acquisition and integration costs		692		1,092		25				
	Debt termination expense						22,598				
	Adjusted noninterest expense	\$	43,991	\$	42,578	\$	43,629				
Net inte	erest income	\$	65,693	\$	69,603	\$	67,680				
Noninte	erest income		2,840		2,057		3,262				
	Net revenues		68,533		71,660		70,942				
Less:	FDIC loss sharing income (expense), net		(3,137)		(6,022)		(3,579)				
	Gain on sale of securities		409		1,239						
	Adjusted net revenues	\$	71,261	\$	76,443	\$	74,521				
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Base ef	ficiency ratio ⁽¹⁾		64.5%	,	60.7%		97.1%				
	ed efficiency ratio ⁽²⁾		61.7%	,	55.7%		58.5%				

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Noninterest expense divided by net revenues.

(2)

Adjusted noninterest expense divided by adjusted net revenues.

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Return on Average Tangible Equity		March 31, 2013		Three Months Ende December 31, 2012		ed March 31, 2012	
	(Dollars in thousands)						
PacWest Bancorp Consolidated:							
Net earnings (loss)	\$	13,494	\$	19,892	\$	5,264	
Average stockholders' equity	\$	589,207	\$	585,525	\$	552,786	
Less: Average intangible assets		93,786		94,604		73,983	
Average tangible common equity	\$	495,421	\$	490,921	\$	478,803	
Annualized return on average equity ⁽¹⁾		9.29%		13.51%		3.83%	
Annualized return on average tangible equity ⁽²⁾		11.05%		16.12%		4.42%	

Calculated as annualized net earnings divided by average stockholders' equity.

⁽²⁾ Calculated as annualized net earnings divided by average tangible common equity.

Tangible Common Equity			March 31, 2013	December 31, 2012			
DooWe	est Danson Canadidated		(Dollars in thousands)				
	est Bancorp Consolidated:	\$	500.706	Ф	500 101		
	olders' equity	Þ	589,796	\$	589,121		
Less:	Intangible assets		93,220		94,589		
	Tangible common equity	\$	496,576	\$	494,532		
Total a	ssets	\$	5,299,905	\$	5,463,658		
Less:	Intangible assets		93,220	·	94,589		
	Tangible assets	\$	5,206,685	\$	5,369,069		
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	Equity to assets ratio		11.13%	6	10.78%		
	Tangible common equity ratio ⁽¹⁾		9.54%	9.21%			
	rangiole common equity ratio		7.517		7.21 /0		
Book v	value per share	\$	15.91	\$	15.74		
	Tangible book value per share		13.40	\$	13.74		
_	outstanding	Ψ	37,071,357	Ψ	37,420,909		
Silaics	outstanding		37,071,337		37,420,707		
Docific	Western Bank:						
	olders' equity	\$	650,258	\$	649,656		
Less:	Intangible assets	Ф	93,220	Ф	94,589		
Less.	intangible assets		93,220		94,369		
	Tangible common equity	\$	557,038	\$	555,067		
Total a	ssets	\$	5,278,470	\$	5,443,484		
Less:	Intangible assets		93,220		94,589		
	Tangible assets	\$	5,185,250	\$	5,348,895		
	Equity to assets ratio		12.32%		11.93%		
	Tangible common equity ratio ⁽¹⁾		10.74%	10.38%			
	rangiolo common equity fatto		10.7170		10.5070		

Calculated as tangible common equity divided by tangible assets.

Results of Operations

(1)

Acquisitions Impact Earnings Performance

The comparability of financial information is affected by our acquisitions. We completed the following three acquisitions during 2012: EQF (\$189.8 million in assets), which was acquired on

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January 3, 2012; Celtic (\$67.1 million in assets), which was acquired on April 3, 2012; and APB (\$283.8 million in assets), which was acquired on August 1, 2012. These acquisitions have been accounted for using the acquisition method of accounting and, accordingly, their operating results have been included in the consolidated financial statements from their respective acquisition dates.

Earnings Performance

Summarized financial information for the periods indicated are as follows:

	March 31, 2013 (Dol		hree Months Ended December 31, 2012 ollars in thousands cept per share data		M s,	March 31, 2012	
Earnings Summary:					,		
Interest income	\$	69,269	\$	73,702	\$	74,400	
Interest expense		(3,576)	_	(4,099)		(6,720)	
Net interest income		65,693		69,603		67,680	
Negative provision (provision) for credit losses:							
Non-covered loans and leases						10,000	
Covered loans		(3,137)		4,333		(3,926)	
Total provision		(3,137)		4,333		6,074	
FDIC loss sharing income (expense), net		(3,137)		(6,022)		(3,579)	
Gain on asset sales		634		2,481		990	
Other noninterest income		5,343		5,598		5,851	
Total noninterest income		2,840		2,057		3,262	
Non-covered OREO expense, net		(313)		(316)		(1,821)	
Covered OREO expense, net		813		461		(822)	
Acquisition and integration costs		(692)		(1,092)		(25)	
Debt termination expense						(22,598)	
Other noninterest expense		(43,991)		(42,578)		(43,629)	
Total noninterest expense		(44,183)		(43,525)		(68,895)	
Income tax expense		(7,719)		(12,576)		(2,857)	
Net earnings	\$	13,494	\$	19,892	\$	5,264	
Profitability Measures:							
Earnings per share:							
Basic	\$	0.37	\$	0.54	\$	0.14	
Diluted	\$	0.37	\$	0.54	\$	0.14	
Annualized return on:							
Average assets		1.02%		1.44%		0.38%	
Average equity		9.29%				3.83%	
Average tangible equity ⁽¹⁾		11.05%		16.12%		4.42%	
Net interest margin		5.40%		5.49%		5.41%	
Base efficiency ratio		64.5%		60.7%		97.1%	
Adjusted efficiency ratio ⁽²⁾		61.7%)	55.7%	,	58.5%	

Calculation reduces average equity by average intangible assets.

(2) Excludes FDIC loss sharing income (expense), securities gains and losses, OREO expenses, acquisition and integration costs, and debt termination expense.

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The following table presents net credit costs for the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended					
	March 31, 2013	December 31, 2012	March 31, 2012			
		(In thousands)				
Provision (negative provision) for credit losses on non-covered loans and leases	\$	\$	\$ (10,000)			
Non-covered OREO expense, net	313	316	1,821			
Total non-covered net credit costs	313	316	(8,179)			
Provision (negative provision) for anotit legger on equand legge	2 127	(4 222)	2 026			
Provision (negative provision) for credit losses on covered loans	3,137	(4,333)	3,926			
Covered OREO (income) expense, net	(813)	(461)	822			
	2,324	(4,794)	4,748			
Less: FDIC loss sharing expense, net	(3,137)	(6,022)	(3,579)			
Total covered net credit costs	5,461	1,228	8,327			
Total net credit costs	\$ 5,774	\$ 1,544	\$ 148			

First Quarter of 2013 Compared to Fourth Quarter of 2012

Net earnings for the first quarter of 2013 were \$13.5 million, or \$0.37 per diluted share, compared to \$19.9 million, or \$0.54 per diluted share, for the fourth quarter of 2012. The \$6.4 million decline in net earnings for the linked quarters was due primarily to the following:

The \$4.4 million (\$2.6 million after tax) decrease in interest income on loans and leases, attributable to: (a) a lower portfolio yield (\$1.9 million in interest) as new loans and refinancings are being closed in this low rate environment; (b) two fewer days in the first quarter (\$1.3 million in interest); and (c) a lower portfolio average balance (\$1.2 million in interest) as we are not competing for loans that do not meet our pricing targets or that generate undue interest rate risk.

The \$4.2 million (\$2.5 million after tax) increase in net credit costs. This increase was due principally to a positive credit loss provision on covered loans in the first quarter compared to a negative provision in the fourth quarter, which lowered pre-tax earnings quarter-over-quarter by \$7.5 million (\$4.3 million after tax). This was offset, however, by lower FDIC loss sharing expense of \$2.9 million (\$1.7 million after tax). The covered credit loss provision in the first quarter was due largely to updated appraisals on two collateral-dependent covered loan relationships, while the negative provision in the fourth quarter was due to increases in expected cash flows on covered loans generally.

The \$1.8 million (\$1.1 million after tax) decline in gain on asset sales due to (a) a \$1.0 million decrease in gain on sale of leases to a more sustainable level of \$225,000, and (b) an \$830,000 decline in gain on sale of securities to \$409,000.

The \$2.1 million (\$1.2 million after tax) increase in compensation expense due to (a) \$1.2 million in higher payroll taxes attributable to the start of the new year, (b) \$794,000 in base year salary increases effective March 1, 2013, and higher incentive compensation also due to the start of a new year, and (c) \$232,000 in lower cost deferrals due to lower loan originations.

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First Quarter of 2013 Compared to First Quarter of 2012

Net earnings for the first quarter of 2013 were \$13.5 million, or \$0.37 per diluted share, compared to net earnings of \$5.3 million, or \$0.14 per diluted share, for the first quarter of 2012. The \$8.2 million increase in net earnings was due primarily to the following:

Lower net interest income of \$2.0 million (\$1.2 million after tax) attributed to lower interest income on loans and leases of \$3.7 million and investment securities of \$1.4 million, offset by lower interest expense of \$3.1 million. The decline in interest on loans and leases was due to (a) a lower portfolio yield (\$2.6 million in interest) and (b) a lower portfolio average balance (\$1.1 million in interest). The decrease in interest expense was attributable to lower rates on time deposits and money market deposits, lower average time deposits, lower average borrowings, and a lower rate and average balance of subordinated debentures,

The \$5.6 million (\$3.3 million after tax) increase in net credit costs. This increase was due principally to a zero credit loss provision on non-covered loans and leases in the first quarter of 2013 compared to a negative provision of \$10.0 million in the first quarter of 2012. This was offset, however, by lower combined non-covered and covered OREO expense of \$3.1 million, due to lower write-downs of \$1.8 million, lower maintenance costs of \$871,000, and higher gains on sales of OREO of \$476,000.

The Company incurred \$22.6 million (\$13.1 million after tax) of debt termination expense in the first quarter of 2012 on the repayment of \$225 million in fixed-rate term Federal Home Loan Bank ("FHLB") advances and the early redemption of \$18.6 million in subordinated debentures; there was no such item for the first quarter of 2013.

Higher compensation expense of \$1.2 million (\$675,000 after tax) attributable mainly to the Celtic and APB acquisitions.

Net Interest Income

Net interest income, which is our principal source of revenue, represents the difference between interest earned on interest-earning assets and interest paid on interest-bearing liabilities. Net interest margin is net interest income expressed as a percentage of average interest-earning assets. Net interest income is affected by changes in both interest rates and the volume of average interest-earning assets and interest-bearing liabilities.

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The following tables present, for the periods indicated, the distribution of average assets, liabilities and stockholders' equity, as well as interest income and yields earned on average interest-earning assets and interest expense and rates paid on average interest-bearing liabilities:

	Ma	arch 31, 2013			Ionths Endember 31, 2012	Ma	arch 31, 2012		
	Average Balance	Interest Income/ Expense	Yields and Rates	Average Balance	Interest Income/ Expense	Yields and Rates	Average Balance	Interest Income/ Expense	Yields and Rates
				(Dollars	in thousand	ls)			
ASSETS									
Loans and leases, net of									
unearned income ⁽¹⁾	\$ 3,500,895			3,565,635			\$ 3,562,766		7.31%
Investment securities ⁽²⁾	1,365,210	8,216	2.44%	1,364,457	8,173	2.38%	1,363,067	9,580	2.83%
Deposits in financial institutions	69,056	43	0.25%	116,406	74	0.25%	103,557	68	0.26%
Total interest-earning assets	4,935,161	\$ 69,269	5.69%	5,046,498	\$ 73,702	5.81%	5,029,390	\$ 74,400	5.95%
Other assets	440,990			458,520			471,177		
Total assets	\$ 5,376,151		9	5,505,018			\$ 5,500,567		
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY									
Interest checking deposits	\$ 523,503	\$ 62	0.05%	512,322	\$ 66	0.05%	\$ 513,190	\$ 65	0.05%
Money market deposits	1,207,332	484	0.16%	1,257,094	549	0.17%	1,199,226	567	0.19%
Savings deposits	155,687	12	0.03%	156,838	12	0.03%	160,958	13	0.03%
Time deposits	796,644	2,091	1.06%	839,783	2,412	1.14%	942,501	2,959	1.26%
Total interest-bearing deposits	2,683,166	2,649	0.40%	2,766,037	3,039	0.44%	2,815,875	3,604	0.51%
Borrowings	12,561	144	4.65%	21,126	228	4.29%	239,779	1,925	3.23%
Subordinated debentures	108,250	783	2.93%	108,250	832	3.06%	123,393	1,191	3.88%
Total interest-bearing liabilities	2,803,977	\$ 3,576	0.52%	2,895,413	\$ 4,099	0.56%	3,179,047	\$ 6,720	0.85%
Noninterest-bearing demand									
deposits	1,940,435			1,977,999			1,719,003		
Other liabilities	42,532			46,081			49,731		
Total liabilities	4,786,944			4,919,493			4,947,781		
Stockholders' equity	589,207			585,525			552,786		
Total liabilities and									
stockholders' equity	\$ 5,376,151		\$	\$ 5,505,018			\$ 5,500,567		
Net interest income		\$ 65,693			\$ 69,603			\$ 67,680	
Net interest rate spread			5.17%			5.25%			5.10%
Net interest margin			5.40%			5.49%			5.41%
Total deposits	\$ 4,623,601			\$ 4,744,036			\$ 4,534,878		2.12,0
All-in deposit cost ⁽³⁾	, , , , ,		0.23%	, , , , , , , ,		0.25%	, , , , , ,		0.32%

Includes nonaccrual loans and leases and loan fees.

The tax-equivalent yield on investment securities was 2.79%, 2.73%, and 3.20% for the three months ended March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012, and March 31, 2012, respectively.

All-in deposit cost is calculated as annualized interest expense on deposits divided by average total deposits.

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The net interest margin ("NIM") is impacted by several items that cause volatility from period to period. The effects of such items on the net interest margin are shown in the following table for the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended							
Items Impacting NIM Volatility	March 31, 2013	December 31, 2012	March 31, 2012					
	Incre	ase (Decrease) in NI	IM					
Accelerated accretion of acquisition discounts resulting from covered loan payoffs	0.04%	0.13%	0.20%					
Nonaccrual loan interest	0.01%	0.01%						
Unearned income on the early repayment of leases	0.08%	0.03%	0.03%					
Celtic loan portfolio premium amortization	(0.01)%	(0.01)%						
Total	0.12%	0.16%	0.23%					

The following table presents the loan yields and related average balances for our non-covered loans and leases, covered loans, and total loan and lease portfolio for the periods indicated:

	ľ	T March 31, 2013	d	March 31, 2012							
		(Dollars in thousands)									
Yields:											
Non-covered loans and leases		6.71%	6	6.74%							
Covered loans		9.23%	ó	9.81%	9.81%						
Total loans and leases		7.07%	ó	7.30%	\overline{b}	7.31%					
Average Balances:											
Non-covered loans and leases	\$	2,999,002	\$	3,026,121	\$	2,876,059					
Covered loans		501,893		539,514		686,707					
Total loans and leases	\$	3,500,895	\$	3,565,635	\$	3,562,766					

The loan yield is impacted by the same items which cause volatility in the NIM. The following table presents the effects of these items on the total loan and lease yield for the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended						
Items Impacting Loan and Lease Yield Volatility	March 31, 2013	December 31, 2012	March 31, 2012				
	Increase	(Decrease) in Loan	Yield				
Accelerated accretion of acquisition discounts resulting from covered loan payoffs	0.08%	0.16%	0.29%				
Nonaccrual loan interest	0.01%	0.02%					
Unearned income on the early repayment of leases	0.10%	0.05%	0.04%				
Celtic loan portfolio premium amortization	(0.02)%	(0.01)%					
Total	0.17%	0.22%	0.33%				

First Quarter of 2013 Compared to Fourth Quarter of 2012

Net interest income declined by \$3.9 million to \$65.7 million for the first quarter of 2013 compared to \$69.6 million for the fourth quarter of 2012 due primarily to lower interest income on loans and leases. The \$4.4 million decline in interest income on loans and leases was due to the combination of three factors: (a) a lower portfolio yield (\$1.9 million in interest) as we continue to

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operate in a low interest rate environment where new loans and refinancings are being completed at rates below the current portfolio yield; (b) two fewer days in the current quarter (\$1.3 million in interest); and (c) the lower average portfolio balance (\$1.2 million in interest) as we have avoided lending at rates substantially below our net interest margin and/or at longer durations that would increase our interest rate risk profile. Interest expense declined by \$523,000 due mostly to lower rates and average balances of time and money market deposits.

Our NIM for the first quarter of 2013 was 5.40%, a decrease of nine basis points from the 5.49% reported for the fourth quarter of 2012. The decrease was due mainly to a lower yield on loans and leases and lower average loans and leases, offset by lower rates and average balances of time and money market deposits.

The yield on average loans and leases decreased 23 basis points to 7.07% for the first quarter of 2013 from 7.30% for the fourth quarter of 2012. This was due mainly to lower accelerated accretion of acquisition discounts from covered loan payoffs. Accelerated accretion of acquisition discounts from covered loan payoffs totaled approximately \$677,000 for the first quarter of 2013 and \$1.5 million for the fourth quarter of 2012, increasing the loan yields by 8 basis points and 16 basis points, respectively. Such accelerated accretion of acquisition discounts increased the covered loan portfolio yields by 55 basis points for the first quarter of 2013 and 110 basis points for the fourth quarter of 2012. Total income from early lease payoffs was \$857,000 in the first quarter of 2013 and \$466,000 in the fourth quarter of 2012.

All-in deposit cost declined two basis points to 0.23% during the first quarter of 2013 from 0.25% for the fourth quarter of 2012. Such declines are due to lower rates on money market and time deposits. Time deposits maturing over the next 12 months total \$607.0 million and bear a weighted-average rate of 1.01%. The cost of total interest-bearing liabilities declined four basis points to 0.52% for the first quarter of 2013 from 0.56% for the fourth quarter of 2012.

First Quarter of 2013 Compared to First Quarter of 2012

Net interest income declined by \$2.0 million to \$65.7 million for the first quarter of 2013 compared to \$67.7 million for the first quarter of 2012. This change was due to a \$3.7 million decrease in interest income on loans and leases and a \$1.4 million decline in interest income on investment securities, offset by a \$3.1 million decrease in interest expense. Interest income on loans and leases decreased due to a lower average portfolio balance (\$2.6 million in interest) and lower portfolio yield (\$1.1 million in interest). The average balance of loans and leases declined \$61.9 million to \$3.5 billion in the first quarter of 2013 compared to the same period last year. The yield on loans and leases decreased 24 basis points to 7.07% for the three months ended March 31, 2013 compared to the three months ended March 31, 2012. Interest income on investment securities declined due mostly to lower interest on our government agency and government-sponsored enterprise ("GSE") pass through securities portfolio (\$2.7 million in interest), offset by higher interest on our municipal securities portfolio attributable to purchases (\$1.4 million in interest). The lower interest on our pass through securities was due to: (a) a lower average balance, (b) accelerated premium amortization due to increased prepayment speeds, and (c) the lower yields on such securities purchased during the last nine months of 2012 and first quarter of 2013 attributable to the generally lower interest rate environment.

The decline in interest expense for the first quarter of 2013 compared to the same period last year was due to the following factors. Interest expense on deposits decreased \$955,000 due to lower rates on time and money market deposits, as well as lower average time deposits. Interest expense on borrowings declined \$1.8 million due to lower average borrowings; we repaid fixed-rate term FHLB advances at the end of the first quarter of 2012 and replaced a portion of those advances with lower cost overnight FHLB advances that were repaid during the third quarter of 2012. Interest expense on

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subordinated debentures decreased \$408,000 due to the March 2012 redemption of \$18.6 million in fixed-rate subordinated debentures.

The NIM declined only one basis point to 5.40% for the first quarter of 2013 compared to 5.41% for the same period last year.

The yield on average loans and leases decreased 24 basis points to 7.07% for the first quarter of 2013 from 7.31% for the first quarter of 2012. This was due mainly to lower accelerated accretion of acquisition discounts from covered loan payoffs. Accelerated accretion of acquisition discounts from covered loan payoffs totaled approximately \$677,000 for the first quarter of 2013 and \$2.5 million for the first quarter of 2012, increasing the loan yields by 8 basis points and 29 basis points, respectively.

All-in deposit cost declined nine basis points to 0.23% for the first quarter of 2013 compared to the same period last year. The cost of interest-bearing deposits declined 11 basis points to 0.40% due to lower rates on money market and time deposits and a shift in the deposit mix to lower cost interest-bearing checking, money market, and savings deposits from higher cost time deposits attributable to the decline in average time deposits. The cost of total interest-bearing liabilities declined 33 basis points to 0.52% due to the reduction in the cost of interest-bearing deposits and lower subordinated debentures cost due to the repayment of higher cost fixed-rate subordinated debentures in the first quarter of 2012.

Provision for Credit Losses

The following table sets forth the details of the provision for credit losses and allowance for credit losses data for the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended						
	M	larch 31, 2013	Dec	cember 31, 2012	N	Iarch 31, 2012	
		(I	ollar	s in thousand	s)		
Provision For Credit Losses:							
Addition to (reduction in) allowance for loan and lease losses	\$	(460)	\$	(350)	\$	(8,500)	
Addition to (reduction in) reserve for unfunded loan commitments		460		350		(1,500)	
Total provision (negative provision) for non-covered loans and leases						(10,000)	
Provision (negative provision) for covered loans		3,137		(4,333)		3,926	
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Total provision (negative provision) for credit losses	\$	3,137	\$	(4,333)	\$	(6,074)	
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Allowance for Credit Losses Data ⁽¹⁾ :							
Net charge-offs on non-covered loans and leases	\$	223	\$	2,893	\$	2,046	
Annualized net charge-offs to average non-covered loans and leases		0.03%	,	0.38%	ó	0.29%	
At Period End:							
Allowance for loan and lease losses	\$	65,216	\$	65,899	\$	74,767	
Allowance for credit losses		71,896		72,119		81,737	
Non-covered nonaccrual loans and leases		41,893		39,284		48,162	
Non-covered classified loans and leases		105,201		101,019		145,933	
Allowance for credit losses to non-covered loans and leases, net of unearned income		2.43%	,	2.37%	ó	2.85%	
Allowance for credit losses to non-covered nonaccrual loans and leases		171.6%	,	183.6%	ó	169.7%	

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For non-covered loans and leases only.

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Provisions for credit losses are charged to earnings as and when needed for both on and off-balance sheet credit exposures. We have a provision for credit losses on our non-covered loans and leases and a provision for credit losses on our covered loans. The provision for credit losses on our non-covered loans and leases is based on our allowance methodology and is an expense, or contra-expense, that, in our judgment, is required to maintain the adequacy of the allowance for loan and lease losses and the reserve for unfunded loan commitments. Our allowance methodology reflects net charge-offs, the levels and trends of nonaccrual and classified loans and leases, the migration of loans and leases into various risk classifications, and the level of outstanding loans and leases. The provision for credit losses on our covered loans results from decreases or increases in expected cash flows on covered loans compared to those previously estimated.

We recorded a positive provision for credit losses of \$3.1 million for the first quarter of 2013 compared to a negative provision of \$4.3 million for the fourth quarter of 2012 and a negative provision of \$6.1 million for the first quarter of 2012.

The provision related to non-covered loans and leases was zero for the first quarter of 2013 and the fourth quarter of 2012 and a negative provision of \$10.0 million for the first quarter of 2012. Net charge-offs on non-covered loans and leases were \$223,000 in the first quarter of 2013, \$2.9 million in the fourth quarter of 2012, and \$2.0 million in the first quarter of 2012. Nonaccrual loans and leases totaled \$41.9 million, \$39.3 million, and \$48.2 million at March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012, and March 31, 2012, respectively. Classified loans and leases were \$105.2 million, \$101.0 million, and \$145.9 million at March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012, and March 31, 2012, respectively.

The allowance for credit losses on non-covered loans and leases was \$71.9 million as of March 31, 2013 and represented 2.43% of non-covered loans and leases at that date. This compares to an allowance for credit losses on non-covered loans and leases of \$72.1 million, or 2.37% of non-covered loans and leases, as of December 31, 2012, and an allowance for credit losses on non-covered loans of \$81.7 million, or 2.85% of non-covered loans, as of March 31, 2012.

Our non-covered loans and leases at March 31, 2013, include \$279.6 million in loans and leases acquired in our 2012 acquisitions that were initially recorded at their estimated fair values. The fair value amounts at which these loans were initially recorded included an estimate of their credit losses. The allowance calculation takes into consideration those loans and leases whose credit quality has deteriorated since the acquisition. At March 31, 2013, \$1.5 million of our allowance for credit losses applies to such loans and leases. When these loans and leases are excluded from the total of non-covered loans and leases, the coverage ratio of our allowance for credit losses increases to 2.63% at March 31, 2013; the comparable ratio at December 31, 2012, was 2.58%.

During the first quarter of 2013, we made a \$3.1 million positive provision for credit losses on the covered loan portfolio due largely to updated appraisals on two collateral-dependent covered loan relationships. During the fourth quarter of 2012, we recorded a \$4.3 million negative provision for credit losses on covered loans due to an increase in expected cash flows on covered loans from previous estimates, and in the first quarter of 2012, we recorded a positive provision of \$3.9 million due to a decrease in expected cash flows on covered loans compared to those previously estimated. The FDIC absorbs 80% of the losses on covered loans under the terms of our loss sharing agreements.

Increased provisions for credit losses may be required in the future based on loan and unfunded commitment growth, the effect that changes in economic conditions, such as inflation, unemployment, market interest rate levels, and real estate values, may have on the ability of our borrowers to repay their loans, and other negative conditions specific to our borrowers' businesses. See further discussion in "Balance Sheet Analysis Allowance for Credit Losses on Non-Covered Loans" and "Balance Sheet Analysis Allowance for Credit Losses on Covered Loans" contained herein.

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Noninterest Income

The following table summarizes noninterest income by category for the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended									
		arch 31, 2013	Dec	cember 31, 2012	M	arch 31, 2012				
			(In	thousands)						
Noninterest Income:										
Service charges on deposit accounts	\$	2,863	\$	3,063	\$	3,353				
Other commissions and fees		1,933		2,025		1,883				
Gain on sale of leases		225		1,242		990				
Gain on sale of securities		409		1,239						
Increase in cash surrender value of life insurance		433		300		365				
FDIC loss sharing income (expense), net		(3,137)		(6,022)		(3,579)				
Other income		114		210		250				
Total noninterest income	\$	2,840	\$	2,057	\$	3,262				

The following table presents the details of FDIC loss sharing income (expense), net for the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended							
	March 31, 2013			cember 31, 2012	M	arch 31, 2012		
			(In thousands)					
FDIC Loss Sharing Income, Net:								
Gain on FDIC loss sharing asset ⁽¹⁾	\$	4,057	\$	303	\$	(867)		
FDIC loss sharing asset amortization, net		(5,991)		(3,740)		(2,513)		
Loan recoveries shared with FDIC ⁽²⁾		(591)		(2,180)		(839)		
Net reimbursement (to) from FDIC for covered OREO activity ⁽³⁾		(614)		(409)		634		
Other		2		4		6		
Total FDIC loss sharing income (expense), net	\$	(3,137)	\$	(6,022)	\$	(3,579)		

⁽¹⁾ Includes increases related to covered loan loss provisions and decreases for write-offs for covered loans expected to be resolved at amounts higher than their carrying values.

First Quarter of 2013 Compared to Fourth Quarter of 2012 and First Quarter of 2012

Noninterest income for the first quarter of 2013 totaled \$2.8 million compared to \$2.1 million for the fourth quarter of 2012 and \$3.3 million for the first quarter of 2012. The \$783,000 increase for the first quarter of 2013 compared to the prior quarter was due to lower net FDIC loss sharing expense, offset by lower gains on sales of leases and securities.

The first quarter of 2013 included net FDIC loss sharing expense of \$3.1 million compared to the fourth quarter of 2012 net FDIC loss sharing expense of \$6.0 million; such change was due mostly to a higher provision for credit losses on covered loans and lower covered loan recoveries, offset by higher amortization of the FDIC loss sharing asset. The increase in quarterly amortization relates to lower estimated losses expected to be collected from the FDIC over the contractual life of the loss sharing contracts.

⁽²⁾ Represents amounts to be reimbursed to the FDIC for covered loans resolved at amounts higher than their carrying values.

⁽³⁾ Represents amounts to be reimbursed to the FDIC for gains on covered OREO sales and due from the FDIC for covered OREO write-downs.

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Gain on sale of leases decreased by \$1.0 million to a more sustainable level of \$225,000 and gain on sale of securities decreased by \$830,000 to \$409,000. We do not rely on asset sales to generate net earnings; however, our leasing operation periodically sells leases to manage credit risk and portfolio size. In addition, we sold \$12.4 million in corporate debt securities in the first quarter of 2013 and \$43.9 million in government agency and GSE pass through securities in the fourth quarter of 2012 to reduce overall portfolio price volatility and extension risk.

The \$422,000 decline in noninterest income for the first quarter of 2013 compared to the same period last year was due mostly to lower gains on sales of leases of \$765,000 and lower service charges on deposit accounts of \$490,000, offset by lower FDIC loss sharing expense of \$442,000 and a higher gain on sale of securities of \$409,000. The reduction in service charges on deposit accounts was attributable primarily to lower analysis charges and NSF fees. The first quarter of 2013 includes net FDIC loss sharing expense of \$3.1 million compared to first quarter of 2012 net FDIC loss sharing expense of \$3.6 million; such change was due mostly to a higher gain on the FDIC loss sharing asset, offset by higher net amortization of the FDIC loss sharing asset and lower net covered OREO costs. The increase in gain on sale of securities was due to the sale of \$12.4 million in corporate debt securities in the first quarter of 2013 to reduce overall portfolio price volatility and extension risk.

Noninterest Expense

The following table summarizes noninterest expense by category for the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended								
		arch 31, 2013	De	cember 31, 2012	M	arch 31, 2012			
		(I	Oollar	s in thousands	()				
Noninterest Expense:									
Compensation	\$	25,350	\$	23,269	\$	24,187			
Occupancy		6,598		6,773		7,288			
Data processing		2,233		2,272		2,280			
Other professional services		2,097		2,200		1,770			
Business development		736		684		638			
Communications		613		637		608			
Insurance and assessments		1,261		1,270		1,293			
Non-covered other real estate owned, net		313		316		1,821			
Covered other real estate owned, net		(813)		(461)		822			
Intangible asset amortization		1,176		1,176		1,735			
Acquisition and integration		692		1,092		25			
Debt termination						22,598			
Other expense		3,927		4,297		3,830			
Total noninterest expense	\$	44,183	\$	43,525	\$	68,895			

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The following tables present the components of OREO expense, net for the periods indicated:

	Three Months Ended							
	March 31, 2013		Decemb 201	,	Ma	arch 31, 2012		
			(In thou	sands)				
Non-Covered OREO Expense:								
Provision for losses	\$	92	\$	401	\$	752		
Maintenance costs		270		280		1,027		
Gain on sale		(49)		(365)		42		
Total non-covered OREO expense, net	\$	313	\$	316	\$	1,821		
Covered OREO Expense:								
Provision for losses	\$	1,093	\$	366	\$	2,229		
Maintenance costs		(45)		52		69		
Gain on sale		(1,861)		(879)		(1,476)		
Total covered OREO expense, net	\$	(813)	\$	(461)	\$	822		

First Quarter of 2013 Compared to Fourth Quarter of 2012

Noninterest expense increased by \$658,000 to \$44.2 million during the first quarter of 2013 compared to \$43.5 million for the fourth quarter of 2012. With the exception of compensation costs and business development expense, overhead expense categories decreased quarter-over-quarter, as management continues to focus on controlling noninterest expenses. Compensation costs increased \$2.1 million due mainly to the timing of payroll taxes, higher base salaries and incentive compensation, and lower cost deferral on new loan originations. Payroll taxes are always higher in the first quarter of a calendar year, and this item accounted for \$1.2 million of the increase. Base salary increases, effective March 1, and higher incentive compensation costs, also attributable to the start of a new year, accounted for \$794,000 of the increase. Lastly, lower new loan volume resulted in lower deferral of direct loan origination compensation costs of \$232,000. Acquisition and integration costs, which declined \$400,000, will vary from period-to-period due to the timing of such activities. Covered OREO expense decreased \$352,000 due mainly to higher gains on sales of \$982,000 offset by higher write-downs of \$727,000.

Noninterest expense includes (a) amortization of time-based restricted stock, which is included in compensation, and (b) intangible asset amortization. Amortization of restricted stock totaled \$1.8 million, \$1.4 million, and \$1.6 million for the first quarter of 2013, fourth quarter of 2012, and first quarter of 2012, respectively. Intangible asset amortization totaled \$1.2 million, \$1.2 million, and \$1.7 million for the first quarter of 2013, fourth quarter of 2012, and first quarter of 2012, respectively.

First Quarter of 2013 Compared to First Quarter of 2012

Noninterest expense declined by \$24.7 million to \$44.2 million for the first quarter of 2013 compared to \$68.9 million for the same period last year. This change was due mainly to \$22.6 million of debt termination expense incurred in the first quarter of 2012 on the repayment of \$225 million in fixed-rate term FHLB advances and the early redemption of \$18.6 million in subordinated debentures; there was no such item in the first quarter of 2013. Additionally, combined non-covered and covered OREO expense decreased \$3.1 million in the first quarter of 2013 compared to the same period last year due to lower write-downs of \$1.8 million, lower maintenance costs of \$871,000, and higher gains on sales of OREO of \$476,000. These items were offset partially by higher compensation expense of \$1.2 million in the current quarter compared to the first quarter of 2012 due mainly to the additions of Celtic and APB.

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Income Taxes

The effective tax rate for the first quarter of 2013 was 36.4% compared to 38.7% for the fourth quarter of 2012 and 35.2% in the first quarter of 2012. The difference in the effective tax rates between periods relates mainly to the level of tax credits and tax deductions and the amount of tax exempt income recorded in each of the periods. The Company operates primarily in the Federal and California jurisdictions and the blended statutory tax rate for Federal and California is 42%.

Business Segments

The Company's reportable segments consist of "Banking," "Asset Financing," and "Other." At March 31, 2013, the Other segment consisted of the PacWest Bancorp holding company and other elimination and reconciliation entries.

The Bank's Asset Financing segment includes the operations of the divisions and subsidiaries that provide asset-based commercial loans and equipment leases. The asset-based lending products are offered primarily through three business units: (1) First Community Financial ("FCF"), a division of the Bank, based in Phoenix, Arizona; (2) BFI Business Finance ("BFI"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Bank, based in San Jose, California; and (3) Celtic Capital Corporation ("Celtic"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Bank based in Santa Monica, California. The Bank's leasing products are offered through Pacific Western Equipment Finance ("EQF"), a division of the Bank based in Midvale, Utah.

With the acquisitions of EQF in January 2012 and Celtic in April 2012, we expanded our asset-based lending operations, both in terms of size and product diversification by adding equipment leasing, and determined that our asset financing operations met the threshold to be a reportable segment beginning with the second quarter of 2012.

The accounting policies of the reported segments are the same as those of the Company described in Note 1, "Nature of Operations and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies," of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012. Transactions between segments consist primarily of borrowed funds. Intersegment interest expense is allocated to the Asset Financing segment based upon the Bank's total cost of interest-bearing liabilities. The provision for credit losses is allocated based on actual charge-offs for the period as well as assigning a minimum reserve requirement to the Asset Financing segment. Noninterest income and noninterest expense directly attributable to a segment are assigned to it.

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The following tables present information regarding our business segments as of and for the periods indicated:

	March 31, 2013										
				Asset			_	onsolidated			
		Banking	Financing		Other		(Company			
				(In thou	isan	ds)					
Non-covered loans and leases, net of unearned income	\$	2,492,159	\$	464,738	\$		\$	2,956,897			
Allowance for loan and lease losses		(60,079)		(5,137)				(65,216)			
Non-covered loans and leases, net		2,432,080		459,601				2,891,681			
Covered loans, net		483,063						483,063			
Total loans and leases, net	\$	2,915,143	\$	459,601	\$		\$	3,374,744			
Goodwill	\$	53,995	\$	25,678	\$		\$	79,673			
Core deposit and customer relationship intangibles, net		11,159		2,388				13,547			
Total assets		4,773,916		504,554		21,435		5,299,905			
Total deposits ⁽¹⁾		4,580,514				(27,284)		4,553,230			
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⁽¹⁾ The negative balance in the "Other" segment represents the elimination of holding company cash held in deposit accounts at the Bank.

	March 31, 2012									
				Asset			C	onsolidated		
		Banking	F	inancing	g Other		(Company		
			(In thou							
Non-covered loans and leases, net of unearned income	\$	2,563,893	\$	301,390	\$		\$	2,865,283		
Allowance for loan and lease losses		(72,062)		(2,705)				(74,767)		
Non-covered loans and leases, net		2,491,831		298,685				2,790,516		
Covered loans, net		660,297						660,297		
Total loans and leases, net	\$	3,152,128	\$	298,685	\$		\$	3,450,813		
Goodwill	\$	39,140	\$	17,004	\$		\$	56,144		
Core deposit and customer relationship intangibles, net		15,707		1,673				17,380		
Total assets		5,087,364		342,743		18,001		5,448,108		
Total deposits ⁽¹⁾		4,569,708				(13,038)		4,556,670		
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The negative balance in the "Other" segment represents the elimination of holding company cash held in deposit accounts at the Bank.

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	Three Months Ended March 31, 2013								
	Asset				-			solidated	
	В	anking	Fi	nancing	Other		Co	ompany	
				(In tho	usai	nds)			
Interest income	\$	56,907	\$	12,362	\$		\$	69,269	
Intersegment interest income (expense)		471		(471)					
Other interest expense		(2,650)		(143)		(783)		(3,576)	
Net interest income		54,728		11,748		(783)		65,693	
The means means		C .,,, 20		11,7 .0		(,00)		00,000	
(Provision) negative provision for credit losses:									
Non-covered loans and leases		801		(901)					
				(801)				(2.127)	
Covered loans		(3,137)						(3,137)	
Total (provision) negative provision for credit losses		(2,336)		(801)				(3,137)	
Noninterest income		2,273		544		23		2,840	
Intangible asset amortization		(993)		(183)				(1,176)	
Other noninterest expense		(35,538)		(6,053)		(1,416)		(43,007)	
		(,)		(0,000)		(-,)		(10,001)	
Total noninterest expense		(36,531)		(6.226)		(1,416)		(44,183)	
Total noninterest expense		(30,331)		(6,236)		(1,410)		(44,163)	
Earnings (loss) before income taxes		18,134		5,255		(2,176)		21,213	
Income tax expense (benefit)		(6,430)		(2,199)		910		(7,719)	
Net earnings (loss)	\$	11,704	\$	3,056	\$	(1,266)	\$	13,494	

	Three Months Ended March 31, 2012							
	Asset				Consolidated			
	Banking		Financing		Other		Co	mpany
	(In thousands)			ds)				
Interest income	\$	65,483	\$	8,917	\$		\$	74,400
Intersegment interest income (expense)		523		(523)				
Other interest expense		(5,311)		(218)		(1,191)		(6,720)
Net interest income		60,695		8,176		(1,191)		67,680
(Provision) negative provision for credit losses:								
Non-covered loans and leases		10,000						10,000
Covered loans		(3,926)						(3,926)
Total (provision) negative provision for credit losses		6,074						6,074
Noninterest income		2,058		1,166		38		3,262
Intangible asset amortization		(1,708)		(27)				(1,735)
Debt termination expense		(24,195)				1,597		(22,598)
Other noninterest expense		(38,352)		(4,812)		(1,398)		(44,562)
Total noninterest expense		(64,255)		(4,839)		199		(68,895)
Earnings (loss) before income taxes		4,572		4,503		(954)		8,121
Income tax expense (benefit)		(1,358)		(1,900)		401		(2,857)

Net earnings (loss) \$ 3,214 \$ 2,603 \$ (553) \$ 5,264

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	Three Months Ended December 31, 2012 Asset Consolidated							
	P	Banking	Fi	nancing	(Other	C	ompany
			(In thousands)					
Interest income	\$	61,834	\$	11,868	\$		\$	73,702
Intersegment interest income (expense)		448		(448)				
Other interest expense		(3,041)		(226)		(832)		(4,099)
Net interest income		59,241		11,194		(832)		69,603
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(Provision) negative provision for credit losses:								
Non-covered loans and leases		482		(482)				
Covered loans		4,333						4,333
Total (provision) negative provision for credit losses		4,815		(482)				4,333
(F		.,		(10-)				1,222
Noninterest income		359		1,672		26		2,057
Trommerest meome		337		1,072		20		2,037
Intangible asset amortization		(1,043)		(133)				(1,176)
Other noninterest expense		(34,343)		(6,540)		(1,466)		(42,349)
Other noninterest expense		(31,313)		(0,5 10)		(1,100)		(12,31)
Total noninterest expense		(35,386)		(6,673)		(1,466)		(43,525)
Total nonniterest expense		(33,360)		(0,073)		(1,400)		(43,323)
		20,020		5 711		(0.070)		22.469
Earnings (loss) before income taxes		29,029		5,711		(2,272)		32,468
Income tax (expense) benefit		(11,130)		(2,386)		940		(12,576)
Net earnings (loss)	\$	17,899	\$	3,325	\$	(1,332)	\$	19,892

First Quarter of 2013 Compared to First Quarter of 2012

Net earnings for the Banking segment increased \$8.5 million to \$11.7 million for the first quarter of 2013 compared to \$3.2 million for the first quarter of 2012. The increase in net earnings was due mainly to \$24.2 million (\$14.0 million after tax) in debt termination expense recognized in the first quarter of 2012 with no similar charge in the first quarter of 2013, and lower combined non-covered and covered OREO expenses of \$3.1 million (\$1.8 million after tax). These items were offset by a higher provision for credit losses on non-covered loans and leases and covered loans of \$8.4 million (\$4.9 million after tax) and lower net interest income of \$6.0 million (\$3.5 million after tax).

The decrease in net interest income for the first quarter of 2013 compared to the first quarter of 2012 was attributed to both lower average interest-earning assets and a lower yield on such assets. The Banking segment's average interest-earning assets totaled \$4.5 billion for the first quarter of 2013, a \$237.0 million decrease compared to the first quarter of 2012, due mainly to lower average loans. The yield on the Banking segment's average interest-earning assets decreased 43 basis points to 5.13% for the first quarter of 2013 compared to 5.56% for the first quarter of 2012.

For further information on the Banking segment regarding results of operations, loans, credit quality, deposits and liquidity, see the sections titled "Results of Operations" and "Balance Sheet Analysis" in Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations.

Net earnings for the Asset Financing segment increased \$453,000 to \$3.1 million for the first quarter of 2013 compared to \$2.6 million for the first quarter of 2012, due mostly to the Celtic acquisition. Net interest income for the Asset Financing segment increased \$3.6 million (\$2.1 million after tax), due primarily to the Celtic acquisition and organic growth. The yield on the Asset Financing segment's average interest-earning assets decreased 64 basis points to 11.66% for the first quarter of 2013 compared to 12.30% for the first quarter of 2012.

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The Asset Financing segment provision for credit losses increased \$801,000 (\$465,000 after tax) due mainly to increased loan and lease volumes for Celtic and EQF post acquisition. Noninterest income declined \$622,000 (\$361,000 after tax) due mainly to a decrease in gains on sales of leases of \$765,000 (\$444,000 after tax), offset by higher commissions and fee income of \$137,000 (\$79,000 after tax). Noninterest expense for the Asset Financing segment increased \$1.4 million (\$810,000 after tax) due mostly to adding Celtic's operations.

The net loss for the Other segment increased \$713,000 to \$1.3 million for the first quarter of 2013 compared to \$553,000 for the first quarter of 2012. The increase in the net loss was due principally to the \$1.6 million (\$926,000 after tax) gain on debt termination attributable to the early redemption of \$18.6 million in subordinated debentures during the first quarter of 2012; there was no similar gain in the first quarter of 2013. This was offset partially by lower interest expense on subordinated debentures in the first quarter of 2013 of \$408,000 (\$237,000 after tax).

Balance Sheet Analysis

Investment Portfolio

The following table presents the components, yields, and duration of our securities available-for-sale as of the date indicated:

	March 31, 2013					
Security Type	A	Amortized Cost		Carrying Value	Yield ⁽¹⁾	Duration (in years)
Security Type	Cost		,			(iii years)
				ollars in thous	sands)	
Residential mortgage-backed securities:						
Government agency and government-sponsored enterprise pass through securities	\$	751,011	\$	781,628	1.88%	3.9
Government agency and government-sponsored enterprise collateralized mortgage						
obligations		97,524		99,105	1.03%	3.6
Covered private label collateralized mortgage obligations		34,933		43,785	9.23%	4.1
Municipal securities ⁽²⁾		362,212		365,425	2.79%	6.5
Corporate debt securities		60,807		61,204	3.13%	12.4
Other securities		6,385		11,630		
Total securities available-for-sale ⁽²⁾	\$	1,312,872	\$	1,362,777	2.35%	4.9

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Represents the yield for the month of March 2013.

⁽²⁾ The tax equivalent yield was 4.10% and 2.70% for municipal securities and total securities available-for-sale, respectively.

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The following table shows the geographic composition of the majority of our municipal securities portfolio as of the date indicated:

	March 31, 2013			
	Carrying	% of		
	Value	Total		
	(In thousand	is)		
Municipal Securities by State:				
Texas	\$ 62,145	17%		
Washington	35,395	10%		
New York	24,640	7%		
Illinois	24,170	7%		
Colorado	18,372	5%		
Florida	16,089	4%		
California	15,190	4%		
Ohio	14,831	4%		
Connecticut	14,335	4%		
Minnesota	14,115	4%		
Total of 10 largest states	239,282	66%		
All other states	126,143	34%		
Total municipal securities	\$ 365,425	100%		

Loans and Leases

The following table presents the balance of our total gross loans and leases by portfolio segment and class as of the dates indicated:

		March 31, 2	2013	December 31, 2012			
		Amount	% of Total	Amount	% of Total		
					Total		
D 1		(Dollars in tho	usanas)			
Real estate mortgage:	ф	172 (76	507 A	104.022	E 01		
Hospitality	\$	173,676	5% \$	184,032	5%		
SBA 504		55,403	2%	54,158	1%		
Other		2,097,837	59%	2,234,701	61%		
Total real estate mortgage		2,326,916	66%	2,472,891	67%		
Real estate construction:							
Residential		46,122	1%	54,291	1%		
Commercial		92,934	3%	98,888	3%		
Total real estate construction		139,056	4%	153,179	4%		
Total real estate loans		2,465,972	70%	2,626,070	71%		
Commercial:							
Collateralized		444,207	13%	467,779	13%		
Unsecured		78,964	2%	70,484	2%		
Asset-based		258,264	7%	239,430	7%		
SBA 7(a)		25,075	1%	25,325	1%		

Total commercial