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Thin capitalisation schedule 2006

Schedule and explanatory notes for 1 July 2005 - 30 June 2006



THIN CAPITALISATION SCHEDULE NOTES

If you are subject to the thin capitalisation provisions you must complete this schedule when preparing your tax return.

The schedule is available through the electronic lodgment service (ELS) for both companies and funds. Alternatively, companies, funds or other entities should complete the paper schedule. The **completed** paper schedule **only** should be posted to the following address:

Australian Taxation Office PO Box 1365 Albury NSW 2640

Some entities are excluded from the requirement to apply the thin capitalisation provisions and do not need to complete this schedule. To find out whether you are so excluded or, if not, how to calculate the amounts requested on the schedule, refer to the publication *Guide to thin capitalisation* which is available on our website at www.ato.gov.au

If you are subject to more than one application of the provisions during the income year, complete the schedule showing details of the last application.

ITEM 1

Show at C the code which represents the type of thin capitalisation entity you are at the end of the income year or relevant period. If you do not know what type of entity you are, you will need to refer to the publication *Guide to thin capitalisation* and the *Income Tax Assessment Act 1997* (ITAA 1997).

The acronym ADI stands for authorised deposit-taking institution.

NON-ADI

Code	Туре	
1	Outward investor (general)	
2	Outward investor (financial)	
3	Inward investment vehicle (general)	
4	Inward investment vehicle (financial)	
5	Inward investor (general)	
6	Inward investor (financial)	

ADI

Code	Туре	
7	Outward	
8	Inward	

ITEM 3A

Show at E the code which represents the type of averaging method that you used for calculating 'average values'. For more information refer to the publication *Guide to thin capitalisation* and ITAA 1997.

Code	Averaging method used	
1	Opening/closing balances	
2	Three measurement days	
3	Frequent measurement – quarterly	
4	Frequent measurement – regular intervals	

ITEM 3B

The thin capitalisation transitional provision allows you to undertake calculations for thin capitalisation purposes using Australian generally accepted accounting principles (AGAAP) as they existed on 31 December 2004. This transitional provision is available to all taxpayers for a period of three income years commencing on or after 1 January 2005.

If you have chosen to use AGAAP to work out your thin capitalisation position, you are required to complete item **3b** at label **A**. If you have not chosen to use the transitional provision, you are not required to complete this item.

ITEM 4

If you are subject to thin capitalisation, you are required to complete item **4**. However, if you have used code 7 or 8 at **C** to represent the type of thin capitalisation entity you are (ADI), you do not need to insert an amount at **K**. See the *Guide to thin capitalisation* to find out how to calculate the amounts to be inserted.

ITEM 5

If you have used code 7 or 8 at **C** to represent the type of thin capitalisation entity you are (ADI), you must complete all relevant labels at item **5**. See the *Guide to thin capitalisation* to find out how to calculate the amounts to be inserted.

ITEM 6

If you have used code 1 to 6 at **C** to represent the type of thin capitalisation entity you are (non-ADI), complete all relevant labels at item **6**. See the *Guide to thin capitalisation* to find out how to calculate the amounts to be inserted.

ITEMS 7 AND 8

If you rely on the arm's length test (item 7) or the worldwide gearing debt/capital test (item 8), you are required to complete items 7 and 8 as appropriate. Refer to the publication *Guide to thin capitalisation* to find out how to calculate the amounts to be inserted.

Australian Government Australian Taxation Office	Thin capitalisation 2006 Schedule 2006 Print neatly in BLOCK LETTERS with a black or blue ballpoint pen only. Print one letter or number in each box. Do not use correction fluid or tape. 0		
Tax file number (TFN)	Australian business number (ABN)		
For detailed notes on the completion of this schedule refer to the Guide to thin capitalisation available on the Tax Office website at www.ato.gov.au Show whole dollars only.			
1 Show your entity type at the end of t	the income year.		
2 Have you changed status from 'general' to 'financial' during the income year? Yes Yes Yes Yes Print X in the appropriate box			
3 Calculation methods 3a Show the method used for calculatin	ng 'average values'.		
3b Have you chosen to use the thin capitalisation transitional provision for your thin capitalisation calculations?			

4 General information – All entities to complete.

	E , , ,	Debt deduction
	G,,,,,,,,00	Amount of debt deduction disallowed
		Adjusted average debt
		Asset revaluation amount for thin capitalisation purposes
	J,,,,,,,,,,00	Excess debt (non-ADI)/capital shortfall (ADI)
F	K , , ,	Average value of assets (non-ADIs only)
	B,,,,,00	Maximum allowable debt (non ADIs)/ minimum capital amount (ADI)
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5	ADI – Complete as applicable	
5a	(Adjusted) average equity capital	□□□□,□□□,□□□,□□□.00
	Average value of risk weighted assets	₃ M
5b	Outward investing entity	
	Equity capital attributable to overseas permanent establishment(s)	
	Average value of controlled foreign entity equity	; O ,,,,, DOCO
	Tier 1 prudential capital deductions	
5c	Inward investing entity	
	Average of risk weighted assets attributable to Australian permanent establishment(s)	
	Average value of dotation capital	^I R ,,,,,,,,
6	Non-ADI – Complete as applicable	
6a	Average value of non-debt liabilities	₃ A , , , , ,, 00
	Average value of associate entity debt	^t B , , , , , . ;00
	Average value of associate entity equity	
	Average value of associate entity excess amount	
6b	Financial entity	
	Average zero capital amount	t E . 00
	Average on-lent amount	
6c	Outward investing entity	
	Average value of controlled foreign entity equity	₿
	Average value of controlled foreign entity debt	₫ Ħ □ □ □,□ □,□ □,□ □,□ 0 0
7	Arm's length tests If relying on this test show:	
	Arm's length debt (non ADI) or capital (ADI) amount	
8	Worldwide gearing debt/capital test If relying on this test show:	
	Worldwide group capital ratio	
	Worldwide capital amount	t L ,,,,,,, , , , 60
	Worldwide debt	
	Worldwide equity	
	Worldwide gearing debt amount	